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Post-Planning Drainage Strategy

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1 INTRODUCTION

Canham Consulting Ltd have been commissioned by Caring Homes Group to produce a Post Planning Drainage Strategy to support the outcome of planning permission ref 24/02758/FP relating to the development of the Guysfield Residential Care Home. The proposed development intends to demolish an existing care home located onsite and construct a new care home alongside retention of an existing building; with refurbishment and new build forming the overall care home facility. A plan of the development can be found in Appendix A.

This Drainage Strategy should be read alongside the FRA and DS provided at planning stage which provided information on the flood risks associated with the proposed development, identified mitigation measures for the site and enabled demonstration of how the development met the relevant design criteria to proceed through planning.

This report follows the guidance set out in National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF), the National Planning Policy Guidance (NPPG), alongside other relevant Local Authority policies and guidance notes from authorities such as the Environment Agency (EA), Anglian Water, CIRIA, The SuDS Manual (C753) and Hertfordshire County Council's Guidance for Developers on SuDS (Sustainable Drainage Systems) Design.

The following data was collected as part of this FRA:

- Topographic Survey
- Geotechnical Information – Including Infiltration Rates
- Confirmation of How the Site Currently Drains
- Anglian Water Wastewater Sewer Asset Plan
- Anglian Water Pre-Planning Report

1.1 Planning Approval/Conditions

Planning was approved for permission reference 24/02758/FP and this Drainage Strategy addresses the following Planning Conditions.

26. No development shall commence until construction drawings of the final surface water drainage network, associated sustainable drainage components, flow control mechanisms, detailed network calculations and a construction method statement have been submitted and agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The scheme shall then be constructed as per the agreed drawings, Flood Risk Assessment prepared by Canham Consulting Structural Civil Building Engineers reference 213692-CCL-XX-00-01000 Rev P05 S3, dated 24 July 2025 and drawing numbers GCH-CCL-XX-XX-DR-C-0001 Rev P03 dated 24 July 2025 (if infiltration is viable) or 213692-CCL-XX-00-DR-C-1000 Rev P02 dated 24 July 2025 (if infiltration is not viable). The scheme shall address the following matters:

I. Detailed infiltration testing in accordance with BRE Digest 365 (or equivalent) along the length and proposed depth of the proposed infiltration feature(s), as stated within section 6.2.1 of the FRA.

Or, if infiltration is not feasible Surface water runoff rates will be attenuated to 2l/s as stated within section 6.2.1 of the FRA.

II. Provision of surface water attenuation storage, sized and designed to accommodate the volume of water generated in all rainfall events up to and including the critical storm duration for the 3.33% AEP (1 in 30 year) and 1% AEP (1 in 100) rainfall events (both including allowances for climate change).

III. An assessment demonstrating the drainage scheme complies with the National Standards for SuDS July 2025, including provision of the "four pillars" of SuDS.

IV. Detailed designs, modelling calculations and plans of the of the drainage conveyance network in the:

- 3.33% AEP (1 in 30 year) critical rainfall event plus climate change to show no flooding outside the drainage features on any part of the site.*
- 1% AEP (1 in 100 year) critical rainfall plus climate change event to show, if any, the depth, volume and storage location of any flooding outside the drainage features, ensuring that flooding does not occur in any part of a building or any utility plant susceptible to water (e.g. pumping station or electricity substation) within the development. It will also show that no runoff during this event will leave the site uncontrolled.*

V. Plans shall be submitted showing the routes for the management of exceedance surface water flow routes that minimise the risk to people and property during rainfall events in excess of 1% AEP (1 in 100) rainfall event plus climate change allowance.

VI. Finished ground floor levels of properties shall be a minimum of 300mm above expected flood levels of all sources of flooding (including any SuDS features and within any proposed drainage scheme) or 150mm above ground level, whichever is the more precautionary.

VII. Details of how all surface water management features to be designed in accordance with The SuDS Manual (CIRIA C753, 2015), including appropriate treatment stages for water quality prior to discharge.

27. The development hereby approved shall not be occupied until details of the maintenance and management of the sustainable drainage scheme have been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The drainage scheme shall be implemented prior to the first occupation of the development hereby approved and thereafter managed and maintained in accordance with the approved details in perpetuity. The Local Planning Authority shall be granted access to inspect the sustainable drainage scheme for the lifetime of the development. The details of the scheme to be submitted for approval shall include:

I. a timetable for its implementation.

II. details of SuDS feature and connecting drainage structures and maintenance requirement for each aspect including a drawing showing where they are located.

III. a management and maintenance plan for the lifetime of the development which shall include the arrangements for adoption by any public body or statutory undertaker, or any other arrangements to secure the operation of the sustainable drainage scheme throughout its lifetime. This will include the name and contact details of any appointed management company.

2 DEVELOPMENT DESCRIPTION & LOCATION

2.1 Type of Development with Location

The proposed development is for the demolition of an existing care home and the construction of a new care home alongside retention of Guys House (part of the current care home function) which will be refurbished. The site is located on the northern side of Willian Road, Willian, Letchworth Garden City, SG6 2AB, as indicated below on Figure 1. The site is centred on Grid Reference: TL 22155 30705.



Figure 1: Site Location Plan

The site is bounded to the north by a suburban residential estate. To the south, the site is bounded by Willian Road, beyond this is agricultural land. The site is bounded to the east by agricultural land, additionally, Willian Pond is located to the east of the site. The site is bounded to the west by suburban residences, Letchworth Lane, and a golf course.

The site is currently used as a residential care home and Guys House will remain as such.

A Topographic Survey of the existing site is included within Appendix B. The topographic survey indicates that the proposed development is in an area with a maximum ground level of approximately 86.92m AOD in the north of the site and a minimum ground level of approximately 81.28m AOD in the south-east of the site. The topographic survey shows the general fall of the site is from the north to the south.

The existing site area is approximately 8,365m². Of this area, impermeable surfaces account for roughly 2,194m². The impermeable areas onsite consist of the existing care home building and, the tarmac driveway and parking area. The remaining site area is understood to have permeable surfaces.

3 CLIMATE CHANGE

Due to the location of the site, the climate change factors, as defined by NPPF Technical Guidance, should be applied to the peak rainfall intensity. A 100-year lifespan for the development has been considered as residential.

National Guidance on Flood Risk Assessments and climate change allowances, shown in Table 2 of the national climate change, shows that in small and urban catchments a central level of 20% and upper end of 45% peak rainfall intensity allowance should be used to assess the range of impacts.

For the purposes of this report it is proposed that a conservative approach is considered and that a climate change factor of +45% is utilised on all drainage calculations. The +45% climate change factor used within the drainage calculations is in line with the Climate Change Allowance Note produced by Hertfordshire County Council.

4 DETAILED DEVELOPMENT PROPOSAL

4.1 Introduction

The proposed development is for a replacement residential care home located within Flood Zone 1. The site is shown to be at a low risk of surface water flooding in locations near to the existing care home.

The existing development consists of approximately 2,194m² of impermeable area which is predominately comprised of hard standing and roof area. The proposed development proposes approximately 1,065m² of impermeable roof area with the existing Guys House contributing a further 150m² impermeable roof. The access road and parking areas (1,221m²) are proposed to be constructed from permeable paving. The proposed impermeable areas plan for the proposed development is available within Appendix D. If the proposed access road and parking areas were to be constructed out of a permeable surface such as permeable paving, the proposed development will reduce the total impermeable area onsite by 978m² relative to existing.

Whilst detailing the drainage requirement, it is worth returning to the requirements of Condition 26, summarised as follows:

- I. Infiltration testing needed to demonstrate suitability of that solution.
- II. Provision of attenuation storage to accommodate surface water in all events up to 1% AEP plus climate change.
- III. Demonstration of four pillars of SuDS.
- IV. Detailed design to demonstrate no flooding in all events up to and including 3.33% AEP plus climate change event with demonstration of flood storage in 1% AEP plus climate change event.
- V. Exceedance plans to demonstrate mitigation of risk during any flooding events.
- VI. Demonstration that ground floor levels minimum of 300mm above flood levels.
- VII. Demonstration of how SuDS will deliver appropriate levels of water quality.

We outline how these elements are dealt with through the course of this Section.

4.2 Proposed Surface Water Drainage Strategy

4.2.1 SuDS Hierarchy

In identifying SuDS options, it is important to understand how the site can meet the following drainage hierarchy:

- i. Infiltration
- ii. Disposal to a watercourse
- iii. Disposal to a public sewer

The planning condition stated as follows:

I. Detailed infiltration testing in accordance with BRE Digest 365 (or equivalent) along the length and proposed depth of the proposed infiltration feature(s), as stated within section 6.2.1 of the FRA.

We undertook infiltration testing in the locations noted on Figure 2 below over 7-9th January 2026 and took groundwater levels across the winter period with no groundwater encountered up to a depth of 5m. The test locations were intended to be as close as feasible and to the relevant depths in line with the Drainage Strategy provided at planning stage.

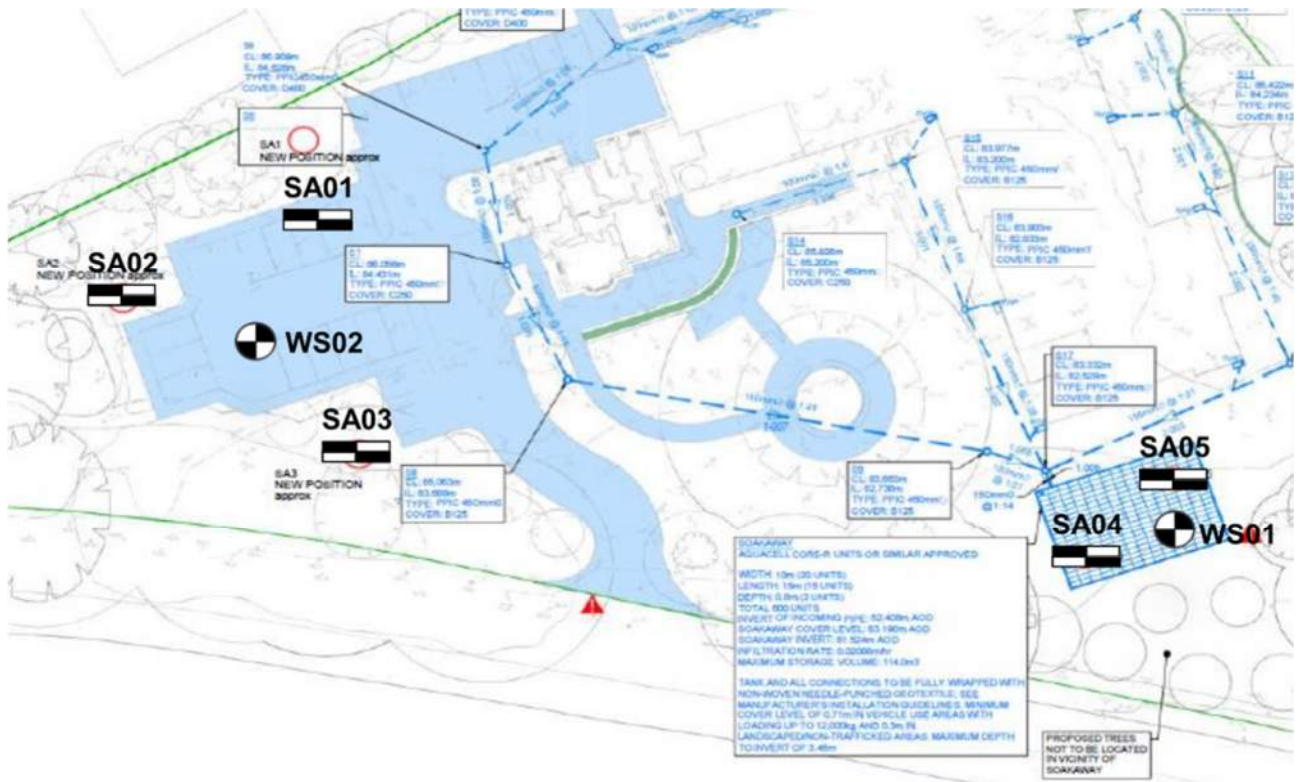


Figure 2: Infiltration Test Locations

The infiltration test results undertaken in line with BRE365 are presented on Table 1 below and included in Appendix C.

Soakaway Location	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3	Comments
SA1	$6.71 \times 10^{-7} \text{m/s}$	-	-	Lowest rate of $6.71 \times 10^{-7} \text{m/s}$ used for car park area design
SA2	$2.17 \times 10^{-6} \text{m/s}$	-	-	
SA3	$6.89 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$	$4.84 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$	$5.01 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$	
SA4	$3.94 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$	$2.93 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$	$2.67 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$	Lowest rate of $2.67 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$ used for soakaway design
SA5	$8.85 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$	$5.62 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$	$5.39 \times 10^{-5} \text{m/s}$	

Table 1: Infiltration Test Results

Infiltration testing shows that infiltration rates onsite vary across the various areas tested. There is a strong correlation between those tests undertaken in sand compared to those undertaken in clay with the more productive rates established in sand. As noted in Table 1, the lowest recorded rates in each area have been used for the surface water drainage design and on that basis, we do anticipate that the rates we will actually achieve in each of the areas will be favourable compared to the assumption used.

On the basis of the better infiltration rates being in the sand material which is deeper, we will ensure that the surface water discharges in this sand material in both infiltration areas. Within the soakaway, this is straightforward as the tank will be positioned at an appropriate depth within the sand and within the permeable paved area, our detail will include provision of recessed permeable pipes as part of the build up. For the permeable paved area, by utilising the lower sandy areas, our actual discharge rate will be much higher than the assumed rate used in our calculations.

We understand that the site currently discharges via infiltration and as such, Guys House, as part of the existing development, will continue to discharge surface water via the existing soakaways.

4.2.2 SuDs Design

Considering the site currently drains via infiltration and as noted above, we have developed a design which delivers infiltration via the permeable paved car park and a separate soakaway.

The open space to the east of the site poses the challenge of steep ground levels. The topographic survey within Appendix B shows a slope as much as 1:8 in the southern part of the open space. These surface levels reduce the viability of a structure such as a shallow infiltration basin. The site currently uses deeper infiltration to manage surface water associated with the existing care home roof, as evidenced in Appendix E. Therefore, it is considered that surface water associated with the proposed residential roof will discharge by infiltrating via a soakaway crated structure and surface water associated with the access road and parking areas will utilise shallow infiltration.

This proposal is backed up by the infiltration results obtained from the testing in January 2026.

A Causeway Flow network model has been created to evidence the viability of infiltrating surface water drainage network for the proposed development. The surface water drains to a cellular storage soakaway in the south of the site, located near to an existing ring soakaway. The design demonstrated that a cellular storage soakaway sized 10.0m x 10.0m x 0.8m would be required for the 1-in-100-year event plus 45% climate change. The soakaway was sized using the infiltration rate from SA04 of 0.09612m/hr and delivers a half-drain time less than 24 hours and demonstrates no flooding in any event up to and including 1 in 100 plus climate change.

Calculations for the Causeway Flow model are available in Appendix F and a drawing of the proposed surface water drainage layout is available in Appendix G. An impermeable areas plan showing the areas considered within the calculations is included within Appendix D.

The Causeway Flow model shows no flooding or flood risk in all events up to and including the 1-in-100-year, plus climate change. The modelling demonstrates that there are no modelled water levels less than 300mm below the finished floor level of the building and therefore, the design takes account for flood risk around the building itself. It is considered that surface water will be contained within the site and will not increase the risk of flooding to third parties.

This approach is consistent with the Hertfordshire County Council LLFA Guidance for Developers which advises as follows:

The site will not flood from surface water up to a 1 in 100 chance in any year including an allowance for climate change event, OR surface water flooding will be safely contained on site up to this event, ensuring that surface water runoff will not increase flood risk to the development or third parties. There should be no flooding within the site for up to and including the 1 in 30 chance in any year rainfall event.

4.3 Pollution Treatment

Table 26.1 of the SuDS Manual (C753) indicates that a simple index approach is suitable for assessing the risk to ground water. Table 26.2 indicates the pollution indices associated with different land uses. Table 2 below summarises the pollution indices that are relevant for the proposed development.

Land Use	Pollution Hazard Level	Total Suspended Solids	Metals	Hydro-carbons
Residential roofs	Very low	0.2	0.2	0.05
Individual property driveways and residential car parking with infrequent change	Low	0.5	0.4	0.4

Table 2: Pollution Hazard Indices

Table 3 below compares the level of treatment offered by the proposed SuDS elements associated with the proposed surface water strategy (outlined above) against the pollution indices shown above in Table 2.

	Total Suspended Solids	Metals	Hydro-carbons
Residential Roofs	0.2	0.2	0.05
Infiltration or Attenuation	Pollution associated with residential roofs is very low, it is understood that treatment of residential roof water (beyond removal of grass solids and sediments) is not required prior to discharge from the site. Should infiltration be deemed suitable for the proposed development, a level of treatment will be applied whilst the water percolates through the soil.		
Suitable Level of Treatment?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Individual Property Driveways & Car Parking	0.5	0.4	0.4
Permeable Paving	0.7	0.6	0.7
Suitable Level of Treatment?	Yes	Yes	Yes

Table 3: Indices Suitability Comparison

Based upon the information outlined above, it is believed a suitable level of treatment will be provided to the surface water prior to its discharge across both options. The permeable paving will serve as treatment for the access road and parking areas to ensure that a suitable level of treatment is applied to the surface water.

Rainwater SuDSpods and green wall areas will be used alongside the drainage provision in both scenarios to support attenuation and improvement of the quality of the flow delivering on the SuDS intent. These elements are shown on the drainage general arrangement drawing.

4.4 Drainage Modelling and Drawings

The Causeway Flow modelling is included in Appendix F and the proposed drainage design is outlined across drawing ref 213692-CCL-XX-00-DR-C-3000 included in Appendix G. The construction details can be seen in Appendix G outlining the specification of the drainage designs. As noted above, the method for discharge of the surface water is going to be discharge via infiltration. On that basis, to enable a design solution, we have established the following design assumptions which were appropriate at the time of the design:

- Traditional gullies, linear drains taking roof and hardstanding drainage to below ground surface water drainage network or via overland flow to the appropriate point.
- Design storms of up to 1 in 100 plus 45% climate change allowance with no flooding.
- Global time of entry allowance of 5 minutes.
- FEH Rainfall Data used for Drainage calculations.
- Runoff coefficient CV of 1
- Storms from 15 minute up to and including the 1,440 minute storm calculated for specified return periods/AEP events demonstrating no flooding and no impact offsite.
- 45% climate change allowed for in 3.33% and 1% AEP events in line with applicable standards at the time of the design.
- Green roof areas and rain garden pods included on drawings but not in calculations based on the assumption that both are full to consider onerous scenario.
- Factor of safety in accordance with Table 25.2 of SuDS Manual 2015 taken as 1.5 based on site area and consequences of failure (no damage or inconvenience)
- All new drainage installations have been designed in accordance with the current Building Regulations – Part H and in line with the Anglian Water requirements, as defined by the current details outlined in Design and Construction Guidance published by Water UK.

4.4.1 Exceedance Event

Should a storm greater than the critical design storm (1-in-100-year plus 40% climate change event) occur, the site will likely flood. This possibility has been considered and an exceedance flow plan has been produced for the proposed development indicating surface water overland flow routes (Appendix H). Measures to mitigate flooding within the building will include ensuring the finished floor level of the proposed development is at least 150mm about the surrounding ground level and, the installation of structures such as channel drains at access points to convey surface water around the sides of the building.

It is not anticipated that the proposed development will significantly alter the exceedance flow routes onsite as the proposed care home is located in the same position as the existing care home.

As noted within this Section, the water level does not get to within 300mm of the finished floor level for the building and as such, we do not anticipate that the exceedance routes will come into effect.

4.4.2 Four Pillars

As for any new development, it is appropriate to demonstrate how the design has addressed the four pillars of SuDS across our drainage strategy; this is as outlined in Table 4 below:

Pillar	Demonstration of Pillar
<i>Water Quantity – Control the quantity of run off</i>	Irrespective of the solution, the quantity of flow will be restricted on site and controlled so that it demonstrates betterment compared to the existing situation. The current brownfield site discharge rate will be improved in either scenario.
<i>Water Quality – Manage the quality of the runoff</i>	The solutions have been demonstrated to address the pollution mitigation indices as outlined within the SuDS Manual accounting for the various sources and methods deployed as demonstrated in Tables 4 and 5. In both designs, permeable paving will be used to deliver improvements of the water quality and where relevant, SuDS planters will be used to deliver further enhancement.
<i>Amenity – Create and sustain better places for people</i>	The proposals will reduce the impact of surface water drainage on adjacent sites and provide an example for the development of similar sites elsewhere. The site will remain in its current use however the provision will be improved and the footprint of the SuDS will be expanded more widely across the site.
<i>Biodiversity – Create and sustain better places for nature</i>	New garden areas will be provided as part of the development alongside SuDS planters to some of the downpipes and this will deliver improved biodiversity across the site.

Table 4: Four Pillars of SuDS Design

The detail outlined above outlines how the development will embrace SuDS provision to address the Four Pillars and improve the current situation across each of the four aspects.

5 DRAINAGE MAINTENANCE MEASURES

Planning Condition 27 sought that the development accounted for drainage maintenance via a Maintenance and Management Strategy. The key elements of this are as outlined below as a summary of the Condition as repeated below.

The details of the scheme to be submitted for approval shall include:

I. a timetable for its implementation.

II. details of SuDS feature and connecting drainage structures and maintenance requirement for each aspect including a drawing showing where they are located.

III. a management and maintenance plan for the lifetime of the development which shall include the arrangements for adoption by any public body or statutory undertaker, or any other arrangements to secure the operation of the sustainable drainage scheme throughout its lifetime.

This will include the name and contact details of any appointed management company.

5.1 SuDS Maintenance

SuDS schemes require more maintenance than traditional piped drainage systems and as such it is imperative that a suitable maintenance regime is established to ensure that the features are maintained and function as required.

A maintenance strategy has been completed for the site outlining the maintenance requirements of the proposed drainage system. This maintenance strategy can be found in Appendix I and this Strategy is to be in place on completion of the development ahead of use.

In terms of responsibility for the maintenance of the SuDS, Caring Homes Group will assume responsibility for the lifetime of the development as part of their maintenance regime and this will either take place in house or via a maintenance company operating on their behalf.

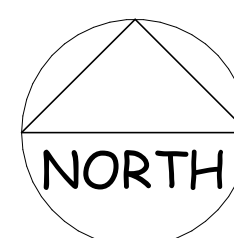
6 SUMMARY

The proposed development is for the demolition of an existing care home and the construction of a new care home alongside retention of Guys House (part of the current care home function) which will be refurbished.

This report demonstrates how the design addresses Planning Conditions 26 and 27 in relation to the infiltration design approach and maintenance strategy respectively.

Appendix A

Proposed Development Plan



HEALTH AND SAFETY RISK ASSESSMENT CONSEQUENCE TABLE		Consequences			
Frequency	Severity	Minor	Medium	Major	Catastrophic
Annual	Minor	1	2	3	4
Annual	Medium	2	3	4	5
Annual	Major	3	4	5	6
Annual	Catastrophic	4	5	6	7

AREA ANALYSIS

Site Area: 0.84Ha / 2.09Acres

Existing Footprint: 816.5m²

Proposed Footprint: 1060m²

Existing Building GIFA: 1850m²

Proposed GIFA: 3738m²

Total No of Bedrooms: 70 No.

Refurbishment of 'Guys House' Total GIFA: 350m²

Parking Provision:

In accordance with North Hertfordshire District Council parking standards:

Resident/Visitors: 18no. Spaces

0.25 spaces per resident bed space

Staff : 9no. spaces

circa. 1 space per 5 staff (non-resident)

Total: 27no. Spaces

Incl. 2no. Disabled Bays

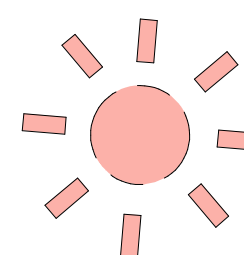
Excl. 1no. Dedicated Ambulance Bay

Cycle Storage Provision:

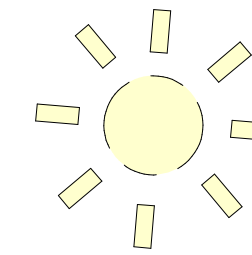
In accordance with North Hertfordshire District Council parking standards:

Staff : 9no. spaces

circa. 1 space per 5 staff (non-resident)



Evening Sun



Morning Sun

New high quality planting to Specialist Design

Landscaped Garden

'Green Wall' retaining structure to follow extent of designated Root Protection

Extent of Root Protection Area (RPA) Refer to Specialist Review/Comment

Photovoltaic Panels

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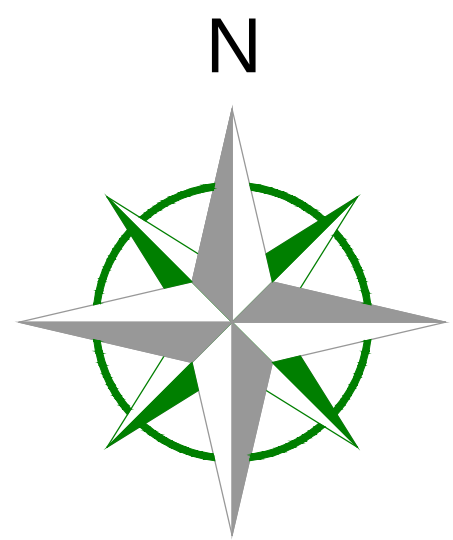
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Appendix B Topographic Survey



Station Information:

Station	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	Level (m)
GH1	522044.655	230673.893	85.678
GH2	522150.146	230668.081	82.892
GH3	522246.409	230639.130	79.078
GH4	522154.606	230694.799	84.728
GH5	522122.107	230716.101	86.645

OS Note:
Some services may have been omitted due to parked vehicles.
The Ordnance Survey tile is to be used as a guide only.

OS Buildings  Surveyed Buildings 

This survey has been orientated to the Ordnance Survey (OS) National Grid OSG836(15) via Global Navigation Satellite Systems (GNSS) and the O.S. Active Network (OS Net).

A true OSG836 coordinate has been established near to the site centre via a transformation using the OSTN15GB & OSGM15GB transformation models.

The survey has been conducted to this point and a further one or more OSG836 (15) points established to create a true O.S. bearing for angle orientation.

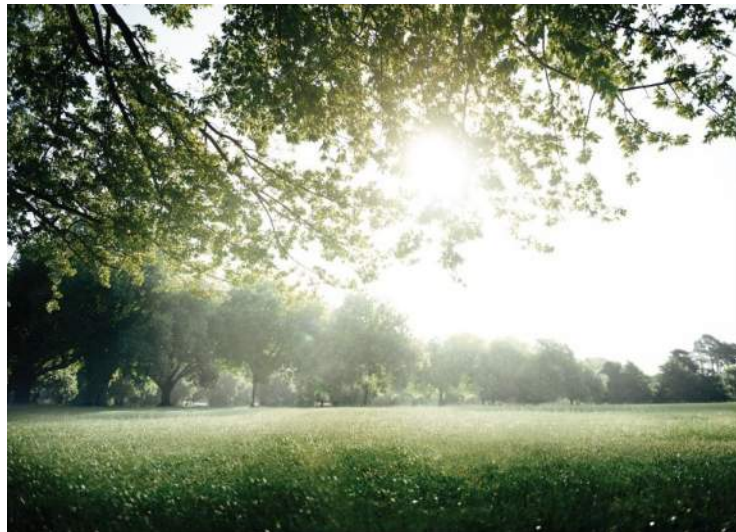
No scale factor has been applied to the survey therefore the coordinates shown are arbitrary & not true O.S. Coordinates which have a scale factor applied.
Please refer to Survey Station Table to enable establishment of the on-site grid and datum.

Legend:

	Overhead Cable	IC	IC	IC	IC
	Concrete edge	Play	Play	Play	Play
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Appendix C Infiltration Testing

**A REPORT ON A GROUND INVESTIGATION AT
GUYSFIELD CARE HOME,
LETCWORTH GARDEN CITY**



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1. INTRODUCTION

This report is the summary of a ground investigation that was undertaken at Guysfield Care Home, Letchworth Garden City. At the instruction of Caring Homes Group Ltd, an investigation was carried out to provide information regarding drainage characteristics, whilst giving an overall assessment of the shallow soil strata.

This report can be used to aid the drainage design of the proposed development.

2. BRE365 TEST METHOD

The test is performed by excavating a trial hole to a depth agreed by the client. The soils recovered from the trial hole are then sampled and logged by an engineer in general accordance with BS 5930:2015. Groundwater ingress and sidewall stability is monitored throughout whilst continuously assessing safety of practise.

Upon completion of the trial hole, 20 mm gravel is used to fill the relevant test section to keep the trial pit walls stable, avoiding any risk of collapse during the testing period. The trial hole is then backfilled with arisings to surface around a monitoring pipe and a greater diameter pipe used for filling with water. The test section is then filled with water and the water level monitored using dataloggers that measure head pressure. Testing is repeated three times before removing all pipes and reinstating to satisfactory standard.

3. SITE WORK

Micro Geotechnical Limited visited the site between 7 and 9 January 2026 to undertake five machine excavated trial pits with subsequent soakaway testing and two windowless sample holes.

Soils recovered from each excavation were logged in general accordance with BS EN 1997-2:2007 Eurocode 7 and its UK National Annex supported by BS 5930:2015.

Locations of the exploratory holes were agreed by the client prior to the investigation and are shown on drawing 25.222/draw2. Each location was scanned by a cable avoidance tool (CAT) to locate any potential buried services. Any services detected were noted and positions relocated as necessary.

The trial pits, referenced SA01 to SA05 were machine excavated by a 2.6 tonne 360 excavator using a 0.2 m wide toothed bucket. SA01, SA02 and SA03 were taken to a final depth of 0.6 m, and SA04 and SA05 were taken to 1.6 m.

The windowless sample holes, referenced WS01 and WS02 were advanced to a maximum final depth of 5.0 m. 50 mm PVC pipe was installed within WS01 and completed with a steel cover for future water monitoring.

No groundwater was encountered during excavation.

SA01 to SA05 drained successfully within 24 hours and an infiltration rate is given for each test. One test was carried out on SA01 and SA02 as per the client's instruction, due to predicted slow drainage for tests 2 and 3. The trial pit logs and infiltration rates are appended to this report.

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APPENDIX A: REFERENCES

BRITISH STANDARD INSTITUTION. 2015. BS5930:2015+A1-2020 code of practice for ground investigations. British Standards Institution. London.

BUILDING RESEARCH ESTABLISHMENT. 2016. BRE Digest 365: Soakaway design. Building Research Establishment, London.

APPENDIX B: WINDOWLESS SAMPLE HOLE RECORDS

D = Disturbed sample

B = Bulk sample

All measurements displayed on the log are presented in metres unless otherwise stated. Soils are described in general accordance with BS5930:2015+A1-2020.

Site Guysfield Care Home, Letchworth Garden City	Number WS02
Client Caring Homes Group Ltd	Job Number 25.222
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Excavation Method Drive-in Windowless Sampler	Dimensions	Ground Level (mOD)
	Location	Dates 07/01/2026

Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water
					(0.30)	TOPSOIL (Dark brown slightly clayey slightly gravelly fine to coarse sand with rootlets. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint)		
					0.30 (0.20)	Firm to stiff greyish brown slightly sandy gravelly CLAY with roots and rootlets. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint and chalk		
					0.50 (0.50)	Brown clayey fine to coarse SAND with rootlets		
					1.00	Yellow brown fine to coarse SAND		
					(3.20)			
					4.20 (0.80)	Light brown very clayey SILT		
					5.00			

Remarks 1. CAT4+ scanner used to sweep location prior to excavation. 2. Windowless sample hole advanced successfully to 5.0 m without sidewall collapse. 3. No groundwater encountered. 4. Hole backfilled with arisings to surface.	Scale (approx) 1:25	Logged By WS
	Figure No. 25.222.WS02	

APPENDIX C: TRIAL PIT AND SOAKAGE TEST RECORDS

D = Disturbed sample

B = Bulk sample

All measurements displayed on the log are presented in metres unless otherwise stated. Soils are described in general accordance with BS5930:2015+A1-2020.

						Site Guysfield Care Home, Letchworth Garden City		Trial Pit Number SA01	
Excavation Method Machine excavated 2.6 tonne 360		Dimensions L 1.1 m x W 0.2 m x D 0.6 m		Ground Level (mOD)		Client Caring Homes Group Ltd		Job Number 25.222	
		Location				Dates 07/01/2026		Engineer	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water	
					(0.30) 0.30 (0.30) 0.60	TOPSOIL (Dark brown slightly clayey slightly gravelly fine to coarse sand with rootlets. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint) Firm to stiff greyish brown slightly sandy gravelly CLAY with roots and rootlets. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint and chalk Complete at 0.60m			
						Remarks 1. CAT4+ scanner used to sweep location prior to excavation. 2. Trial pit excavated to 0.6 m successfully without sidewall collapse. 3. No groundwater encountered. 4. Pit backfilled with gravel to surface. 5. Soakage test performed between 0 m and 0.6 m.			
						Scale (approx) 1:25		Logged By MJB	

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Location	Date	Level	Location
SA01	07/01/2026		

Pit Width (m)	0.20
Pit Depth (m)	0.60
Pit Length (m)	1.10

Soil type at test level	TOPSOIL (Slightly clayey slightly gravelly sand) over slightly sandy gravelly CLAY
Groundwater	Not encountered
Drain discharge depth	Not known
Sidewall stability	Stable
Stone filled or open pit	Stone filled

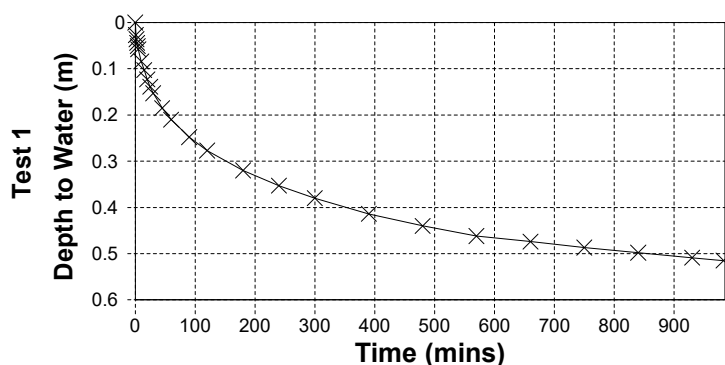
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Effective depth (m)	0.60
Volume outflowing between 75% & 25% (m3)*	0.02
Mean surface area through which outflow occurs (m2)	1.00
Time for outflow between 75% & 25% (min)	491.98
SOIL INFILTRATION RATE (ms⁻¹), f	6.71E-7

Remarks

1. Soakage test performed between 0 m and 0.6 m.
2. No groundwater encountered.
3. Level logger serial number 25925520.
4. Test 1 undertaken on 07/01/26.
5. One test undertaken as per clients instruction due to predicted slow drainage on 2nd test.

* Volume outflowing reduced to account for granular backfill used during testing (30 % of free volume assumed).

Elapsed time (mins)	Depth to Water Test 1
0	0.00
1	0.027
2	0.036
3	0.044
4	0.051
5	0.058
10	0.084
15	0.103
20	0.123
25	0.139
30	0.153
45	0.185
60	0.21
90	0.248
120	0.277
180	0.32
240	0.353
300	0.38
390	0.414
480	0.44
570	0.462
660	0.474
750	0.487
840	0.498
930	0.509
982.833	0.515



						Site Guysfield Care Home, Letchworth Garden City		Trial Pit Number SA02	
Excavation Method Machine excavated 2.6 tonne 360		Dimensions L 1.1 m x W 0.2 m x D 0.6 m		Ground Level (mOD)		Client Caring Homes Group Ltd		Job Number 25.222	
		Location				Dates 07/01/2026		Engineer	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description		Legend	Water
					(0.30) 0.30 (0.30) 0.60	TOPSOIL (Dark brown slightly clayey slightly gravelly fine to coarse sand with rootlets. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint) Firm to stiff greyish brown slightly sandy gravelly CLAY with roots and rootlets. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint and chalk Complete at 0.60m			
						Remarks 1. CAT4+ scanner used to sweep location prior to excavation. 2. Trial pit excavated to 0.6 m successfully without sidewall collapse. 3. No groundwater encountered. 4. Pit backfilled with gravel to surface. 5. Soakage test performed between 0 m and 0.6 m.			
						Scale (approx) 1:25		Logged By MJB	

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Engineer :

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Location	Date	Level	Location
SA02	07/01/2026		

Pit Width (m)	0.20
Pit Depth (m)	0.60
Pit Length (m)	1.10

Soil type at test level	TOPSOIL (Slightly clayey slightly gravelly sand) over slightly sandy gravelly CLAY
Groundwater	Not encountered
Drain discharge depth	Not known
Sidewall stability	Stable
Stone filled or open pit	Stone filled

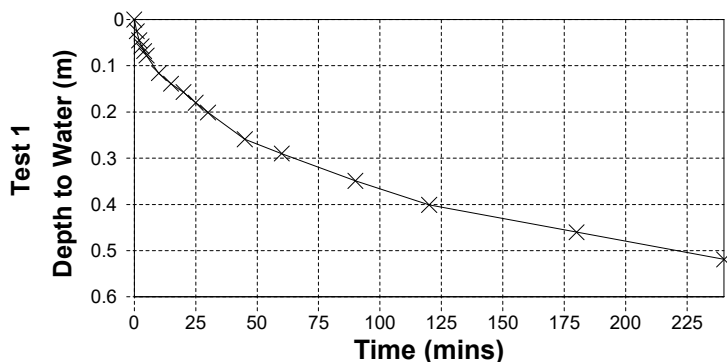
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Effective depth (m)	0.60
Volume outflowing between 75% & 25% (m3)*	0.02
Mean surface area through which outflow occurs (m2)	1.00
Time for outflow between 75% & 25% (min)	151.77
SOIL INFILTRATION RATE (ms-1), f	2.17E-6

Remarks

1. Soakage test performed between 0 m and 0.6 m.
2. No groundwater encountered.
3. Level logger serial number 22571150.
4. Test 1 undertaken on 07/01/26.
5. One test undertaken as per clients instruction due to predicted slow drainage on 2nd test.

* Volume outflowing reduced to account for granular backfill used during testing (30 % of free volume assumed).

Elapsed time (mins)	Depth to Water Test 1
0	0.00
1	0.025
2	0.045
3	0.058
4	0.068
5	0.078
10	0.116
15	0.139
20	0.157
25	0.18
30	0.201
45	0.259
60	0.29
90	0.349
120	0.401
180	0.46
240	0.519



						Site Guysfield Care Home, Letchworth Garden City		Trial Pit Number SA03	
Excavation Method Machine excavated 2.6 tonne 360		Dimensions L 1.2 m x W 0.2 m x D 0.6 m		Ground Level (mOD)		Client Caring Homes Group Ltd		Job Number 25.222	
		Location				Dates 07/01/2026		Engineer	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description		Legend	Water
					(0.30) 0.30 (0.30) 0.60	TOPSOIL (Dark brown slightly clayey slightly gravelly fine to coarse sand with rootlets. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint) Orange fine to coarse SAND with rare subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint gravel Complete at 0.60m		 	
						Remarks 1. CAT4+ scanner used to sweep location prior to excavation. 2. Trial pit excavated to 0.6 m successfully without sidewall collapse. 3. No groundwater encountered. 4. Pit backfilled with gravel to surface. 5. Soakage test performed between 0 m and 0.6 m.			
						Scale (approx) 1:25		Logged By MJB	

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Location	Date	Level	Location
SA03	07/01/2026		

Pit Width (m)	0.20
Pit Depth (m)	0.60
Pit Length (m)	1.20

Soil type at test level	TOPSOIL (Slightly clayey slightly gravelly sand) over SAND
Groundwater	Not encountered
Drain discharge depth	Not known
Sidewall stability	Stable
Stone filled or open pit	Stone filled

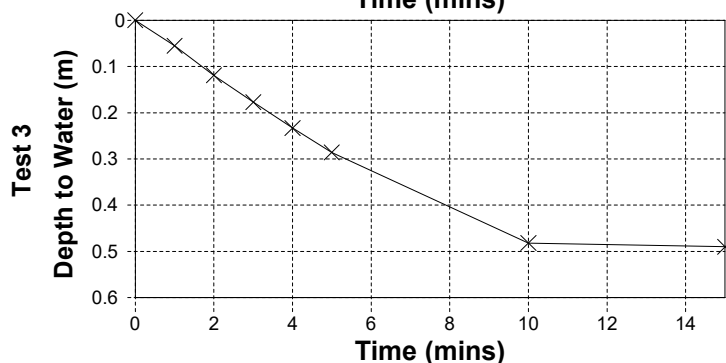
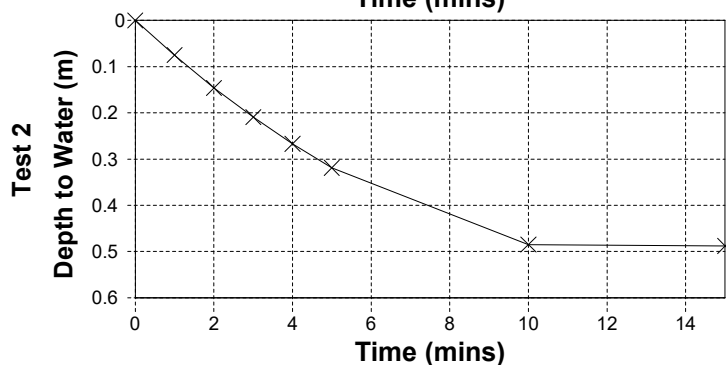
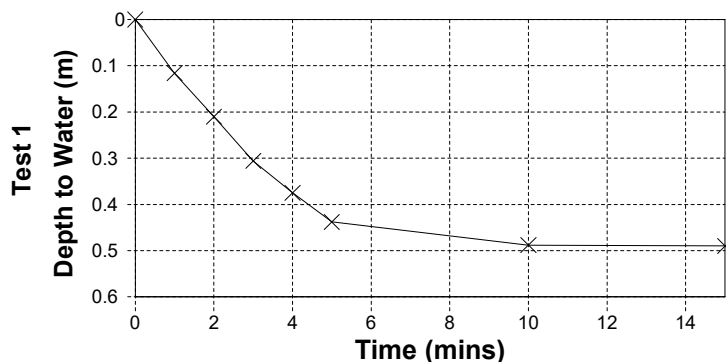
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Effective depth (m)	0.60	0.60	0.60
Volume outflowing between 75% & 25% (m3)*	0.02	0.02	0.02
Mean surface area through which outflow occurs (m2)	1.08	1.08	1.08
Time for outflow between 75% & 25% (min)	4.84	6.89	6.65
SOIL INFILTRATION RATE (ms-1), f	6.89E-5	4.84E-5	5.01E-5

Remarks

1. Soakage test performed between 0 m and 0.6 m.
2. No groundwater encountered.
3. Level logger serial number 11928080.
4. Test 1 undertaken on 07/01/26 and tests 2 and 3 on 08/01/26.

* Volume outflowing reduced to account for granular backfill used during testing (30 % of free volume assumed).

Elapsed time (mins)	Depth to Water Test 1	Depth to Water Test 2	Depth to Water Test 3
0	0.00	0.00	0.00
1	0.116	0.075	0.055
2	0.21	0.146	0.119
3	0.306	0.209	0.177
4	0.375	0.267	0.233
5	0.438	0.319	0.286
10	0.488	0.485	0.482
15	0.49	0.488	0.49



Site Guysfield Care Home, Letchworth Garden City	Trial Pit Number SA04
Client Caring Homes Group Ltd	Job Number 25.222
Engineer	Sheet 1/1

Excavation Method Machine excavated 2.6 tonne 360	Dimensions L 1.7 m x W 0.2 m x D 1.6 m	Ground Level (mOD)
	Location	Dates 07/01/2026

Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water
					(0.60)	MADE GROUND (Dark brown slightly clayey gravelly fine to coarse sand. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint, brick and concrete with fragments of metal and plastic and cobble sized fragments of brick and concrete)		
					0.60	Brown slightly clayey fine to coarse SAND		
					(0.50)			
					1.10	Yellow brown fine to coarse SAND		
					(0.50)			
					1.60	Complete at 1.60m		



Remarks 1. CAT4+ scanner used to sweep location prior to excavation. 2. Trial pit excavated to 1.6 m successfully without sidewall collapse. 3. No groundwater encountered. 4. Pit backfilled with gravel to 0.6 m and backfilled with arisings to surface. 5. Soakage test performed between 0.6 m and 1.6 m.		
Scale (approx) 1:25	Logged By MJB	Figure No. 25.222.SA04

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Location	Date	Level	Location
SA04	07/01/2026		

Pit Width (m)	0.20
Pit Depth (m)	1.60
Pit Length (m)	1.70

Soil type at test level	Clayey SAND over SAND
Groundwater	Not encountered
Drain discharge depth	Not known
Sidewall stability	Stable
Stone filled or open pit	Stone filled

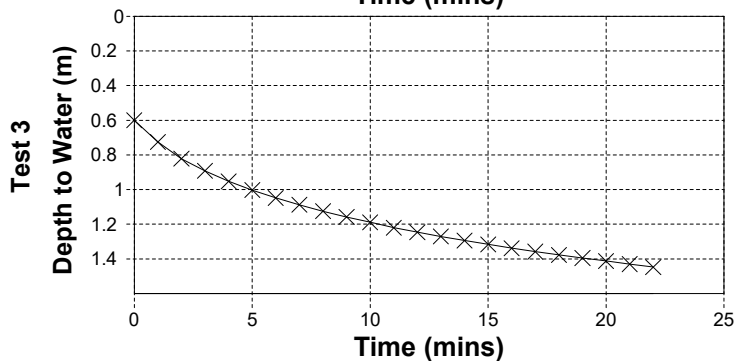
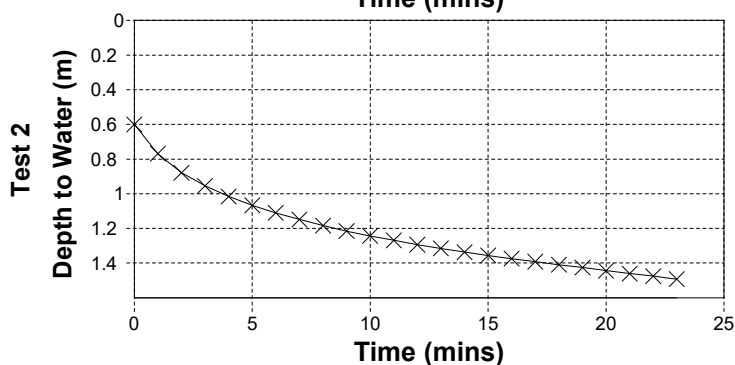
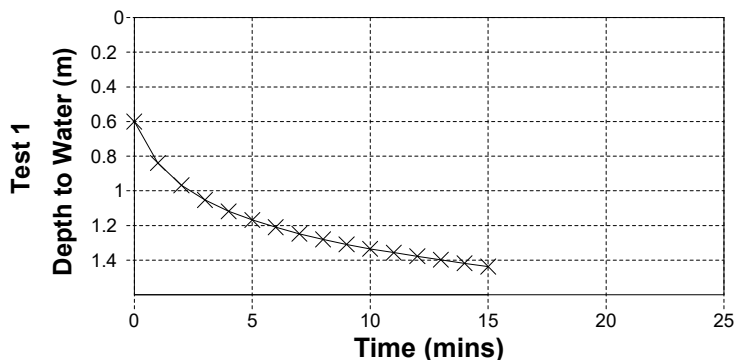
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Effective depth (m)	1.00	1.00	1.00
Volume outflowing between 75% & 25% (m3)*	0.05	0.05	0.05
Mean surface area through which outflow occurs (m2)	2.24	2.24	2.24
Time for outflow between 75% & 25% (min)	9.62	12.94	14.20
SOIL INFILTRATION RATE (ms-1), f	3.94E-5	2.93E-5	2.67E-5

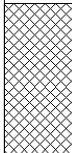
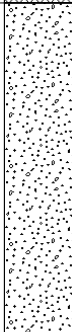
Remarks

1. Soakage test performed between 0.6 m and 1.6 m.
2. No groundwater encountered.
3. Level logger serial number 24525100.
4. Test 1 undertaken on 07/01/26 and tests 2 and 3 on 08/01/26.

* Volume outflowing reduced to account for granular backfill used during testing (30 % of free volume assumed).

Elapsed time (mins)	Depth to Water Test 1	Depth to Water Test 2	Depth to Water Test 3
0	0.60	0.60	0.60
1	0.839	0.769	0.725
2	0.968	0.879	0.822
3	1.053	0.955	0.892
4	1.118	1.016	0.952
5	1.168	1.067	1.003
6	1.21	1.111	1.048
7	1.248	1.149	1.088
8	1.28	1.184	1.125
9	1.309	1.216	1.158
10	1.335	1.244	1.189
11	1.356	1.269	1.22
12	1.377	1.294	1.246
13	1.398	1.316	1.271
14	1.418	1.337	1.294
15	1.437	1.356	1.316
16		1.375	1.338
17		1.392	1.358
18		1.41	1.377
19		1.426	1.395
20		1.444	1.412
21		1.461	1.43
22		1.476	1.447
23		1.493	



MICROGEOTECHNICAL AIMING TO EXCEED YOUR EXPECTATIONS						Site Guysfield Care Home, Letchworth Garden City		Trial Pit Number SA05	
Excavation Method Machine excavated 2.6 tonne 360		Dimensions L 1.7 m x W 0.2 m x D 1.6 m		Ground Level (mOD)		Client Caring Homes Group Ltd		Job Number 25.222	
		Location				Dates 07/01/2026		Engineer	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description		Legend	Water
					(0.50)	MADE GROUND (Dark brown clayey slightly gravelly fine to coarse sand. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint and brick)			
					0.50	Brown slightly gravelly fine to coarse SAND. Gravel is subangular to subrounded fine to coarse flint			
					(1.10)				
					1.60	Complete at 1.60m			



Remarks

1. CAT4+ scanner used to sweep location prior to excavation.
2. Trial pit excavated to 1.6 m successfully without sidewall collapse.
3. No groundwater encountered.
4. Pit backfilled with gravel to 0.6 m and backfilled with arisings to surface.
5. Soakage test performed between 0.6 m and 1.6 m.

Scale (approx)	Logged By	Figure No.
1:25	MJB	25.222.SA05

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Client : Caring Homes Group Ltd

Engineer :

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25.222

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Location	Date	Level	Location
SA05	07/01/2026		

Pit Width (m)	0.20
Pit Depth (m)	1.60
Pit Length (m)	1.70

Soil type at test level	Slightly gravelly SAND
Groundwater	Not encountered
Drain discharge depth	Not known
Sidewall stability	Stable
Stone filled or open pit	Stone filled

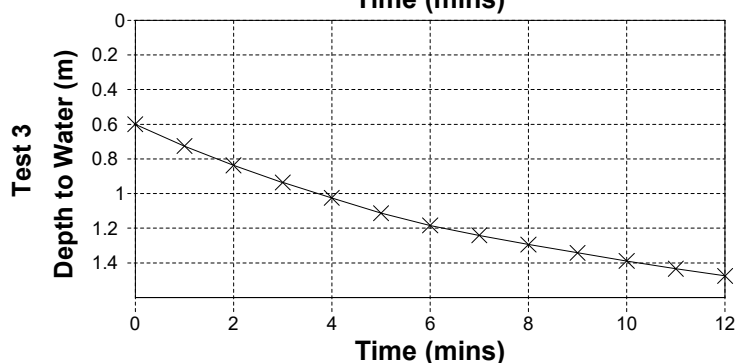
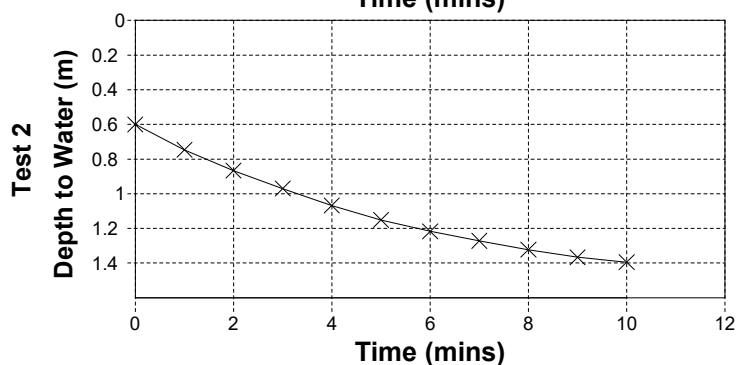
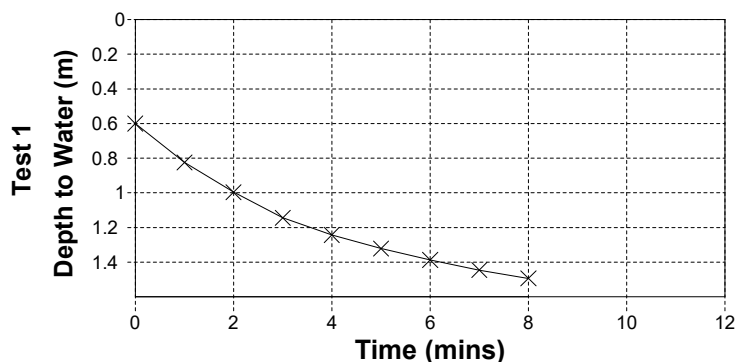
	1	2	3
Effective depth (m)	1.00	1.00	1.00
Volume outflowing between 75% & 25% (m3)*	0.05	0.05	0.05
Mean surface area through which outflow occurs (m2)	2.24	2.24	2.24
Time for outflow between 75% & 25% (min)	4.29	6.75	7.04
SOIL INFILTRATION RATE (ms-1), f	8.85E-5	5.62E-5	5.39E-5

Remarks

1. Soakage test performed between 0.6 m and 1.6 m.
2. No groundwater encountered.
3. Level logger serial number 24525120.
4. Test 1 undertaken on 07/01/26 and tests 2 and 3 on 08/01/26.

* Volume outflowing reduced to account for granular backfill used during testing (30 % of free volume assumed).

Elapsed time (mins)	Depth to Water Test 1	Depth to Water Test 2	Depth to Water Test 3
0	0.60	0.60	0.60
1	0.824	0.747	0.726
2	0.996	0.867	0.837
3	1.144	0.97	0.936
4	1.243	1.068	1.025
5	1.321	1.151	1.113
6	1.387	1.217	1.184
7	1.446	1.272	1.241
8	1.494	1.323	1.294
9		1.367	1.342
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12			1.475



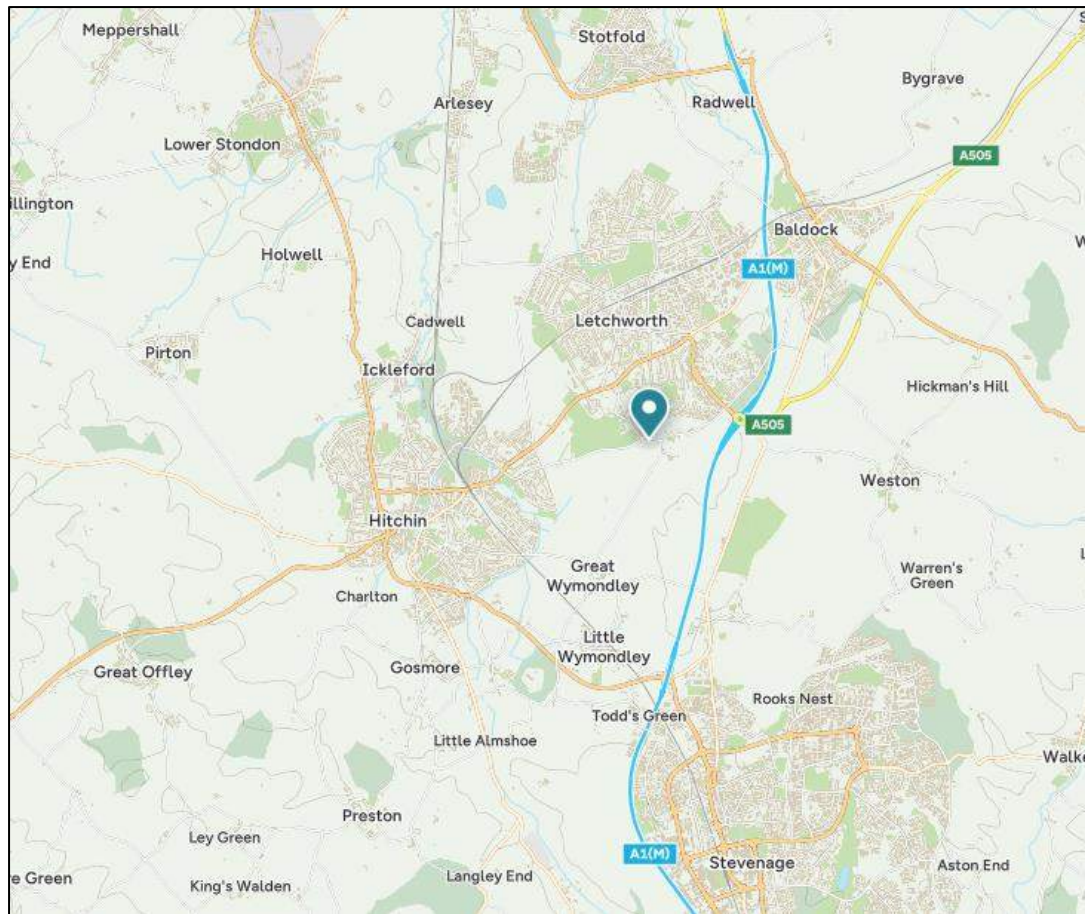
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Trial pit location plan	25.222/draw2
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Site Location Plan

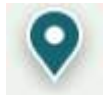


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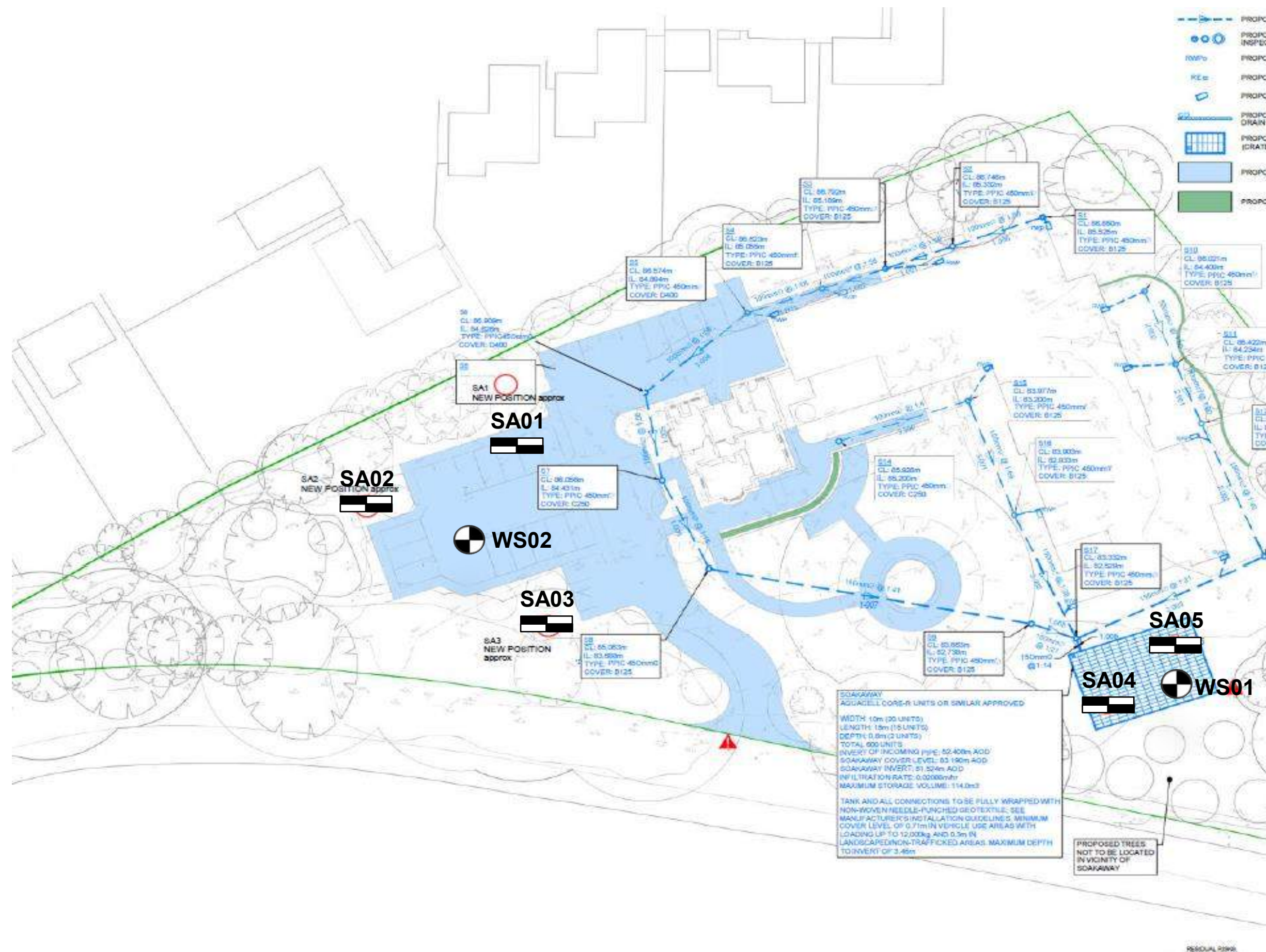
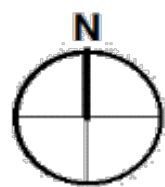
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Approximate site location



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Title: Exploratory Hole Location Plan

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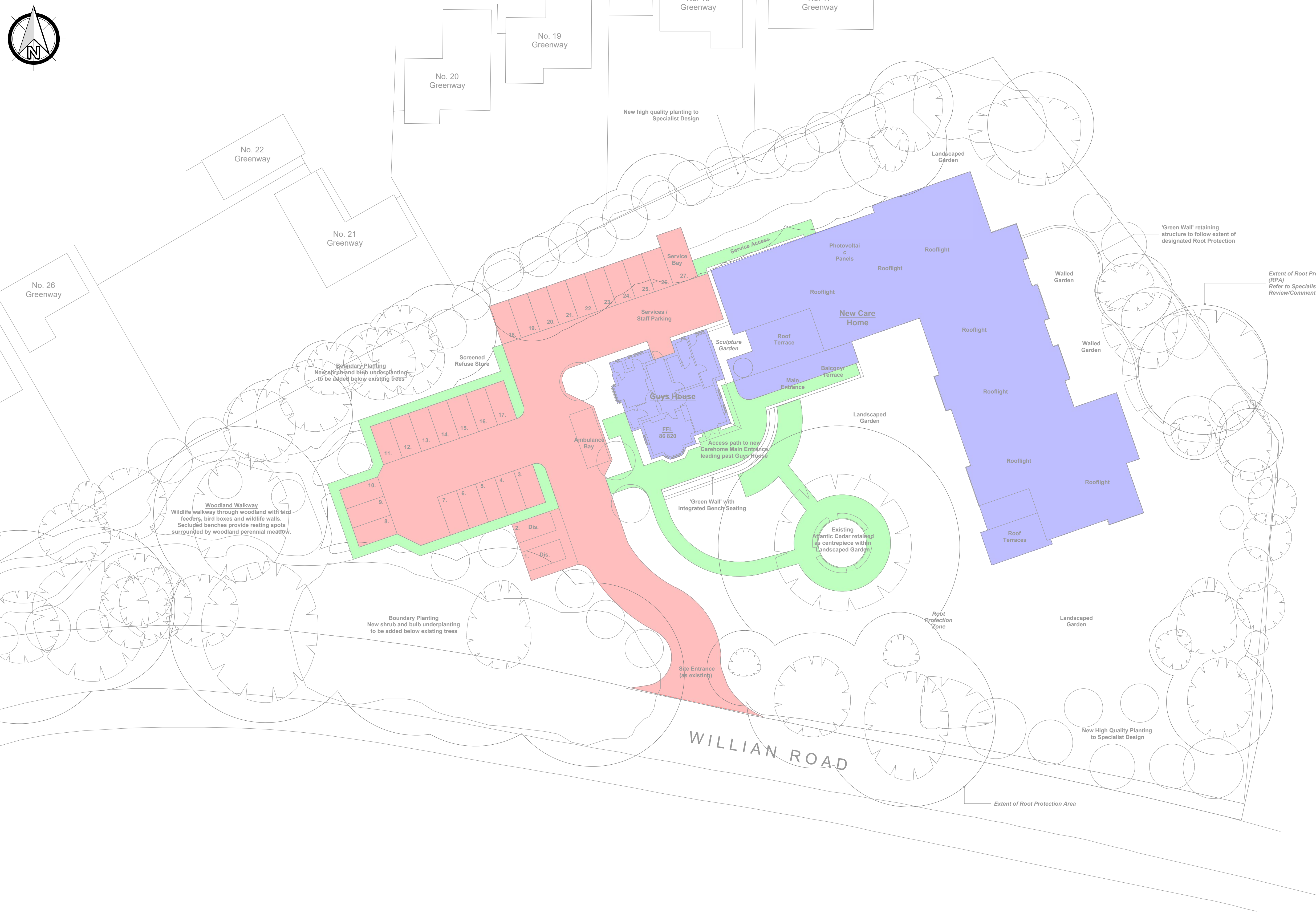
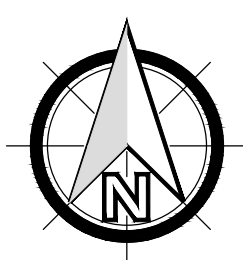
Hole locations approximate.

Key

Windowless sample hole

Machine excavated trial pit with soakage testing

Appendix D
Impermeable Areas Plan



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- PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD AND PARKING PERMEABLE AREA: 992m²
- PROPOSED PERMEABLE EXTERNAL SURFACE AREA: 444m²

TOTAL PROPOSED IMPERMEABLE AREA: 1268m²
TOTAL PROPOSED PERMEABLE AREA: 1436m²

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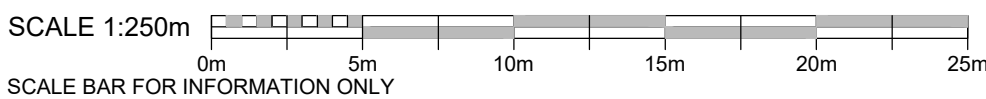
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Appendix E

Evidence of Existing Drainage



Photograph 1



Photograph 2



Photograph 3



Photograph 4



Photograph 5

Appendix F

Causeway Flow Calculations

Design Settings

Rainfall Methodology	FEH-22	Minimum Velocity (m/s)	0.75
Return Period (years)	100	Connection Type	Level Soffits
Additional Flow (%)	0	Minimum Backdrop Height (m)	9.000
CV	1.000	Preferred Cover Depth (m)	0.700
Time of Entry (mins)	5.00	Include Intermediate Ground	✓
Maximum Time of Concentration (mins)	30.00	Enforce best practice design rules	✓
Maximum Rainfall (mm/hr)	70.0		

Nodes

Name	Area (ha)	T of E (mins)	Cover Level (m)	Diameter (mm)	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	Depth (m)	Invert Level (m)
1	0.005	5.00	86.850	450	522177.615	230737.616	1.325	85.525
2	0.007	5.00	86.746	450	522166.986	230733.903	1.414	85.332
3	0.007	5.00	86.792	450	522159.094	230731.043	1.604	85.188
4	0.006	5.00	86.623	450	522151.674	230728.456	1.568	85.055
5	0.003	5.00	86.574	450	522142.845	230725.314	1.680	84.894
6			86.909	450	522130.829	230715.182	2.284	84.625
7			86.056	450	522132.816	230703.969	1.625	84.431
8			85.063	450	522138.319	230692.800	1.375	83.688
9			83.663	450	522176.276	230685.779	0.925	82.738
10	0.008	5.00	86.021	450	522189.611	230728.149	1.612	84.409
11	0.008	5.00	85.422	450	522193.287	230718.810	1.188	84.234
12	0.012	5.00	85.183	450	522196.286	230711.234	1.051	84.132
13	0.008	5.00	84.446	450	522203.707	230694.253	0.777	83.669
14	0.012	5.00	85.928	450	522153.599	230708.957	0.728	85.200
15	0.016	5.00	83.977	450	522168.770	230714.160	0.777	83.200
16	0.013	5.00	83.903	450	522174.309	230699.517	0.970	82.933
17	0.006	5.00	83.332	450	522181.552	230683.881	0.803	82.529
18			83.190	450	522182.105	230682.248	0.782	82.408
19			83.090		522182.658	230680.615	0.803	82.287
20	0.141	5.00	87.000	300	522112.361	230704.938	0.800	86.200
21			87.000	300	522113.968	230702.235	0.831	86.169

Links

Name	US Node	DS Node	Length (m)	ks (mm) / n	US IL (m)	DS IL (m)	Fall (m)	Slope (1:X)	Dia (mm)	T of C (mins)	Rain (mm/hr)
1.000	1	2	11.259	0.600	85.525	85.332	0.193	58.3	100	5.19	70.0
1.001	2	3	8.394	0.600	85.332	85.188	0.144	58.3	100	5.32	70.0
1.002	3	4	7.858	0.600	85.189	85.055	0.134	58.6	100	5.45	70.0
1.003	4	5	9.372	0.600	85.055	84.895	0.160	58.6	100	5.61	70.0
1.004	5	6	15.717	0.600	84.894	84.625	0.269	58.4	100	5.87	70.0
1.005	6	7	11.388	0.600	84.626	84.431	0.195	58.4	100	6.06	70.0

Name	Vel (m/s)	Cap (l/s)	Flow (l/s)	US Depth (m)	DS Depth (m)	Σ Area (ha)	Σ Add Inflow (l/s)
1.000	1.010	7.9	1.3	1.225	1.314	0.005	0.0
1.001	1.011	7.9	3.0	1.314	1.504	0.012	0.0
1.002	1.008	7.9	4.8	1.503	1.468	0.019	0.0
1.003	1.008	7.9	6.3	1.468	1.579	0.025	0.0
1.004	1.009	7.9	7.1	1.580	2.184	0.028	0.0
1.005	1.010	7.9	7.1	2.183	1.525	0.028	0.0

Links

Name	US Node	DS Node	Length (m)	ks (mm) / n	US IL (m)	DS IL (m)	Fall (m)	Slope (1:X)	Dia (mm)	T of C (mins)	Rain (mm/hr)
1.006	7	8	12.451	0.600	84.431	83.738	0.693	18.0	100	6.17	70.0
1.007	8	9	38.601	0.600	83.688	82.738	0.950	40.6	150	6.58	70.0
1.008	9	17	5.606	0.600	82.738	82.529	0.209	26.8	150	6.62	70.0
2.000	10	11	10.036	0.600	84.409	84.284	0.125	80.3	100	5.19	70.0
2.001	11	12	8.148	0.600	84.234	84.132	0.102	79.9	150	5.32	70.0
2.002	12	13	18.532	0.600	84.132	83.669	0.463	40.0	150	5.51	70.0
2.003	13	17	24.463	0.600	83.669	82.529	1.140	21.5	150	5.70	70.0
3.000	14	15	16.038	0.600	85.200	83.244	1.956	8.2	100	5.10	70.0
3.001	15	16	15.656	0.600	83.200	82.933	0.267	58.6	225	5.25	70.0
3.002	16	17	17.231	0.600	82.933	82.529	0.404	42.7	225	5.39	70.0
1.009	17	18	1.724	0.600	82.529	82.408	0.121	14.2	225	6.63	70.0
1.010	18	19	1.724	0.600	82.408	82.287	0.121	14.2	225	6.64	70.0
4.000	20	21	3.145	0.600	86.200	86.169	0.031	100.0	100	5.07	70.0

Name	Vel (m/s)	Cap (l/s)	Flow (l/s)	US Depth (m)	DS Depth (m)	Σ Area (ha)	Σ Add Inflow (l/s)
1.006	1.830	14.4	7.1	1.525	1.225	0.028	0.0
1.007	1.583	28.0	7.1	1.225	0.775	0.028	0.0
1.008	1.951	34.5	7.1	0.775	0.653	0.028	0.0
2.000	0.859	6.7	2.0	1.512	1.038	0.008	0.0
2.001	1.125	19.9	4.0	1.038	0.901	0.016	0.0
2.002	1.596	28.2	7.1	0.901	0.627	0.028	0.0
2.003	2.183	38.6	9.1	0.627	0.653	0.036	0.0
3.000	2.716	21.3	3.0	0.628	0.633	0.012	0.0
3.001	1.711	68.0	7.1	0.552	0.745	0.028	0.0
3.002	2.008	79.9	10.4	0.745	0.578	0.041	0.0
1.009	3.484	138.5	28.1	0.578	0.557	0.111	0.0
1.010	3.484	138.5	28.1	0.557	0.578	0.111	0.0
4.000	0.769	6.0	35.7	0.700	0.731	0.141	0.0

Pipeline Schedule

Link	Length (m)	Slope (1:X)	Dia (mm)	Link Type	US CL (m)	US IL (m)	US Depth (m)	DS CL (m)	DS IL (m)	DS Depth (m)
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1.002	7.858	58.6	100	1 STANDARD	86.792	85.189	1.503	86.623	85.055	1.468
1.003	9.372	58.6	100	1 STANDARD	86.623	85.055	1.468	86.574	84.895	1.579
1.004	15.717	58.4	100	1 STANDARD	86.574	84.894	1.580	86.909	84.625	2.184
1.005	11.388	58.4	100	1 STANDARD	86.909	84.626	2.183	86.056	84.431	1.525
1.006	12.451	18.0	100	1 STANDARD	86.056	84.431	1.525	85.063	83.738	1.225

Link	US Node	Dia (mm)	Node Type	MH Type	DS Node	Dia (mm)	Node Type	MH Type
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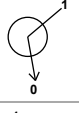
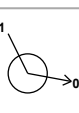
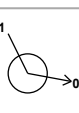
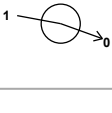
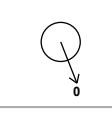
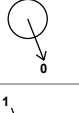
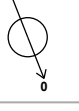
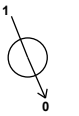
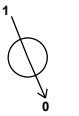
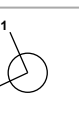
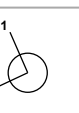
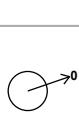
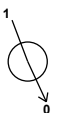
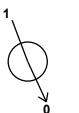
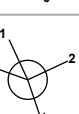
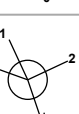
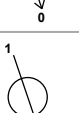
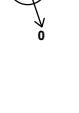
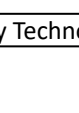
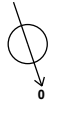
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1.007	38.601	40.6	150	1 STANDARD	85.063	83.688	1.225	83.663	82.738	0.775
1.008	5.606	26.8	150	1 STANDARD	83.663	82.738	0.775	83.332	82.529	0.653
2.000	10.036	80.3	100	1 STANDARD	86.021	84.409	1.512	85.422	84.284	1.038
2.001	8.148	79.9	150	1 STANDARD	85.422	84.234	1.038	85.183	84.132	0.901
2.002	18.532	40.0	150	1 STANDARD	85.183	84.132	0.901	84.446	83.669	0.627
2.003	24.463	21.5	150	1 STANDARD	84.446	83.669	0.627	83.332	82.529	0.653
3.000	16.038	8.2	100	1 STANDARD	85.928	85.200	0.628	83.977	83.244	0.633
3.001	15.656	58.6	225	1 STANDARD	83.977	83.200	0.552	83.903	82.933	0.745
3.002	17.231	42.7	225	1 STANDARD	83.903	82.933	0.745	83.332	82.529	0.578
1.009	1.724	14.2	225	1 STANDARD	83.332	82.529	0.578	83.190	82.408	0.557
1.010	1.724	14.2	225	1 STANDARD	83.190	82.408	0.557	83.090	82.287	0.578
4.000	3.145	100.0	100	1 STANDARD	87.000	86.200	0.700	87.000	86.169	0.731

Link	US Node	Dia (mm)	Node Type	MH Type	DS Node	Dia (mm)	Node Type	MH Type
1.007	8	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	9	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
1.008	9	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	17	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
2.000	10	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	11	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
2.001	11	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	12	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
2.002	12	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	13	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
2.003	13	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	17	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
3.000	14	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	15	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
3.001	15	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	16	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
3.002	16	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	17	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
1.009	17	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	18	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD
1.010	18	450	Manhole	1 STANDARD	19		Manhole	1 STANDARD
4.000	20	300	Manhole	1 STANDARD	21	300	Manhole	1 STANDARD

Manhole Schedule

Node	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	CL (m)	Depth (m)	Dia (mm)	Connections	Link	IL (m)	Dia (mm)	
1	522177.615	230737.616	86.850	1.325	450		0	1.000	85.525	100
2	522166.986	230733.903	86.746	1.414	450		1	1.000	85.332	100
							0	1.001	85.332	100
3	522159.094	230731.043	86.792	1.604	450		1	1.001	85.188	100
							0	1.002	85.189	100
4	522151.674	230728.456	86.623	1.568	450		1	1.002	85.055	100
							0	1.003	85.055	100
5	522142.845	230725.314	86.574	1.680	450		1	1.003	84.895	100
							0	1.004	84.894	100

Manhole Schedule

Node	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	CL (m)	Depth (m)	Dia (mm)	Connections	Link	IL (m)	Dia (mm)	
6	522130.829	230715.182	86.909	2.284	450		1	1.004	84.625	100
							0	1.005	84.626	100
7	522132.816	230703.969	86.056	1.625	450		1	1.005	84.431	100
							0	1.006	84.431	100
8	522138.319	230692.800	85.063	1.375	450		1	1.006	83.738	100
							0	1.007	83.688	150
9	522176.276	230685.779	83.663	0.925	450		1	1.007	82.738	150
							0	1.008	82.738	150
10	522189.611	230728.149	86.021	1.612	450		0	2.000	84.409	100
11	522193.287	230718.810	85.422	1.188	450		1	2.000	84.284	100
							0	2.001	84.234	150
12	522196.286	230711.234	85.183	1.051	450		1	2.001	84.132	150
							0	2.002	84.132	150
13	522203.707	230694.253	84.446	0.777	450		1	2.002	83.669	150
							0	2.003	83.669	150
14	522153.599	230708.957	85.928	0.728	450		0	3.000	85.200	100
15	522168.770	230714.160	83.977	0.777	450		1	3.000	83.244	100
							0	3.001	83.200	225
16	522174.309	230699.517	83.903	0.970	450		1	3.001	82.933	225
							0	3.002	82.933	225
17	522181.552	230683.881	83.332	0.803	450		1	3.002	82.529	225
							2	2.003	82.529	150
							3	1.008	82.529	150
							0	1.009	82.529	225
18	522182.105	230682.248	83.190	0.782	450		1	1.009	82.408	225
							0	1.010	82.408	225

Manhole Schedule

Node	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	CL (m)	Depth (m)	Dia (mm)	Connections	Link	IL (m)	Dia (mm)
19	522182.658	230680.615	83.090	0.803		 1	1.010	82.287	225
20	522112.361	230704.938	87.000	0.800	300	 0			
21	522113.968	230702.235	87.000	0.831	300	 1			
							0	4.000 86.200	100
							1	4.000 86.169	100

Simulation Settings

Rainfall Methodology	FEH-22	Analysis Speed	Detailed	Starting Level (m)	
Rainfall Events	Singular	Skip Steady State	x	Check Discharge Rate(s)	x
Summer CV	1.000	Drain Down Time (mins)	10080	Check Discharge Volume	x
Winter CV	1.000	Additional Storage (m³/ha)	0.0		

Storm Durations

15 | 30 | 60 | 120 | 180 | 240 | 360 | 480 | 600 | 720 | 960 | 1440

Return Period (years)	Climate Change (CC %)	Additional Area (A %)	Additional Flow (Q %)
100	45	0	0

Node 19 Online Pump Control

Flap Valve	x	Invert Level (m)	82.287	Switch off depth (m)	0.100
Replaces Downstream Link	✓	Switch on depth (m)	0.200		

Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)	Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)	Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)	Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)	Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)
0.100	0.000	2.000	0.000	4.000	0.000	6.000	0.000	8.000	0.000
1.000	0.000	3.000	0.000	5.000	0.000	7.000	0.000	9.000	0.000

Node 21 Online Pump Control

Flap Valve	x	Invert Level (m)	86.169	Switch off depth (m)	0.100
Replaces Downstream Link	✓	Switch on depth (m)	0.200		

Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)	Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)	Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)	Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)	Depth (m)	Flow (l/s)
0.100	0.000	2.000	0.000	4.000	0.000	6.000	0.000	8.000	0.000
1.000	0.000	3.000	0.000	5.000	0.000	7.000	0.000	9.000	0.000

Node 18 Soakaway Storage Structure

Base Inf Coefficient (m/hr)	0.09612	Invert Level (m)	81.833	Depth (m)	0.800
Side Inf Coefficient (m/hr)	0.09612	Time to half empty (mins)	236	Inf Depth (m)	
Safety Factor	1.5	Pit Width (m)	10.000	Number Required	1
Porosity	0.95	Pit Length (m)	10.000		

Node 20 Carpark Storage Structure

Base Inf Coefficient (m/hr)	0.00242	Invert Level (m)	86.565	Slope (1:X)	9999.0
Side Inf Coefficient (m/hr)	0.00242	Time to half empty (mins)	1365	Depth (m)	0.325
Safety Factor	1.5	Width (m)	70.300	Inf Depth (m)	
Porosity	0.35	Length (m)	20.000		

Other (defaults)

Entry Loss (manhole)	0.250	Entry Loss (junction)	0.000	Apply Recommended Losses	x
Exit Loss (manhole)	0.250	Exit Loss (junction)	0.000	Flood Risk (m)	0.150

Rainfall

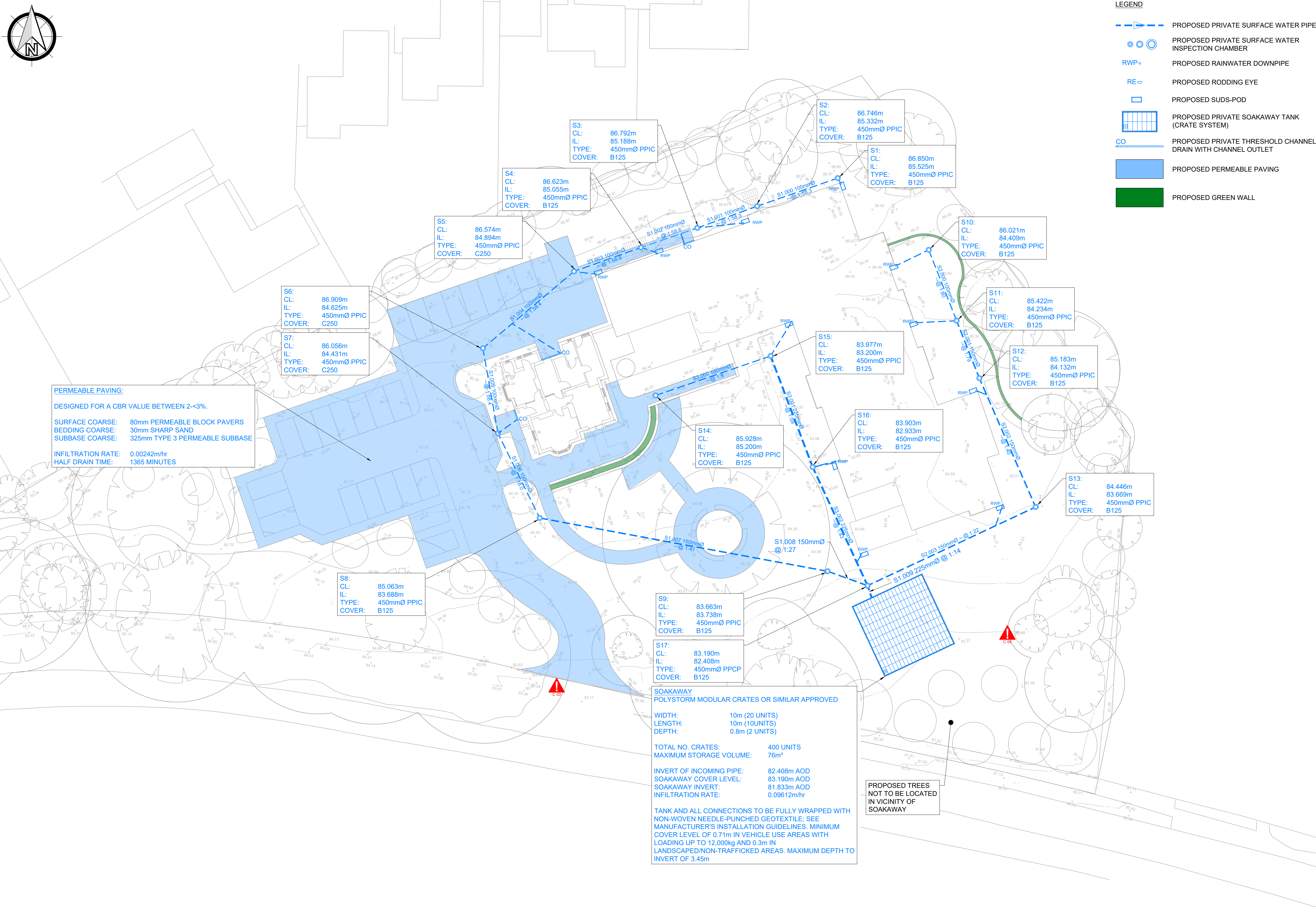
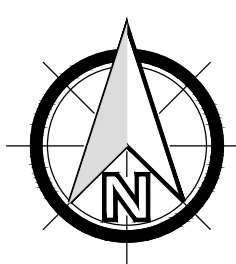
Event	Peak Intensity (mm/hr)	Average Intensity (mm/hr)	Event	Peak Intensity (mm/hr)	Average Intensity (mm/hr)
100 year +45% CC 15 minute summer	513.688	145.356	100 year +45% CC 360 minute summer	59.525	15.318
100 year +45% CC 15 minute winter	360.483	145.356	100 year +45% CC 360 minute winter	38.693	15.318
100 year +45% CC 30 minute summer	332.540	94.097	100 year +45% CC 480 minute summer	45.599	12.050
100 year +45% CC 30 minute winter	233.361	94.097	100 year +45% CC 480 minute winter	30.295	12.050
100 year +45% CC 60 minute summer	219.212	57.931	100 year +45% CC 600 minute summer	36.442	9.968
100 year +45% CC 60 minute winter	145.639	57.931	100 year +45% CC 600 minute winter	24.899	9.968
100 year +45% CC 120 minute summer	135.394	35.781	100 year +45% CC 720 minute summer	31.786	8.519
100 year +45% CC 120 minute winter	89.953	35.781	100 year +45% CC 720 minute winter	21.362	8.519
100 year +45% CC 180 minute summer	102.974	26.499	100 year +45% CC 960 minute summer	25.171	6.628
100 year +45% CC 180 minute winter	66.936	26.499	100 year +45% CC 960 minute winter	16.674	6.628
100 year +45% CC 240 minute summer	80.317	21.225	100 year +45% CC 1440 minute summer	17.312	4.640
100 year +45% CC 240 minute winter	53.361	21.225	100 year +45% CC 1440 minute winter	11.634	4.640

Results for 100 year +45% CC Critical Storm Duration. Lowest mass balance: 99.29%

Node Event	US Node	Peak (mins)	Level (m)	Depth (m)	Inflow (l/s)	Node Vol (m³)	Flood (m³)	Status
15 minute summer	1	13	86.159	0.634	4.2	0.1007	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	2	13	86.143	0.811	7.7	0.1290	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	3	13	86.076	0.888	10.0	0.1412	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	4	13	85.913	0.858	12.2	0.1364	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	5	13	85.585	0.691	12.3	0.1099	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	6	14	84.978	0.353	11.1	0.0562	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	7	14	84.500	0.069	10.9	0.0110	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	8	15	83.755	0.067	10.8	0.0106	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	9	15	82.799	0.061	10.9	0.0097	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	10	10	84.498	0.089	6.7	0.0142	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	11	10	84.336	0.102	13.3	0.0162	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	12	10	84.244	0.112	23.3	0.0179	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	13	10	83.768	0.099	29.9	0.0157	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	14	10	85.250	0.050	10.1	0.0079	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	15	10	83.296	0.096	23.5	0.0152	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	16	10	83.037	0.104	34.3	0.0165	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	17	10	82.723	0.194	77.3	0.0308	0.0000	OK
180 minute winter	18	180	82.550	0.142	20.5	68.1131	0.0000	OK
180 minute winter	19	180	82.550	0.263	0.7	0.0000	0.0000	OK
720 minute winter	20	705	86.813	0.613	8.4	121.6941	0.0000	SURCHARGED
720 minute winter	21	705	86.813	0.644	0.4	0.0457	0.0000	OK
Link Event (Upstream Depth)	US Node	Link	DS Node	Outflow (l/s)	Velocity (m/s)	Flow/Cap	Link Vol (m³)	Discharge Vol (m³)
15 minute summer	1	1.000	2	3.1	0.555	0.393	0.0881	
15 minute summer	2	1.001	3	4.9	0.771	0.613	0.0657	
15 minute summer	3	1.002	4	7.7	0.986	0.975	0.0615	
15 minute summer	4	1.003	5	10.2	1.304	1.288	0.0733	
15 minute summer	5	1.004	6	11.1	1.414	1.396	0.1230	
15 minute summer	6	1.005	7	10.9	1.467	1.369	0.0775	
15 minute summer	7	1.006	8	10.8	1.939	0.754	0.0696	
15 minute summer	8	1.007	9	10.9	1.547	0.388	0.2768	
15 minute summer	9	1.008	17	10.8	1.604	0.315	0.0658	
15 minute summer	10	2.000	11	6.6	0.935	0.976	0.0717	
15 minute summer	11	2.001	12	13.2	0.985	0.665	0.1097	
15 minute summer	12	2.002	13	23.2	1.748	0.822	0.2453	
15 minute summer	13	2.003	17	29.7	1.812	0.771	0.3658	
15 minute summer	14	3.000	15	10.1	2.538	0.472	0.0637	
15 minute summer	15	3.001	16	23.4	1.376	0.343	0.2658	
15 minute summer	16	3.002	17	34.0	1.221	0.426	0.4679	
15 minute summer	17	1.009	18	76.9	2.611	0.555	0.0497	
180 minute winter	18	1.010	19	0.7	0.640	0.005	0.0570	
180 minute winter	18	Infiltration		2.3				
180 minute winter	19	Pump		0.0				0.0
720 minute winter	20	4.000	21	0.4	0.051	0.067	0.0246	
720 minute winter	20	Infiltration		0.6				
720 minute winter	21	Pump		0.0				0.0

Appendix G

Surface Water Drainage Layout and Details



PERMEABLE PAVING:
DESIGNED FOR A CBR VALUE BETWEEN 2-<3%.

SURFACE COARSE: 80mm PERMEABLE BLOCK PAVERS
BEDDING COARSE: 30mm SHARP SAND
SUBBASE COARSE: 325mm TYPE 3 PERMEABLE SUBBASE

INFILTRATION RATE: 0.00242m/hr
HALF DRAIN TIME: 1365 MINUTES

S8:
CL: 85.063m
IL: 83.688m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: B125

S3:
CL: 86.792m
IL: 85.188m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: B125

S4:
CL: 86.623m
IL: 85.055m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: B125

S5:
CL: 86.574m
IL: 84.894m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: C250

S6:
CL: 86.909m
IL: 84.625m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: C250

S7:
CL: 86.056m
IL: 84.431m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: C250

S14:
CL: 85.928m
IL: 85.200m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: B125

S15:
CL: 83.977m
IL: 83.200m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: B125

S16:
CL: 83.903m
IL: 82.933m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: B125

S12:
CL: 85.183m
IL: 84.132m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: B125

S13:
CL: 84.446m
IL: 83.669m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: B125

S9:
CL: 83.663m
IL: 83.738m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPIC
COVER: B125

S17:
CL: 83.190m
IL: 82.408m
TYPE: 450mmØ PPCP
COVER: B125

SOAKAWAY
POLYSTORM MODULAR CRATES OR SIMILAR APPROVED

WIDTH: 10m (20 UNITS)
LENGTH: 10m (10UNITS)
DEPTH: 0.8m (2 UNITS)

TOTAL NO. CRATES: 400 UNITS
MAXIMUM STORAGE VOLUME: 76m³

INVERT OF INCOMING PIPE: 82.408m AOD
SOAKAWAY COVER LEVEL: 83.190m AOD
SOAKAWAY INVERT: 81.833m AOD
INFILTRATION RATE: 0.09612m/hr

TANK AND ALL CONNECTIONS TO BE FULLY WRAPPED WITH NON-WOVEN NEEDLE-PUNCHED GEOTEXTILE; SEE MANUFACTURER'S INSTALLATION GUIDELINES. MINIMUM COVER LEVEL OF 0.71m IN VEHICLE USE AREAS WITH LOADING UP TO 12,000kg AND 0.3m IN LANDSCAPED/NON-TRAFFICKED AREAS. MAXIMUM DEPTH TO INVERT OF 3.45m

PROPOSED TREES
NOT TO BE LOCATED
IN VICINITY OF
SOAKAWAY

LEGEND

- PROPOSED PRIVATE SURFACE WATER PIPE
- PROPOSED PRIVATE SURFACE WATER INSPECTION CHAMBER
- RWP
- RE
- PROPOSED RODDING EYE
- PROPOSED SUDS-POD
- PROPOSED PRIVATE SOAKAWAY TANK (CRATE SYSTEM)
- CO
- PROPOSED PRIVATE THRESHOLD CHANNEL DRAIN WITH CHANNEL OUTLET
- PROPOSED PERMEABLE PAVING
- PROPOSED GREEN WALL

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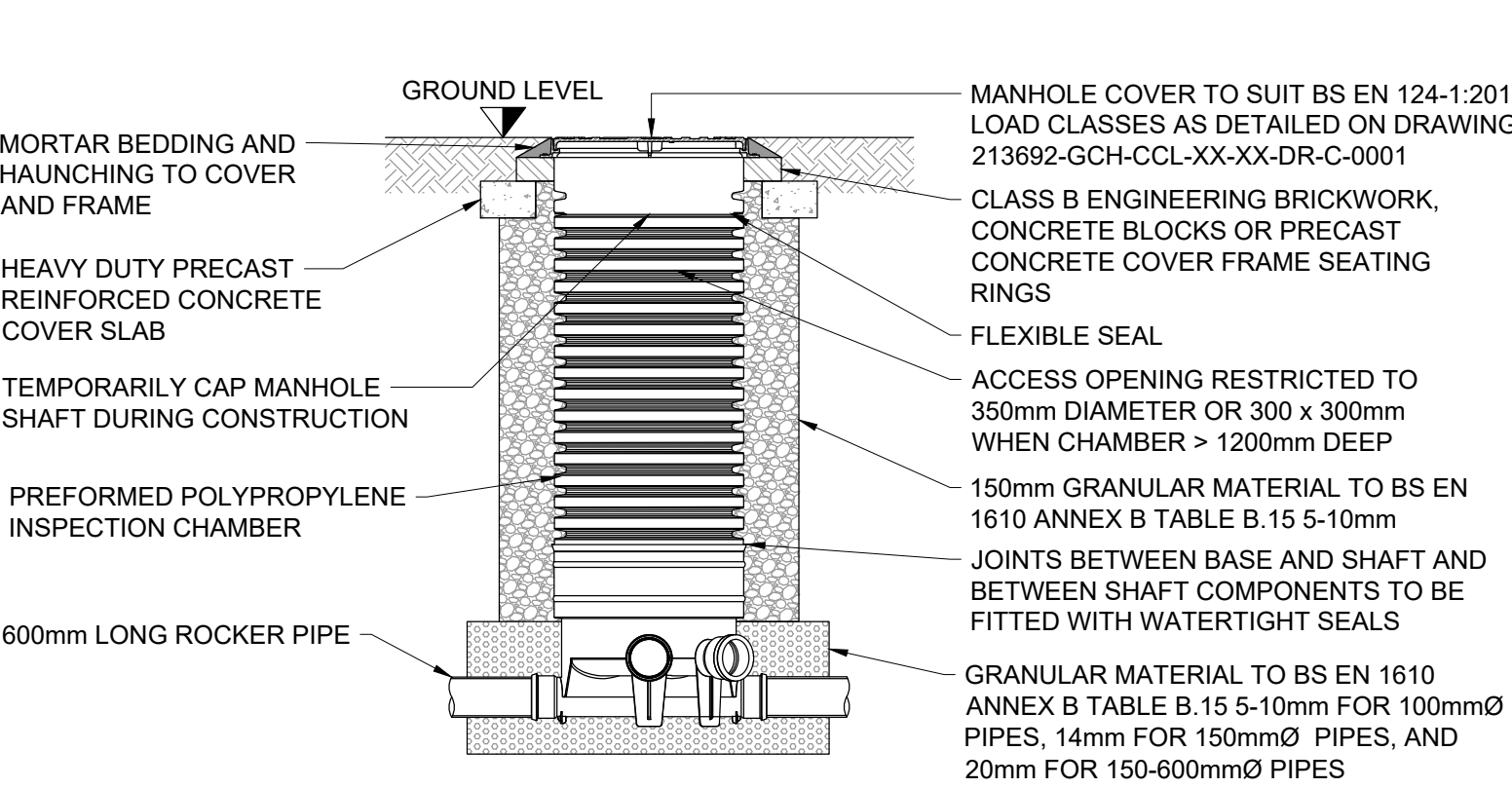
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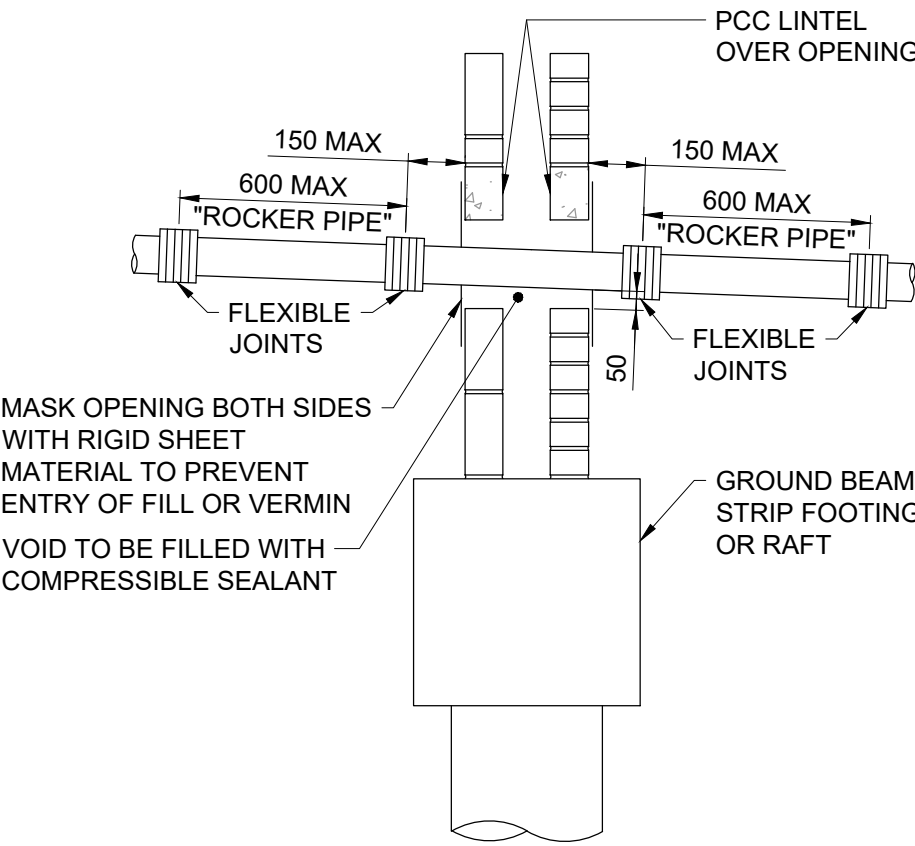
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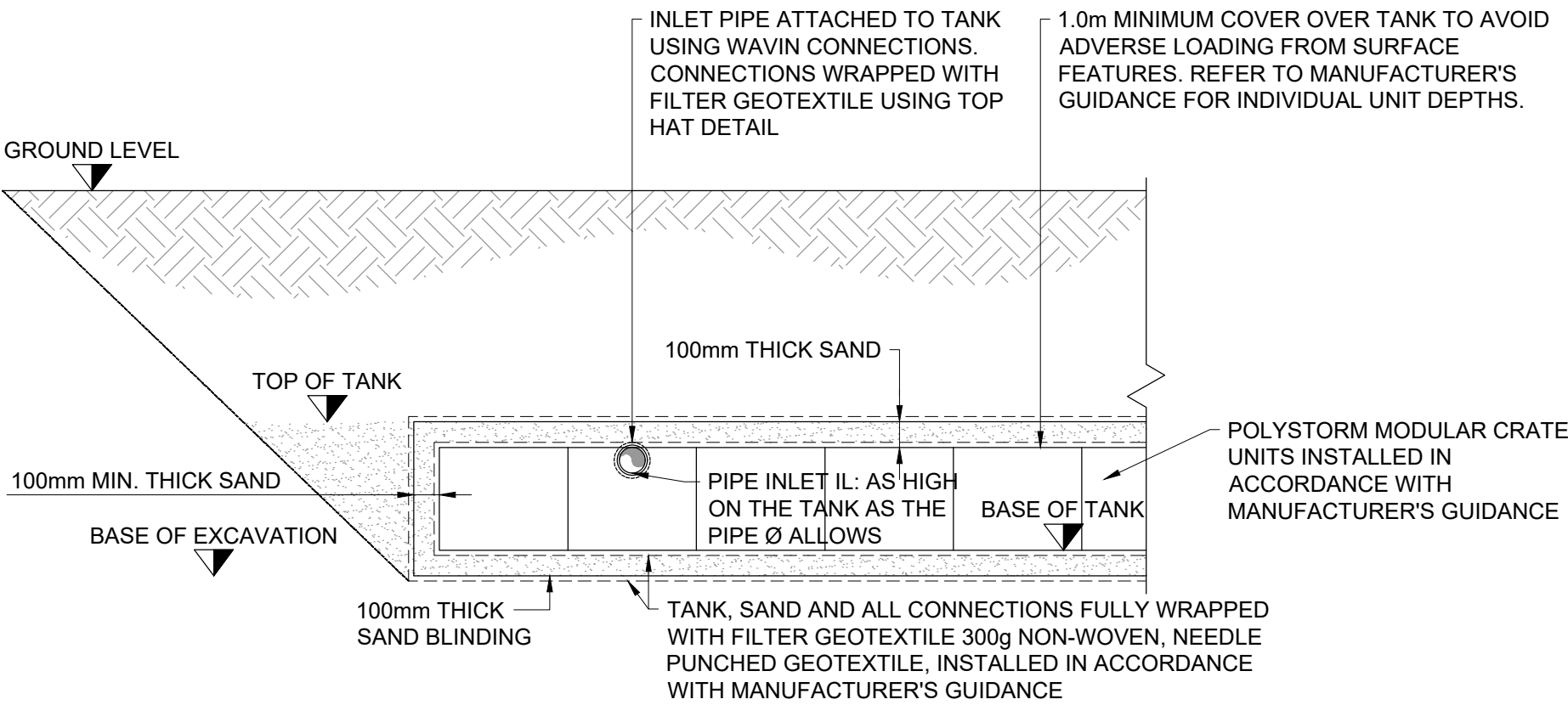
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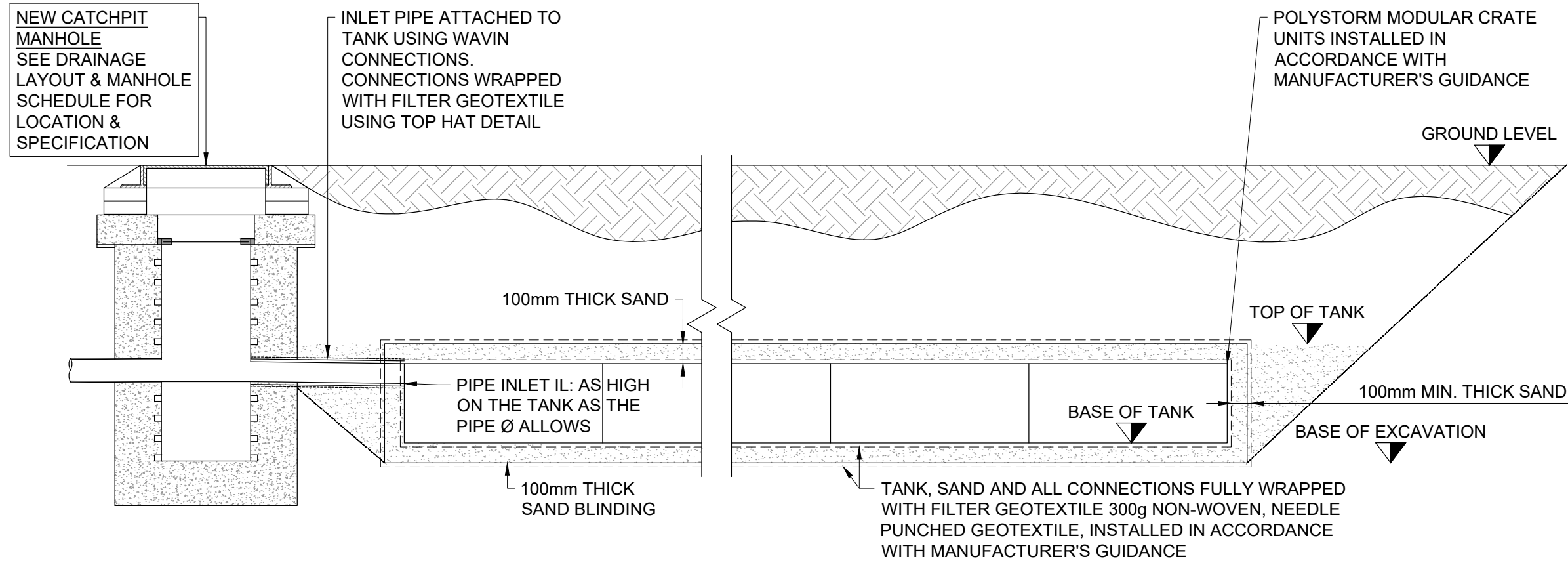
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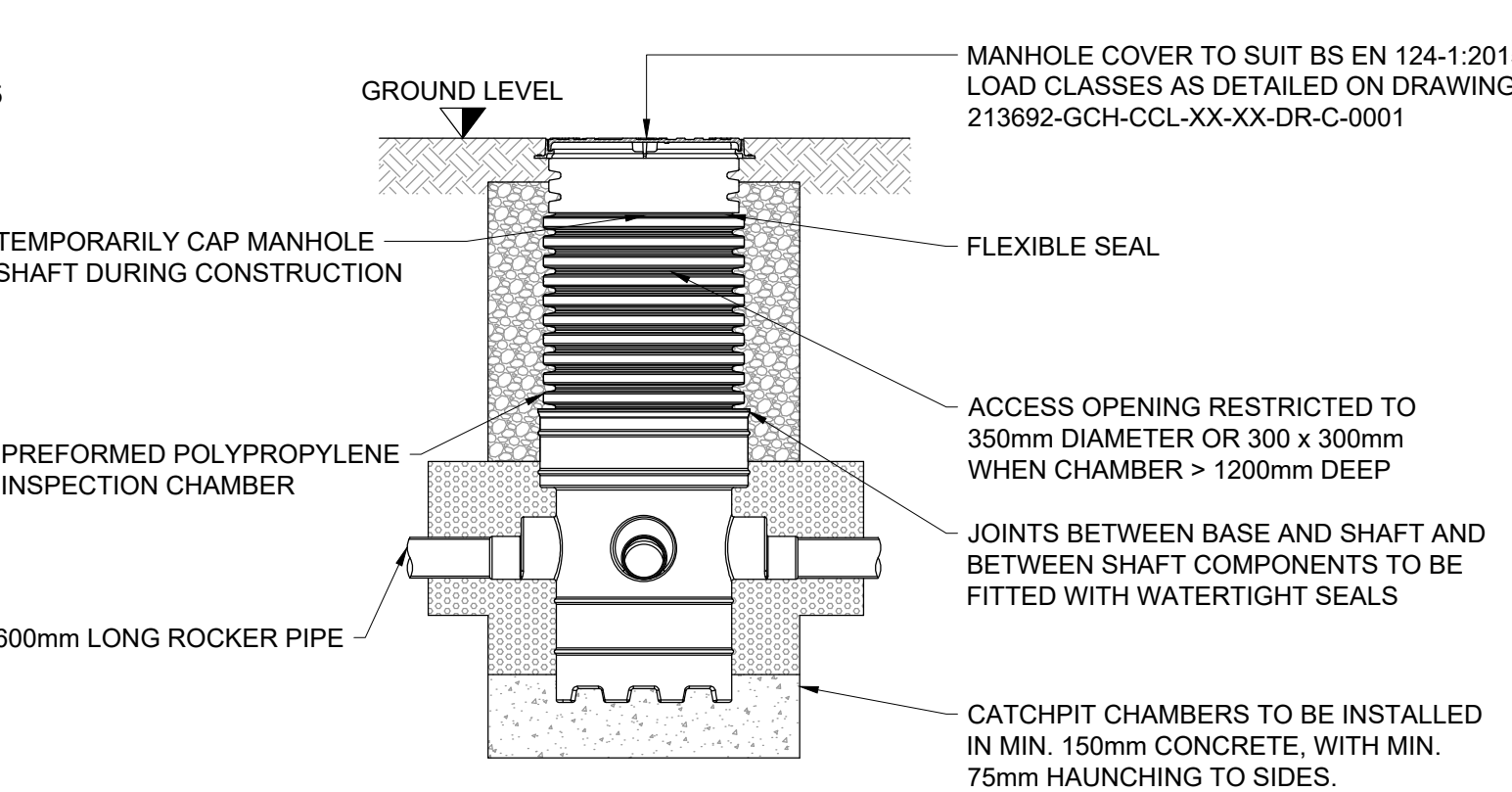
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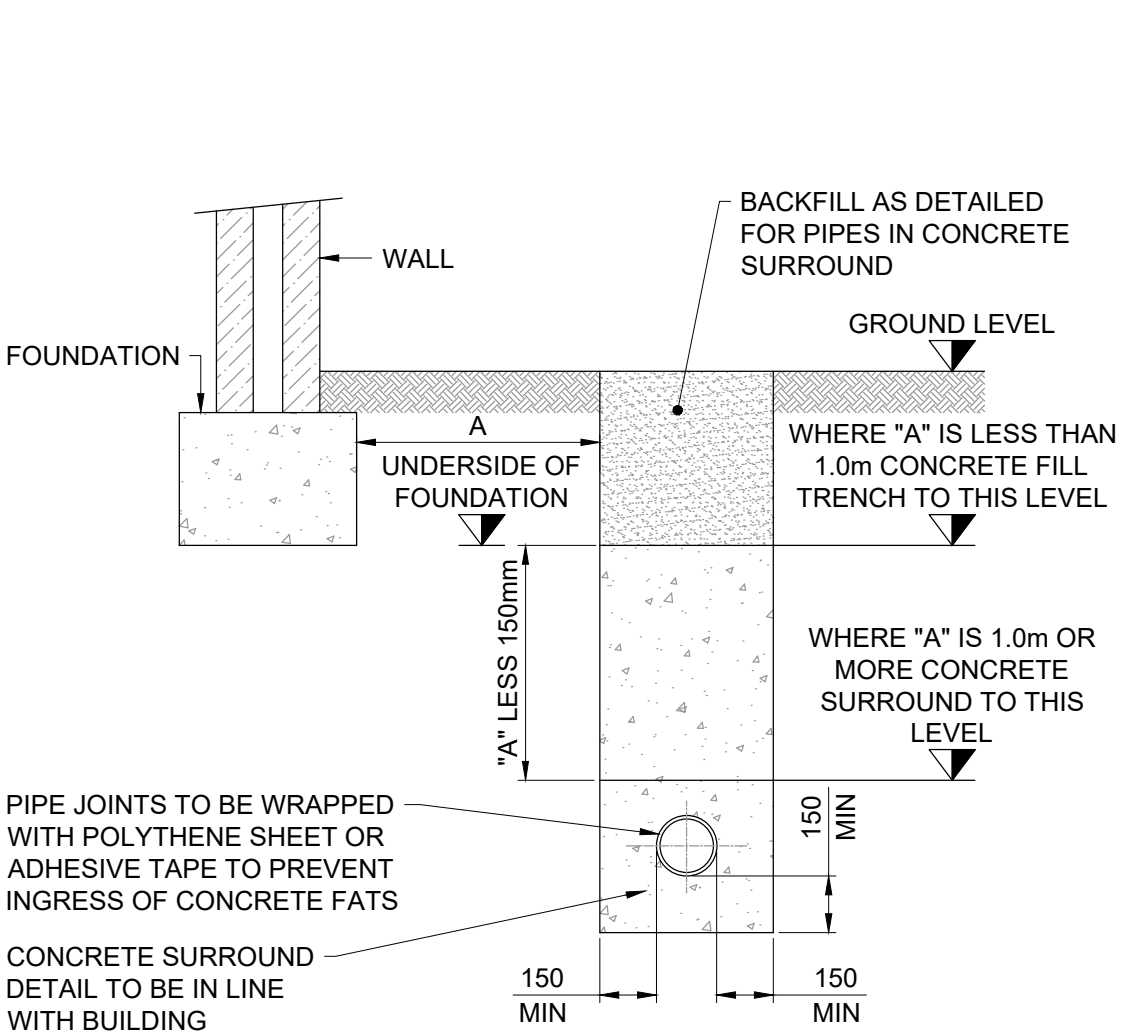
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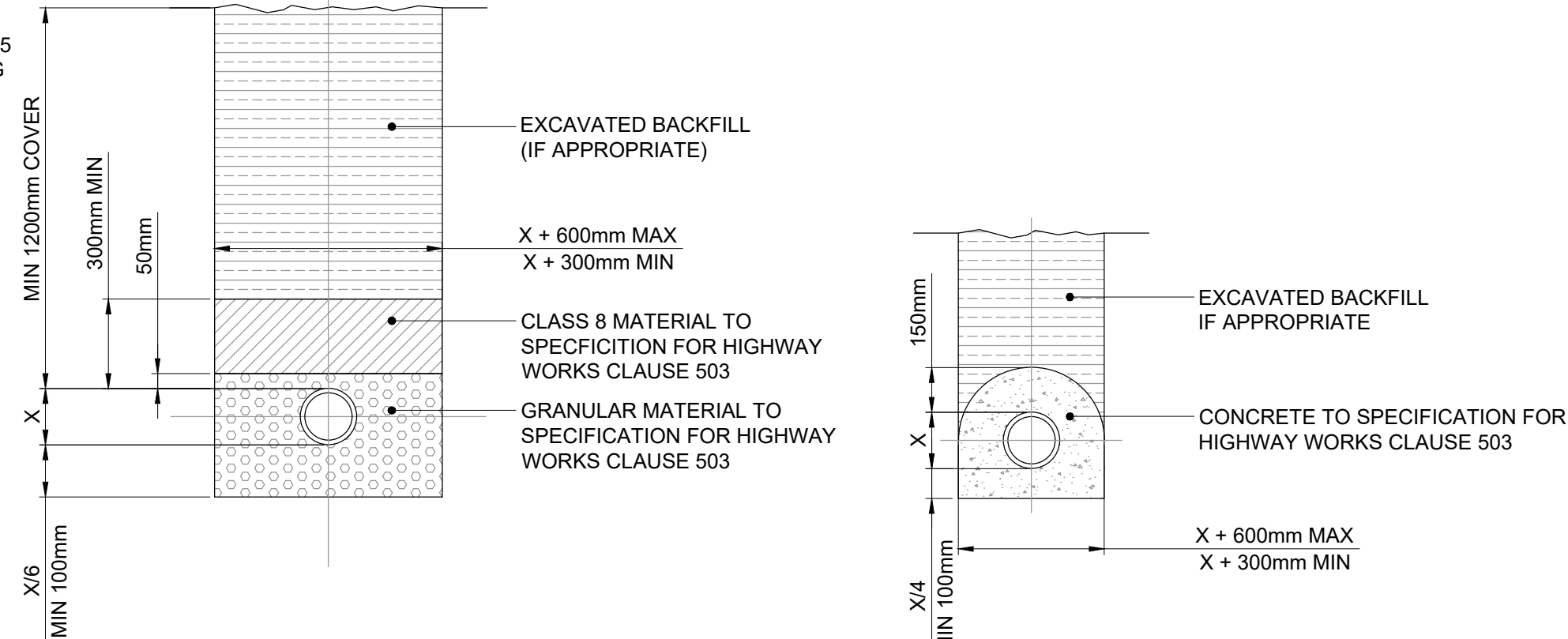
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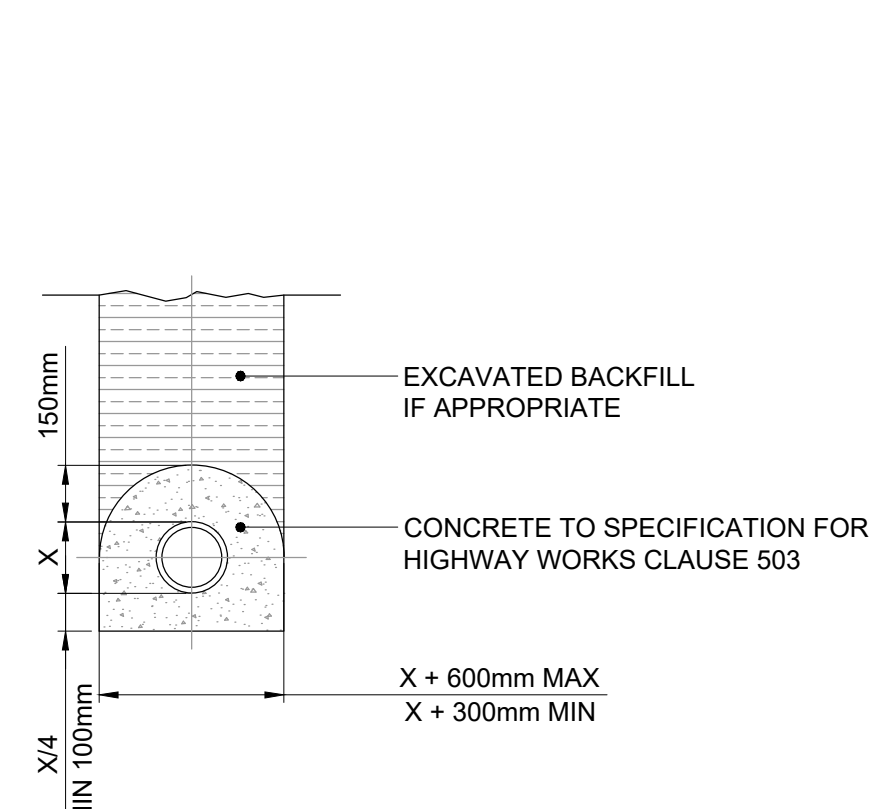
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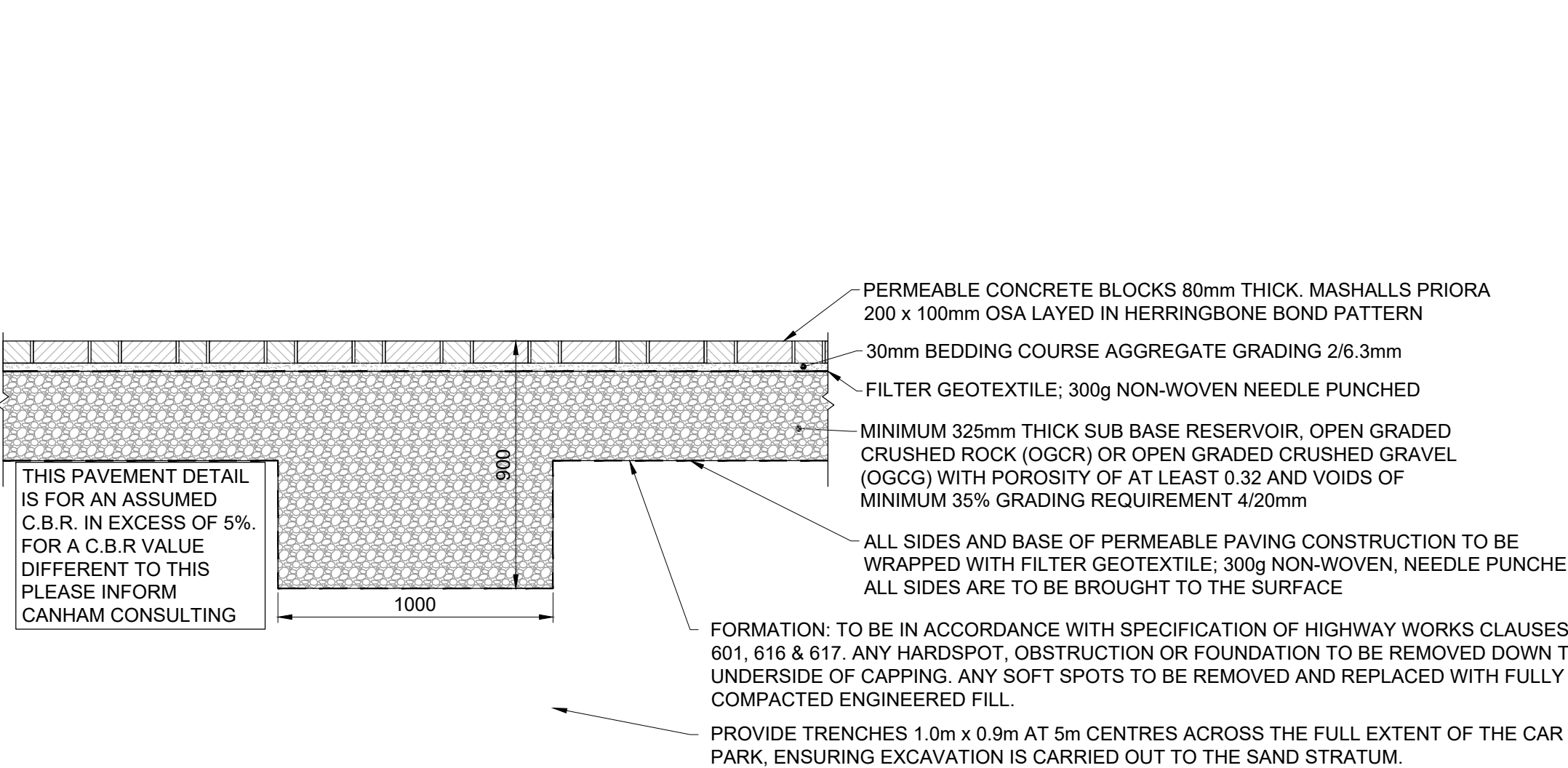
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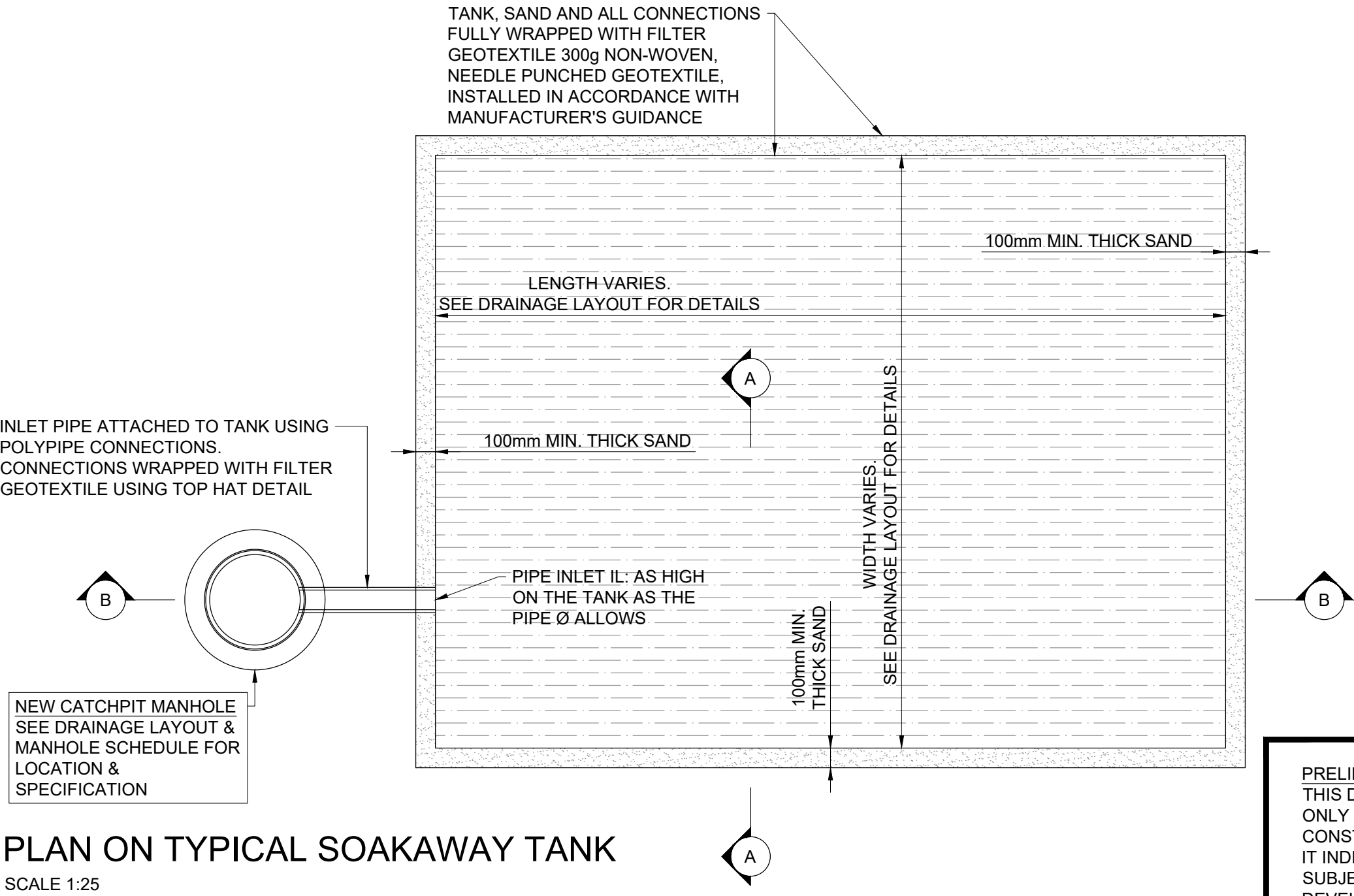
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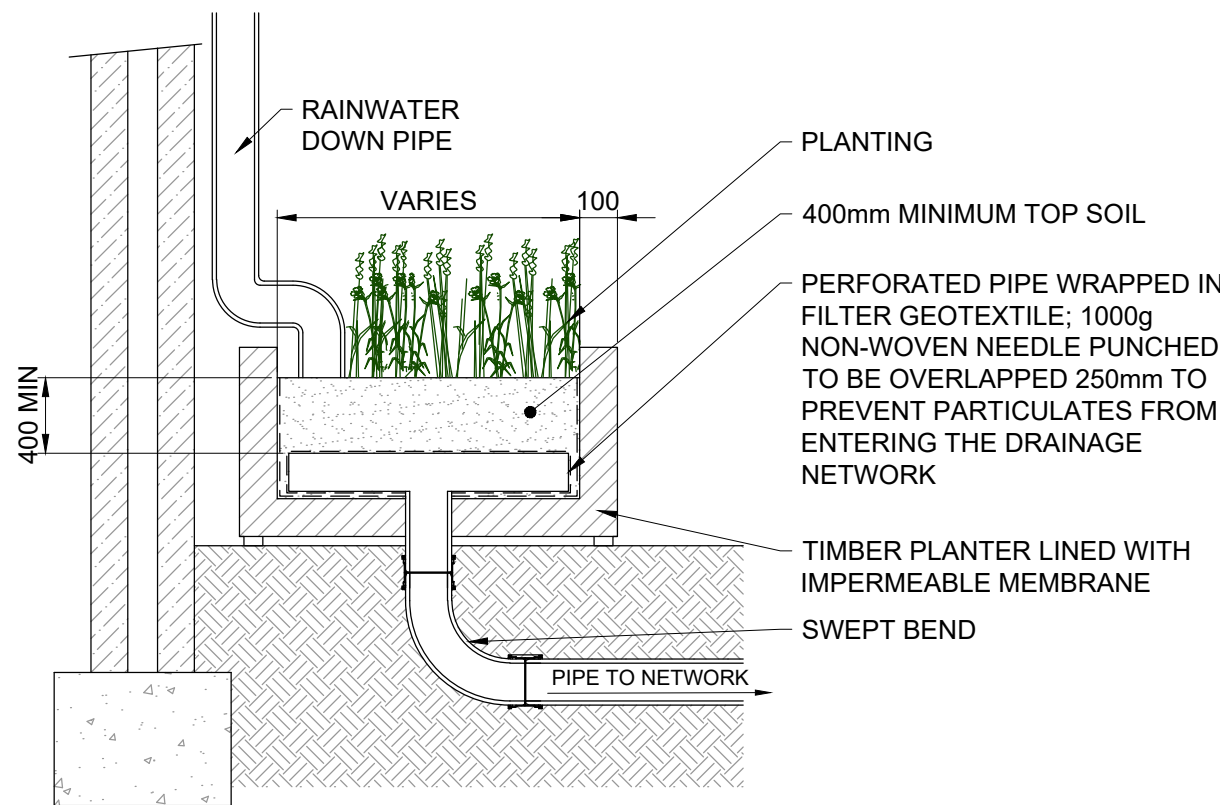
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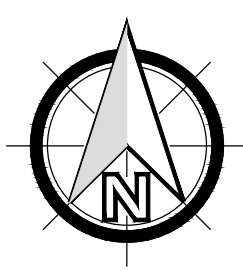
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1 INTRODUCTION

This SuDS Operation and Maintenance Strategy has been produced in line with the recommendations of the CIRIA SuDS Manual (C753) and includes a number of extracts from that document.

For further information please refer to the full document, which can be downloaded free of charge at:

http://www.ciria.org/Resources/Free_publications/SuDS_manual_C753.aspx

In addition to the recommendations in this manual, please also refer to the specific maintenance guidelines provided by the manufacturers of any proprietary products that have been used in the construction of the SuDS.

2 SUDS COMPONENTS WITHIN THE DEVELOPMENT

The development contains a number of SuDS components that will require on-going inspection and maintenance. The primary components are as follows:

- **Permeable Paving** (a surface suitable for pedestrian and/or vehicular traffic, that provides a treatment medium and allows rainwater to be temporarily stored and infiltrate into the ground);
- **Soakaway** (below ground structures, designed to promote infiltration);
- **Gully** (grated opening in the road surface to collect rain water);
- **Catch Pit** (chambers to facilitate the collection of sediment);
- **Pipes** (used to convey water within the drainage network)
- **Rainwater Planter** (manage and filter rainwater)
- **Green Wall** (living wall, provides attenuation and treatment of rainwater)

3 SUMMARY OF DESIGN INTENT

The proposed development is for the demolition of an existing residential care home and the construction of a new care home. The proposed access road and parking spaces will be constructed from permeable paving which will treat and infiltrate the surface water associated with these areas. The proposed roof water will discharge to a soakaway in the south of the site. A catchpit will be located immediately upstream of the soakaway.

Rainwater planters and a green wall will be included alongside these elements.

4 INSPECTIONS

As part of the on-going management of most SuDS components there is a need for regular inspections to ensure that blockages, silt and excess litter are not adversely affecting the component or scheme. It is important that this is carried out and time is allowed for corrective action to be taken.

Routine inspections should be carried out once a month for most components, particularly for the first year after installation. This frequency can then be reviewed (and if appropriate reduced). It is proposed that Caring Homes Group or a maintenance company operating on their behalf will maintain the proposed permeable paving and all other SuDS associated with the proposed development.

Recurring attendance by the same person ensures monitoring of the drainage system, a rapid response to problems and “ownership” of the SuDS components. The inspections should be recorded on a maintenance record.

5 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR PERMEABLE PAVING

Maintenance Schedule	Required Action	Typical Frequency
Regular maintenance	Brushing and vacuuming (standard cosmetic sweep over whole surface)	Once a year, after autumn leaf fall, or reduced frequency as required, based on site-specific observations of clogging or manufacturers' recommendations. Pay particular attention to areas where water runs onto pervious surface from adjacent impermeable areas as this area is most likely to collect the most sediment
Occasional maintenance	Stabilise and mow contributing and adjacent areas	As required
	Removal of weeds or management using glyphosate applied directly into the weeds by an applicator rather than spraying	As required – once per year on less frequently used pavements
Remedial Actions	Remediate any landscaping which, through vegetation maintenance or soil slip, has been raised to within 50 mm of the level of the paving	As required
	Remedial work to any depressions, rutting and cracked or broken blocks considered detrimental to the structural performance or a hazard to users, and replace lost jointing material	As required
	Rehabilitation of surface and upper substructure by remedial sweeping	Every 10 to 15 years or as required (if infiltration performance is reduced due to significant clogging)
Monitoring	Initial inspection	Monthly for three months after installation
	Inspect for evidence of poor operation and/or weed growth – if required, take remedial action	Three-monthly, 48 h after large storms in first six months
	Inspect silt accumulation rates and establish appropriate brushing frequencies	Annually
	Monitor inspection chambers	Annually

6 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR SOAKAWAY

Maintenance Schedule	Required Action	Frequency
Regular Maintenance	Inspect and identify any areas that are not operating correctly. If required, take remedial action.	Monthly for 3 months, then six monthly.
	Debris removal from catchment surface (where may cause risks to performance)	Monthly.
	Where rainfall infiltrates into blocks from above, check surface of filter for blockage by silt, algae or other matter. Remove and replace surface infiltration medium as necessary.	Monthly (and after large storms).
	Remove sediment from pre-treatment structures.	Annually, or as required.
Remedial Actions	Repair/rehabilitation of inlets, outlets, overflows and vents.	As required.
Monitoring	Inspect/ check all inlets, outlets, vents and overflows to ensure that they are in good condition and operating as designed.	Annually and after large storms.

7 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR GULLY

Maintenance Schedule	Required Action	Typical Frequency
Regular Maintenance	Removal of litter and debris.	6 monthly.
Occasional Maintenance	Jetting of system	As required.
	Removal of sediment, oil, grease and floatables.	As required.
Remedial Actions	Clear pipework blockages.	As required.
Monitoring	Inspect for evidence of poor operation.	Six monthly.
	Inspect system and establish appropriate replacement frequencies.	Six monthly.
	Inspect sediment accumulation rates and establish appropriate replacement frequencies.	Monthly during first half year of operation, then every six months.

8 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR CATCHPIT

Maintenance Schedule	Required Action	Frequency
Regular Maintenance	Removal of litter and debris.	6 monthly.
Occasional Maintenance	Change of filter media.	As required.
	Removal of sediment, oil, grease and floatables.	As required.
Remedial Actions	Clear perforated pipework blockages.	As required.
Monitoring	Inspect for evidence of poor operation.	Six monthly.
	Inspect filter media and establish appropriate replacement frequencies.	Six monthly.
	Inspect sediment accumulation rates and establish appropriate replacement frequencies.	Monthly during first half year of operation, then every six months.

9 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR PIPES

The drainage network has been designed to ensure the pipes are at self-cleansing velocities. However maintenance measures are still prudent and the below table shows the suggested inspection and maintenance requirements.

Maintenance Schedule	Required Action	Typical Frequency
Regular maintenance	Remove debris or silt from the system	Annually, or as required
Remedial Actions	High pressure jetting to clean pipe network	As required
Monitoring	Inspect catchpits and chambers for silt build-up	Monthly for 3 months, then annually

10 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR RAINWATER PLANTERS

Maintenance Schedule	Required Action	Typical Frequency
Regular maintenance	Inspect and identify any areas that are not operating correctly. If required, take remedial action	Monthly for 3 months, then annually
	Remove debris from the catchment surface (where it may cause risks to performance)	3 Monthly
	Remove sediment from pre-treatment structures	Annually (or as required)
Remedial Actions	Repair/rehabilitation of inlets, outlets, overflows and vents	As required
Monitoring	Inspect/check all inlets, outlets, vents and overflows to ensure that they are in good condition and operating as designed	Annually

11 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR GREEN WALLS

The maintenance for the green wall element will be maintained in line with the manufacturer requirements. This is expected to entail the following:

Regular inspection to ensure plant health on monthly basis and pruning/removal of dead matter where needed.

Inspection and testing of irrigation systems to ensure no leakage, blockage or build-up of algae. Frequency – 3-monthly.

Check drainage systems to ensure they are in good working order. Frequency – 3 monthly.

12 EMERGENCY ACTION IN CASE OF SPILLAGES

Most spillages on development sites are of compounds that do not pose a serious risk to the environment if they enter the drainage in a slow and controlled manner with time available for natural breakdown in a treatment system. Therefore, small spillages of substances that are known to be harmful to the environment should be removed where possible using soak mats as recommended by the Environment Agency, with residual spillage allowed to bioremediate in the drainage system.

In the event of a serious spillage, either by volume or of unknown or toxic compounds, then isolate the spillage with soil, turf or fabric and block outlet pipes from chamber(s) downstream of the spillage with a bung(s). (A bung for blocking pipes may be made by wrapping soil or turf in a plastic sheet or closely woven fabric.)

Contact the Environment Agency immediately on the following number.

24-hour incident hotline – 0800 80 70 60

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Appendices

Appendix A
SuDS Maintenance Inspection Checklist

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General Information								
Site ID								
Site location and co-ordinates (GIS if appropriate)								
Elements forming the SuDS scheme			Approved drawing reference(s)					
Inspection frequency			Approved specification reference					
Type of development			Specific purpose of any parts of the scheme (eg biodiversity, wildlife and visual aspects)					
Inspection date								
	Details	Y/N	Action required	Date completed	Details	Y/N	Action required	Date completed
General inspection items								
Is there any evidence of erosion, channelling, ponding (where not desirable) or other poor hydraulic performance?								
Is there any evidence of accidental spillages, oils, poor water quality, odours or nuisance insects?								
Have any health and safety risks been identified to either the public or maintenance operatives?								
Is there any deterioration in the surface of permeable or porous surfaces (eg rutting, spreading of blocks or signs of ponding water)?								

Silt/sediment accumulation								
Is there any sediment accumulation at inlets (or other defined accumulation zones such as the surface of filter drains or infiltration basins and within proprietary devices)? If yes , state depth (mm) and extent. Is removal required? If yes , state waste disposal requirements and confirm, that all waste management requirements have been complied with (consult environmental regulator)								
Is surface clogging visible (potentially problematic where water has to soak into the underlying construction or ground (eg underdrained swale or infiltration basin)?								
Does permeable or porous surfacing require sweeping to remove silt?								
System blockages and litter build-up								
Is there evidence of litter accumulation in the system? If yes , is this a blockage risk?								
Is there any evidence of any other clogging or blockage of outlets or drainage paths?								
Vegetation								
Is the vegetation condition satisfactory (density, weed growth, coverage etc)? (Check against approved planting regime.)								
Does any part of the system require weeding, pruning or mowing? (Check against maintenance frequency stated in approved design.)								
Is there any evidence of invasive species becoming established? If yes , state action required								
Infrastructure								
Are any check dams or weirs in good condition?								

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Is there evidence of any accidental damage to the system (eg wheel ruts?)								
Is there any evidence of cross connections or other unauthorised inflows?								
Is there any evidence of tampering with the flow controls?								
Are there any other matters that could affect the performance of the system in relation to the design objectives for hydraulic, water quality, biodiversity and visual aspects? (Specify.)								
Other observations								
Information appended (eg photos)								
Suitability of current maintenance regime								
Continue as current								
Increase maintenance								
Decrease maintenance								
Next inspection								
Proposed date for next inspection								



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