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Linfield Group Pty Ltd 2 Rider Boulevard Rhodes NSW 2138

Attention: Shan Lin

RE: 182—186 GERTRUDE STREET, NORTH GOSFORD

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION FOR A RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT (DA23/3021)
TRAFFIC LETTER OF RESPONSE TO COUNCIL REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

Dear Shan,

PDC Consultants has been commissioned to prepare a Letter of Response (Letter) to a Request for Information (RFI) made by Central Coast Council (Council) dated 24 November 2023 in relation to Development Application (DA) 23/3021 for a residential flat building development at 182—186 Gertrude Street, North Gosford.

This Letter responds to traffic-related items under the RFI subheading 'Engineering', which can broadly be categorised as follows:

Concerns over waste collection arrangements and truck size

It is our understanding that the respective waste experts of Council and the applicant have agreed to on-street waste collection, via use of a temporary kerbside bin holding area onto Gertrude Street. This in turn eliminates the need for any trucks to enter the site.

The development retains provision of a service bay on Level 01 for service vehicles to safely park without impeding residential traffic; however, the use of this service bay would be significantly reduced should waste collection occur on-street. It would also only be required to accommodate typical delivery vehicles up to and including a B99 design vehicle, as defined by *Australian Standard 2890.1-2004*, *Part 1: Off-street car parking* (AS 2890.1).

Requests to widen circulatory ramps to improve vehicle manoeuvrability

Safety concerns over swept paths are greatly reduced by the fact that waste collection is set to occur on-street and no trucks are required to enter the basement.

Nevertheless, further widening of the curved ramps between Level 02 and Level 01 and Level 01 and Ground Floor has been undertaken on amended architectural plans provided as **Attachment 1**, which further improves the ability for two vehicles to pass one another.

Satisfactory two-way passing along these ramps is demonstrated by amended swept paths provided as Attachment 2.

All ramps between the Ground Floor and Basement Levels have been widened to 5.5 metres between kerbs, as requested (**Attachment 1**). Traffic signals are maintained to further manage infrequent two-way vehicular conflicts.

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Lack of detail over the proposed vehicle ramp and long sections

Long sections of the vehicle ramp between Gertrude Street at Level 02 and Level 01 have been prepared along the inner and outer kerb edges, plus the ramp centreline, and are provided in **Attachment 1**.

Vertical clearance swept path analysis has been run along the inner kerb edge, being the critical long section, using a B99 design vehicle. This analysis, provided as **Attachment 2**, demonstrates satisfactory ground clearance for a vehicle entering and exiting the site via the ramp and as such, the proposed arrangements are considered satisfactory.

The development is therefore considered supportable on traffic planning grounds. Please contact the undersigned should you have any queries or require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

Ben Midgley

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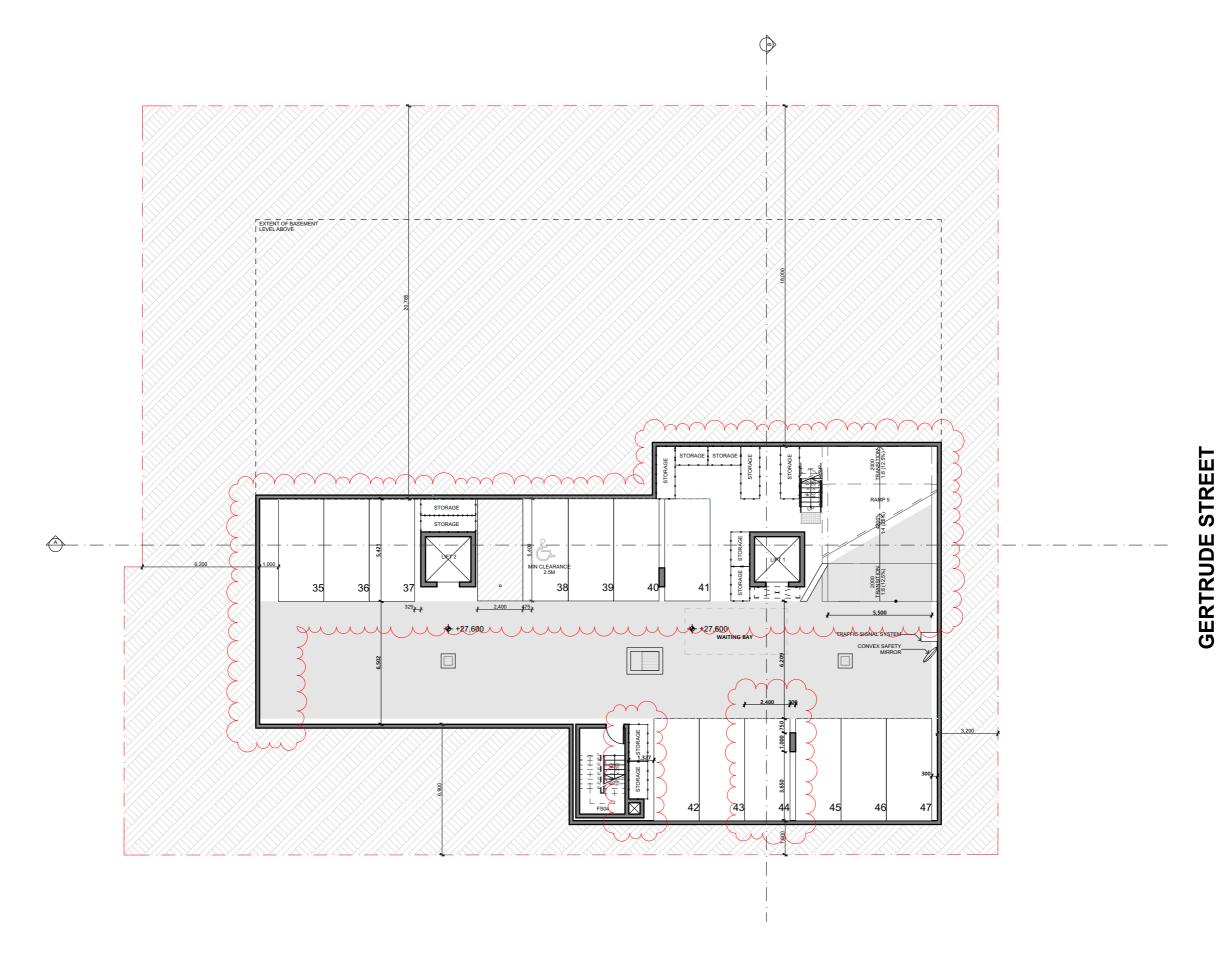
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1) Amended Architectural Drawings

2) Swept Path Drawings



Attachment 1





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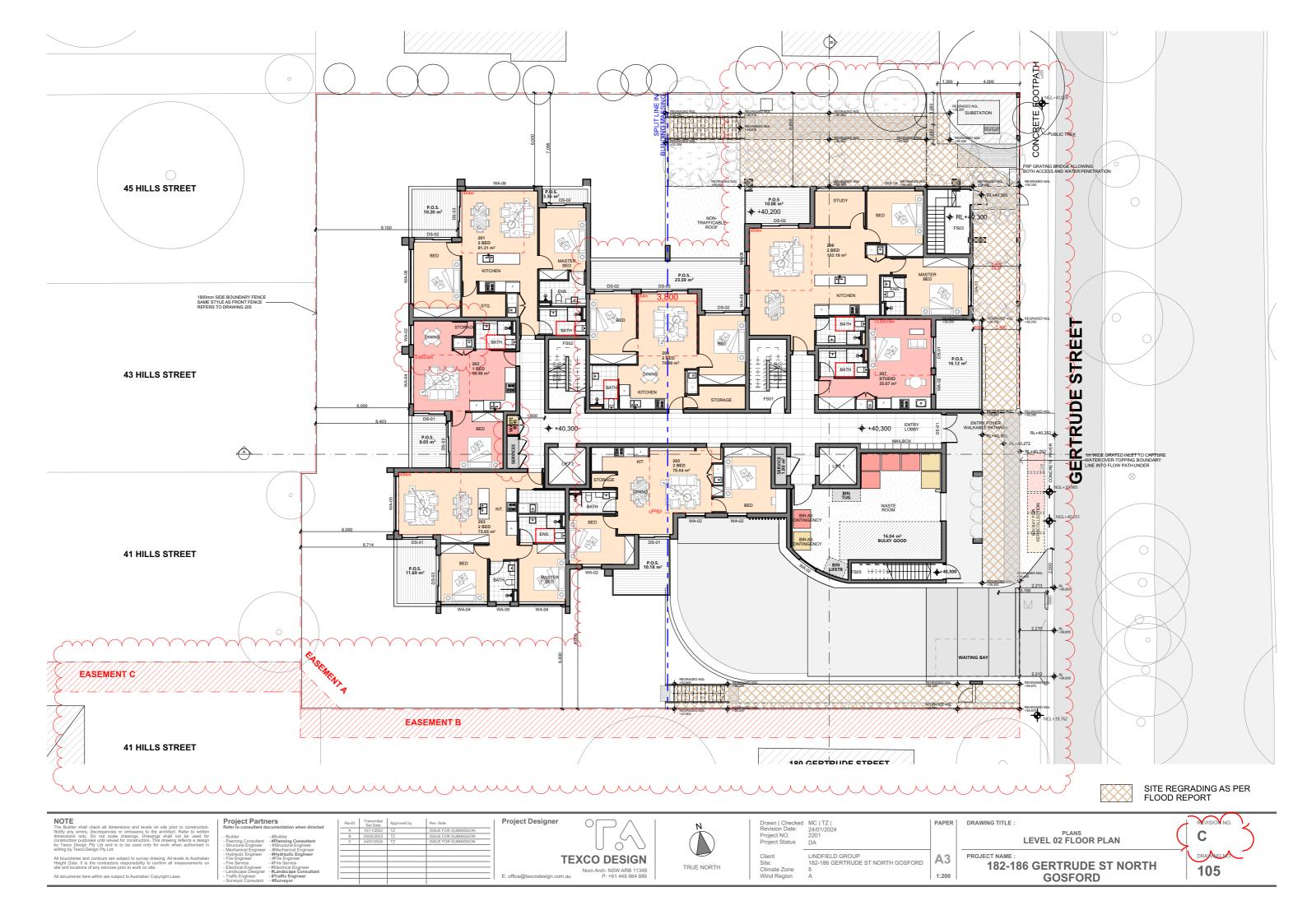


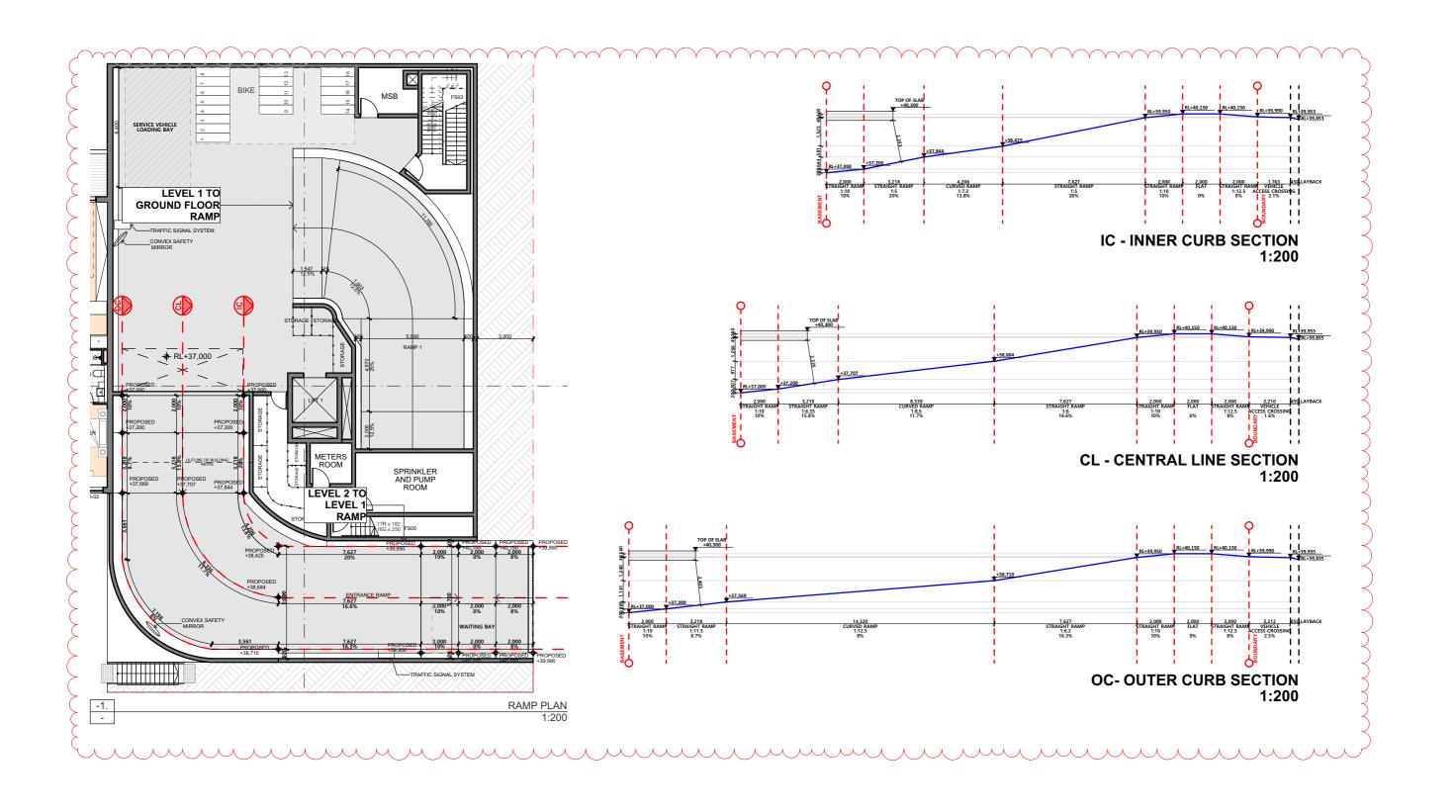
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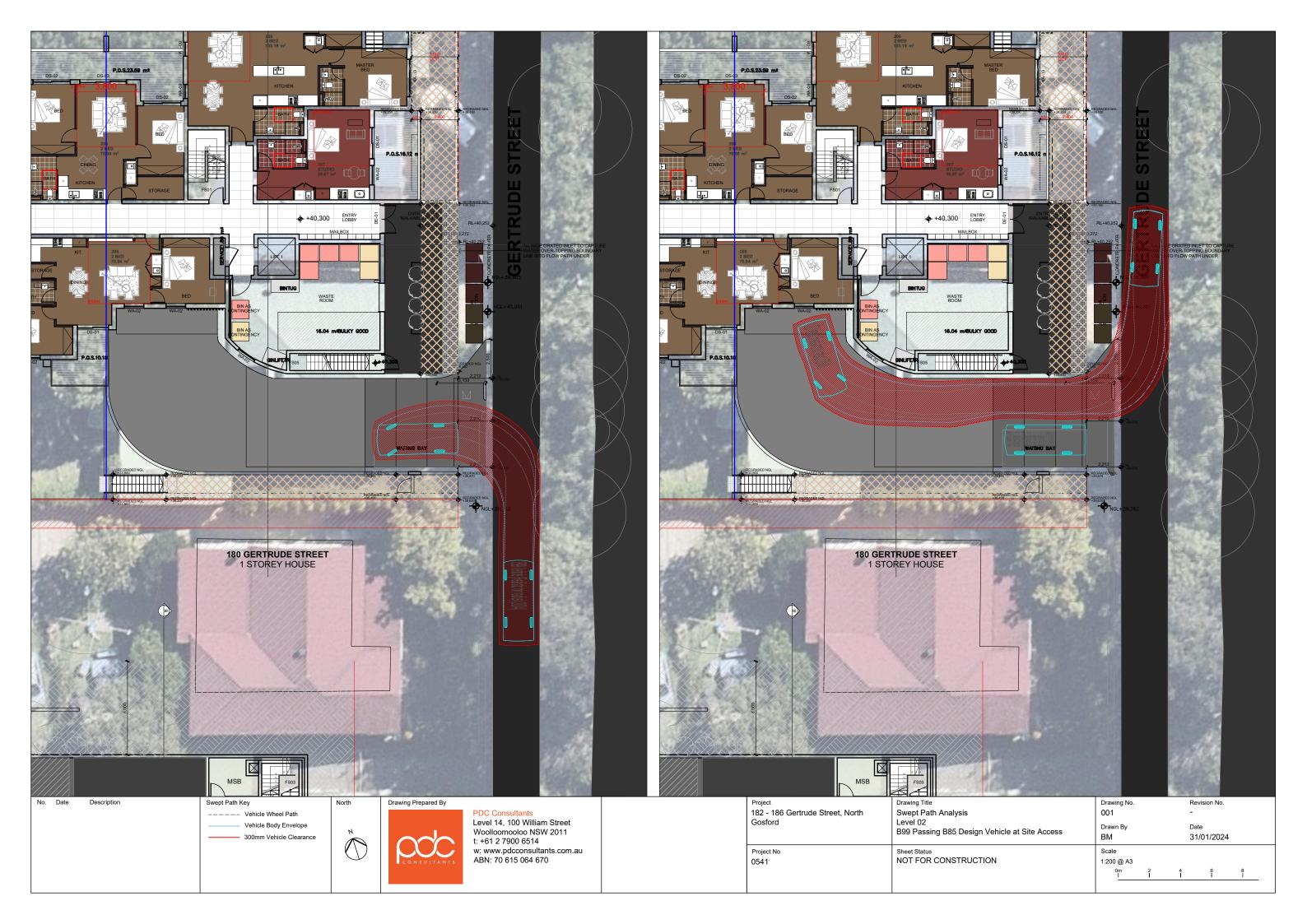


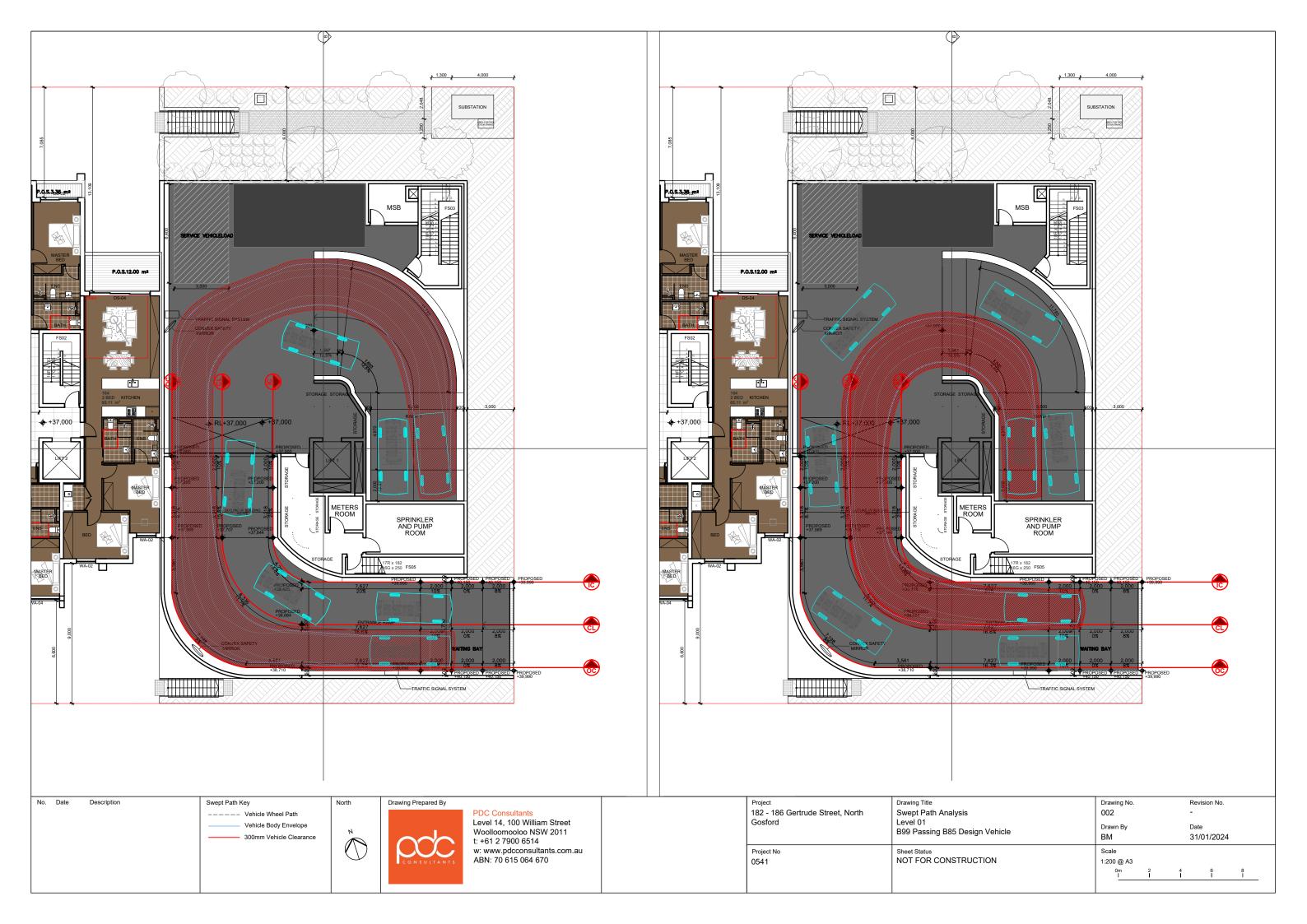


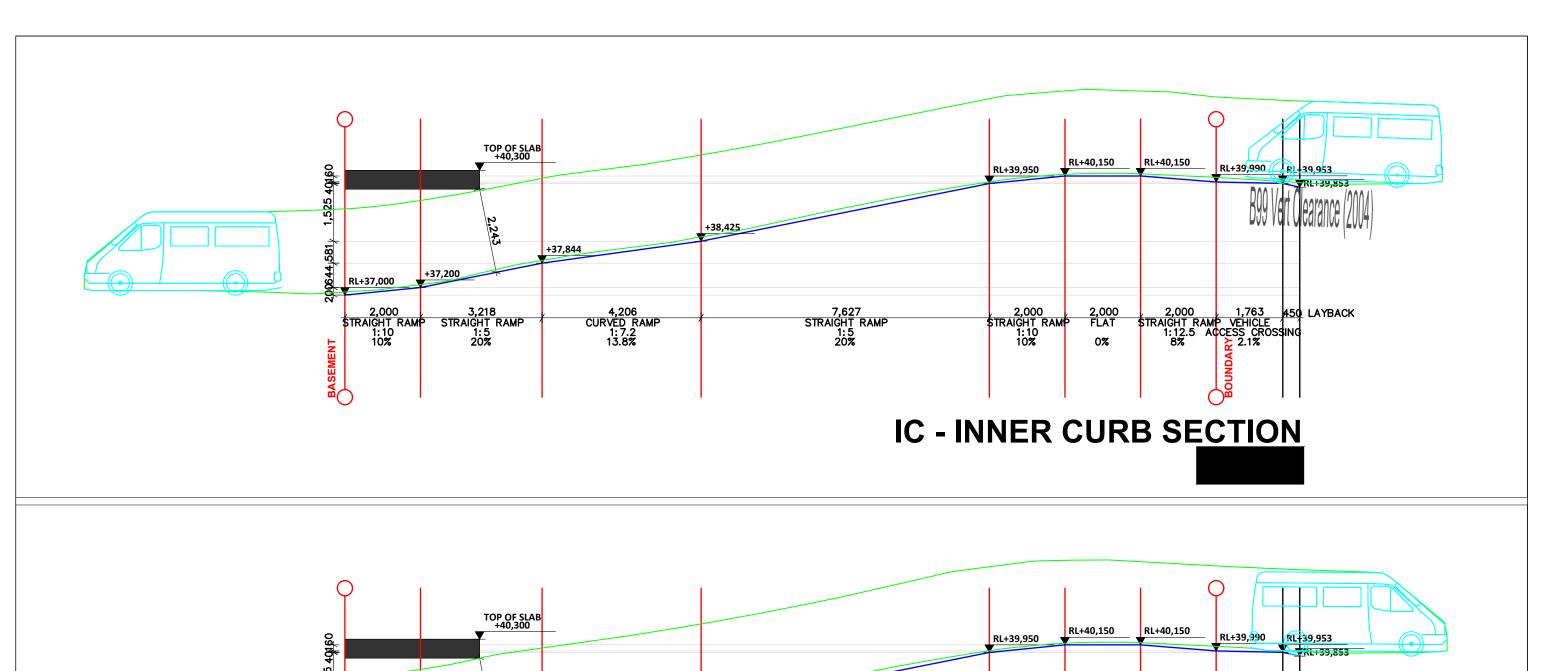


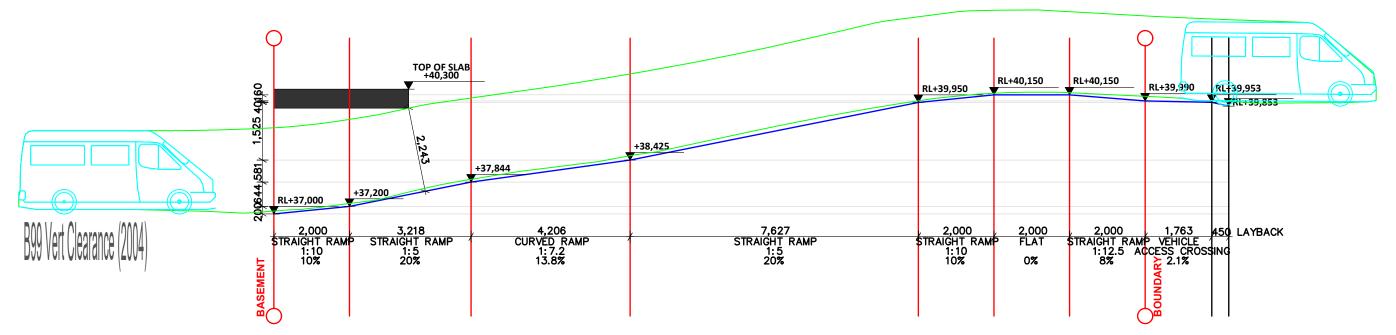


Attachment 2









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