Chichester District Council

Heritage At Risk Register

John Abel Smith Memorial, Chichester Cemetery CHICHESTER

Asset Type: Listed Building – Grade II

Grid Reference: 487498, 105299 **Parish:** Chichester

Conservation Area: No **SDNP:** No

Description: Richly detailed small mortuary chapel in Early

English style. Walls faced with ashlar; partly plain tile roof, with ashlar coping and cruciform finials to gable ends. Two bay side elevations with gabled corner and centre buttresses, each bay subdivided by a three bay double aroads of coupled columns above a panelled base; columns with capitals with stiff-leaf foliage set below pointed arches with trafoiled heads.

Priority:

Reason for Risk: Faulty rainwater goods, ironwork deteriorating

through lack of maintenance, lack of determined ownership leading to continued deterioration.

Registered:

Last Assessed: 4 August 2011

Ownership:

Current Status: Advised to store broken finial within chapel which

was damaged by tree limb. Noted deterioration of ironwork, particularly on east side. Also, water damage to buttresses due to poorly designed water

goods.

Photograph 2011



Priority

- A Immediate risk of further rapid deterioration or loss of fabric; no solution agreed.
- **B** Immediate risk of further rapid deterioration or loss of fabric; solution agreed but not yet implemented.
- C Slow decay; no solution agreed.
- **D** Slow decay; solution agreed but not yet implemented.
- **E** Under repair or in fair to good repair, but no user identified; or under threat of vacancy with no obvious new user. (Applicable only to buildings capable of beneficial use.)
- **F** Repair scheme in progress and (where applicable) end use or user identified; functionally redundant buildings with new use agreed but not yet implemented.