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Dear Darya,

STORMWATER AND INFRASTRUCTURE REPORT FOR 16-26 CHAPMAN AVENUE AND 17-27 DAWES AVENUE, CASTLE HILL

Further to recent discussions and correspondence on the proposed development of 16-26 Chapman Ave and 17-27 Dawes Ave, Castle Hill please find below a summary of the preliminary servicing strategy and infrastructure requirements.

Our investigations of the site were carried out based on a Dial Before You Dig (DBYD) search, a detailed site survey prepared by StrataSurv on 24th-25th May 2017 and an Indicative Estate Masterplan documentation prepared by PTW on 24th May 2017.

The site is located within The Hills Shire Council LGA and consists of multiple lots with a total area of approximately 1.13Ha. Refer to Figure 1 for the site location.

The proposed site includes the following lots:

- 16 Chapman Ave, Castle Hill
- 18 Chapman Ave, Castle Hill
- 20 Chapman Ave, Castle Hill
- 22 Chapman Ave, Castle Hill
- 24 Chapman Ave, Castle Hill
- 26 Chapman Ave, Castle Hill

- 17 Dawes Ave, Castle Hill
- 19 Dawes Ave, Castle Hill
- 21 Dawes Ave, Castle Hill
- 23 Dawes Ave, Castle Hill
- 25 Dawes Ave, Castle Hill
- 27 Dawes Ave, Castle Hill





Figure 1 - Site Location (Courtesy of Nearmaps)

EXISTING SITE

The existing site consists of 12 lots with single residential dwellings on each lot and is currently zoned R2 Low Density Residential, in accordance with The Hills LEP 2012. The site is bordered by Chapman Ave to the North-East, Dawes Ave to the South-West and single residential houses on the North-West and South-East.

The site generally falls from the east to the west corner of the site. There is an existing 525mm dia. stormwater pipe which runs through the middle of the site (within 22 Dawes Ave and 22 Chapman Ave) and there are existing council stormwater kerb inlet pits on both street frontages, which ultimately direct flows into Cattai Creek to the North-west. The level in the east corner of the site, adjacent to Chapman Ave, is approximately RL112.16, which falls to approximately RL104.20 in the west, adjacent Dawes Ave.

Refer to Appendix B and Figure 2 for site survey and existing site levels, the site survey shows existing utilities infrastructure and stormwater within the development site extents.

The purpose of this report is to provide preliminary advice with regards to:

- Locations of existing services and the likely connection points to supply the site;
- Potential service upgrades required to ensure adequate capacity to the site;
- Timing of likely service upgrades (if any);
- Indicative works required to upgrade or provide new services; and
- Stormwater infrastructure requirements.





Figure 2 – Site Survey (Courtesy of StrataSurv)

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

The proposal for the development of the is to create the following:

- One consolidated lot;
- Proposed 8 to 19 storeys apartment buildings (Buildings A-D) with childcare and café tenancies on the ground floor;
- Four levels of basement car parking;
- Land dedication of open space totalling 2,879 m²;
- Through site link totalling 400m² between buildings A and B; and
- Through site link totalling 377m² between building d and Chapman Avenue Reserve.

Refer to Appendix A for indicative layout plan.

EXISTING SERVICES

Water

From Dial Before You Dig (DBYD) information, the following water services were located within the area:

- 1 x 100mm CICL (Cast Iron Cement Lined) main in the northern verge of Dawes Ave;
- 1 x 100mm CICL (Cast Iron Cement Lined) main in the northern verge of Chapman Ave;
- A 375mm CICL (Cast Iron Cement Lined) to the south-east of the site in the main the eastern verge of Fishburn Cres.

Refer to Appendix C for Sydney Water map and Appendix D for proposed works sketch.



In order to service the proposed development either 100mm dia. watermain is required to be upgraded to a minimum 200mm dia. watermain from Fishburn Cresent to the subject site (approximately 220m) in length.

Refer to Appendix C for Sydney Water map and Appendix D for proposed works sketch.

Summary

A feasibility application needs to be submitted to Sydney Water to determine the likely connection points and confirm the upgrades required to service the development. This feasibility study can take between 4-6 weeks however for the sake of this servicing report it is assumed the development can be serviced with water.

Sewer

From Dial Before You Dig (DBYD) information, the following sewer services were located within the area:

- 1 x 150mm VC (Vitrified Clay) within the southern boundary of the lots fronting Chapman Ave.
- 1 x 150mm VC (Vitrified Clay) through the western boundaries of 20 Chapman Ave and 21 Dawes Ave.
- 1 x 150mm along the southern boundary of 23, 25 and 27 Chapman Ave.

Refer to Appendix C for Sydney Water map and Appendix D for proposed works sketch.

The existing sewer mains within the proposed development lot will need to be realigned during construction in accordance with Sydney Water requirements, with all appropriate temporary diversions in place. Due to the size of the sewer mains within the immediate vicinity of the proposed development, it is likely Sydney Water will require no upgrades to the infrastructure to service the proposed development. The on-lot sewer will be captured within the site and discharge into the existing Sewer main connection at 27 Dawes Ave.

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Power

From Dial Before You Dig records there are existing electrical ducts and high voltage cables owned by Ausgrid within the southern verge of Chapman Ave. There are no overhead cables in either Chapman or Dawes Ave. Refer to Appendix E for Endeavour Energy Electrical Services Map.

It is recognised that the planning proposal is one of a number occurring in the surrounding area. While a coordinated approach will most likely be undertaken, initial advice from a Level 3 Accredited Service Provider confirms the following:

Existing Electricity supply

The subject site is currently used as low density residential lots and is supplied via an underground 11,000 volt feeder cable number S326 originating from West Castle Hill Zone. West Castle Hill Zone Substation is located on the corner of Salisbury Ave and Victoria Road Castle Hill approximately 1.7kilometres (cable route length) from the site. Cheriton Zone Substation which is located on the corner of Cheriton Ave and Showground Road is closer to the subject site at approximately 1.1 kilometres (cable route length) provided a public pathway can be utilised.

Proposed load

The anticipated indicative load for the proposed 380 living units, childcare centre and café is in the order of 1.8MVA. This figure has been calculated using the following assumptions for after diversity maximum demand and will be subject to the building services engineer's final calculations:

• 4.5kVA per residential unit (based on gas hot water, gas cooktops and a single split system air conditioner in each unit); and



• Indicative estimate loads for the child care and cafe.

Method of supply

An 11kV feeder can typically supply up to 4.5MVA. The anticipated load of 1.8MVA equates to 40% of a feeder which is under the 50% figure which would trigger a mandatory new feeder from a Zone substation. Typically Endeavour Energy would consider supplying a load of this size by either:

- 1. Connecting the site to the nearest feeder cable where the spare capacity is available,
- 2. Offloading customers onto other feeders by switching to free up capacity on the nearest feeder
- 3. Augmenting feeders
- 4. A new feeder cable from a Zone substation

Upon submission of a formal application for load or an enquiry to Endeavour Energy, they will determine the point of connection and which of the above options or possibly another option will be required. Endeavour Energy will also advise whether the initial stages of the development can be supplied from the existing 11kV reticulation near the site.

Internal reticulation

The load can be supplied by either two single 1000kVA distribution transformer substations (either an outdoor pad mount type or an indoor type) or a twin 1,000 kVA indoor substation although this will depend on the final development and building layout and the title of the lots. As a worst case, a single substation may be required for each of the four (4) proposed buildings.

Indicative construction costs

- 11kV feeder (lead in works): The cost here could range from near Zero if the adjacent feeder can be utilised or up to \$1,4M if a new feeder is required from West Castle Hill Zone Substation. As the load is less than 50% of a feeder capacity there is a small chance Endeavour Energy may fund a portion of the work if a new feeder is required provided the other 60% capacity can be utilised in their view (likely in this area).
- Internal reticulation.
 - o Allow \$140k for each single transformer pad mount type substation
 - o Allow \$160k for each single transformer indoor type substation
 - o Allow \$200k for each twin transformer indoor type substation.

Summary

Preliminary investigations of the site and the area has identified several options for extending and delivering services and utilities to the land. These will be finalised following progression of discussions with Endeavour Energy to agree on the most suitable and cost-effective servicing solution for the planning proposal, as well as other rezoning proposals in the area to achieve a coordinated delivery of necessary upgrades and maximise cost benefits.

Gas

From Dial Before You Dig (DBYD) information, the following gas services were located within the area:

- 50mm dia. Steel Gas main (210kPa) in the northern verge of Chapman Ave; and
- 32mm dia. Steel Gas main (210kPa) in the northern verge of Dawes Ave.

Refer to Appendix G for Jemena Gas Network map.

<u>Summary</u>

Preliminary investigation of the site has identified the site should be able to be serviced with gas. Confirmation and approval will need to be sought by Jemena as owners of these gas mains for all connections into their network.

Communications



From Dial Before You Dig records there is record of existing Telstra telecommunications cables within both Chapman Ave and Dawes Ave. Refer to Appendix H for Telstra Telecommunications Map.

Summary

Preliminary investigation of the site has identified the site would be able to be serviced with telecommunications. Confirmation and approval will need to be sought by Telstra and Optus as owners of these telecommunication mains for all connections into their network.

Stormwater

As mentioned previously the site drains from the south-eastern corner of the site to the north-western corner. Survey records indicate multiple kerb inlet pits on both Chapman Ave and Dawes Ave, which will serve as potential connection points from the site. In addition, there is an existing underground stormwater pipe that runs through the middle of the site via an easement. Confirmation will need to be sought at the DA design stages to confirm the most appropriate connection points, taking into consideration the existing easement, on-site restraints, existing pipe capacities and Council consultation. Refer to attached survey drawings for the existing Stormwater network.

Council have confirmed all stormwater drainage will need to be designed in accordance with The Hills Shire Council "Design Guidelines Subdivision/Developments". Within these guidelines is the installation of On-Site-Detention (OSD) systems. The site falls within the Hawkesbury River Catchment and as such OSD need to comply with the Hawkesbury River Catchment Area Permissible Site Discharge (PSD) rates and Site Storage Volume (SRR) requirements. The proposed site has a slope of approximately 5% and, in accordance with *The Hills Shire Council, Design Guidelines – 4.22. On-site Stormwater Detention,* the following rates apply:

- Permissible Site Discharge (PSD) = 92L/sec/Ha
- Site Storage Volume (SSR) = 396m³/Ha

Given the site is approximately 1.13Ha in area this equates to a PSD of 103L/sec and SSR of 447.5m³. It is likely the total site storage volume will be achieved by the construction of aboveground and/or underground storage tanks. The location and extent of these basins/tanks is to correspond with the existing overland flow paths off site will be determined at the DA design stage.

Summary

Based on discussions with The Hills Shire Council the proposed development will be able to connect into the existing Council stormwater network Dawes Ave. This is provided the internal stormwater network is designed to meet the Council engineering guidelines. Further investigations into the existing 525mm dia. stormwater pipe through the site will be required to confirm if the pipe remains in its existing location or is diverted around the site in the developed case.

Water Sensitive Urban Design

The Hills Shire Council have Water Urban Sensitive Urban Design (WSUD) objectives are:

- Reduce water demand;
- Reduce water discharge to receiving environments;
- Maximum opportunities for water harvesting and re-use; and
- Reduce water pollution.

Council will likely be looking at a number of methods to implement WSUD into the development. These will include the use of (but not limited to):

- Rainwater tanks;
- Gross Pollutant traps;
- Bio-filtration;



- Bio-retention;
- Detention basins;
- Swales;
- · Porous paving/ surfaces; and
- Wetlands.

Detailed stormwater designs will be developed and submitted to Council during the development application stage, however allowances should be made to incorporate Gross Pollutant Traps within the stormwater design as a minimum level to achieve WSUD reduction targets. The following reduction targets are in accordance with the Water Sensitive Urban Design Guidelines for Western Sydney (NSW Government Stormwater Trust and UPRCT, May 2004).

Pollutant	Reduction Targets
Total Suspended Solids	80%
Total Phosphorus	45%
Total Nitrogen	45%
Hydrocarbons	90%

Table 1: WSUD Technical Guidelines for Western Sydney Pollutant Reductions

It is also highly likely rainwater harvest tanks will also be required to recycle the roof water generated from the site, in accordance with industry best practices.

Flooding

From Council overland flow maps downloaded from the Hills Shire website and a 149(2) Planning Certificate which was obtained for 21 Dawes Ave, Castle Hill, it can be assumed that the subject lots are not flood affected. As such, no further flooding investigations are necessary for the proposed development. The standard flood protection of residential floor levels and potential basement entries are still to be provided. This would be in line with the Hills Shire Council Engineering Guidelines. Refer to Appendix F for Overland Flow Path Map.

Conclusion

Based on our preliminary investigations and discussions with the relevant authorities, it is our recommendation that this site can be adequately serviced with all required utilities and that the most appropriate options for providing each utility are coordinated with the relevant service providers.

Please feel free to discuss if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely

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Appendices

- Appendix A Chapman Gardens Planning Proposal
- Appendix B Survey Drawings
- Appendix C Sydney Water Map
- Appendix D Proposed Potable Water and Sewer Works
- Appendix E Endeavour Energy Electrical Services Map
- Appendix F Substation Locations Castle Hill
- Appendix G Overland Flow Path
- Appendix H Jemena
- Appendix I Telstra
- Appendix J 149(2) Certificate
- Appendix K AECOM Documentation



Appendix A

Chapman Gardens Planning Drawings

Civil Engineers & Project Managers



- 1 Timber boardwalk entry to building
- Cumberland Plains planting
- "The Lawn" for passive recreational uses
- "The Green" for residents' use
- Main pedestrian walkways
- Water pond

- Wetland filtering rainwater runoff
- Water spiller to water pond
- Precast steppers
- Steel staircase
- Viewing deck
- "The Spring"
- Natural playground area

- 15 Glant swing
- Childcare outdoor
- 18 Picnic shelter with BBQ facilities
- 19 Chcket nets
- Climbing net

"The Slide"

- "The Carrousel"
- Fern garden lush
- Childcare indoor
- Retaining wall
- New pedestrian footpath
- 27 Seating area
- Swale with informal natural play area

Potential Kiss & Ride location

Potential street carpark location

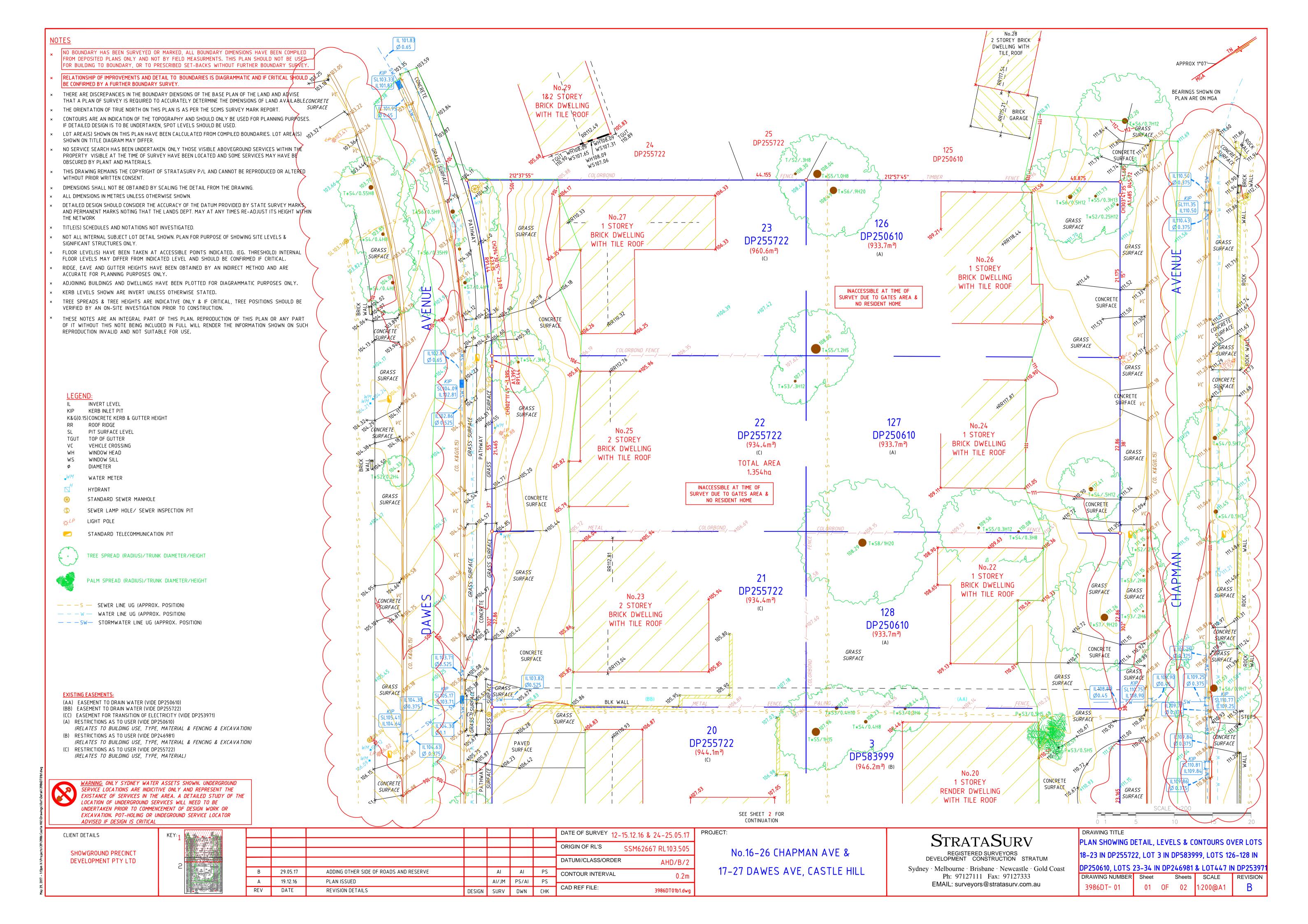


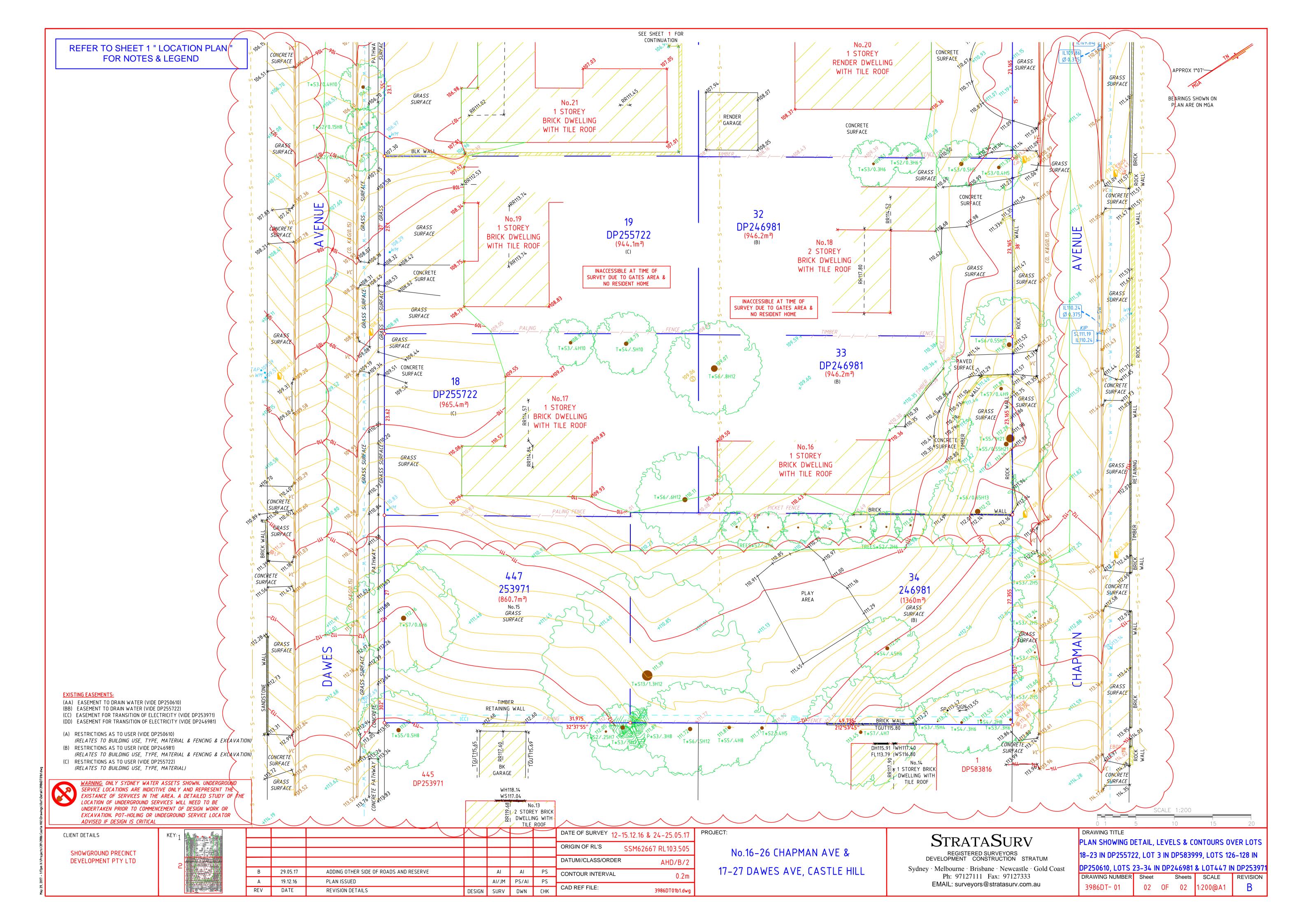


Appendix B

Survey Drawings

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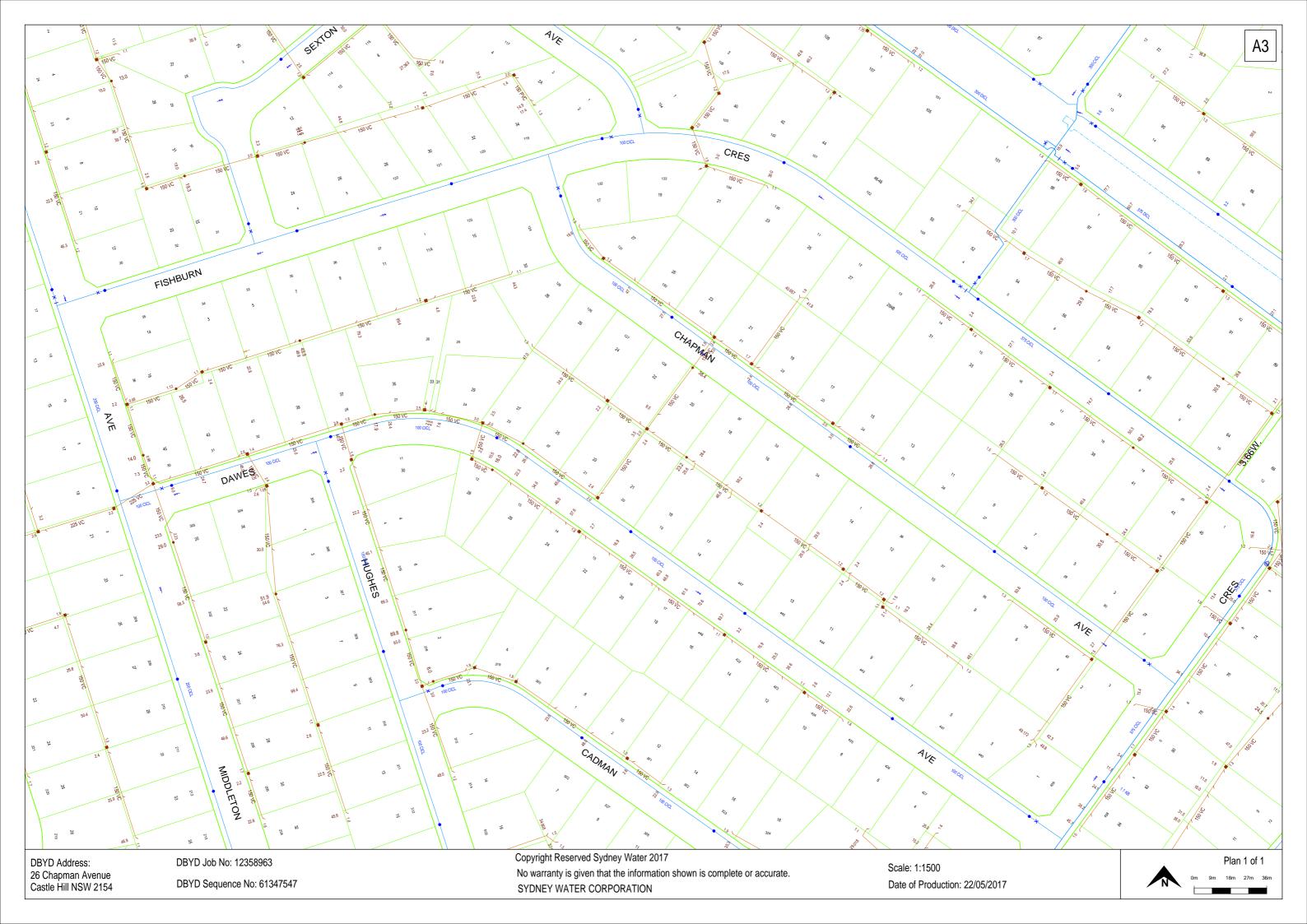






Appendix C

Sydney Water Map



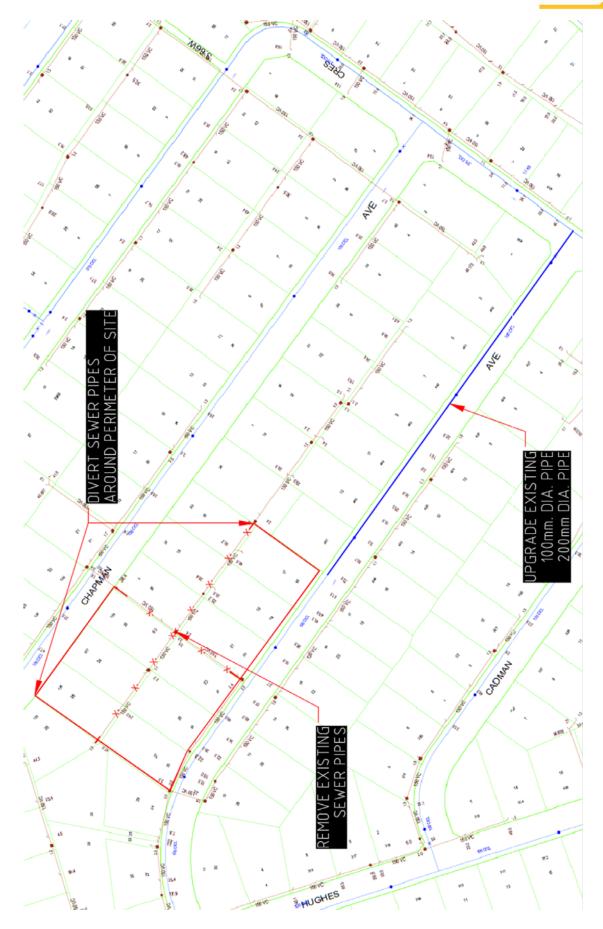


Appendix D

Proposed Potable Water and Sewer works

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Appendix E

Endeavour Energy Electrical Services Map

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If further clarification is required, please contact:

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Phone: (02) 9853 4161 (8:00am-4:30pm Mon-Fri)

Emergency Phone Number: 131 003



DBYD Underground Search Report

Date: 22/05/2017

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ENDEAVOUR ENERGY ASSETS AFFECTED

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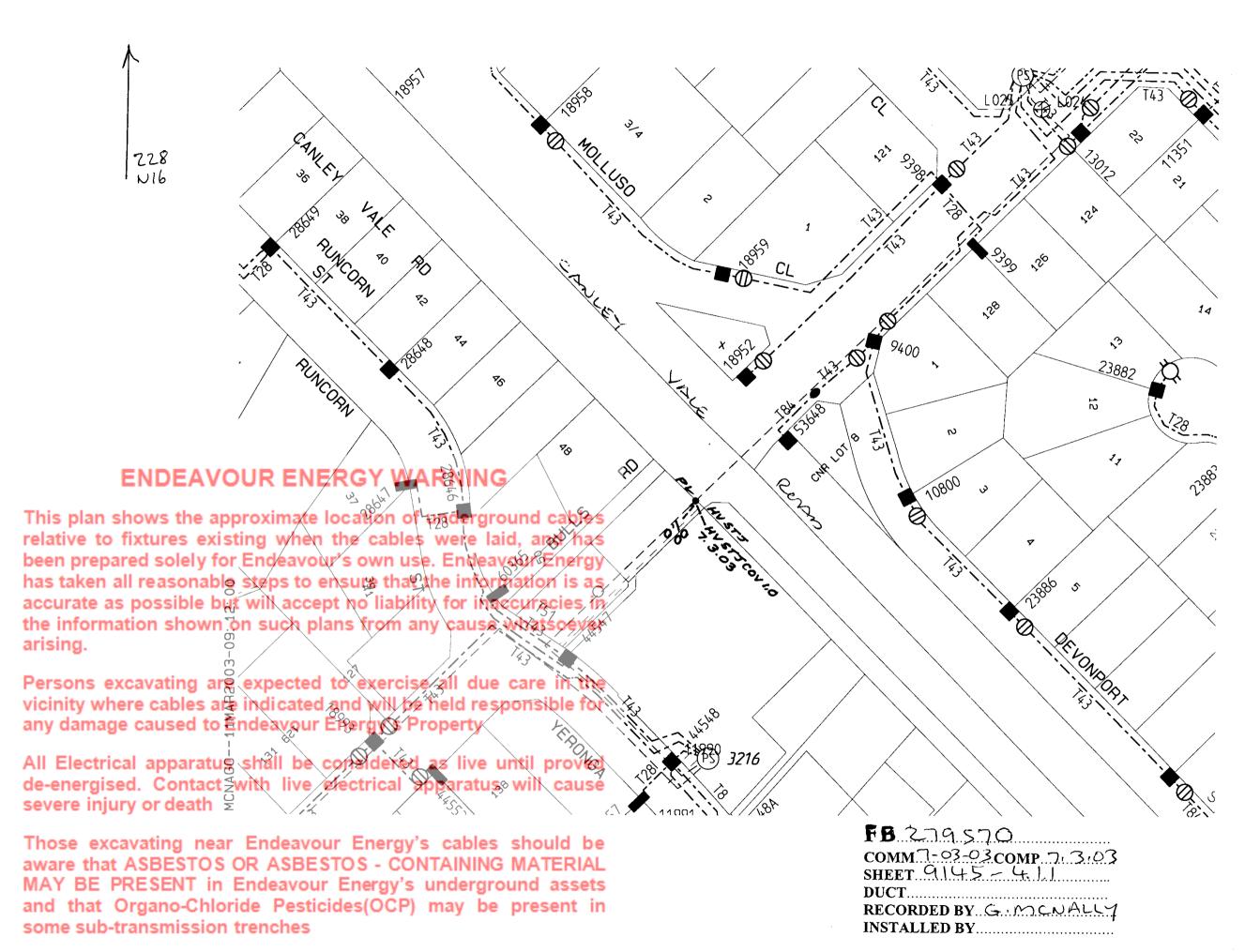
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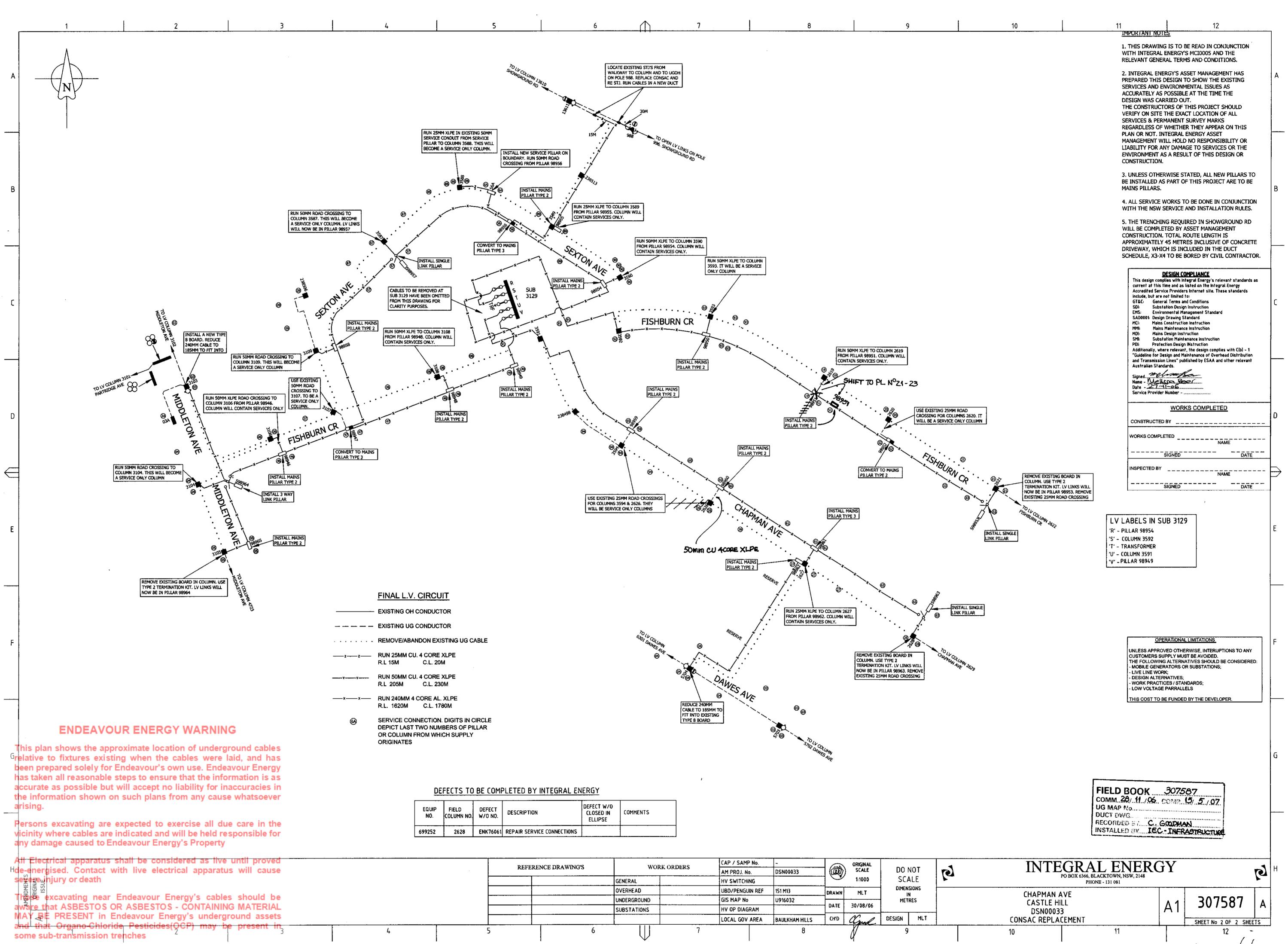
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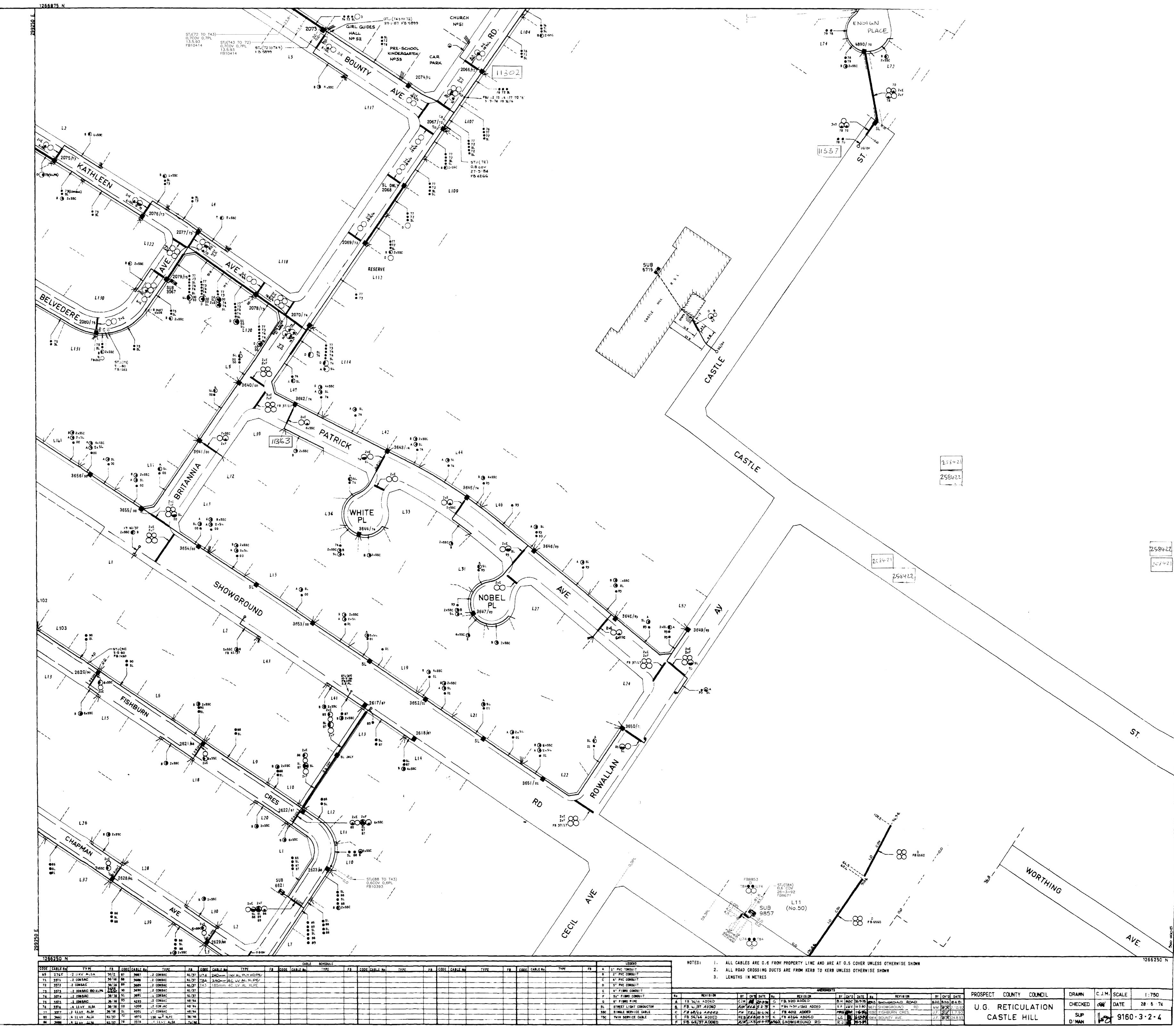
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DBYD Important Information & Disclaimer	Endeavour Energy disclaimer, responsibilities and information on understanding plans	Attached
DBYD Response Plans	Endeavour Energy DBYD plans	Attached
Work Cover NSW "Work near underground assets: Guide"	Guideline for anyone involved in construction work near underground assets	Contact Work Cover NSW for a copy
Work Cover NSW "Excavation work: Code of practice"	Practical guidance on managing health and safety risks associated with excavation	URL [Click Here]
Safe Work Australia "Working in the vicinity of overhead and underground electric lines guidance material"	Provides information on how to manage risks when working in the vicinity of overhead and underground electric lines at a workplace	URL [Click Here]
Endeavour Energy Safety Brochures & Guides	To raise awareness of dangers of working on or near Endeavour Energy's assets	URL [Click Here]



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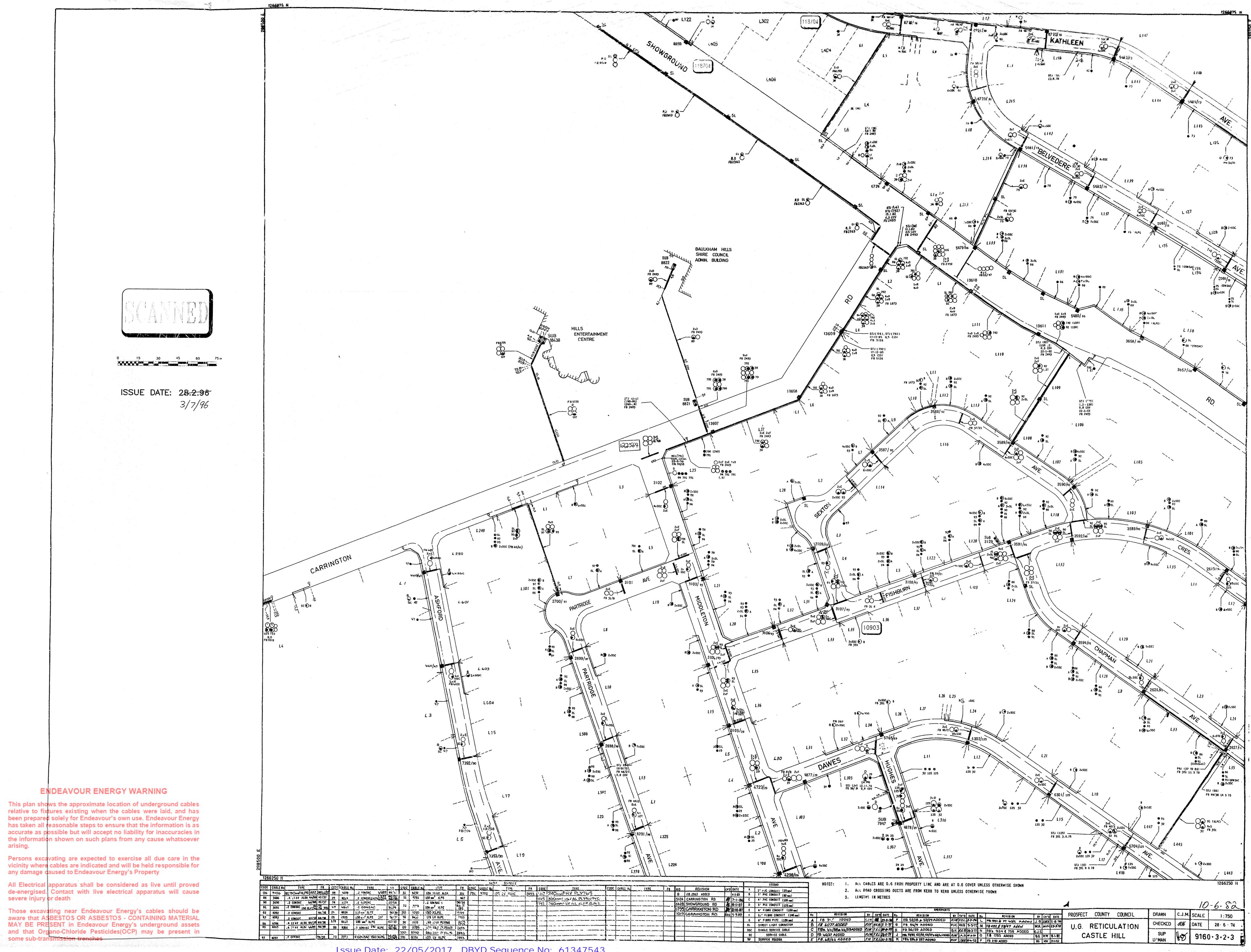
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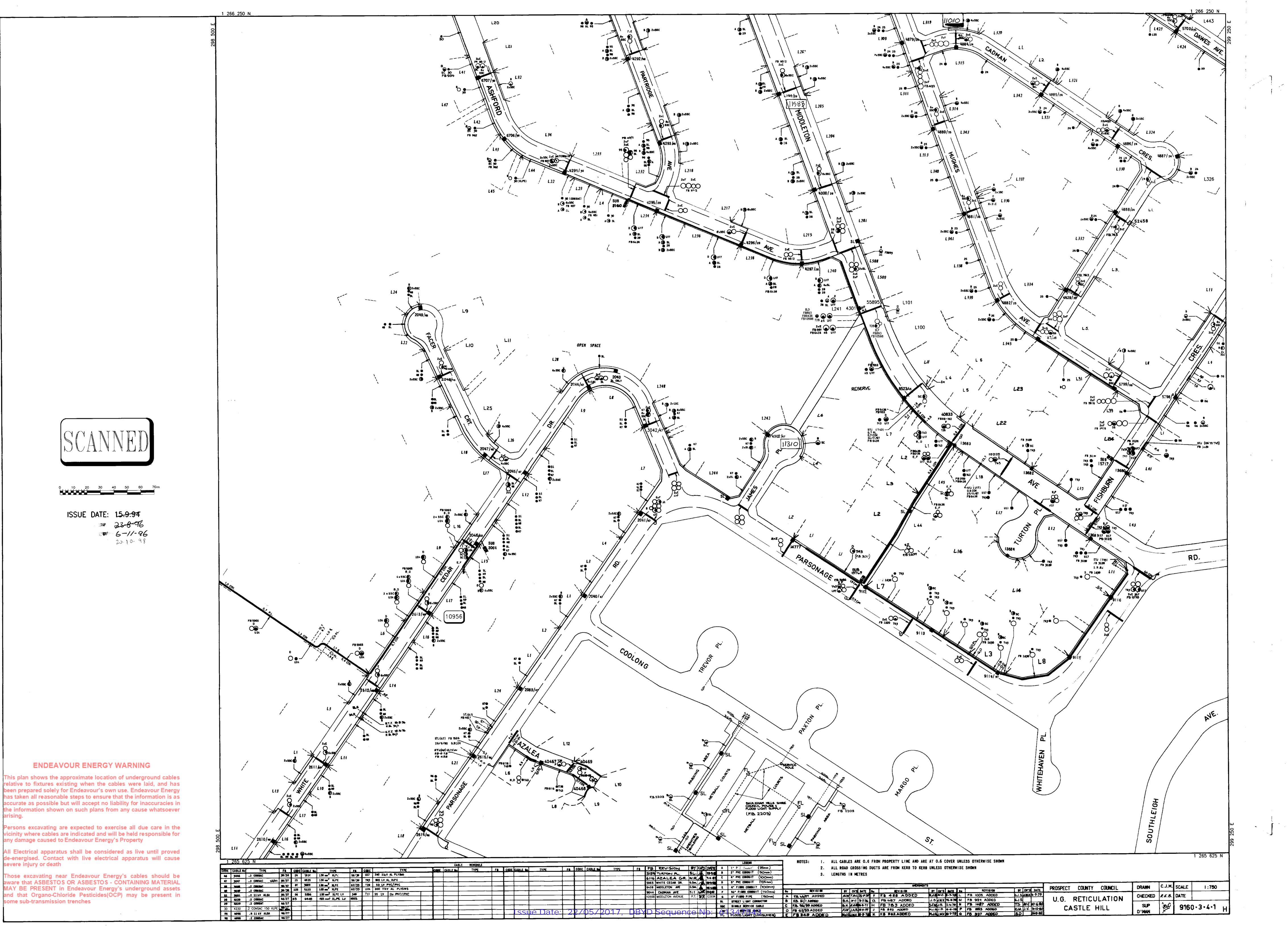
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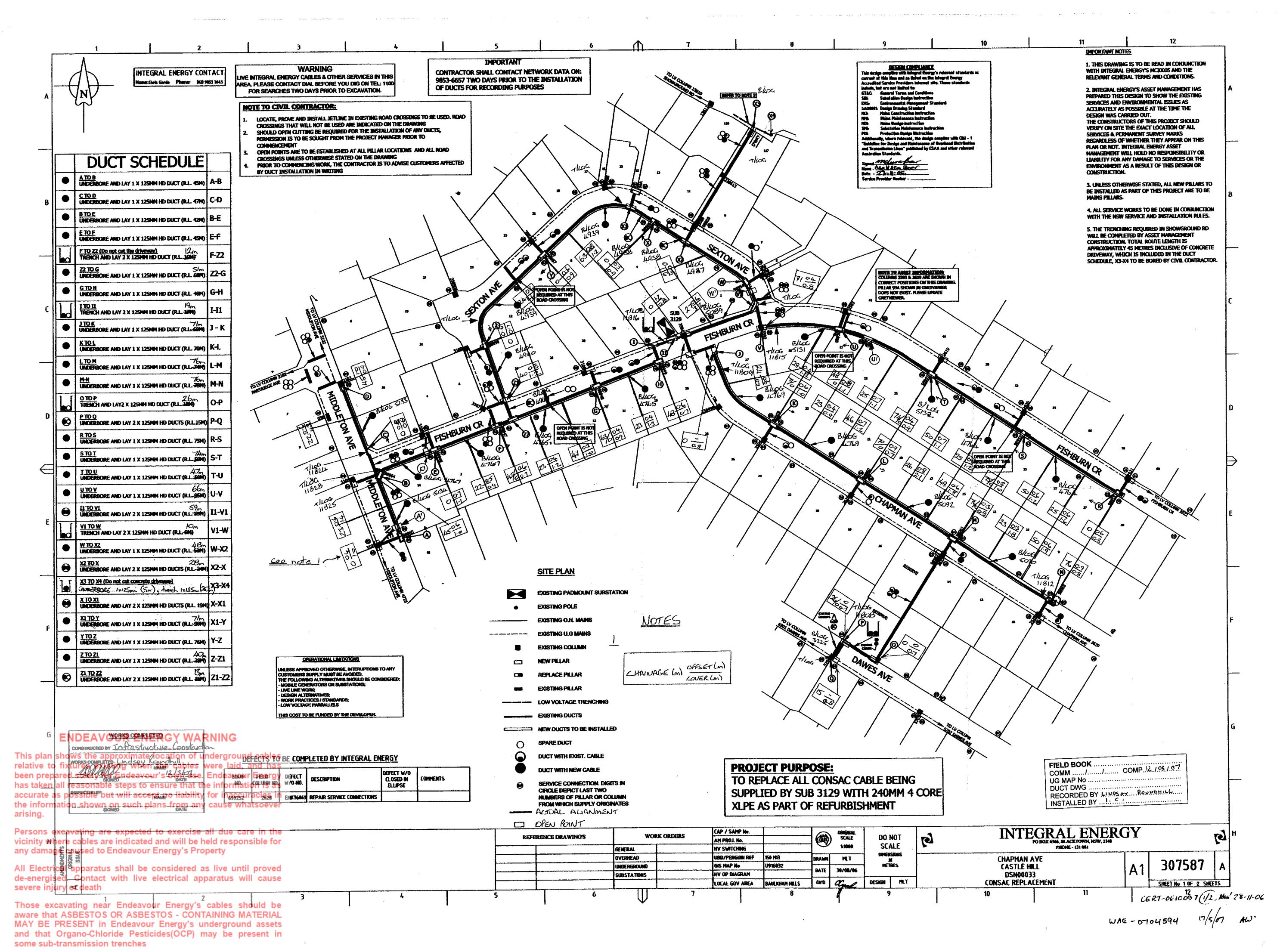
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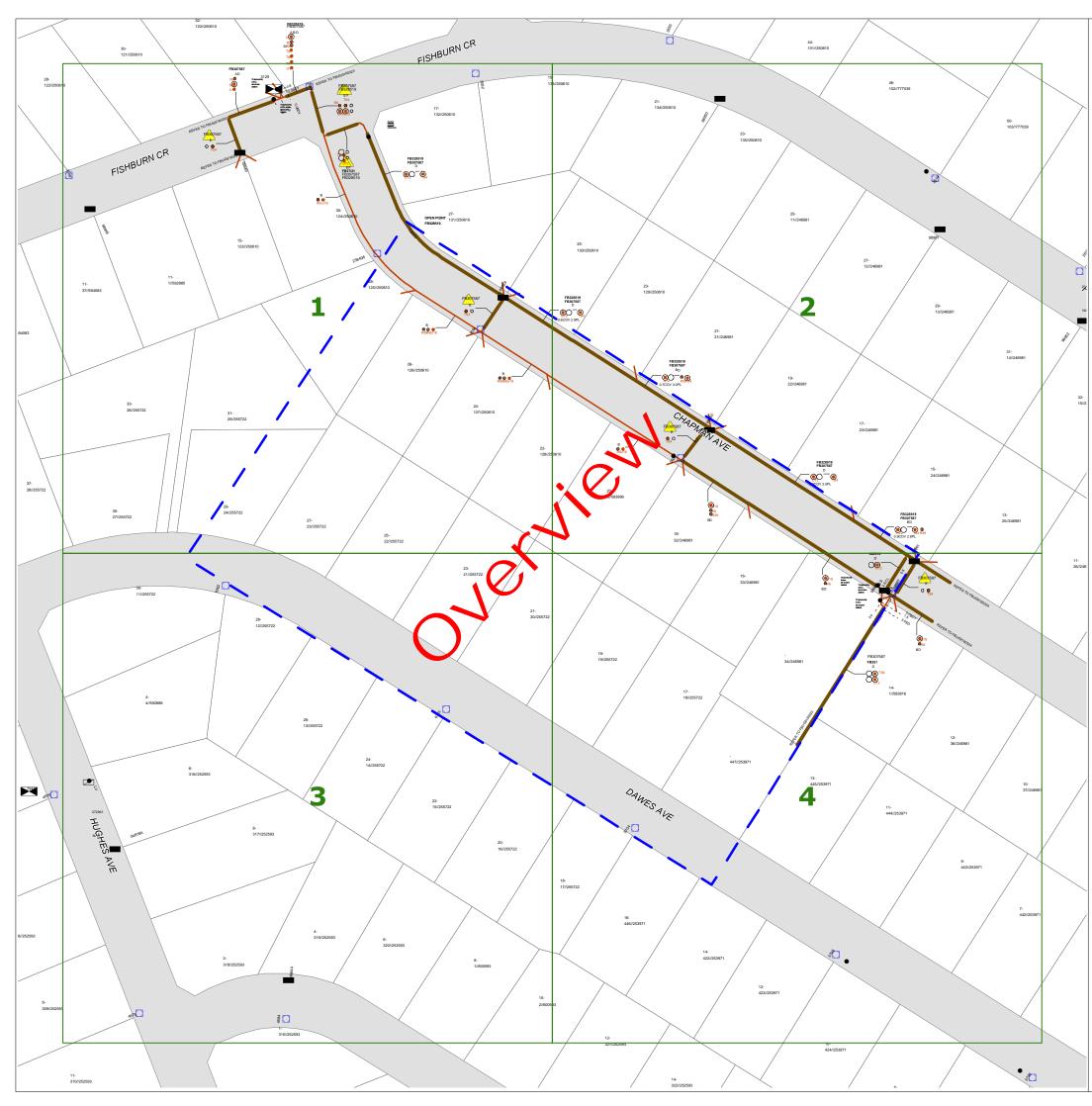
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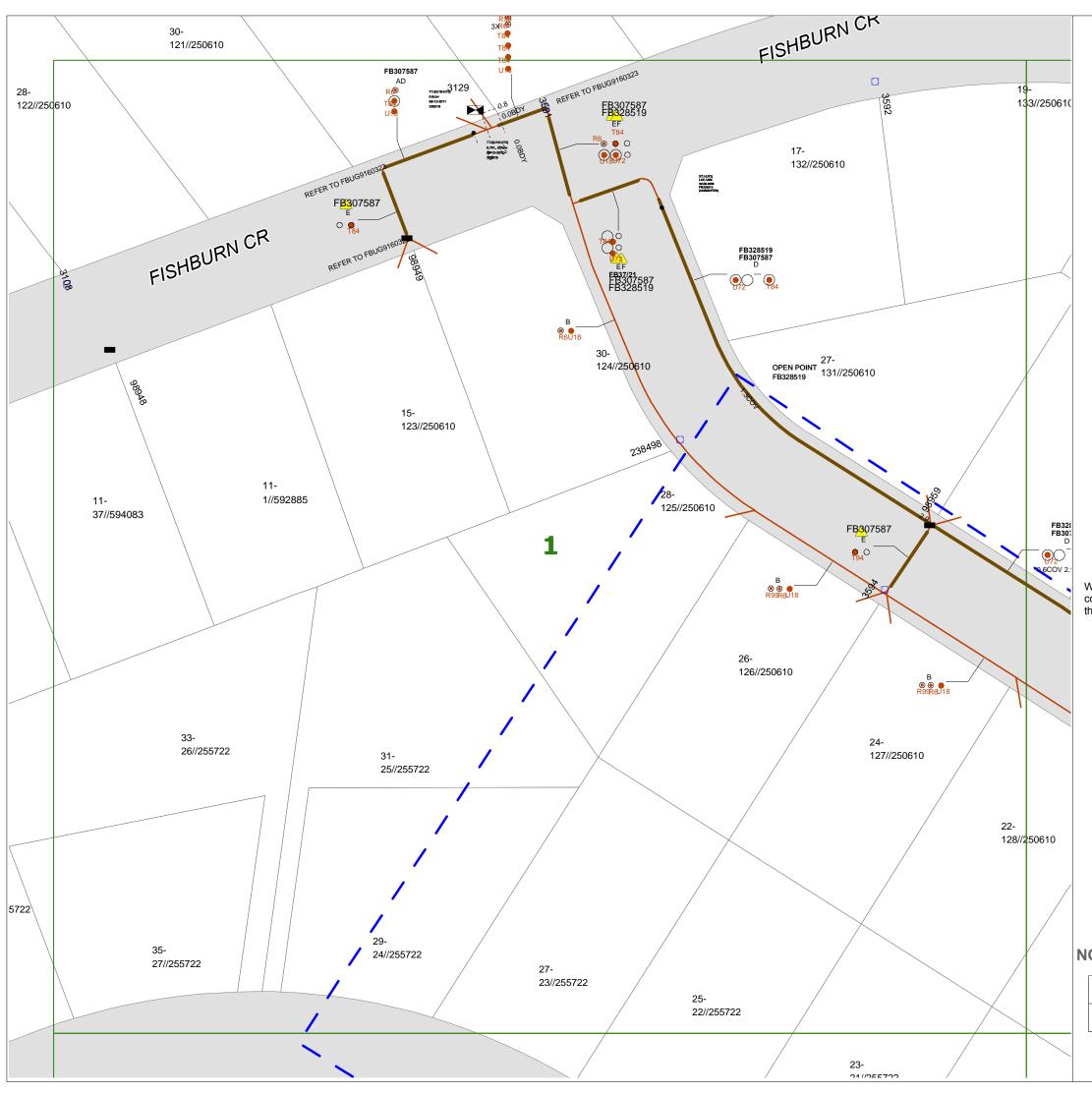
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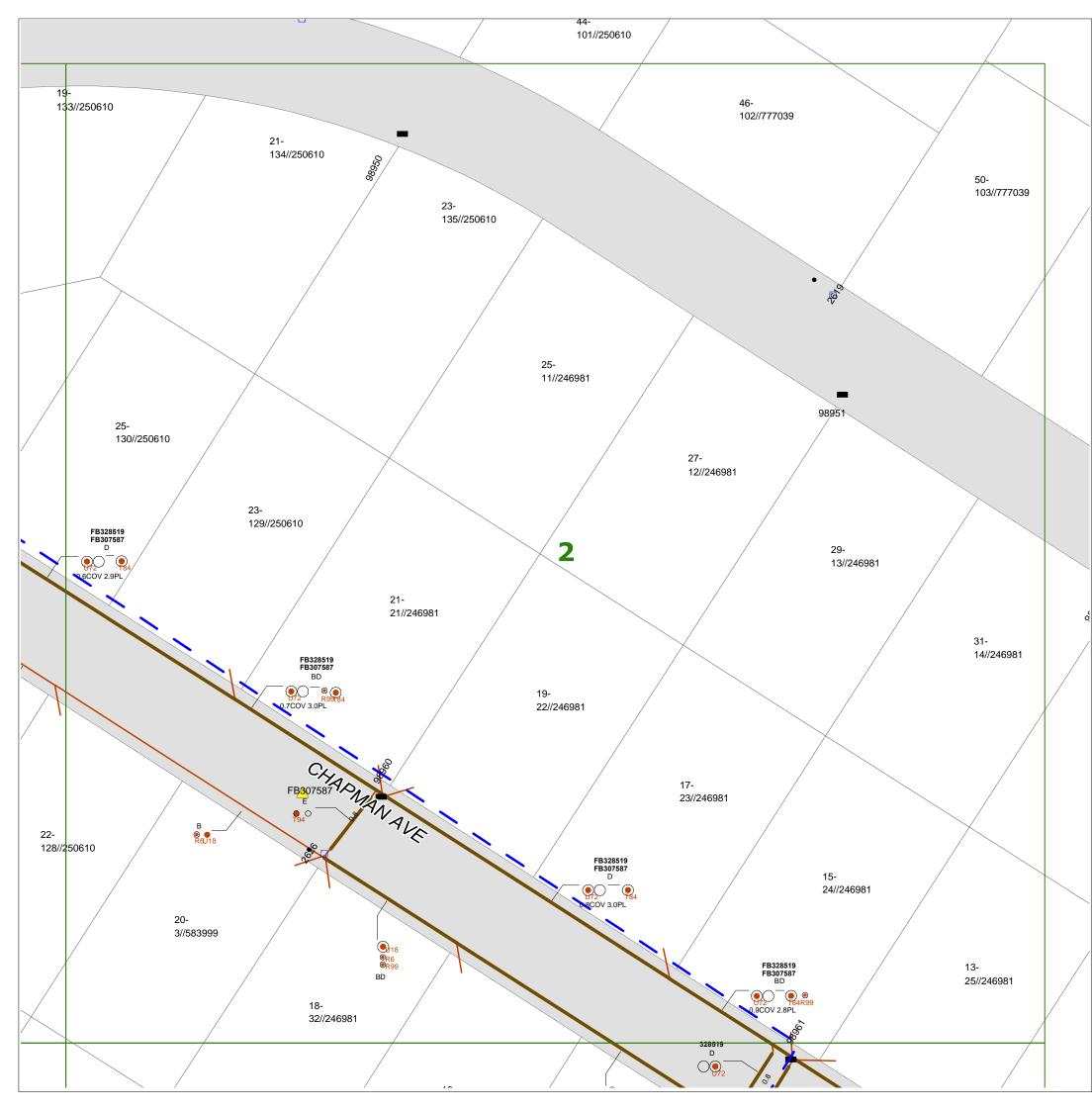
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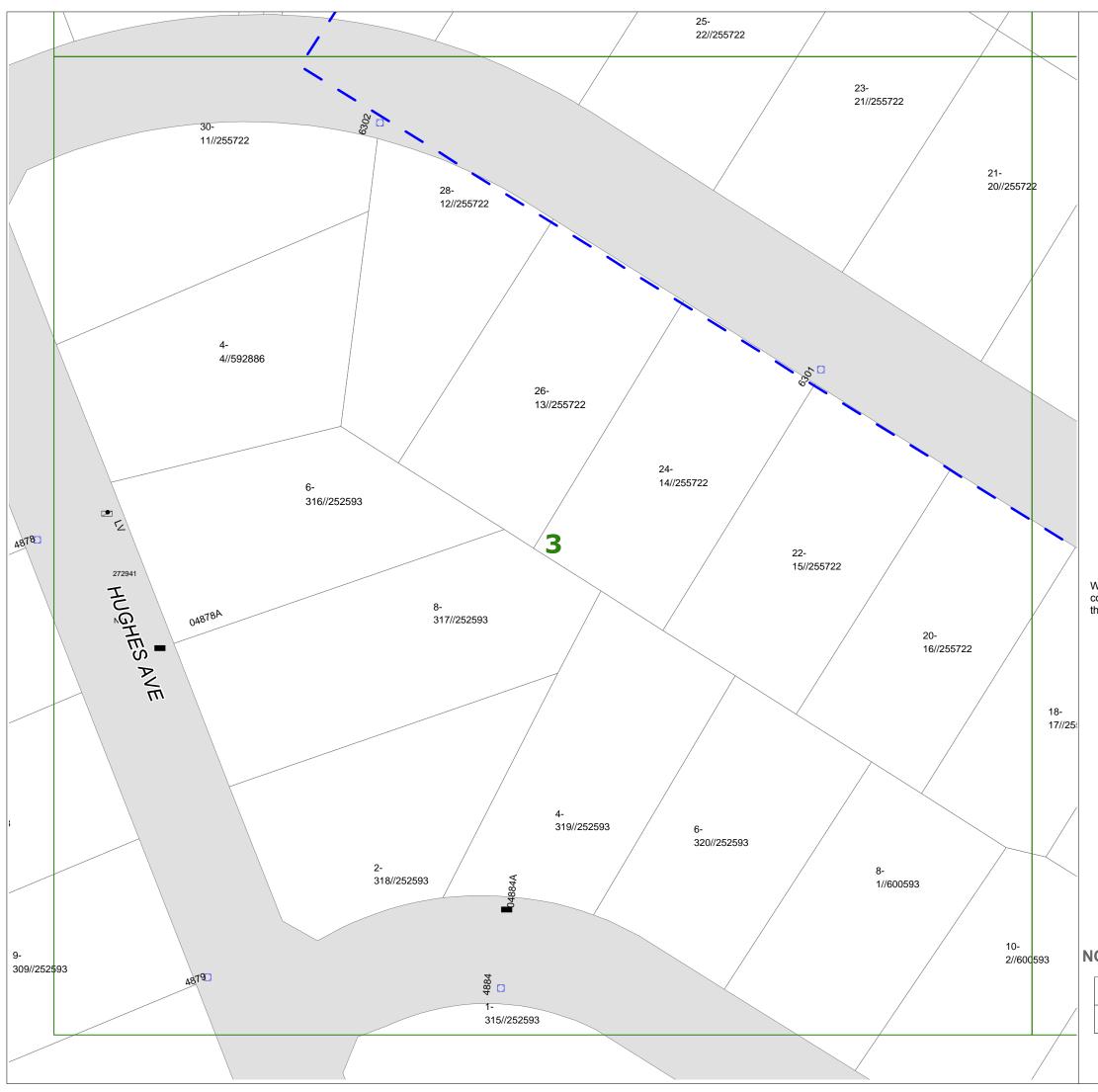
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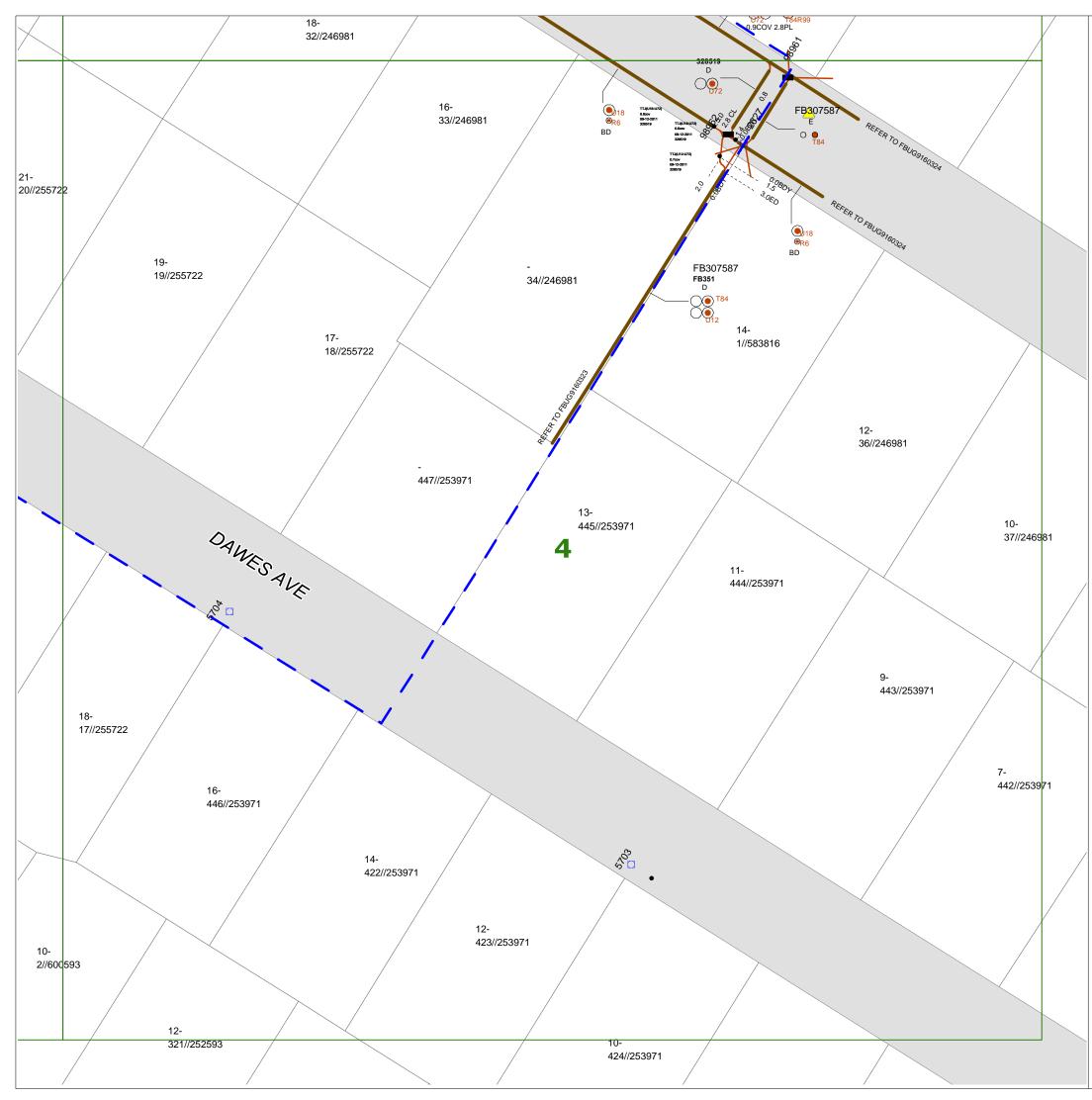
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DBYD Underground Search Report

Date: 22/05/2017

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ENDEAVOUR ENERGY ASSETS AFFECTED

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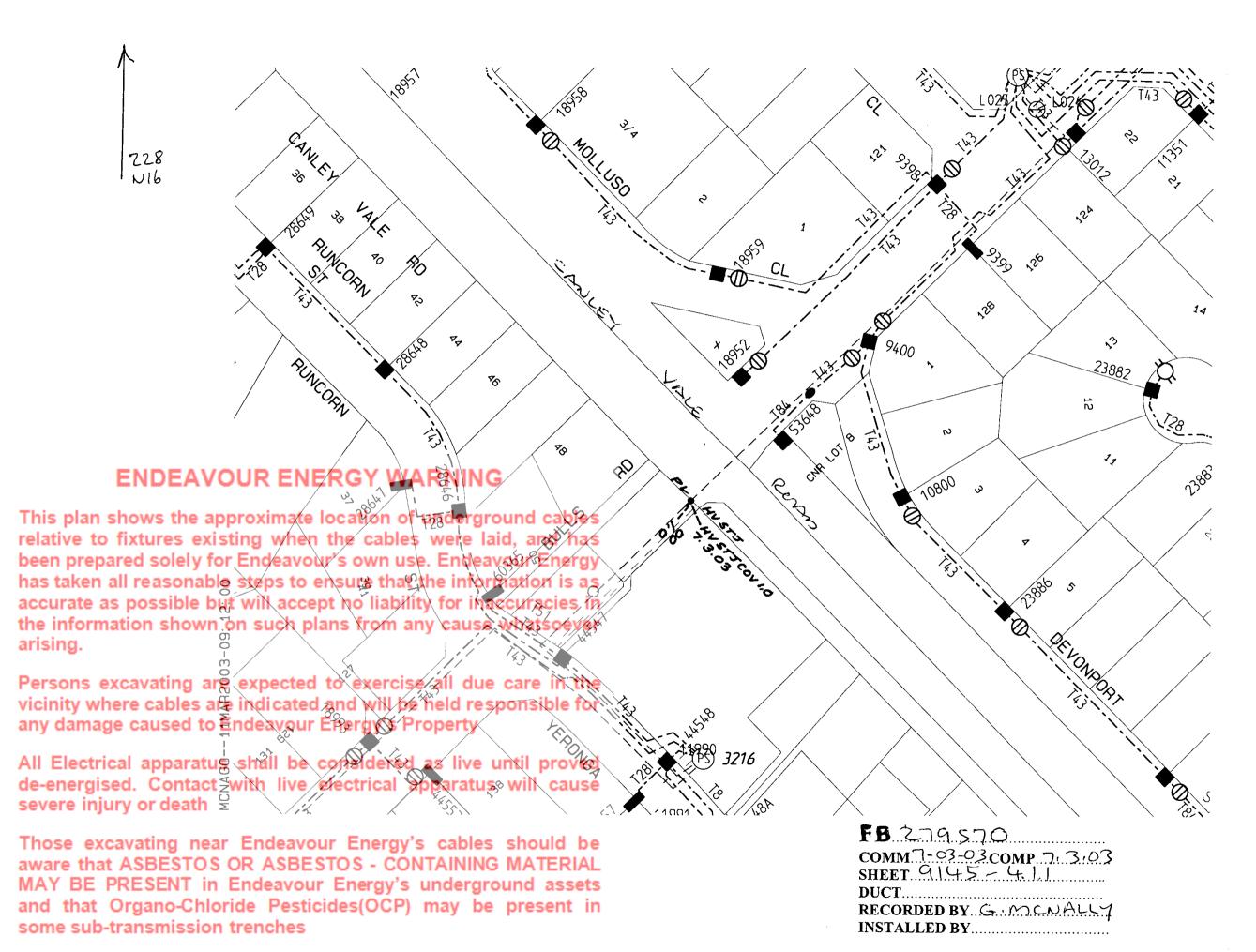
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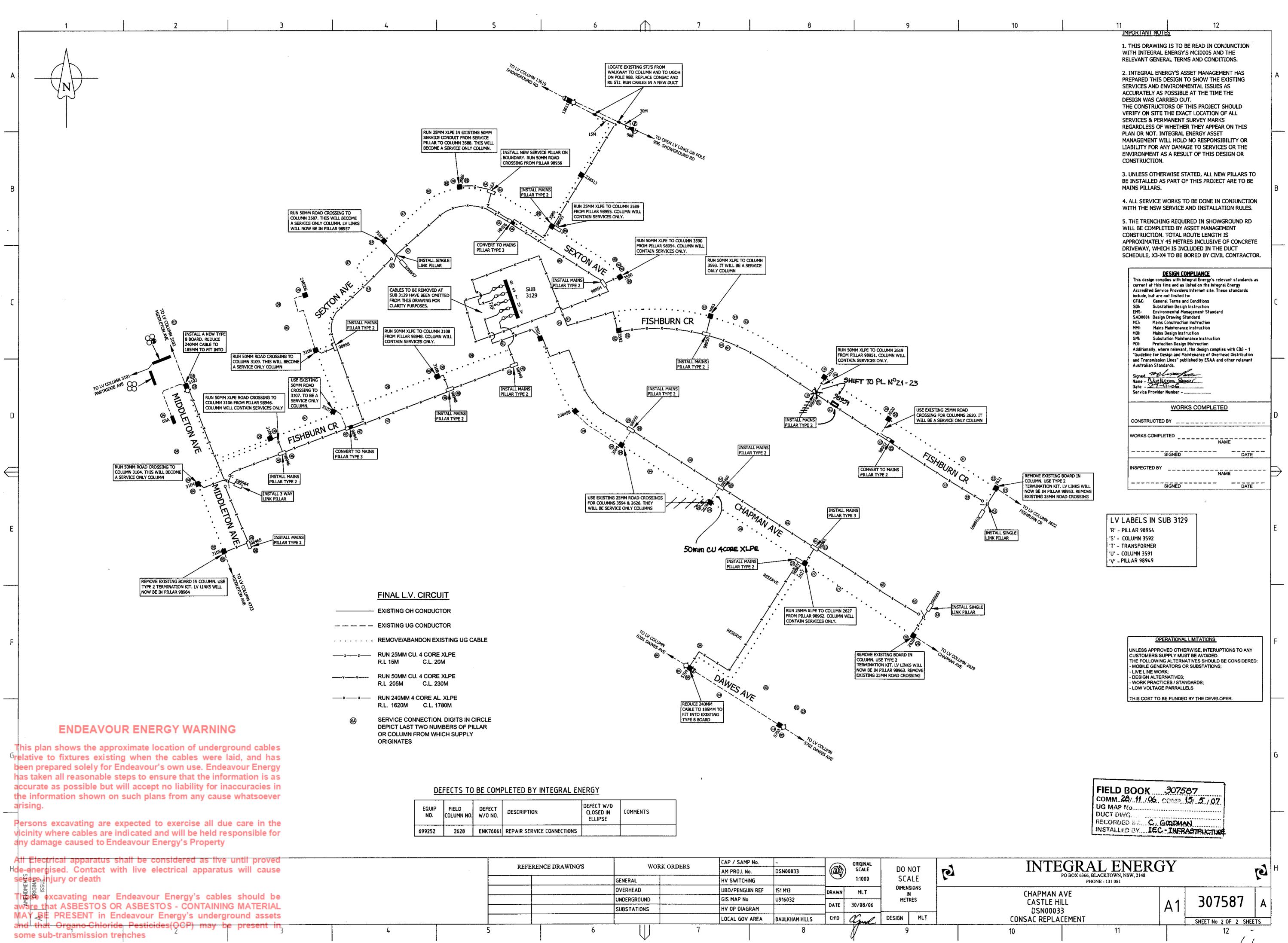
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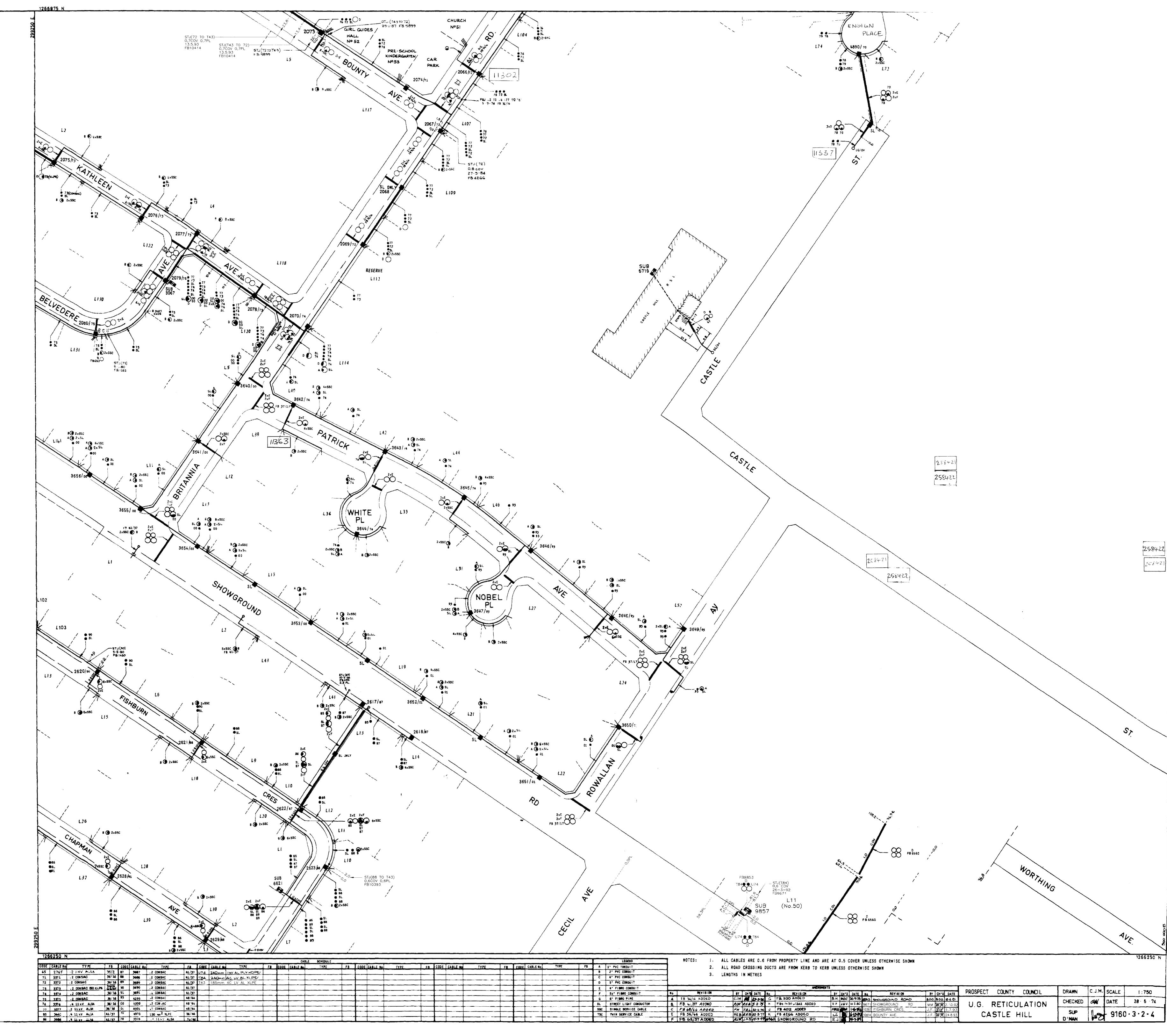
SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

Material	Purpose	Location
DBYD Cover Letter	Endeavour Energy DBYD response Cover Letter	Attached
DBYD Important Information & Disclaimer	Endeavour Energy disclaimer, responsibilities and information on understanding plans	Attached
DBYD Response Plans	Endeavour Energy DBYD plans	Attached
Work Cover NSW "Work near underground assets: Guide"	Guideline for anyone involved in construction work near underground assets	Contact Work Cover NSW for a copy
Work Cover NSW "Excavation work: Code of practice"	Practical guidance on managing health and safety risks associated with excavation	URL [Click Here]
Safe Work Australia "Working in the vicinity of overhead and underground electric lines guidance material"	Provides information on how to manage risks when working in the vicinity of overhead and underground electric lines at a workplace	URL [Click Here]
Endeavour Energy Safety Brochures & Guides	To raise awareness of dangers of working on or near Endeavour Energy's assets	URL [Click Here]



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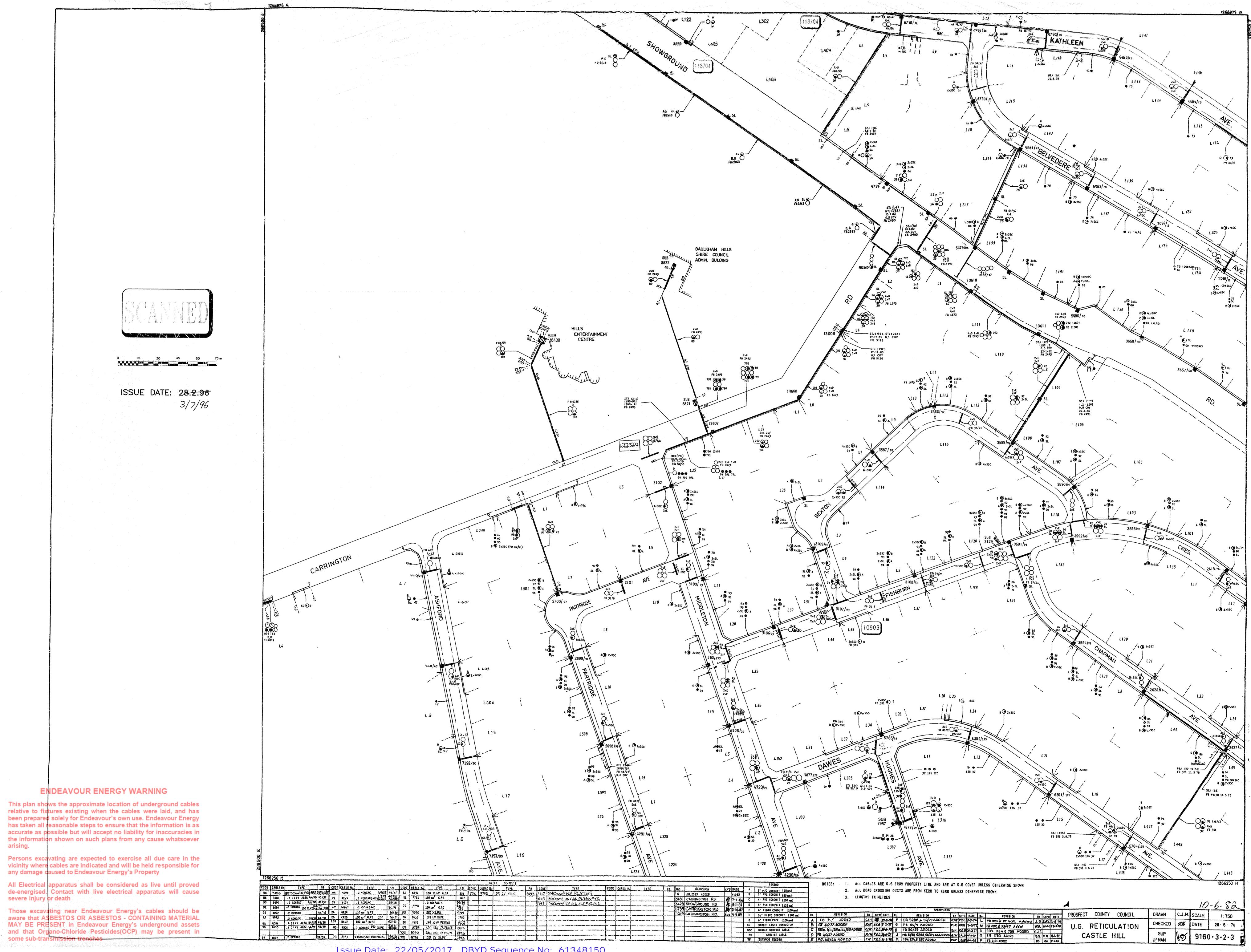
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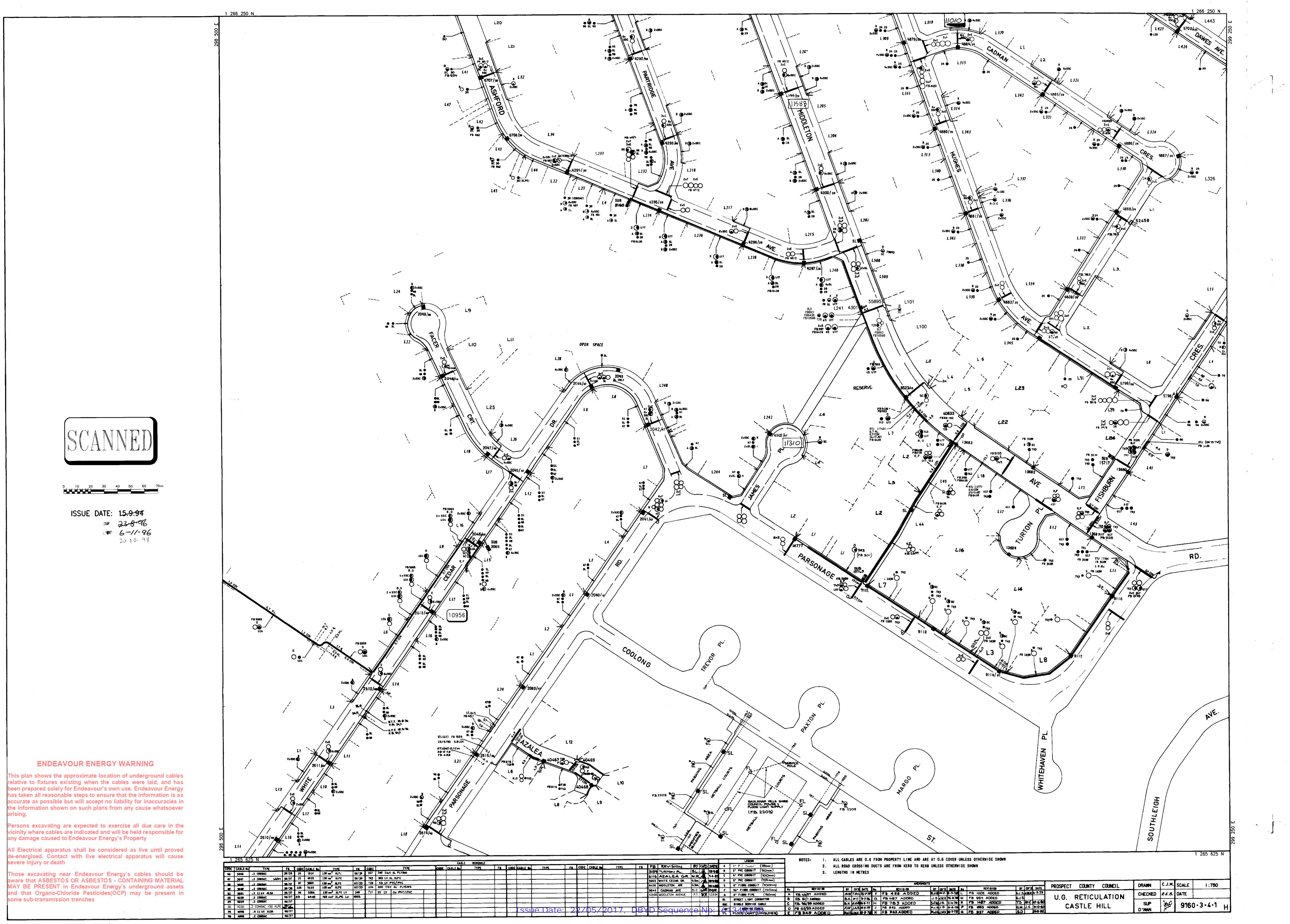
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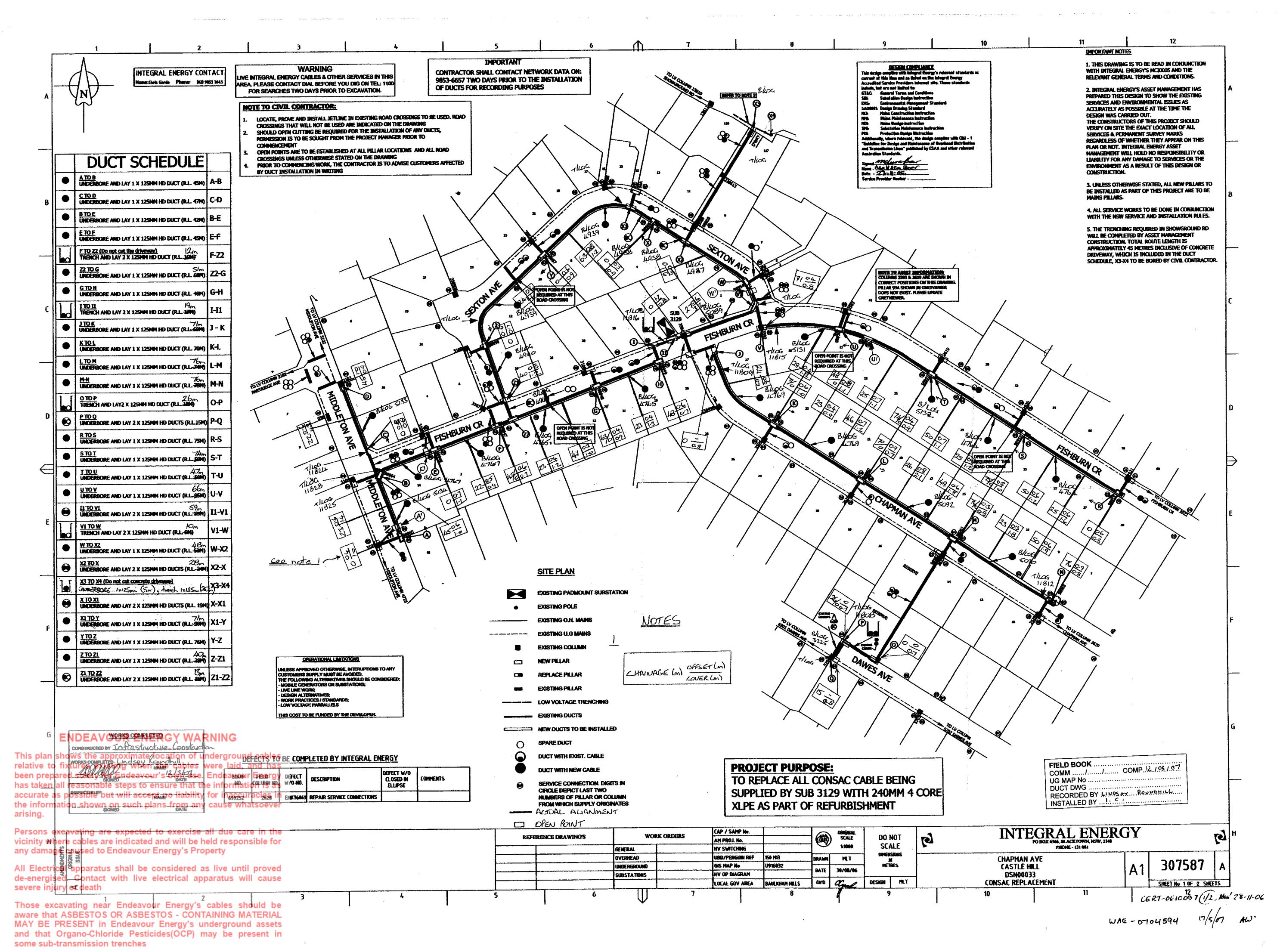
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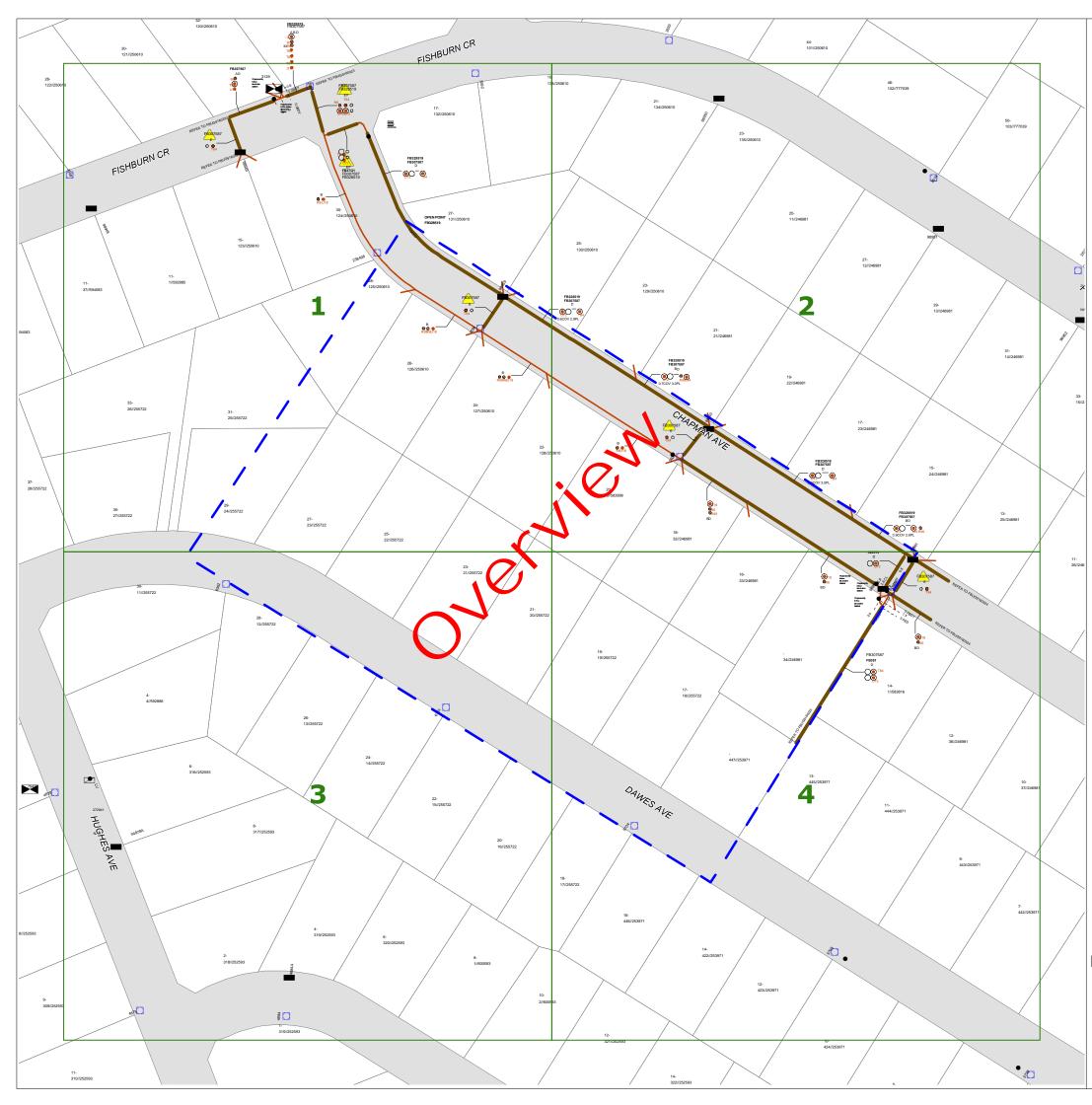
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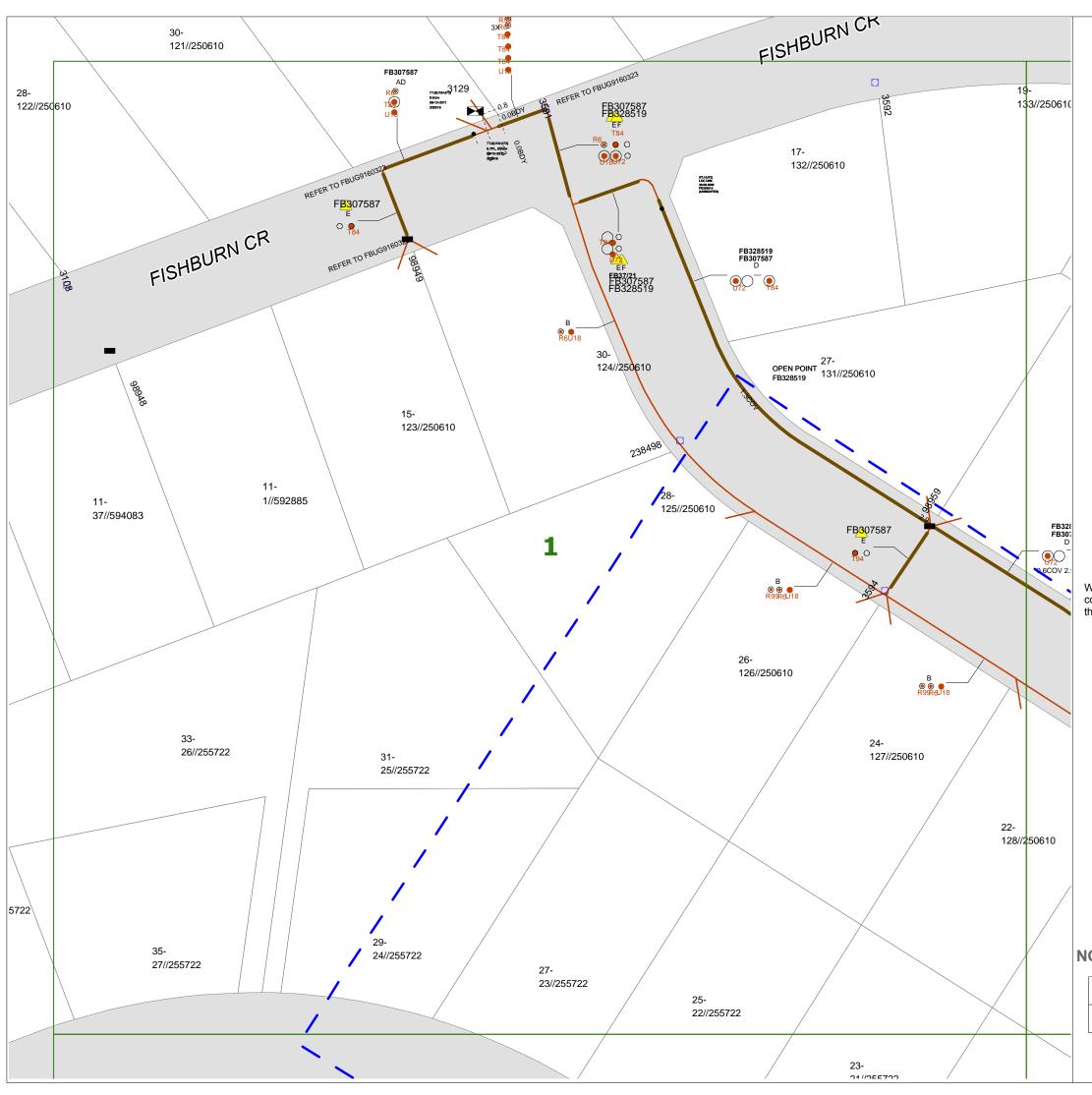
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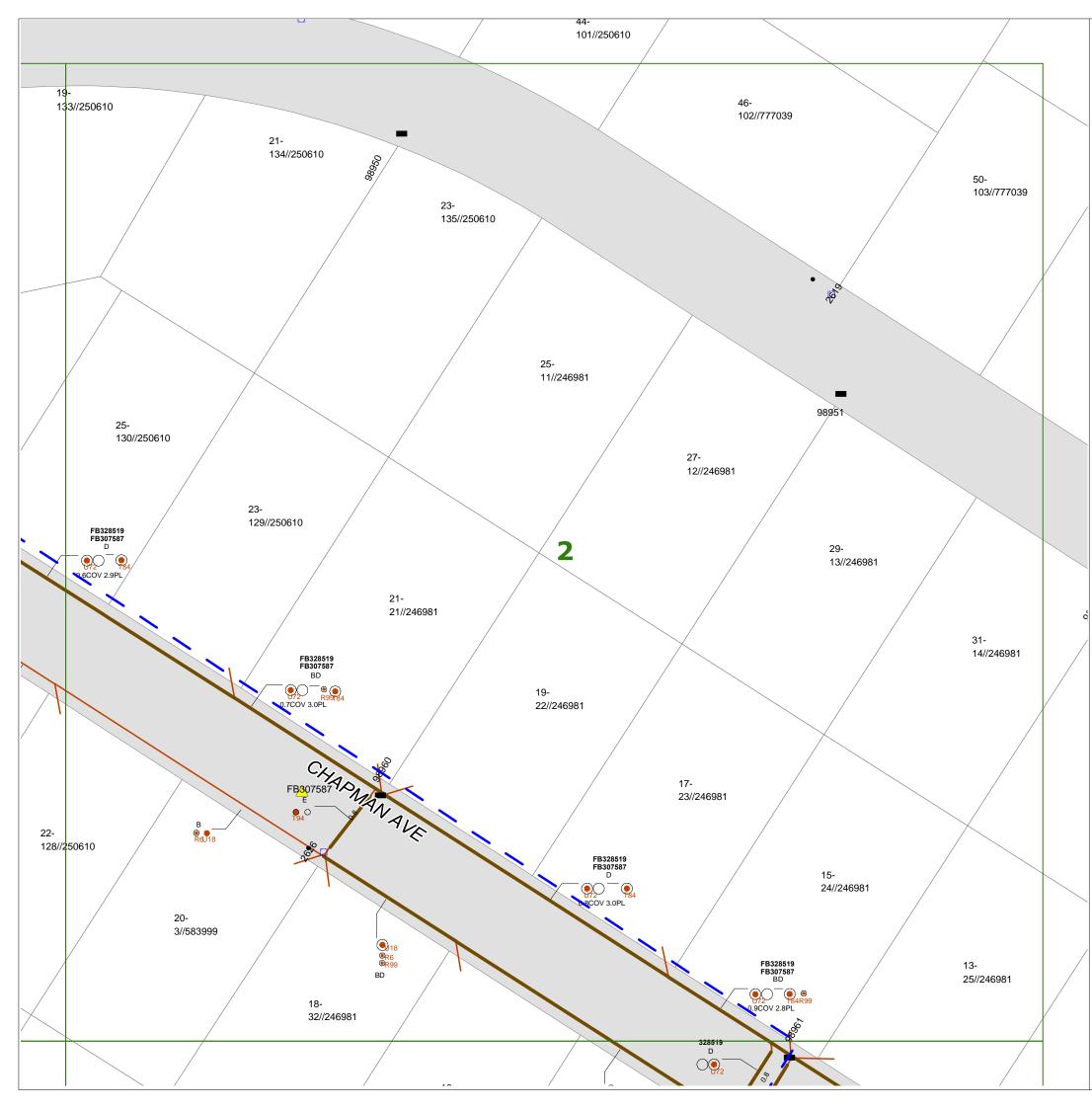
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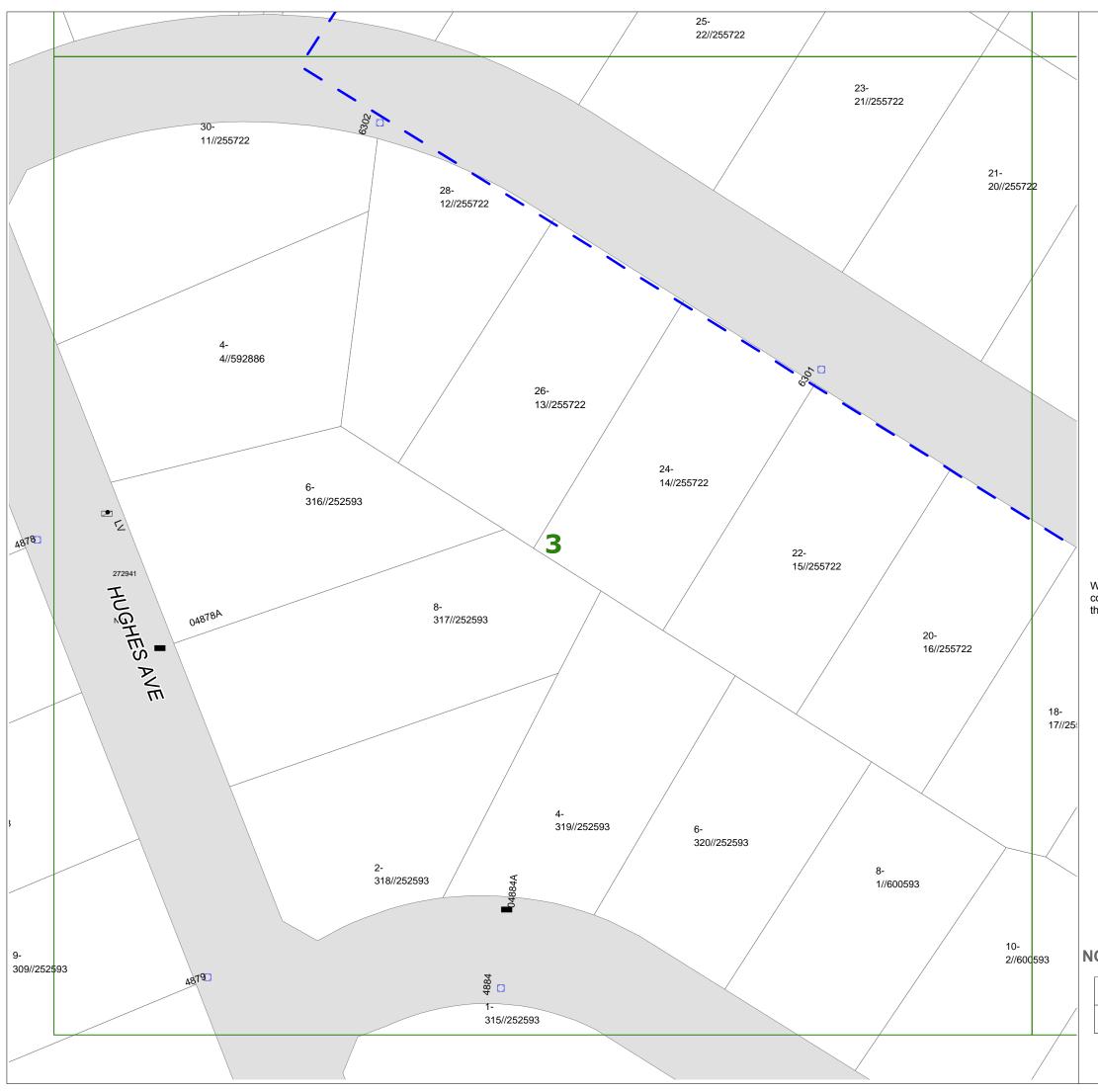
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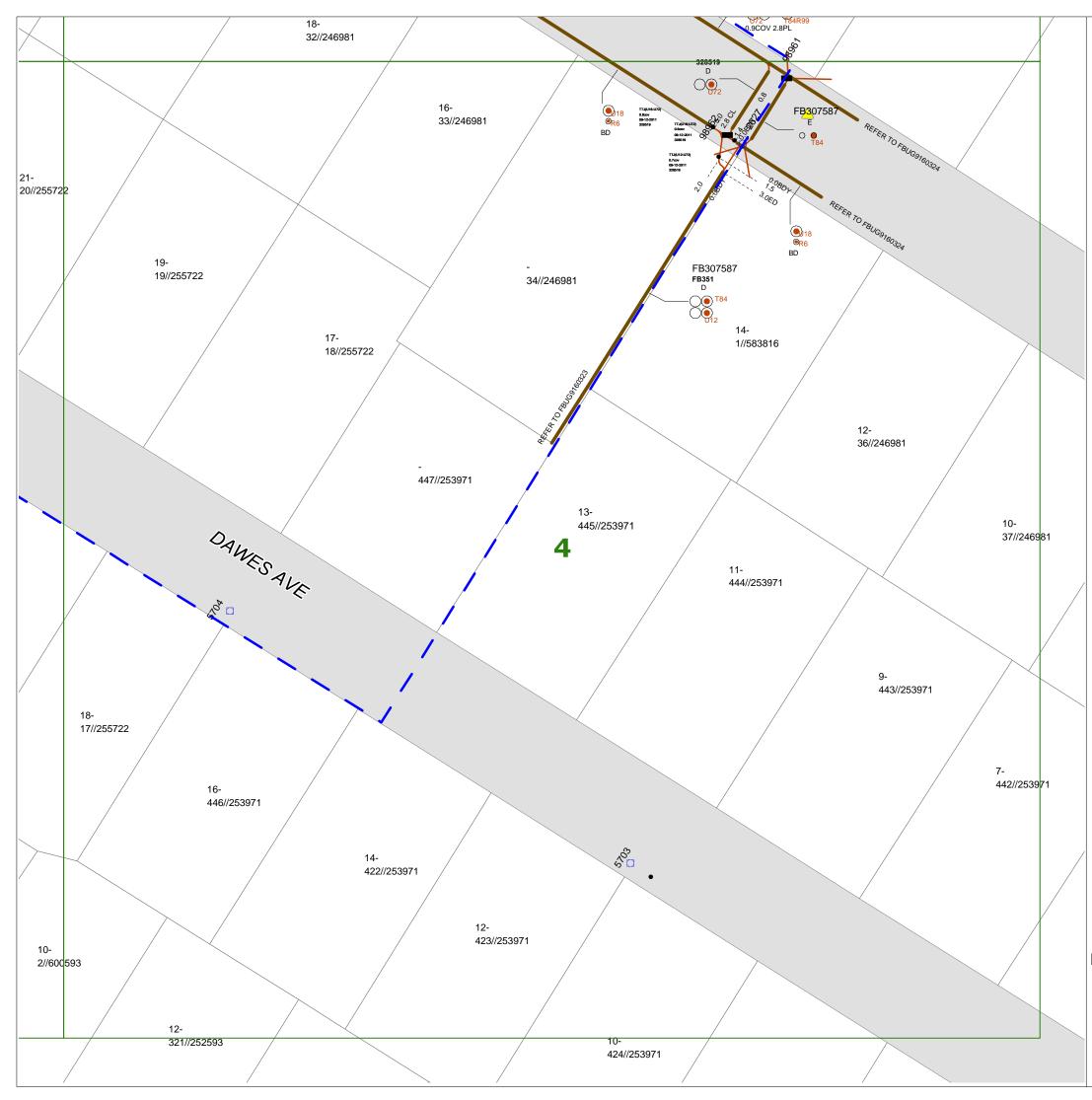
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 are indicated and will be held responsible for any damage to any underground assets (including any
 Endeavour Energy property) or any other loss caused (including consequential losses) as a result of
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- All underground assets should be visually located by soft digging (pot holing) or hand digging.
- A person who undertakes excavation work is subject to duties and responsibilities under the <u>Work Health and Safety Act 2011</u> and <u>Work Health and Safety Regulation 2011</u>. Please refer to the Work Cover NSW "Work near underground assets: Guide" and "Excavation work: Code of practice" which contain practical advice for working near underground utility services.
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- In all cases of electric shock or suspected electric shock the victim shall immediately be transported to hospital or medical centre for treatment.
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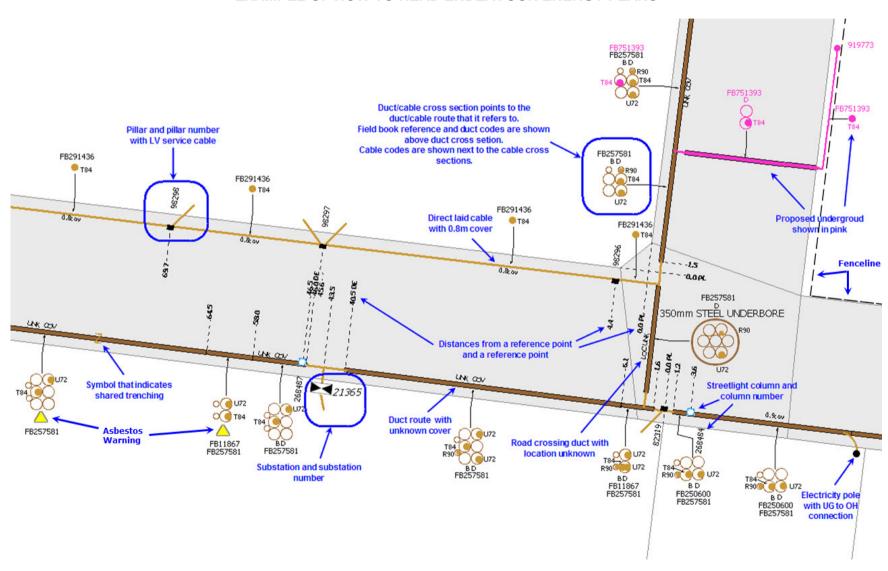
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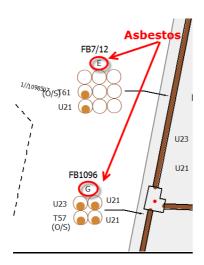
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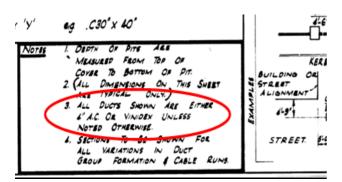
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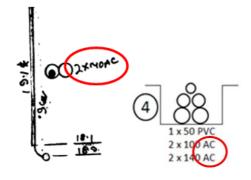
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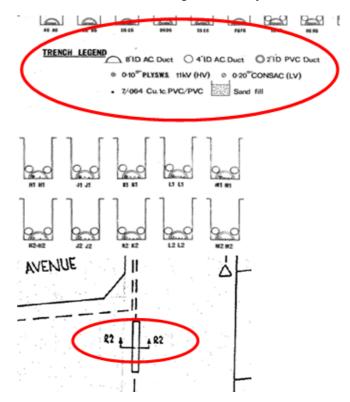
If underground details have not been captured and drawings are used, the method for identifying asbestos ducts and standards are different for the different utilities that amalgamated with Endeavour Energy. Using Reticulation Drawings, there are numerous ways to determine if a duct route has asbestos ducts, refer to following examples:

3. AC (Asbestos Cement) acronym

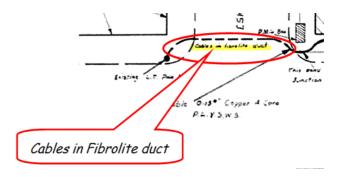




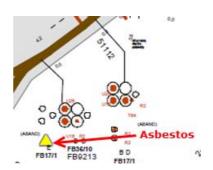
The duct codes G,H,J,K,L,M
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Mountains drawings to identify Asbestos



4. Fibrolite (asbestos) ducts



5. Yellow triangle identifies Fibro Conduits



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STANDARD UNDERGROUND SYMBOLS / LABELS

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Typical duct section

Typical underbore section

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STJ, PBJ, TTJ

STJ Straight through joint

PBJ Parallel branch joint

TTJ Transition through joint

Underground to overhead pole

SL Streetlight conductor

SC Service cable

SE Cable sealed end

SF Service Feeder

OS Out of Service

O.A.M. Over awning main

U.A.M. Under awning main

N.I.S. Not in service

---- Fence/dimensioning

Shared trenching

Service point of attachment

DUCT CODE LABLES

B = 50 mm PVC

D = 125mm PVC

E = 100mm Fibro Conduit (Asbestos)

F = 140mm Fibro Conduit (Asbestos)

G = 150mm Fibro Conduit (Asbestos)

DEPTH & LOCATION LABELS

0.5-0.7 COV = 0.5m - 0.7m

0.9 COV = 0.9m Depth

UNK COV = Depth Unknown

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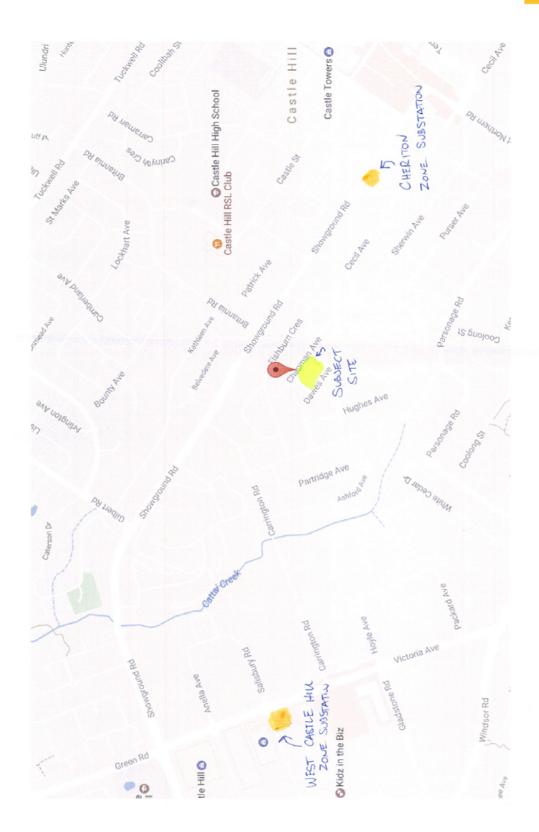
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Appendix F

Substation Locations Castle Hill





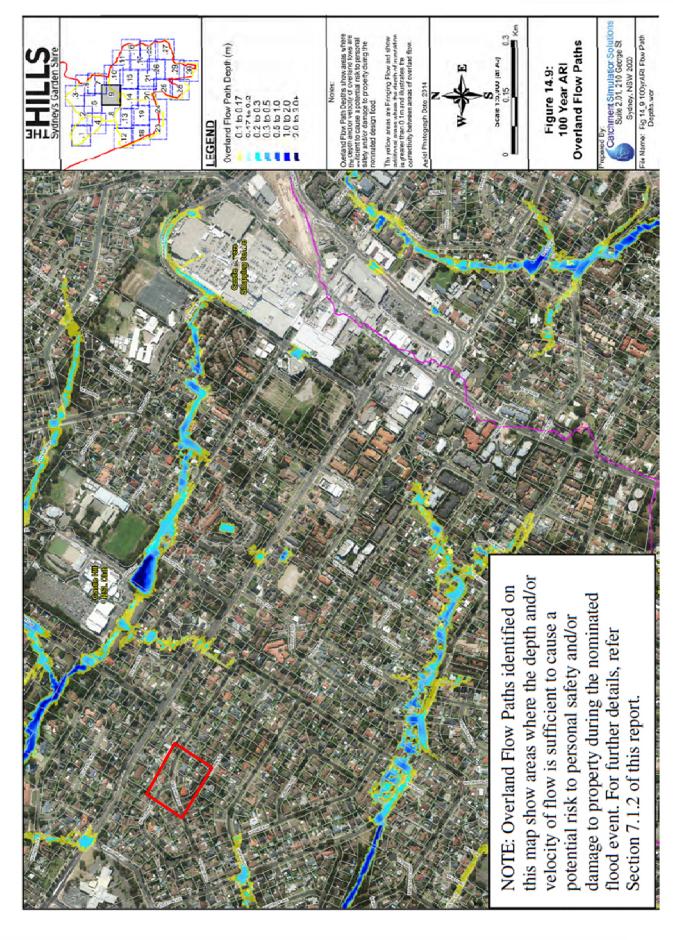


Appendix G

1:100 year ARI Overland Flow Path Map

Civil Engineers & Project Managers

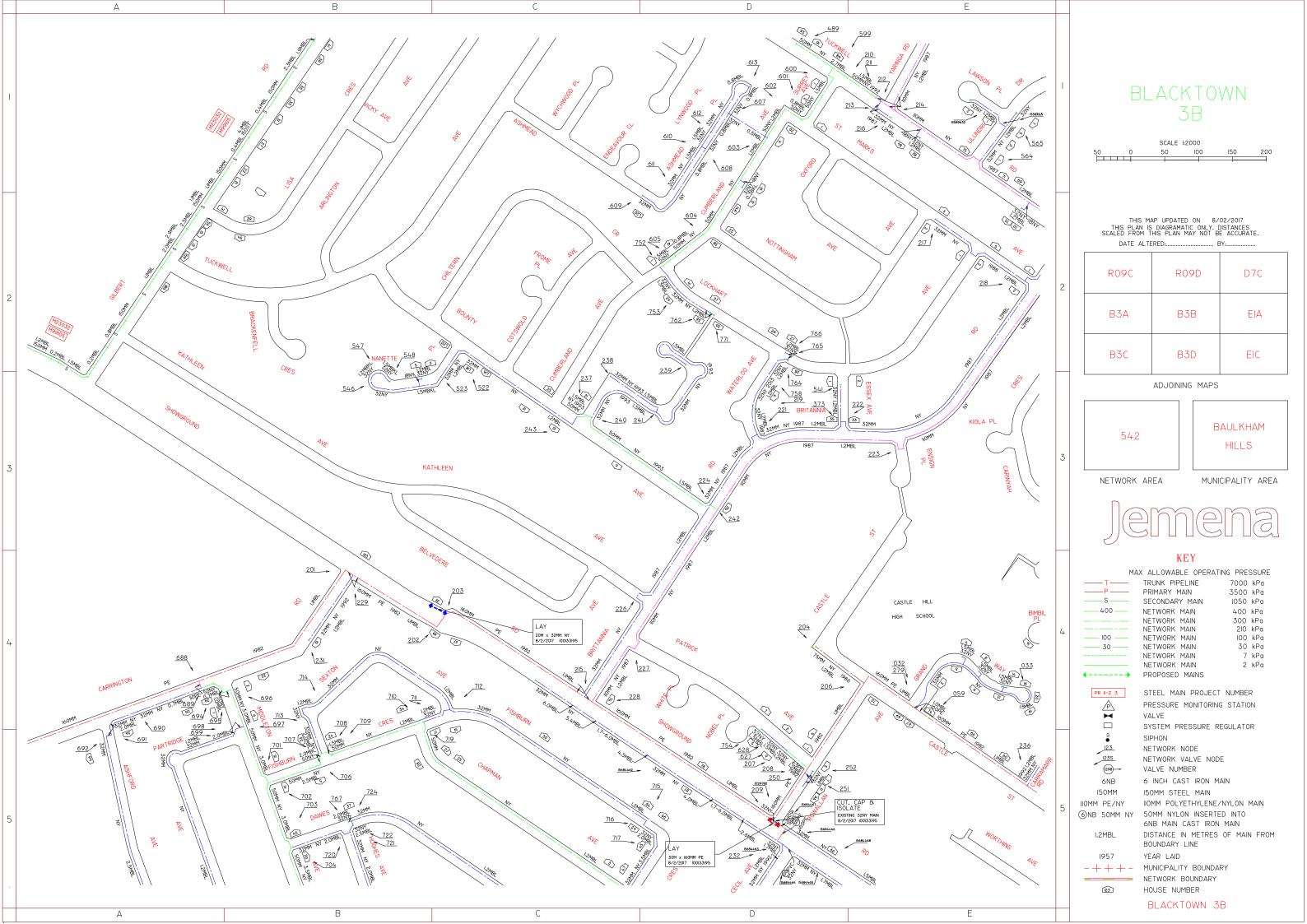
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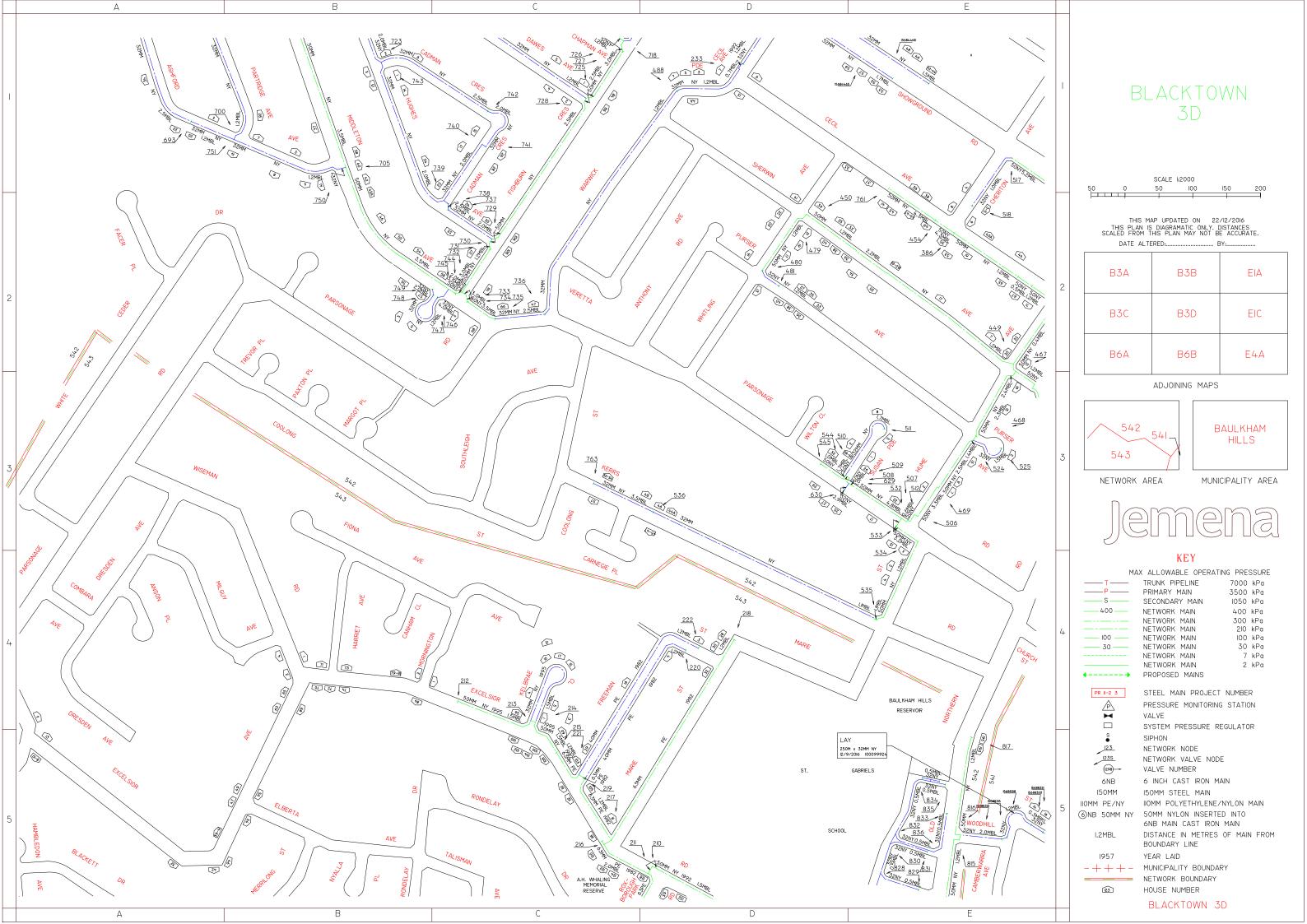




Appendix H

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Network Protection

Assets Affected

In reply to your enquiry, there are gas mains at the location of your intended work as per the attached map. For an explanation of the map, please see the key below. The following excavation guidelines apply.

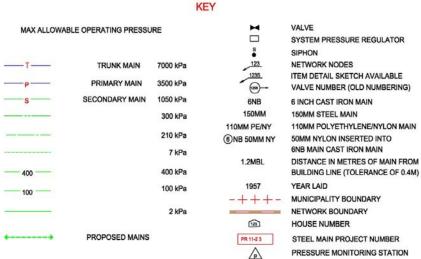
Excavation Guidelines:

It is essential the location of gas pipe/s are confirmed by carefully pot-holing by hand excavation prior to proceeding with mechanical excavation in the vicinity of gas pipes. If you cannot locate the gas main, contact the local depot.

In accordance with clause 34(5) of the Gas Supply (Safety and Network Management) Regulation 2013 (NSW), you should be informed that all excavation, (including pot-holing by hand to confirm the location of pipes) should be performed in accordance with "Work Near Underground Assets Guideline" published in 2007 by the Work Cover Authority.

A copy of this Guideline is available at: www.workcover.nsw.gov.au

DBYD Administration 1300 880 906



Warning: The enclosed plans show the position of Jemena Gas Networks (NSW) Ltd's underground gas mains and installations in public gazetted roads only. Individual customers' services and services belonging to other third parties are not included on these plans. These plans have been prepared solely for the use of Jemena Gas Networks (NSW) Ltd and Jemena Asset Management Pty Ltd (together "Jemena") and any reliance placed on these plans by you is entirely at your own risk. The plans may show the position of underground mains and installations relative to fences, buildings etc., as they existed at the time the mains etc were installed. The plans may not have been updated to take account of any subsequent change in the location or style of those features since the time at which the plans were initially prepared. Jemena makes no warranty as to the accuracy or completeness of the enclosed plans and does not assume any duty of care to you nor any responsibility for the accuracy, adequacy, suitability or completeness of the plans or for any error, omission, lack of detail, transmission failure or corruption in the information provided. Jemena does not accept any responsibility for any loss that you or anyone else may suffer in connection with the provision of these plans, however that loss may arise (including whether or not arising from the negligence of Jemena, its employees, agents, officers or contractors). The recipient of these plans must use their own care and diligence in carrying out their works and must carry out further surveys to locate services at their work site. Persons excavating or carrying out other earthworks will be held responsible for any damage caused to Jemena's underground mains and equipment. In accordance with the Work Near Underground Assets Guideline published in 2007 by Work Cover Authority, Jemena recommends that you carry out potholing by hand to accurately confirm the location of gas mains and installation prior to commencing excavations.

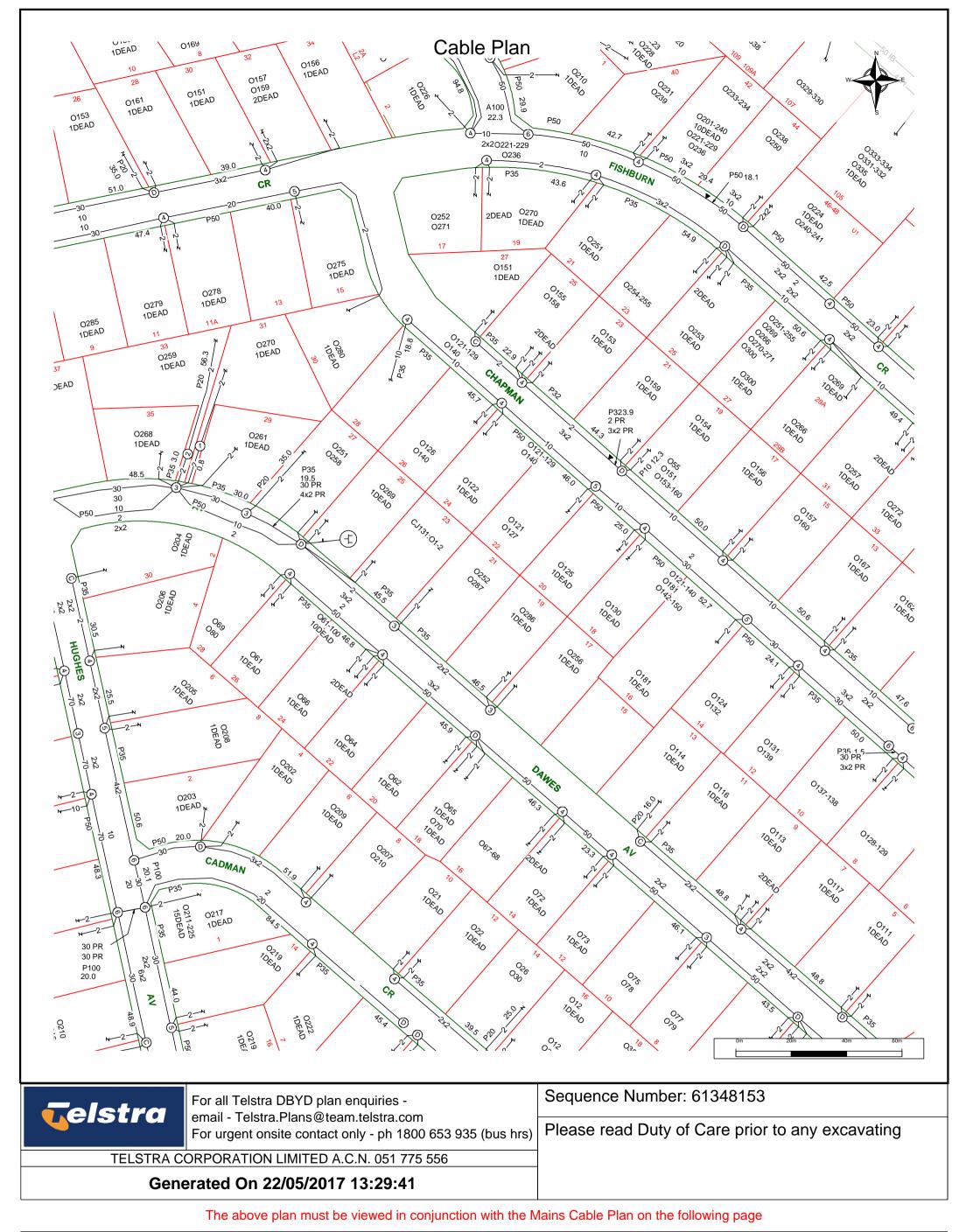
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Appendix I

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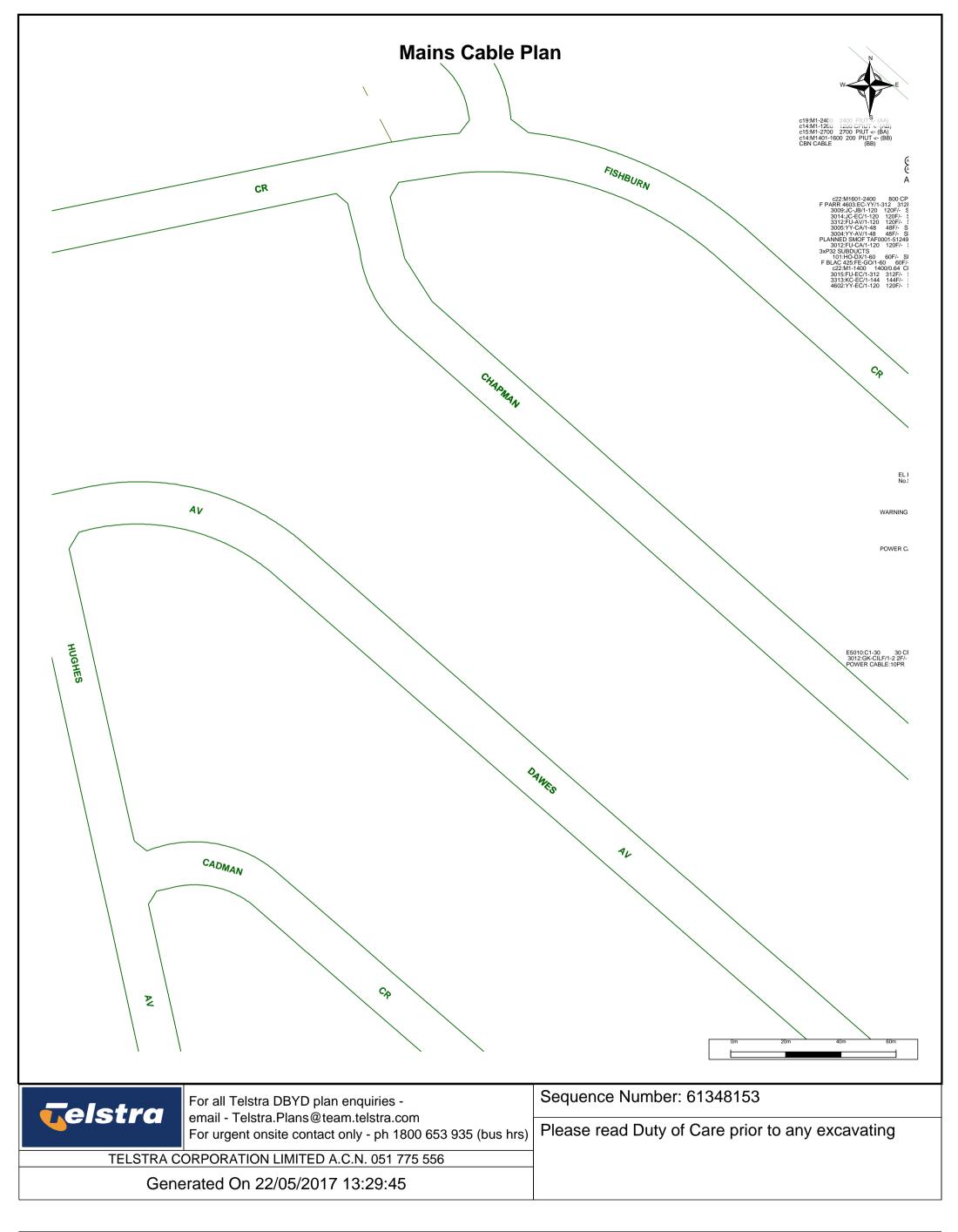


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It is your responsibility to locate Telstra's underground plant by careful hand pot-holing prior to any excavation in the vicinity and to exercise due care during that excavation.

Please read and understand the information supplied in the duty of care statement attached with the Telstra plans. TELSTRA WILL SEEK COMPENSATION FOR LOSS CAUSED BY DAMAGE TO ITS PLANT.

Telstra plans and information supplied are valid for 60 days from the date of issue. If this timeframe has elapsed, please reapply for plans.

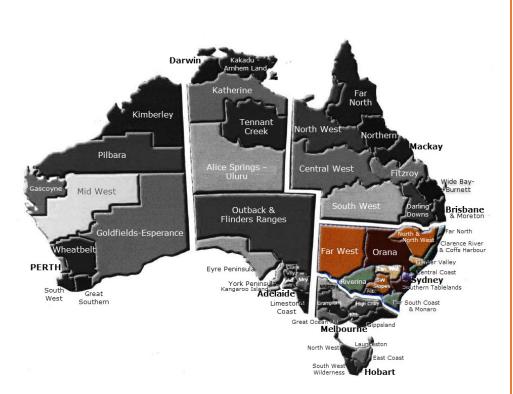


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TELSTRA ACCREDITED PLANT LOCATORS – NEW SOUTH WALES. CENTRAL REGION

Region NSW Central

Telstra plans are intended to be indicative only. A plant location service (Telstra accredited) is required to identify the exact location of the plant and ensure that the asset is protected during construction work. It is your responsibility as part of your "Duty of Care" to engage an Accredited Plant Locator.

*Optic fibre cable
locations must be
performed by a locator
with Telstra optic fibre
location accreditation.

Locators with Telstra optic fibre cable location accreditation are indicated by either a 'yes' in the 'Fibre' column or the DBYD Certified Locator Symbol.



Please contact a Telstra accredited locator from the pages following (fees apply).

Company Name & service areas	*Fibre	Contact	
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Advanced Ground Locations	DIAL BEFORE YOU DIG	02 4930 3195	Phone
Newcastle, Hunter Valley, Central Coast	CERTIFIED	0412 497 488	Mobile
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DUTY OF CARE

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IMPORTANT:

When working in the vicinity of telecommunications plant you have a "Duty of Care" that must be observed. Please read and understand all the information and disclaimers provided below.

Telstra network is complex and requires expert knowledge to interpret information, to identify and locate components, to pothole underground assets for validation and to safely work around assets without causing damage. If you are not an expert and/or qualified in these areas then you should not be attempting these activities. Telstra will seek compensation for damages caused to its property and losses caused to Telstra and its customers.

The 4 essential steps that must be undertaken to prevent damage to Telstra assets are listed below. <u>Construction activities must not commence without first undertaking these 4 steps.</u> If your project is dependent on the position of the underground network then it is recommended you validate the position of the network prior to finalising your design.

(The following pages contain more detail on each step below and the contact details to seek further advice. AS5488-2013 is the Australian Standard for the Classification of Subsurface Utility Information.)

1 Dial Before You Dig -Telstra Plans :

The essential first step in preventing damage -

You must have current Telstra plans via the DBYD process. Telstra advises that the accuracy of the information provided by Telstra conforms to Quality Level D as defined in AS5488-2013. This means the information is indicative only, not a precise location. The actual location may differ substantially from that shown on the plans - refer to steps 2 & 3 to determine actual location prior to commencing construction.

2 Telstra Accredited Plant Locator:

The essential second step in preventing damage -

To be able to trace and identify individual subsurface cables and ducts requires access to Telstra pits and manholes. Only a Telstra Accredited Plant Locator (TAPL) is authorised to access Telstra network for locating purposes. A TAPL can interpret plans, validate visible assets and access pits and manholes to undertake electronic detection of underground assets prior to further validation. All Telstra assets must be located, validated and protected prior to commencing construction. If you are not authorised to do so by Telstra, you should not be accessing Telstra network or locating Telstra network.

3 Validation:

The essential third step in preventing damage -

All Telstra assets must be positively identified (i.e. validated), by physically sighting them. For underground assets this can be done by potholing by hand or using non-destructive vacuum extraction methods (Refer to 'validation' as defined in AS5488-2013 QL-A). **Underground assets located by electronic detection alone (step 2), are not deemed to be 'validated' and should not be used for construction purposes.** Some TAPL's can assist with non-destructive potholing for validation purposes. **If you cannot validate the Telstra network you should not proceed with construction**. Telstra will seek compensation for damages caused to its property and losses caused to Telstra and its customers.

4 Protection:

The essential fourth step in preventing damage -

Telstra assets must be protected to avoid damage from construction activities. Minimum working distances around Telstra network must be maintained. These distances are provided in this document. Telstra can also provide advice and assistance in regards to protection – refer to the following pages.

STEP 1 – Dial Before You Dig -Telstra Plans:

The actual location of Telstra assets may differ substantially from that shown on the plans. Telstra does not warrant or hold out that its plans are accurate and accepts no responsibility for the accuracy shown on the plans. Steps 2 and 3 must also be undertaken to determine actual location of network.

- Telstra DBYD plans are not suitable for displaying Telstra network within a Telstra exchange site. For advice on Telstra network within a Telstra exchange site contact Telstra Plan Services.
- Telstra owns and retains the copyright in all plans and details provided in conjunction with the applicant's request. The applicant is authorised to use the plans and details only for the purpose indicated in the applicant's request. The applicant must not use the plans or details for any other purpose.
- Telstra plans or other details are provided only for the use of the applicant, its servants, agents or Telstra Accredited Plant Locators. The applicant may not give the plans or details to any parties other than these, and may not generate profit from commercialising the plans or details.
- Please contact Telstra Plan Services immediately should you locate Telstra assets not indicated on these plans.
- Telstra, its servants or agents shall not be liable for any loss or damage caused or occasioned by the use of plans and or details so supplied to the applicant, its servants and agents, and the applicant agrees to indemnify Telstra against any claim or demand for any such loss or damage.
- Please ensure Telstra plans and information provided remains on-site at all times throughout the inspection, location and construction phase of any works.
- Telstra plans are valid for 60 days after issue and should be replaced if required after the 60 days.
- Emergency situations receiving Telstra plans Telstra's automated mapping system (TAMS) will provide a fast response for emergency situations (faster than an operator can provide manually via a phone call see below for fast response requirements). Automated responses are normally available 24/7.

To receive a fast automated response from Telstra your request must -

- Be a web request lodged at DBYD (www.1100.com.au). The request will be then forwarded to Telstra.
- Contain your current email address so you can receive the automated email response.
- ➤ Be for the purposes of 'mechanical excavation' or other ground breaking DBYD activity. (Requests with activity types such as conveyancing, planning & design or other non-digging activities may not be responded to until the next business day).
- ▶ Be for an area less than 350 metres in size to obtain a PDF map (over 350 metres will default to DWF due to size) this does not include congested CBD areas where only DWF may be supplied.
- > Be for an area less than 2500 metres in size to obtain a DWF map (CBD's less)
- **Data Extraction Fees.** In some instances a data extraction fee may be applicable for the supply of Telstra information. Typically a data extraction fee may apply to large projects or requests to be supplied in non-standard formats. For further details contact Telstra Plan Services.
- Electronic plans PDF and DWF maps If you have received Telstra maps via email you will have received the maps as either a PDF file (for smaller areas) or DWF file (for larger area requests). All requests over approximately *350m or in congested CBD areas can only be supplied in DWF format. There are size limits on what can be provided. (* actual size depends on geographic location of requested area). If you are unable to launch any one of the softcopy files for viewing and printing, you may need to download and install one or more of the free viewing and printing products such as Adobe Acrobat Reader (for PDF files) or Autodesk Design Review (for DWF files) available from the internet
 - Pdf files PDF is the default softcopy format for all requests for areas up to approx *350m in length. (*depends on geographic location of request). The PDF file is nominally formatted to A3 portrait sheet however it can be printed on any size sheet that your printer supports, e.g. either as the full sheet or selected areas to suit needs and legibility. (to print a selected area zoom up and print 'current view') If there are multiple layers of Telstra network you may receive up to 2 sheets in the single PDF file attachment supplied. There are three types or layers of network normally recorded local network, mains cables or a combined layer of local and mains (usually displayed for rural or semi-rural areas). If mains cable network is present in addition to local cables (i.e. as separate layer in a particular area), the mains will be shown on a separate sheet. The mains cable information should be read in conjunction with the local cable information.
 - DWF files DWF is the default softcopy format for all requests for areas that are over 350m in length. Maximum length for a DWF automated response is approx 2500m depending on geographic

location of request (manually-processed plans may provide larger coverage). The DWF files differ from PDF in that DWF are vector files made up of layers that can be turned on or off and are not formatted to a specific sheet size. This makes them ideal for larger areas and for transmitting electronically.

- How to view Telstra DWF files
 - Telstra DWF files come with all layers turned on. You may need to turn individual layers on or off for viewing and printing clarity. Individual layer names are CC (main cable/conduit), DA (distribution area network) and sometimes a combined layer CAC. Layer details can be viewed by either picking off the side menu or by selecting 'window' then 'layers' off the top menu bar. Use 'layers' to turn individual layers off or on (double click or right click on layer icon).
- How to print Telstra DWF files
 - DWF files can be printed on any size sheet either their entirety or by selected areas of interest. Some DWF coverage areas are large and are not suited to printing legibly on a single A4 sheet you may need several prints if you only have an A4 printer. Alternatively, an A3, A1 or larger printer could be used. To print, zoom in or out and then, by changing the 'print range' settings, you can print what is displayed on your screen to suit your paper size. If you only have a small printer, e.g. A4, you may need to zoom until the text is legible for printing (which is why you may need several prints). To print what is displayed on your screen the 'view' setting should be changed from 'full page' to 'current view'. The 'current sheet' setting should also be selected. You may need to print layers separately for clarity and legibility. (Details above on how to turn layers on or off)
- How to change the background colour from white to black (when viewing) Telstra DWF files –
 - If using Autodesk Design Review the background colour can be changed by selecting 'Tools' then 'options' then 'sheet'. Tick the box 'override published paper colours' and select the colour required using the tab provided.

STEP 2 - Telstra Accredited Plant Locator (TAPL):

Utilising a TAPL is an essential part of the process to identify network and to trace subsurface network prior to validating. A TAPL can provide plan interpretation, identification and electronic detection. This will assist in determining the position of subsurface assets prior to potholing (validating). Some TAPL's can also assist in validating underground detected network. Electronic detection is only an indication of the existence of underground network and can be subject to interference from other services and local conditions. Electronic detection should not be used solely to determine location for construction purposes. The electronic (indicative) subsurface measurements must be proven by physically sighting the asset (see step 3 - Validation).

- All TAPL's locating Telstra network must be able to produce a current photo ID card issued by Telstra. A list of TAPL's is provided with the Telstra Dial Before You Dig plans.
- Telstra does not permit external parties (non-Telstra) to access or conduct work on our network. Only Telstra staff, Telstra contractors or locators whom are correctly accredited are authorised to work on or access our manholes, pits, ducts, cables etc. This is for safety as well as for legal reasons.

It is a criminal offence under the *Criminal Code Act 1995* (Cth) to tamper or interfere with communication facilities owned by a carrier. Heavy penalties may apply for breach of this prohibition, and any damages suffered, or costs incurred by Telstra as a result of any such unauthorised works may be claimed against you.

- Optic fibre cable locations must be performed by a locator with Telstra optic fibre cable location accreditation.
 The locators with optic fibre cable location accreditation are indicated by a 'yes' in the column headed 'Fibre' in
 the lists of locators that are published with the Telstra DBYD plans. Telstra Accredited Plant Locators that are
 DBYD Certified Locators are also fibre accredited. Inspection of photo ID cards will confirm whether locators
 are just copper accredited or copper + fibre accredited.
- The details of any contract, agreement or retainer for site assistance to locate telecommunications plant shall be for you to decide and agree with the Telstra Accredited Plant Locator engaged. Telstra is not a party to any contract entered into between you and a Telstra Accredited Plant Locator.
- Payment for the site assistance will be your responsibility and payment details should be agreed before the engagement is confirmed.

- Telstra does not accept any liability or responsibility for the performance of or advice given by a Telstra Accredited Plant Locator. Accreditation is an initiative taken by Telstra towards the establishment and maintenance of competency standards. However, performance and the advice given will always depend on the nature of the individual engagement.
- Neither the Telstra Accredited Plant Locator nor any of its employees are an employee or agent for Telstra. Telstra is not liable for any damage or loss caused by the Telstra Accredited Plant Locator or its employees.

Electronically derived subsurface measurements (e.g. depths/alignments by locating devices)

All locator provided measurements for Telstra assets must have the AS5488-2013 quality level specified <u>- (e.g. QL-A, B, C or D).</u> These quality levels define the accuracy of subsurface information and are critical for determining how the information is later used – for example if suitable for excavation purposes.

1) An example of a subsurface measurement with <u>no</u> quality level specified – (i.e. not to be used)

Telstra cover - 0.9m

The measurement above has no AS5488-2013 quality level specified and **should not** be provided by a locator or used for design or construction. This is because it is not known whether the measurement is actual or derived (where 'actual' means validated and 'derived' means assumed and not validated, e.g. electronic or other). Typically damages occur by constructors incorrectly using unvalidated measurements as actual measurements.

2) An example of a subsurface measurement with quality level B specified -

Telstra cover - 0.9m (QL-B)

Where (QL-B) complies with AS5488-2013 QL-B (for example an electronic location that complies with QL-B)

(Note QL-B means it has <u>not</u> been validated and should not be used for construction purposes around Telstra network, however it would assist further investigation to determine the actual location)

3) An example of a subsurface measurement with the quality level A specified –

Telstra cover - 0.6m (QL-A)

Where (QL-A) complies with AS5488-2013 QL-A (and is deemed suitable for excavation purposes). In this example the asset has been electronically located first, (QL-B) and then physically exposed (QL-A).

Note -Telstra will seek compensation for damages caused to it its property and losses caused to Telstra and its customers if unvalidated subsurface measurements are used for construction and subsequently result in damage to Telstra assets. Only measurements conforming to AS5488-2013 (QL-A) are deemed by Telstra to be validated measurements.

Rural landowners Where Telstra-owned cable crosses agricultural land, Telstra <u>may</u> provide on-site assistance with cable location. <u>You must contact Telstra Plan Services to determine eligibility and to request the service</u>.

Please note the following -

- ➤ If eligible, the <u>location assistance must be approved and organised by Telstra</u>. Telstra will not pay for a location that has not been approved and facilitated by Telstra (Telstra is not responsible for payment assistance when a customer engages a locator directly).
- > The exact location, including depth of cables, must be validated by potholing, which may not be covered by this service.
- This service is nominally only available to assist private rural land owners.
- This service nominally covers one hour on-site only. Any time required in addition to Telstra-funded time can be purchased directly from the assigned Telstra Accredited Plant Locator.
- This service does not apply to previously located network at the same location (i.e. it is a once off).
- This service does not apply to other carriers' cables (marked as 'OC' on Telstra plans).

STEP 3 – *Validation:

After utilising a Telstra Accredited Plant Locator and prior to commencing construction, any electronically detected underground network must be positively identified (validated) by physically sighting it. This can be done by careful hand digging or using non-destructive water jet methods to expose the network.

*Validation as defined in AS5488-2013 (QL-A).

Manual potholing needs to be undertaken with extreme care and by employing techniques least likely to damage cables. For example, align shovel blades and trowels parallel to the cable rather than digging across the cable. Some Telstra Accredited Plant Locators are able to provide or assist with non-destructive potholing methods to enable validation of underground cables and ducts.

If you cannot validate the underground network then you should not proceed with construction. Telstra will seek compensation for damages caused to its property and losses caused to Telstra and its customers.

Important note: The construction of Telstra's network dates back over many years. Some of Telstra's pits and ducts were manufactured from asbestos-containing cement. You must take care in conducting any works in the vicinity of Telstra's pits and ducts. You must refrain from in any way disturbing or damaging Telstra's network infrastructure when conducting your works. We recommend that before you conduct any works in the vicinity of Telstra infrastructure that you ensure your processes and procedures eliminate any possibility of disturbing, damaging or interfering in any way with Telstra's infrastructure. Your processes and procedures should incorporate appropriate measures having regard to the nature of this risk. For further information -

http://ucm.in.telstra.com.au/about/media/emergencies-incidents/asbestos/index.htm?ssSourceSiteId=consumer-advice

STEP 4 – Protection:

You must maintain the following minimum clearance distances between construction activity and the validated position of Telstra plant.

Jackhammers/Pneumatic	Not within 1.0m of actual validated location.
Breakers	
Vibrating Plate or Wacker	Not within 0.5m of actual validated location of Telstra
Packer Compactor	ducts.
	300mm compact clearance cover before compactor can
	be used across Telstra ducts.
Boring Equipment	Not within 2.0m of actual validated location.
(in-line, horizontal and vertical)	Constructor to hand dig or use non-destructive water jet
	method (pothole) and expose plant.
Heavy Vehicle Traffic (over 3	Not to be driven across Telstra ducts (or plant)
tonnes)	with less than 600mm cover.
	Constructor to check actual depth via hand digging.
Mechanical Excavators, Farm	Not within 1.0m of actual validated location.
ploughing and Tree Removal	Constructor to hand dig or use non-destructive water jet
	method (pot-hole) and expose plant.

- For blasting or controlled fire burning please contact Telstra Plan Services for advice.
- If conducting roadworks all existing Telstra pits and manholes should be a minimum of 1.2m in from the back
 of kerb after the completion of your work.
- After the completion of any ground work in footways (or under roads), all Telstra conduits must have a depth
 of cover which is compliant with the current specifications of the road owner e.g. the local council or road

authority. Depth specification will vary across different authorities in different states. For clarification please contact Telstra Network Integrity.

- For clearance distances relating to Telstra pillars, cabinets and RIMs/RCMs please contact Telstra Plan Services.
- If Telstra plant is situated wholly or partly where you plan to work (i.e. in conflict), then Telstra's Network Integrity
 Group must be contacted to discuss possible engineering solutions.
 Please phone 1800 810 443 or email NetworkIntegrity@team.telstra.com
- You are not permitted to relocate or alter or repair any Telstra assets or network under any circumstances.

It is a criminal offence under the *Criminal Code Act 1995* (Cth) to tamper or interfere with communication facilities owned by a carrier. Heavy penalties may apply for breach of this prohibition, and any damages suffered, or costs incurred by Telstra as a result of any such unauthorised works may be claimed against you.

Only Telstra and its contractors may access and conduct works on Telstra's network (including its plant and assets). This requirement is to ensure that Telstra can protect the integrity of its network, avoid disruption to services and ensure that the relocation meets Telstra's requirements.

• If Telstra relocation or protection works are part of the agreed solution, then payment to Telstra for the cost of this work shall be the responsibility of the principal developer, constructor or person for whom the work is performed. The principal developer or constructor will be required to provide Telstra with the details of their proposed work showing how Telstra's plant is to be accommodated and these details must be approved by the Regional Network Integrity Manager prior to the commencement of site works.

Please phone 1800 810 443 or email NetworkIntegrity@team.telstra.com
Further information - https://www.telstra.com.au/consumer-advice/digging-construction/relocating-network-assets

Damage to Telstra's network must be reported immediately -

https://service.telstra.com.au/customer/general/forms/report-damage-to-telstra-equipment

- You will be held responsible for all plant damage that occurs or any impacts to Telstra's network as a result of
 your construction activities. This includes interfering with plant, conducting unauthorised modification works
 and interfering with Telstra's assets in a way that prevents Telstra from accessing or using its assets in the
 future.
- Telstra reserves all rights to recover compensation for loss or damage to its cable network or other property including consequential losses.

FURTHER INFORMATION:

NATURAL DISASTERS

Natural Disasters include (amongst other things) earthquakes, cyclones, floods and tsunamis. In the case of such events, urgent requests for plans or information relating to the location of Telstra network can be made directly to Telstra Network Integrity Team Managers as follows:

NSW – John McInerney 0419 485 795

QLD - Glenn Swift 0419 660 147

VIC/TAS - David Povazan 0417 300 947

SA/NT - Mick Weaver 0419 828 703

WA - Angus Beresford-Peirse 0419 123 589

TELSTRA PLAN SERVICES - for all <u>Telstra</u> Dial Before You Dig related enquiries

Email - Telstra.Plans@team.telstra.com

Phone - 1800 653 935 (general enquiries, business hours only)

*Telstra DBYD plan information - Shalin 07 3455 2997

Anthony 07 3455 2365

Advice on preventing damage - Glen 07 3455 1011

Lachlan 07 3455 3132

Accredited plant locator enquiries - Mike 0477 377 036

Taylor 0477 365 666

Road closures - Megan 07 3455 0834

Lachlan 07 3455 3132

Telstra easements - Glen 07 3455 1011

Information for new developments (developers, builders, home owners)
Telstra Smart Communities - https://www.telstra.com.au/smart-community

Asset relocations

Please phone 1800 810 443 or email NetworkIntegrity@team.telstra.com

https://www.telstra.com.au/consumer-advice/digging-construction/relocating-network-assets

Telstra offers free Cable Awareness Presentations, if you believe you or your company would benefit from this offer please contact Network Integrity on 1800 810 443 or NetworkIntegrity@team.telstra.com

PRIVACY NOTE

Your information has been provided to Telstra by DBYD to enable Telstra to respond to your DBYD request. Telstra keeps your information in accordance with its privacy statement entitled "Protecting Your Privacy" which can be obtained from Telstra either by calling 1800 039 059 or visiting our website at www.telstra.com.au/privacy

^{*}Please note - to make a Telstra plan enquiry the plans must be current (within 60 days of issue). If your plans have expired you will need to submit a new request via DBYD prior to contacting Telstra Plan Services.

LEGEND

For more info contact a Telstra Accredited Locater or Telstra Plan Services 1800 653 935 Exchange Cable jointing pit (major cable present) (number indicating pit type) Footway access chamber Elevated cable joint (above ground joint on buried cable) (can vary from 1-lid to 12-lid) Telstra Plant in shared utility trench Pillar/cabinet (above the ground / free standing) Aerial Cable (above ground) Above ground complex equipment housing (eg RIM) **Aerial Cable** Please Note: This equipment is (attached to joint use pole e.g. power) powered by 240V electricity. Direct buried cable OC other carrier Marker post installed **Buried transponder** P20 2 pair lead-in to property from pit in street Marker, transponder 059 1 pair working (pair ID 059) 1DEAD 1 pair dead (i.e. spare, not connected) SMOF — Optical fibre cable direct buried Single to multiple round conduit Some examples of conduit type and size: Configurations 1, 2, 4, 9 respectively A - Asbestos cement, P - PVC / plastic, C - Concrete, P100 (Attached text denotes conduit type and size) GI - Galvanised iron, E - Earthenware. Conduit sizes nominally range from 20mm to 100mm. P50 50mm PVC conduit Multiple square conduit 100mm PVC conduit P100 Configurations 2, 4, 6 respectively A100 100mm asbestos cement conduit E 85 85mm square earthenware conduit E85 (Attached text denotes conduit type and size) Some examples of how to read Telstra plans: - 50 -One 50mm PVC conduit (P50) containing a 50-pair and a 10-pair cable 10 between two 6-pits, 20.0m apart, with a direct buried 30-pair cable 30 along the same route. 20.0 Two separate conduit runs between two footway AA - fcable information! @O AB - [cable information] access chambers (manholes) 245m apart. A BA - [cable information] C100 nest of four 100mm PVC conduits (P100) P100 containing assorted cables in three ducts (one being empty) and one empty 100mm concrete

WARNING: Telstra plans and location information conform to Quality Level 'D' of the Australian Standard AS 5488 - Classification of Subsurface Utility Information. As such, Telstra supplied location information is indicative only. Spatial accuracy is not applicable to Quality Level D. Refer to AS 5488 for further details. Telstra does not warrant or hold out that its plans are accurate and accepts no responsibility for any inaccuracy shown on the plans. FURTHER ON SITE INVESTIGATION IS REQUIRED TO VALIDATE THE EXACT LOCATION OF TELSTRA PLANT PRIOR TO COMMENCING CONSTRUCTION WORK. A plant location service is an essential part of the process to validate the exact location of Telstra assets and to ensure the asset is protected during construction works. The exact position of Telstra assets can only be validated by physically exposing it. Telstra will seek compensation for damages caused to its property and losses caused to Telstra and its customers.

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duct (C100) along the same route.

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Appendix J

149(2) Certificate



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PLANNING CERTIFICATE UNDER SECTION 149 (2)

ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ASSESSMENT ACT 1979 AS AMENDED.

Certificate Number: 92074

Reference: ATL001:87833
Issue Date: 1 June 2017
Receipt No: 5480889
Fee Paid: \$53.00

ADDRESS: 21 Dawes Avenue, CASTLE HILL NSW 2154

DESCRIPTION: Lot 20 DP 255722

The land is zoned:

Zone R2 Low Density Residential

The following prescribed matters apply to the land to which this certificate relates:

The Environmental Planning and Assessment Amendment Act 1997 commenced operation on 1 July 1998. As a consequence of this Act, the information contained in this certificate needs to be read in conjunction with the provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000.

PLEASE NOTE: THIS CERTIFICATE IS AUTOMATICALLY GENERATED. IT MAY CONTAIN EXCESSIVE SPACES AND/OR BLANK PAGES.

THIS CERTIFICATE IS DIRECTED TO THE FOLLOWING MATTERS PRESCRIBED UNDER SECTION 149 (2) OF THE ABOVE ACT.

1. Names of relevant planning instruments and DCPs

(1) The name of each environmental planning instrument that applies to the carrying out of development on the land.

(A) Local Environmental Plans

The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012, as amended, applies to all land in the Shire unless otherwise stated in this certificate.

State Environmental Planning Policies

SEPP No.19 - Bushland In Urban Areas

SEPP No.21 - Caravan Parks

SEPP No.30 - Intensive Agriculture

SEPP No.33 - Hazardous And Offensive Development

SEPP No.50 - Canal Estate Development

SEPP No.55 - Remediation Of Land

SEPP No.62 - Sustainable Aquaculture

SEPP No.64 - Advertising And Signage

SEPP No.65 - Design Quality Of Residential Flat Development

SEPP No.70 - Affordable Housing (Revised Schemes)

SEPP (Building Sustainability Index: Basix) 2004

SEPP (Major Development) 2005

SEPP (Mining, Petroleum Production And Extractive Industries) 2007

SEPP (Miscellaneous Consent Provisions) 2007

SEPP (Infrastructure) 2007

SEPP (Exempt and Complying Development Codes) 2008

SEPP (Affordable Rental Housing) 2009

SEPP (State and Regional Development) 2011

Sydney Regional Environmental Plan No. 9 Extractive Industries (No.2) - Amendment No.1

Sydney Regional Environmental Plan No. 20 Hawkesbury – Nepean River (No.2 – 1997)

The following SEPP's may apply to the land. Please refer to **'Land to which Policy applies'** for each individual SEPP.

SEPP (Housing For Seniors Or People With A Disability) 2004

- (2) The name of each **proposed environmental planning instrument** that will apply to the carrying out of development on the land and that is or has been the subject of community consultation or on public exhibition under the Act (unless the Secretary has notified the council that the making of the proposed instrument has been deferred indefinitely or has not been approved).
- (A) Proposed Local Environmental Plans

Proposed The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012 (Amendment No.) applies to this land.

Refer Attachment 1(2)(A)

(B) Proposed State Environmental Planning Policies

Draft State Environmental Planning Policy (Educational Establishments & Child Care Facilities)
Draft Vegetation State Environmental Planning Policy

(3) The name of each development control plan that applies to the carrying out of development on the land.

The Hills Development Control Plan 2012

(4) In this clause, proposed environmental planning instrument includes a planning proposal for a LEP or a draft environmental planning instrument.

2. Zoning and land use under relevant LEPs

For each environmental planning instrument or proposed instrument referred to in clause 1 (other than a SEPP or proposed SEPP).

(A) The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012 applies to the land unless otherwise stated in this certificate and identifies the land to be:

Zone R2 Low Density Residential

A Planning Proposal applies to the land and identifies the land to be:

Zone R4 High Density Residential

Also refer Attachment 1 (2)(A) for proposed amendment to The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012

(B) The purposes for which the instrument provides that development may be carried out within the zone without development consent:

Refer Attachment 2(B) and 2(B)(1)

Also refer to the applicable instrument for provisions regarding Exempt Development

Also refer Attachment 1 (2)(A) for proposed amendment to The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012

(C) The purposes for which the instrument provides that development may not be carried out within the zone except with development consent:

Refer Attachment 2(B) and 2(B)(1)

Also refer to the applicable instrument for provisions regarding Complying Development

Also refer Attachment 1 (2)(A) for proposed amendment to The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012

(D) The purposes for which the instrument provides that development is prohibited in the zone:

Refer Attachment 2(B) and 2(B)(1)

Also refer Attachment 1 (2)(A) for proposed amendment to The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012

(E) Whether any development standards applying to the land fix minimum land dimensions for the erection of a dwelling-house on the land and, if so, the minimum land dimensions so fixed?

The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012?

NO

Any other Planning Proposal?

YES

Clause 4.1B of The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012 provides, in part, minimum land dimensions for the erection of a dwelling house on land zoned R3 Medium Density Residential or R4 High Density Residential where it is undertaken as a single development application in conjunction with the subdivision of land.

(F) Whether the land includes or comprises critical habitat?

The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012?

NO

Any other Planning Proposal?

NO

(G) Whether the land is in a conservation area (however described)?

The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012?

NO

Any Other Planning Proposal?

NO

(H) Whether an item of environmental heritage (however described) is situated on the land?

The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012?

NO

Any other Planning Proposal?

NO

2A. Zoning and land use under State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006

To the extent that the land is within any zone (however described) under:

- (a) Part 3 of the State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (the 2006 SEPP), or
- (b) a Precinct Plan (within the meaning of the 2006 SEPP), or
- (c) a proposed Precinct Plan that is or has been the subject of community consultation or on public exhibition under the ACT.
- (A) State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 2 North Kellyville Precinct Plan) applies to the land unless otherwise stated in this certificate and identifies the land to be:

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 2 North Kellyville Precinct Plan) does not apply.

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 11 The Hills Growth Centre Precincts Plan) applies to the land unless otherwise stated in this certificate and identifies the land to be:

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 11 The Hills Growth Centre Precincts Plan) does not apply.

Note: This precinct plan applies to land within the Box Hill Precinct or Box Hill Industrial Precinct.

(B) The purposes for which the instrument provides that development may be carried out within the zone without development consent:

Refer Attachment 2(B)

Also refer to the applicable instrument for provisions regarding Exempt Development.

(C) The purposes for which the instrument provides that development may not be carried out within the zone except with development consent:

Refer Attachment 2(B)

Also refer to the applicable instrument for provisions regarding Complying Development

(D) The purposes for which the instrument provides that development is prohibited in the zone:

Refer Attachment 2(B)

(E) Whether any development standards applying to the land fix minimum land dimensions for the erection of a dwelling-house on the land and, if so, the minimum land dimensions so fixed?

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 2 North Kellyville Precinct Plan)?

NO

Any amendments to Proposed State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 2 North Kellyville Precinct Plan)?

NO

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 11 The Hills Growth Centre Precincts Plan)?

NO

Any amendments to Proposed State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 11 The Hills Growth Centre Precincts Plan)?

NO

(F) Whether the land includes or comprises critical habitat?

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 2 North Kellyville Precinct Plan)?

NO

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 11 The Hills Growth Centre Precincts Plan)?

NO

(G) Whether the land is in a conservation area (however described)?

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 2 North Kellyville Precinct Plan)?

NO

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 11 The Hills Growth Centre Precincts Plan)?

NO

(H) Whether an item of environmental heritage (however described) is situated on the land?

State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 2 North Kellyville Precinct Plan)?

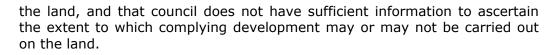
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State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 11 The Hills Growth Centre Precincts Plan)?

NO

3. Complying Development

- (1) The extent to which the land is land on which complying development may be carried out under each of the codes for complying development because of the provisions of clauses 1.17A (1) (c) to (e), (2), (3) and (4), 1.18 (1) (c3) and 1.19 of State Environmental Planning Policy (Exempt and Complying Development Codes) 2008.
- (2) The extent to which complying development may not be carried out on that land because of the provisions of clauses 1.17A (1) (c) to (e), (2), (3) and (4), 1.18 (1) (c3) and 1.19 of that Policy and the reasons why it may not be carried out under those clauses.
- (3) If the council does not have sufficient information to ascertain the extent to which complying development may or may not be carried out on the land, a statement that a restriction applies to the land, but it may not apply to all of





Complying Development under the General Housing Code and Rural Housing Code **may be** carried out on the land.

Housing Alterations Code and General Development CodeComplying Development under the Housing Alterations Code and General Development Code **may be** carried out on the land.

Commercial and Industrial (New Buildings and Additions) Code Complying Development under the Commercial and Industrial (New Buildings and Additions) Code **may be** carried out on the land.

Commercial and Industrial Alterations, Subdivision, Demolition and Fire Safety Codes

Complying Development under the Commercial and Industrial Alterations, Subdivision, Demolition and Fire Safety Codes **may be** carried out on the land.

Note: Where reference is made to an applicable map, this information can be sourced from the following websites:

The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012 - www.thehills.nsw.gov.au State Environmental Planning Policy (Sydney Region Growth Centres) 2006 (Appendix 2 North Kellyville Precinct) or (Appendix 11 The Hills Growth Centre Precincts Plan) – http://www.planning.nsw.gov.au/Plans-for-your-area/Priority-Growth-Areas-and-Precincts/North-West-Priority-Growth-Area

4. Coastal protection

Whether or not the land is affected by the operation of Section 38 or 39 of the <u>Coastal Protection Act 1979</u>, but only to the extent that the council has been so notified by the Department of Finance, Services and Innovation?

NO

4A. Certain information relating to beaches and coasts

(1) In relation to a coastal council - whether an order has been made under Part 4D of the <u>Coastal Protection Act 1979</u> in relation to temporary coastal protection works (within the meaning of that Act) on the land (or on public land adjacent to that land), except where the council is satisfied that such an order has been fully complied with.

NO

- (2) In relation to a coastal council:
 - (a) whether the council has been notified under section 55X of the <u>Coastal Protection Act 1979</u> that temporary coastal protection works (within the meaning of that Act) have been placed on the land (or on public land adjacent to that land), and
 - (b) if works have been so placed whether the council is satisfied that the works have been removed and the land restored in accordance with that Act.

NO

- (3) (Repealed)
- 4B. Annual charges under <u>Local Government Act 1993</u> for coastal protection services that relate to existing coastal protection works

Whether the owner (or any previous owner) of the land has consented in writing to the land being subject to annual charges under section 496B of the <u>Local Government Act 1993</u> for coastal protection services that relate to existing coastal protection works (within the meaning of section 553B of that Act).

NO

Note. "Existing coastal protection works" are works to reduce the impact of coastal hazards on land (such as seawalls, revetments, groynes and beach nourishment) that existed before the commencement of section 553B of the *Local Government Act 1993*.

5. Mine subsidence

Whether or not the land is proclaimed to be a mine subsidence district within the meaning of section 15 of the *Mine Subsidence Compensation Act 1961*?

NO

6. Road widening and road realignment

Whether or not the land is affected by any road widening or road realignment under -

(A) Division 2 of Part 3 of the *Roads Act 1993*; or

NO

(B) any environmental planning instrument; or

NO

- (C) any resolution of council?
 - a) The Hills Development Control Plan 2012?

NO

b) Any other resolution of council?

NO

7. Council and other public authority policies on hazard risk restrictions

Whether or not the land is affected by a policy:

- (a) adopted by council, or
- (b) adopted by any other public authority and notified to the council for the express purpose of its adoption by that

authority being referred to in planning certificates issued by the council,

that restricts the development of the land because of the likelihood of land slip, bushfire, tidal inundation, subsidence, acid sulphate soils or any other risk (other than flooding)?

Council's policies on hazard risk restrictions are as follows:

(i) Landslip

a) By The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012 zoning?

NO

No resolution has been adopted but attention is directed to the fact that there are areas within the Shire liable to landslip.

b) By The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012 local provision?

NO

No resolution has been adopted but attention is directed to the fact that there are areas within the Shire liable to landslip.

c) By The Hills Development Control Plan 2012 provision?

NO

No resolution has been adopted but attention is directed to the fact that there are areas within the Shire liable to landslip.

(ii) Bushfire

YES

Please note this is a statement of Council policy only and NOT a statement on whether or not the property is affected by bushfire. That question is answered in Section 11 of this certificate.

Council has adopted the NSW Rural Fire Service Guidelines entitled 'Planning for Bushfire Protection 2006'. Development subject to bushfire risk will be required to address the requirements in these guidelines and can be downloaded off the RFS web site www.rfs.nsw.gov.au

The Development Control Plan may also contain provisions for development on Bushfire Prone Land and Bushfire Hazard Management. Refer Part 1(3) of this certificate for the applicable Development Control Plan.

(iii) Tidal inundation

NO

Please note this is a statement of Council policy only and NOT a statement on whether or not the property is affected by tidal inundation.

(iv) Subsidence

NO

Please note this is a statement of Council policy only and NOT a statement on whether or not the property is affected by subsidence.

(v) Acid sulphate soils

NO

(vi) Land contamination

NO

Please note this is a statement of Council policy only and NOT a statement on whether or not the property is affected by contamination or potential contamination.

(vii) Any other risk

NO

7A. Flood related development controls information

(1) Whether or not development on that land or part of the land for the purposes of dwelling houses, dual occupancies, multi dwelling housing or residential flat buildings (not including development for the purposes of group homes or seniors housing) is subject to flood related development controls?

NO

Please note this is a statement of flood related development controls and is NOT a statement on whether or not the property is subject to flooding.

(2) Whether or not development on that land or part of the land for any other purpose is subject to flood related development controls?

NO

Please note this is a statement of flood related development controls and is NOT a statement on whether or not the property is subject to flooding.

(3) Words and expressions in this clause have the same meanings as in the standard instrument set out in the <u>Standard Instrument (Local Environmental Plans) Order 2006</u>.

8. Land reserved for acquisition

Whether or not any environmental planning instrument or proposed environmental planning instrument referred to in clause 1 makes provision in relation to the acquisition of the land by a public authority, as referred to in section 27 of the Act.

The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012?

NO

Any other Planning Proposal?

NO

State Environmental Planning Policy?

NO

Proposed State Environmental Planning Policy?

NO

9. Contributions plans

The name of each contributions plan applying to the land:

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9A. Biodiversity Certified Land

Whether the land is biodiversity certified land within the meaning of Part 7AA of the *Threatened Species Conservation Act* 1995?

NO

10. Biobanking Agreements

Whether the land is land to which a biobanking agreement under part 7A of the <u>Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995</u> relates, (but only if the council has been notified of the existence of the agreement by the Chief Executive of the Office of Environment and Heritage)?

NO

11. Bush fire prone land

Has the land been identified as bush fire prone land?

NO

12. Property vegetation plans

Has the council been notified that a property vegetation plan under the *Native Vegetation Act 2003* applies to this land?

NO

13. Orders under Trees (Disputes Between Neighbours) Act 2006

Whether an order has been made under the <u>Trees (Disputes Between Neighbours) Act 2006</u> to carry out work in relation to a tree on this land (but only if the council has been notified of the order)?

NO

14. Directions under Part 3A

Whether there is a direction by the Minister in force under section 75P (2)(c1) of the Act that a provision of an environmental planning instrument prohibiting or restricting the carrying out of a project or a stage of a project on the land under Part 4 of the Act does not have effect?

NO

15. Site compatibility certificates and conditions for seniors housing

(a) Whether there is a current site compatibility certificate (seniors housing) of which council is aware, issued under <u>State Environmental Planning Policy</u> (<u>Housing for Seniors or People with a Disability</u>) <u>2004</u> in respect of proposed development on the land?

NO

(b) Whether there are any terms of a kind referred to in clause 18(2) of <u>State Environmental Planning Policy (Housing for Seniors or People with a Disability) 2004</u> that have been imposed as a condition of consent to a development application granted after 11 October 2007 in respect of the land?

NO

16. Site compatibility certificates for infrastructure

Whether there is a valid site compatibility certificate (infrastructure), of which the council is aware, in respect of proposed development on the land?

NO

17. Site compatibility certificates and conditions for affordable rental housing

(1) Whether there is a current site compatibility certificate (affordable rental housing), of which the council is aware, in respect of proposed development on the land?

NO

(2) Whether there are any terms of a kind referred to in clause 17(1) or 38(1) of <u>State Environmental Planning Policy (Affordable Rental Housing)</u> 2009 that have been imposed as a condition of consent to a development application in respect of the land?

NO

18. Paper subdivision information

(1) The name of any development plan adopted by a relevant authority that applies to the land or that is proposed to be subject to a consent ballot.

NO DEVELOPMENT PLAN APPLIES

(2) The date of any subdivision order that applies to the land.

NO SUBDIVISION ORDER APPLIES

(3) Words and expressions used in this clause have the same meaning as they have in Part 16C of this Regulation.

19. Site verification certificates

Whether there is a current site verification certificate, of which the council is aware, in respect of the land?

NO

Note. A site verification certificate sets out the Secretary's opinion as to whether the land concerned is or is not biophysical strategic agricultural land or critical industry cluster land - see Division 3 of Part 4AA of <u>State Environmental Planning Policy (Mining, Petroleum Production and Extractive Industries) 2007.</u>

20. Loose-fill asbestos insulation

Does the land include any residential premises (within the meaning of Division 1A of Part 8 of the <u>Home Building Act 1989</u>) that is listed on the Loose-Fill Asbestos Insulation Register that is required to be maintained under that Division?

Council has **not** been notified by NSW Fair Trading that the land includes any residential premises that are listed on the register. Refer to the NSW Fair Trading website at www.fairtrading.nsw.gov.au to confirm that the land is not listed on this register.

Note: There is potential for loose-fill asbestos insulation in residential premises that are not listed on the Register. Contact NSW Fair Trading for further information.

- **Note.** The following matters are prescribed by section 59 (2) of the <u>Contaminated</u> <u>Land Management Act 1997</u> as additional matters to be specified in a planning certificate:
 - (a) that the land to which the certificate relates is significantly contaminated land within the meaning of that Act if the land (or part of the land) is significantly contaminated land at the date when the certificate is issued,

NO

(b) that the land to which the certificate relates is subject to a management order within the meaning of that Act – if it is subject to such an order at the date when the certificate is issued,

NO

(c) that the land to which the certificate relates is the subject of an approved voluntary management proposal within the meaning of that Act – if it is the subject of such an approved proposal at the date when the certificate is issued,

NO

(d) that the land to which the certificate relates is subject to an ongoing maintenance order within the meaning of the Act – if it is subject to such an order at the date when the certificate is issued,

NO

(e) that the land to which the certificate relates is the subject of a site audit statement within the meaning of the Act – if a copy of such a statement has been provided at any time to the local authority issuing the certificate.

NO

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ATTACHMENT 1(2)(A)

Sydney Metro Northwest Priority Precincts (Showground, Bella Vista and Kellyville)

Draft Plans for the Sydney Metro Northwest Priority Precincts (Showground, Bella Vista and Kellyville) are currently being exhibited by the Department of Planning and Environment.

The draft Plans outline the vision for the Priority Precincts with respect to residential and employment growth, open space, retail and community facilities, built form and connectivity and sustainability. The draft Plans include proposed zonings, building heights, floor space ratios and Development Control Plans for each Precinct. The exhibition material also includes a number of specialist studies which have informed the proposed outcomes within each Precinct.

The draft Plans are on exhibition until 28 February 2016. The exhibition materials can be viewed on the Department of Planning and Environment website at the following link:

http://planspolicies.planning.nsw.gov.au/index.pl?action=job_listing&status=exhibition

ATTACHMENT 2(B)

Zone R2 Low Density Residential

1 Objectives of zone

- To provide for the housing needs of the community within a low density residential environment.
- To enable other land uses that provide facilities or services to meet the day to day needs of residents.
- To maintain the existing low density residential character of the area.

2 Permitted without consent

Home business; Home occupations

3 Permitted with consent

Bed and breakfast accommodation; Boarding houses; Building identification signs; Business identification signs; Dual occupancies; Dwelling houses; Group homes; Health consulting rooms; Home-based child care; Roads; Any other development not specified in item 2 and 4

4 Prohibited

Agriculture; Air transport facilities; Airstrips; Amusement centres; Animal boarding or training establishments; Boat building and repair facilities; Boat launching ramps; Boat sheds; Camping grounds; Car parks; Caravan parks; Cemeteries; Charter and tourism boating facilities; Child care centres; Commercial premises; Correctional centres; Crematoria; Depots; Eco-tourist facilities; Electricity generating works; Entertainment facilities; Environmental facilities; Extractive industries; Farm buildings; Forestry; Freight transport facilities; Function centres; Health services facilities; Heavy industrial storage establishments; Helipads; Highway service centres; Home occupations (sex services); Industrial retail outlets; Industrial training facilities; Industries; Information and education facilities; Jetties; Marinas; Mooring pens; Moorings; Mortuaries; Open cut mining; Passenger transport facilities; Port facilities; Public administration buildings; Recreation facilities (indoor); Recreation facilities (major); Recreation facilities (outdoor); Registered clubs; Research stations; Residential accommodation; Respite day care centres; Restricted premises; Rural industries; Service stations; Sewerage systems; Sex services premises; Signage; Storage premises; Tourist and visitor accommodation; Transport depots; Truck depots; Vehicle body repair workshops; Vehicle repair stations; Veterinary hospitals; Warehouse or distribution centres; Waste or resource management facilities; Water recreation structures; Water supply systems; Wharf or boating facilities; Wholesale supplies.

NOTE: This land use table should be read in conjunction with the Dictionary at the end of The Hills LEP 2012 which defines words and expressions for the purpose of the plan.

NOTE: Activities permitted without development consent are still subject to other provisions in Environmental Planning Instruments and/or Acts.

ATTACHMENT 2(B1)

A **proposed environmental planning instrument** applies to the land and identifies the land to be:

Zone R4 High Density Residential

1 Objectives of zone

- To provide for the housing needs of the community within a high density residential environment.
- To provide a variety of housing types within a high density residential environment.
- To enable other land uses that provide facilities or services to meet the day to day needs of residents.
- To encourage high density residential development in locations that are close to population centres and public transport routes.

2 Permitted without consent

Home businesses; Home occupations

3 Permitted with consent

Attached dwellings; Boarding houses; Building identification signs; Business identification signs; Child care centres; Community facilities; Dual occupancies; Dwelling houses; Home-based child care; Multi dwelling housing; Neighbourhood shops; Places

of public worship; Residential flat buildings; Respite day care centres; Roads; Shop top housing; Any other development not specified in item 2 or 4

4 Prohibited

Agriculture; Air transport facilities; Airstrips; Amusement centres; Animal boarding or training establishments; Boat building and repair facilities; Boat launching ramps; Boat sheds; Camping grounds; Caravan parks; Cemeteries; Charter and tourism boating facilities; Commercial premises; Correctional centres; Crematoria; Depots; Eco-tourist facilities; Electricity generating works; Entertainment facilities; Environmental facilities; Exhibition villages; Extractive industries; Farm buildings; Forestry; Freight transport facilities; Function centres; Heavy industrial storage establishments: Helipads: Highway service centres: Home occupations (sex services); Industrial retail outlets; Industrial training facilities; Industries; Information and education facilities; Jetties; Marinas; Mooring pens; Moorings; Mortuaries; Open cut mining; Passenger transport facilities; Port facilities; Public administration buildings; Recreation facilities (indoor); Recreation facilities (major); Recreation facilities (outdoor); Registered clubs; Research stations; Residential accommodation; Restricted premises; Rural industries; Service stations; Sewerage systems; Sex services premises; Signage; Storage premises; Tourist and visitor accommodation; Transport depots; Truck depots; Vehicle body repair workshops; Vehicle repair stations; Veterinary hospitals; Warehouse or distribution centres; Waste or resource management facilities; Water recreation structures; Water supply systems; Wharf or boating facilities; Wholesale supplies.

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1 Introduction

This report has been prepared by Arup Pty Ltd (Arup) and provides an assessment of Hydrology and Drainage relating to the proposed rezoning of the Showground Station Precinct.

The Showground Station Precinct was announced by the NSW Government in August 2014. The precinct is one of number of Priority Precincts which aim to provide for more homes, jobs and improved public spaces close to transport and services. One of the key goals for Priority Precincts is to increase housing choice and affordability by delivering increased housing supply in an environmentally, socially and economically sustainable manner.

The Showground Station Precinct is located in The Hills Shire Local Government Area and covers approximately 271 hectares. The boundary of the precinct is generally based on the road boundary within a radius of 800 metres from the proposed Showground Station, which is normally considered to reflect a 10 minute walk. The boundary also takes in to account predominant land uses, built form and natural features.

The vision for the Showground Station Precinct is for a vibrant, mixed use centre comprising a mixture of offices, shops, community facilities, recreational, cultural and leisure activities, education, and a mix of housing types within walking distance of the new station.

The Showground Station Precinct is a long term project that will be delivered over the next 25 years.

2 Purpose

This report constitutes a desktop review of drainage and mainstream flooding / overland flow considerations that are important for The Showground Station Precinct (the Precinct).

This report is informed by a review of currently available existing hydrological, flooding and water sensitive urban design (WSUD) studies and policy documentation, including:

- local and site specific investigations undertaken during the assessment of the North West Rail Link (for civil and construction works);
- overland flow modelling and overland flow mapping data relevant to the Precinct (from Council's draft Urban Overland Flow Study);
- The Hills Local Environmental Plan 2012 (The Hills LEP 2012) flood provisions, and
- The Hills Development Control Plan 2012 (The Hills DCP 2012) flooding and water sensitive urban design controls.

Having undertaken the review of Council's existing instruments and hydrological / hydraulic information provided, this report further summarises and assesses stormwater quality and quantity considerations that will impact rezoning proposals for the Precinct. The assessment therefore aims to:

- Identify flood affected land and provide recommendations on how it should be considered in the precinct plans
- Advise on appropriate flood planning levels
- Identify any infrastructure works identified within the existing documentation required to manage flood levels
- Provide recommendations for any additional flooding or water sensitive design controls to be incorporated into Council's existing or new sitespecific DCP.

3 Showground Station Precinct

3.1 Introduction

Located entirely within The Hills Local Government Area (The Hills LGA), Showground Station Precinct (the Precinct) covers approximately 271 hectares. The Precinct extends to Showground Road and slightly beyond to the north at Kathleen Avenue, Windsor Road to the west and south, and Fishburn Crescent to the south-east.

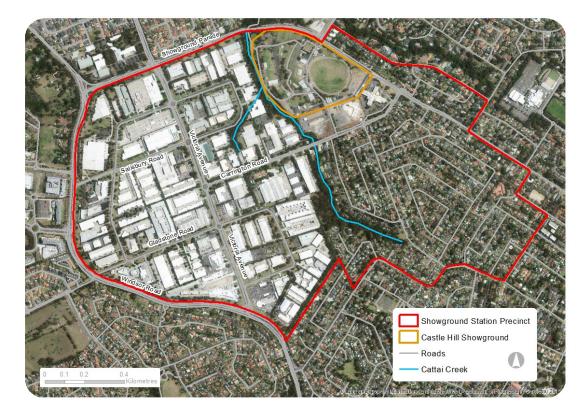


Figure 1 Showground Station Precinct Extents

3.2 Current Land Use and Runoff Potential

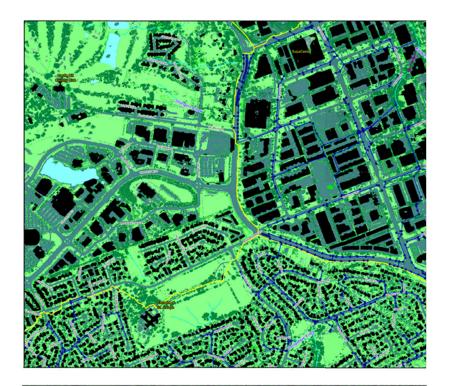
With reference to The Hills LEP 2012 land zoning map, the land use is mainly comprised of light industrial, business development and low density residential areas. The Castle Hill Showground, situated to the north-east of the site, is classified as a public recreation area along with part of Cattai Creek at Cockayne Reserve.

With respect to the potential for generation of stormwater run-off in a rainfall event, it can be seen that the light industrial and business development areas are predominantly hardstanding areas, as they consist of large building roofs and concrete surfaces / asphalt roads.

As can be seen in Figure 2 below, for the low density residential areas to the east and south east of the business district, and the Castle Hill Showground, the percentage of impermeable area (denoted in black and grey) is considerably lower.

Those areas in The Hills LEP 2012 land zoning map along Carrington Road that are currently classified as general residential and as an enterprise corridor represent the location of the proposed Showground North West Rail Link station.

Figure 2 Land Use - Surfacing Types





Source: The Hills Draft Urban Overland Flow Study

3.3 Topography

With reference to Figure 3, within the subject area, the topography ranges from 124m AHD (at the junction of Windsor Road and Showground Road) down to 64m AHD at Cattai Creek where it flows under Showground Road.



Figure 3 Topography within Subject Area

Source: Showground Structure Plan 2013. Precinct boundary has subsequently been amended.

3.4 Drainage and Watercourses

With reference to Figure 4, the Precinct extends over two subcatchments of Cattai Creek, a tributary of the Hawkesbury River. The majority of the Precinct area drains directly to Cattai Creek, which first becomes an open channel at Cockayne Reserve, and drains north (along the western boundary of Castle Hill Showground) towards Showground Road, just upstream of Fred Caterson Recreation Reserve.

A smaller portion of the Precinct to the north east drains to a tributary of Cattai Creek and becomes an open watercourse at Brittania Road. This channel joins at Fred Caterson Recreation Reserve, just to the north of the Precinct area.

As can also be seen in the drawing, there are subcatchments upstream of the Precinct extents to the south and east that drain to these tributaries. These areas are mostly comprised of low residential housing.

With reference to Figure 4, there is a considerable stormwater drainage network within this catchment which is owned and maintained by The Hills Shire Council (the Council). It is important to note that the condition of these pipes is not known.

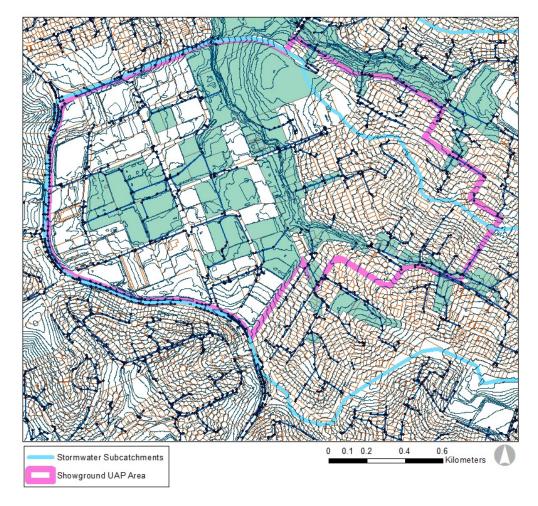


Figure 4 Showground Station Precinct stormwater drainage network and upstream catchment

The only Sydney Water infrastructure within the catchment is for sewage and water supply. It has been noted that there is a Sydney Water sewer overflow into Cattai Creek near the Castle Hill Showground.

3.5 Riparian Features

Cattai Creek first becomes an open watercourse at Cockayne Reserve, where an 1800mm diameter stormwater pipe drains to this location from the upper reaches to the south east. These upper reaches are relatively steep and well developed.

From this location the creek flows northwards, past the Castle Hill Showground, where it discharges under Showground Road (the northern boundary of the Precinct) towards Fred Caterson Reserve. Along the creek itself, it appears to be heavily vegetated, with the EIS for The Showground NWRL station stating that this gives the potential to generate large amounts of debris in flood waters. It will therefore be important that any future flood modelling undertaken for this area addresses this issue through consideration of appropriate blockage scenarios.

4 Current Council Policy Documents

Proposed developments are currently subject to Council's DCP (2012) and LEP (2012). The "Design Guidelines for Subdivision Developments (Aug 2009)" provides engineering guidelines for the subdivision and development of land, and also prescribes the on-site stormwater detention requirements for a property.

Below is an outline of those sections of the above documents most relevant to the Precinct in relation to drainage, overland flows, and Water Sensitive Urban Design (WSUD).

4.1 LEP 2012

Clause 7.3 of the LEP outlines Council's flood planning requirements. The clause applies to all land at or below the flood planning level, which is defined in this clause as the 1:100 year ARI (average recurrence interval) flood plus 0.5m freeboard. The clause uses terminology consistent with NSW Floodplain Development Manual (2005) to allow accurate definition.

The clause states that "Development consent must not be granted to development on land to which this clause applies unless the consent authority is satisfied that the development:

- (a) is compatible with the flood hazard of the land; and
- (b) is not likely to significantly adversely affect flood behaviour resulting in detrimental increases in the potential flood affectation of other development or properties, and
- (c) incorporates appropriate measures to manage risk to life from flood, and (d) is not likely to significantly adversely affect the environment or cause avoidable erosion, siltation, destruction of riparian vegetation or a reduction in the stability of river banks or watercourses, and
- (e) is not likely to result in unsustainable social and economic costs to the community as a consequence of flooding."

4.2 DCP 2012

The DCP 2012 applies to all land within The Hills LGA, and aims to provide a comprehensive document that contains all development controls, standards and provisions that apply to land in The Hills LGA. This DCP also ensures that development incorporates the principles of Ecologically Sustainable Development (ESD).

Along with the LEP 2012, this document provides advice and outlines the objectives of stormwater management for various areas.

4.2.1 DCP Part B

The DCP provides different objectives for stormwater management depending on land use type. For those land use types currently within the LEP 2012 for the subject site, the range of objectives for stormwater management are as follows:

• B2 – Residential Areas

The objectives for stormwater management in residential areas are:

- To provide for the disposal of stormwater from the site in efficient and environmentally sensible ways in accordance with Council's ESD Objective 3.
- To control stormwater and to ensure that developments do not increase downstream drainage flows or adversely impact adjoining or downstream properties.
- To ensure the integrity of watercourses is protected and enhanced in accordance with Council's ESD Objective 4.
- To provide for on-site detention of stormwater.
- To encourage the reuse of stormwater

• B6 – Business Areas

For those cadastral lots within the Precinct that are classified as a business zone in accordance with the LEP, the objectives for stormwater management are as listed below:

- To ensure that commercial/retail development does not impact on the water quality of adjacent properties or creeks in accordance with Council's ESD Objective 2.
- To ensure that development does not increase downstream flooding.
- To encourage reuse, recycling and harvesting of stormwater to reduce wastage of water in accordance with Council's ESD Objective 2.
- To encourage the re-use of stormwater for the irrigation of landscaped areas, particularly during establishment periods in accordance with Council's ESD Objective 2.
- To provide for the disposal of stormwater from the site in efficient, equitable and environmentally sensible ways.

• B7 – Industrial Areas

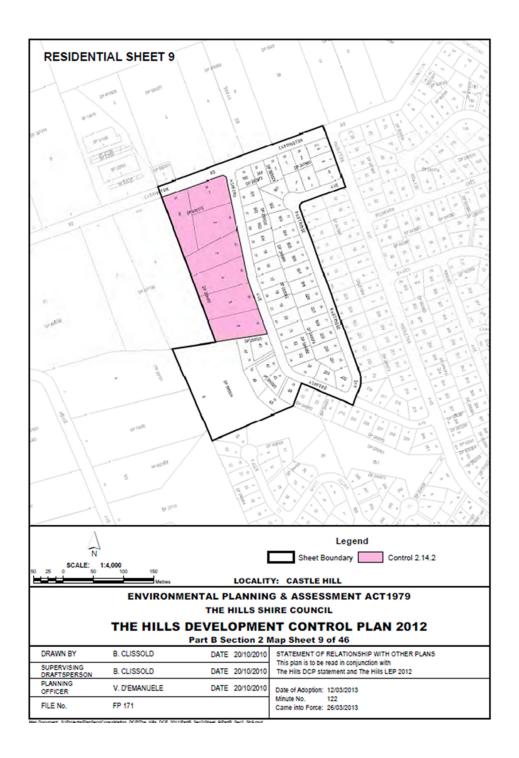
For those cadastral lots within the Precinct that are classified as a light industrial in accordance with the LEP, the objectives for stormwater management are as listed below:

- To ensure that industrial development does not impact on the water quality of adjacent properties or creeks.
- To provide for the disposal of stormwater from the site in efficient, equitable and environmentally sensible ways.
- To encourage the re-use of stormwater for the irrigation of landscaped areas, particularly during establishment periods.

4.2.2 Site Specific Objectives and Development Controls

There is one site within the Precinct which has specific development controls, as shown below, which has a maximum site coverage of 30%, compared to the normal 60%. As Cattai Creek runs through these cadastral lots, it is assumed that this reduction is to meet the objective of DCP Section 2.14.2 to "avoid the creation of drainage and runoff problems, through minimising the amount of impervious area in accordance with Councils' ESD Objective 3". Future planning for this site will need to consider and investigate further these constraints.

Figure 5 Specific Development Controls – Carrington Road / Ashford Avenue



4.2.3 Flood Controlled Land

Part C6 of the DCP provides advice on those lots that are classified as flood controlled land (i.e. land to which a flood related development control applies). The aim of this section of the DCP is to provide development controls to guide the management of flood risks associated with development by:

- Increasing public awareness of the hazard and extent of land affected by all potential floods, including floods greater than the 100 year average recurrence interval (ARI) flood and to ensure essential services and land uses are planned in recognition of all potential floods.
- Informing the community of Council's policy for the use and development of flood controlled land.
- Managing the risk to human life and damage to property caused by flooding through controlling development on land affected by potential floods.
- Minimising the potential impact of development and other activity upon the amenity, aesthetic, recreational and ecological value of the waterway corridors and the surrounding environment.

4.2.3.1 Flood Planning Levels

Part C6 of the DCP is the section that also provides guidance on how to apply appropriate flood planning levels for new developments. Section 1.6 outlines that "a range of flood planning levels (FPL) may apply depending on the type of land use and the part of the development in consideration. In principle, a higher FPL will apply to land uses considered more sensitive to flood hazards or which may be critical to emergency management operations or the recovery of the community after a flood event".

Part C6 includes overarching development controls relating to ensuring the development does not increase flood effects to other properties.

In addition, four potential Flood Planning Levels are defined as shown in Table 1 below.

Table 1 Flood Planning References	and Levels (DCP Part C6 Table 1)
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Flood Planning Levels Reference	Flood Planning Level
FPL 1	20 year ARI
FPL 2	100 Year ARI
FPL3	100 Year ARI +0.5m Freeboard
FPL 4	PMF

These flood planning levels are then applied to six land use categories, as summarised in Table 2. Key flooding controls only have been included as the DCP provides detailed descriptions.

Table 2 Flood Planning Levels by Land Use Category

Land Use Category	Key Flood Planning Level Controls				
Critical Uses and Facilities	Not suitable on flood affected land up to FPL 4				
Sensitive Uses and Facilities	No development in floodway, flowpath or high hazard area up to FPL4 Habitable Floors: FPL4 Non habitable Floors: FPL3* Open car parks: as high as practical, minimum FPL1 Enclosed car parks (<20 vehicles): FPL 2 Enclosed car parks (>20 vehicles): FPL 3				
Residential	No development in floodway, flowpath or high hazard area up to FPL2* Habitable Floors: FPL3 Non habitable Floors: FPL3 (preferred) FPL1 (minimum)* Open car parks: as high as practical, minimum FPL1 Enclosed car parks (<20 vehicles): FPL 2 Enclosed car parks (>20 vehicles): FPL 3				
Commercial or Industrial	No development in floodway, flowpath or high hazard area up to FPL2* Habitable Floors: FPL3 Non habitable Floors: FPL3 (preferred) FPL1 (minimum)* Open car parks: as high as practical, minimum FPL1 Enclosed car parks (<20 vehicles): FPL 2 Enclosed car parks (>20 vehicles): FPL 3				
Recreation or Non-urban Uses	No development in floodway, flowpath or high hazard area up to FPL2* All floor levels: FPL1* Open car parks: as high as practical				
Concessional Development No development in floodway, flowpath or high hazard area up to New habitable floor levels: FPL3* Open car parks: no lower than design floor level or ground level*					

^{*} Unless justified by a site specific assessment

The existing development comprises predominantly residential, commercial or industrial and recreation land uses. Based on the table above, a flood planning level of 100 year ARI + 500mm freeboard would generally be applicable to new habitable flood levels.

4.2.4 Water Sensitive Urban Design

Appendix B of the DCP supplements the existing DCP 2012 requirements to provide WSUD in light industrial areas, and prescribes that two WSUD measures are to be selected from the following:

- M1 Low Impact Building Design
- M2 Low Impact Landscape Design
- M3 Porous Paving
- M4 Rainwater Utilisation toilet, hot water

- M5 On-site infiltration system
- M6 Stormwater Treatment System
- M7 Infiltration or Retention System
- M8 Stormwater Utilisation irrigation

4.3 Design Guidelines Subdivision / Developments

Other than the LEP 2012 and DCP 2012, the Design Guidelines Subdivision / Developments provides "engineering guidelines for the subdivision and development of land and to facilitate the efficient processing of engineering plan submissions for subdivisions and developments".

Within these guidelines, Section 4 outlines the requirements for stormwater drainage design within the LGA. Some sections of note within this drainage guideline that are particularly applicable to the Precinct are as follows:

- Section 4.22: On-Site Stormwater Detention
- Section 4.25: Water Sensitive Urban Design

The Design Guidelines also state that all new development proposals are to incorporate Water Sensitive Urban Design (WSUD), with the aim being to provide "sustainable and integrated management of land and water resources, incorporating best practice stormwater management, water conservation and environmental protection measures."

4.3.1 On-Site Stormwater Detention

The Hills LGA drains to two main catchments, the Upper Parramatta River Catchment and the Hawkesbury River Catchment. As the Precinct, and Cattai Creek, are subcatchments of the Hawkesbury River, the on-site stormwater detention (OSD) requirements applicable to the Precinct are as follows.

- "...where a proposed development drains to the Hawkesbury River Catchment OSD will be required."
- The Permissible Site Discharge (PSD) and Site Storage Volume (SSV) requirements shall be derived from Table 4.14 for that portion of the Hawkesbury River Catchment area that falls within the Shire.

Site Slope	PSD (l/s/ha)	SSV (m₃/ha)
Greater than 15%	136	298
Between 10% and	115	336
15%		
Between 6% and	104	362
10%		
Between 3% and	92	396
6%		
Between 0% and	<i>87</i>	412
3%		

Table 4.14 - PSD and SSV Requirements for the Hawkesbury River Catchment

Section 4.22 of the OSD guidelines state that sites within catchment areas draining to an existing approved detention system are exempted from the requirement for on-site detention. It is understood that this exemption typically applies to new release areas, but would also be applicable should a centralised OSD strategy be feasible for the Precinct.

4.3.2 Water Sensitive Urban Design

The section of the guidelines states that the "objective of Water Sensitive Urban Design (WSUD) is for a post development water cycle to replicate or improve upon the pre-development water cycle through the use of design techniques to reduce development impact on receiving waters.

The guideline requires all proposals subject to a Development Application process to incorporate WSUD measures, and that those measures be designed with ongoing operation and maintenance in mind. A number of WSUD measures are recommended for consideration, including rainwater tanks, stormwater treatment devices, biofiltration, bioretention, detention basins, swales, porous paving/surfaces, wetlands and gross pollutant traps. The guideline requires WSUD measures to be designed and constructed in accordance with:

- Water Sensitive Urban Design Technical Guidelines for Western Sydney (NSW Government Stormwater Trust and UPRCT, May 2004); and
- Australian Runoff Quality (Engineers Australia 2005)

It is worth noting that neither the LEP 2012, DCP 2012, nor any other LGA-wide Hills Shire Council guideline appears to give a "target-based" approach for the reduction in stormwater pollutant generation, although this is however included in Table 2.7 of the Water Sensitive Urban Design, Technical Guidelines for Western Sydney which is referred to in the Council DCP. The targets in the Technical Guidelines for Western Sydney apply to "medium-scale developments" generally defined as those greater than 2,500m² total area.

Additionally, Hills Shire Council have included "target-based" water quality performance objectives within the North Kellyville DCP 2014 and Box Hill/Box Hill Industrial Precinct DCP 2014. The targets have been determined by the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH). A comparison of the targets from the Technical Guidelines for Western Sydney and the recent Hills Shire Council specific precinct DCP's is provided in Table 3 below.

Table 3 Comparison of Stormwater Quality Performance Objectives

Pollutant	WSUD Technical Guidelines for Western Sydney	North Kellyville and Box Hill/Box Hill Industrial Precinct DCP's
Litter	70% of average annual litter load (greater than 5mm)	90% of average annual litter load (greater than 5mm)
Coarse Sediment	80% of average annual load for particles 0.5mm or less	85% of annual average load
Fine Particles	50% of average annual load for particles 0.1mm or less	-
Total Phosphorous	45% reduction in the post development mean annual load of Total Phosphorous	65% reduction in the post development mean annual load of Total Phosphorous
Total Nitrogen	45% reduction in the post development mean annual load of Total Nitrogen	45% reduction in the post development mean annual load of Total Nitrogen
Hydrocarbons, oil and grease	90% of average pollutant load.	-

It is understood through consultation with Hills Shire Council that developers are to demonstrate compliance with the pollutant reduction targets above through industry standard MUSIC water quality modelling (or equivalent) and that this is undertaken upon the submission of the Preliminary Engineering Drainage Plans in a Development Application. Requirements for MUSIC modelling are explicitly stated within the submission are not explicit within Council's plans and policy documents North Kellyville DCP 2014 and Box Hill/Box Hill Industrial Precinct DCP 2014, but not within the general DCP 2012.

4.4 Identification of Flood Affected Land

The Council have an existing hierarchy of flood information, which varies in detail across The Hills LGA. Part of this information consists of flood control lot mapping (i.e. land to which a flood related development control applies), which has been supplied by the Council for the purposes of this study.

The following mapping illustrates properties (shaded green) within the Precinct and associated upstream catchment that are currently classified by Council as "Flood Control Lots" (i.e., lots subject to a flood-related development control). While development on these land parcels may be constrained, development is not prohibited.



Figure 6 Existing Flood Control Lot Mapping

Source: The Hills DCP 2012

Upon finalisation and adoption of the Urban Overland Flow Study, that this Flood Control Lot mapping may be reviewed by Council. An overview of the Urban Overland Flow Study is provided in Section 6.

5 Previous Hydrological & Hydraulic Studies / Existing Information

Arup have undertaken a desktop review of the information that has been provided to date by Council and the Department of Planning and Environment (the Department). This information has taken the form of guidelines, reports, and GIS information to date. The following sections summarise the initial findings of this review, and will be updated before the final submission if further information is received.

5.1 The Hills Shire Council Studies

It is understood that reports relating to the stormwater drainage catchment for the Precinct are as follows:

- Urban Overland Flowpath Mapping Project (2010)
- Cattai Ridge Road XP-RAFTS model
- The draft Urban Overland Flow Study Project (ongoing): discussed in Section 6 of this report.

5.1.1 Urban Overland Flowpath Mapping Project (2010)

An overview of the Urban Overland Flowpath Mapping Project (2010) has been provided in the current draft Urban Overland Flow Study.

As such, the Urban Overland Flowpath Mapping Project "...was prepared to identify land across the urban areas of the LGA that may be traversed by an overland flowpath. In doing so, the study was designed to assist Council in defining land that should be subject to a flood related development control (i.e., flood control lots).

The flow path start (i.e., initiation) points were defined using the following criteria:

- Peak 100 Year ARI Discharge > 0.9 m₃/s; or
- Peak 100 Year ARI Discharge > 0.4 m₃/s and the terrain is 'incised' (i.e., channelised).

Peak 100 year ARI discharges were estimated for each DEM cell using relationships that related discharge to the contributing catchment area and upstream impervious proportion.

The resulting flow path alignments were verified relative to lots that were previously identified by Council as flood controlled land. The alignments were also verified against lots where flood and drainage complaints had previously been received.

The outcomes of the study determined that the mapped flow paths provided a reasonable representation of the start location and alignment of urban overland flow paths across the LGA. However, the study does not provide any indication of the potential depth, extent and velocity of water along these flow paths."

5.1.2 Cattai Ridge Road XP-RAFTS Model

An overview of the Cattai Ridge Road XP-RAFTS model has been provided in the current draft Urban Overland Flow Study. The XP-RAFTS model of the Cattai Creek catchment "was originally developed as part of a proposed upgrade of the McClymonts Road causeway crossing to accommodate a fish passage. The model was subsequently extended further downstream to Cattai Ridge Road by Council.

The model extension was completed as part of the proposed replacement of the Cattai Ridge Road crossing of Cattai Creek.

The upper sections of the XP-RAFTS model are contained within Drainage Catchment 4..." (the area pertaining to the catchment of the Precinct).

"Accordingly, the design discharge estimates generated by the XP-RAFTS model across this section of the catchment could be used to assist in the verification of the hydrology.." [for the current Urban Overland Flow Study].

Although the XP-RAFTS model was used to inform the current Urban Overland Flow Study used this XP-RAFTS model, the current study supersedes any information contained within this earlier study.

5.2 Other Council Flood Information

Other than the existing and previous hydrological / hydraulic studies that have been undertaken on behalf of Council, it is understood that Council also possess supplementary information related for the Hills LGA in relation to flooding, which include:

- Flood complaints database
- Historic Flood photographs

It is understood that this supplementary information has been used in the draft Urban Overland Flow Study.

Existing On Site Detention storage provisions

Other than the supplementary flood information, it is understood that Council also possess information in relation to those existing properties that have OSD storage installed within the lot, although much of the existing development pre-dates the commencement of Council's OSD policy (1991). This information was requested from Council but not received within the time constraints of this project.

5.4 Information prepared by Others

With regards to information or studies that have been undertaken by those other than Council, the most relevant hydraulic study that has been undertaken was as part of the Showground NWRL Station EIS, by AECOM on behalf of Department of Transport for NSW (TfNSW).

This work concentrated on Cattai Creek, as anecdotal evidence suggests that part of the Carrington Road area has been subject to flooding from Cattai Creek in the past. The study involved 1D modelling in HEC-RAS for a limited area of Cattai Creek only, and as such, the study does not consider flooding caused from overland flow. It does not therefore identify the flood risk to all properties within the Precinct, nor is it directly comparable to the more detailed studies being undertaken by Council. As can be seen in Figure 7, the land either side of the creek is at risk of flooding as expected, but it is mainly confined to existing open space areas in the LEP 2012 mapping.

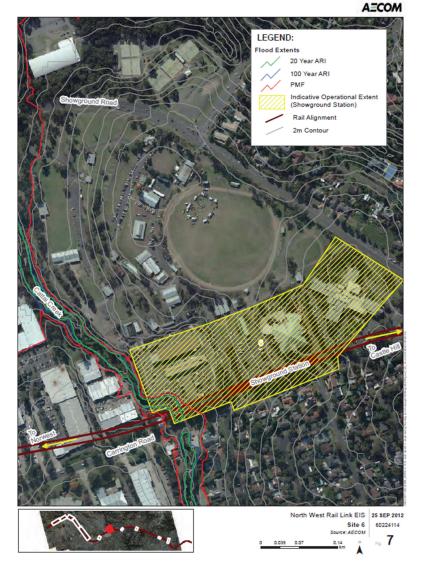


Figure 7 Flood extents of Cattai Creek around Showground NWRL Station

Source: Showground NWRL Statin EIS (Aecom on behalf of TfNSW).

5.5 Water Quality

Other than the high level information provided as part of the EIS in relation to water quality, there is little available information in relation to pollutant generation within the catchment, or the current ecological / water quality health of Cattai Creek. It is noted that a Sydney Water sewer overflow spills into Cattai Creek from the industrial estate. Information in relation to the spill volume or frequency however is not known.

The Hills Shire Council Urban Overland Flow Study (Draft)

As discussed previously, Council have commissioned Catchment Simulation Solutions to undertake an overland flow study for a 68km2 area, primarily the older, existing urban areas of the LGA, to determine those cadastral lots that will be affected.

Council have advised that the overland flow results from this 1d/2d TUFLOW model are considered to be the most accurate information that will be available for the Precinct. As such, Arup assume that this takes precedence over all previous studies undertaken by or on behalf of Council or others.

At the time of completion Showground Urban Activation Precinct study, this project was still in progress. The draft Urban Overland Flow Study (Revision 1, October 2014) has been provided by Council for assessment. This section outlines the objectives of the report, the key features of the hydraulic model, and the main report findings.

6.1.1 Aims of The Hills Urban Overland Flow Study

The objectives of the Urban Overland Flow Study outlined by Council for the project included the following:

- Define flooding behaviour across the study area for existing topographic and development conditions;
- Produce information on flood levels, flood depths, flow velocities and discharges for the 10 year, 20 year and 100year ARI design floods;
- Use the results of the design flood simulations to define the variation in flood hazard across the study area for each design flood;
- Use the results of the design flood simulations to define the variation in hydraulic categories across the study area for each design flood;
- Identify properties within the study area where a flood related development control applies; and
- Document the outcomes of the study in a comprehensive report

In order to meet the above study objectives, the study included a review of available hydrological / hydraulic information, the compliation of a TUFLOW flood model to simulate historical flood events, verification of the historic flood information, and use of the verified TUFLOW model to derive design events for the 10 year, 20 year and 100 year ARI.

The study was not required to consider climate change.

6.1.2 Definition of Overland Flow

The report states that "...the TUFLOW models were used to simulate design flood behaviour for the 10, 20 and 100 year ARI floods. The results of the TUFLOW simulations were subsequently "filtered" to identify those areas across each catchment where the depth and velocity of overland flows may present a

significant hazard to people and/or cause damage to private and public properties."

All overland flow paths show areas where the depth and/or velocity of overland flows are sufficient to cause a potential risk to personal safety and/or damage to property during the nominated flood event. For the purposes of the overland flow results mapping provided in Figure 8 through Figure 11, overland flows that meet any of the criteria listed in Table 4 below have been mapped.

Table 4 Adopted Depth & Velocity Criteria for presentation of Overland Flow Results

Criteria	Depth (m)		Velocity (m/s)		Velocity x Depth (m²/s)
Instability of Children	>=0.5	OR	>=3.0	OR	>0.4
Mobilisation of vehicles (floating)	>=0.3	AND	>=0.0	AND	>0.3
Mobilisation of vehicles (sliding)	>=0.1	AND	>=3.0		
Overtopping of	>=0.17	AND			>0.4
gutters/inundation of private/public property	>=0.3	AND	>0.0		

Source: The Hills Draft Urban Overland Flow Study

6.1.3 Blockage Factors

It is important to note that these overland flow results are based on stormwater system inlets and culvert inlets using the following blockage factors (which are typical current guidance within available literature):

- "On grade" stormwater pits = 20% blockage
- "Sag" stormwater pits = 50% blockage
- Culverts with height < 3 metres or width < 5 metres = 20% blockage
- Culverts with height > 3 metres and width > 5 metres = 10% blockage

6.1.4 Draft Overland Flow Results

As planning for the Precinct will need to consider 100yr ARI overland flows, this review concentrates on those results. However, 10 yr and 20 yr ARI mapping has been included and discussed in this section in relation to potential drainage network infrastructure constraints.

6.1.4.1 10 Year and 20 Year ARI Results

Figure 8 (a and b) and Figure 9 (a and b) illustrate the 10 year ARI and 20 year ARI overland flow paths respectively (as defined in Table 4 above), extracted from the Hills Draft Urban Overland Flow Study.

Areas where overland flows are present in the 10 year ARI event indicate areas where Council's current stormwater drainage design standard is unlikely to be currently being met. These areas indicate opportunities for improvement in performance during the redevelopment of the Precinct.

With reference to Figure 8 (a), it can be seen that within the industrial and commercial estate, overland flows are evident in the 10 Year ARI event along the low lying areas in the natural topography, with one major and one minor overland flow paths from the Creek through to Victoria Avenue. Flow depths for these overland flow routes are typically less than 0.5m, with the primary overland flow path near to the bend of Salisbury Avenue indicating depths of 1.0m in limited areas.

The 20 year ARI results for the industrial and commercial estate (Figure 9a) indicate only limited increases in depths and extents of overland flows along the same flow lines as the 10 year ARI.

Within the residential estate to the south and east of the Creek, there are also two main overland flow paths that drain through existing residential blocks to Cockayne Reserve. Again there is very little difference in depth and extent of overland flow between the 1 in 10 year ARI and 1 in 20 year ARI, with flow depths in these flow paths ranging from 0.1m to between 0.5m and 1.0m.

The network of east-west streets within the precinct typically follows crest lines in the local topography rather than sag lines. Upgrading drainage infrastructure within the existing streets may therefore have limited potential in relieving flooding along the overland flow paths.

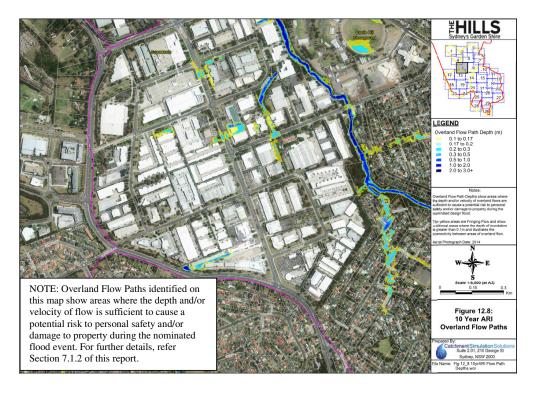
6.1.4.2 100 Year ARI Results

With reference to Figure 10 (a and b), it can be seen that within the industrial / commercial estate, overland flows follow similar lines to the 10 year and 20 year ARI events. Flow depths for these overland flow routes appear to range from 0.1m, to approximately 0.5m to 1.0m in limited areas.

Within the residential estate to the south east of the business area, overland flows also follow similar lines to the 10 year and 20 year ARI events. Again, the flow depths in these flow paths appear to range from 0.1m to between 0.5m and 1.0m.

While there is an increase in overland flow path extent between the minor (10 year/20year) and major (100 year) events, the increase is relatively minor.

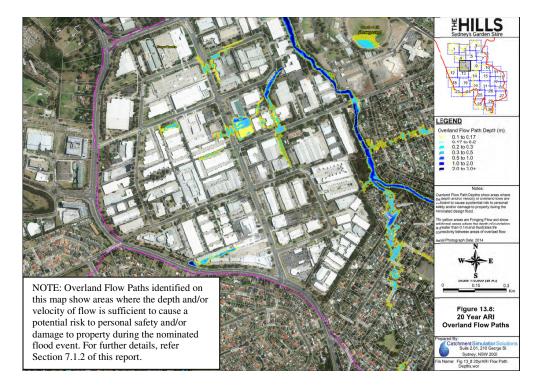
Figure 8 10 Year ARI Overland Flow Paths





Figures extracted from The Hills Draft Urban Overland Flow Study

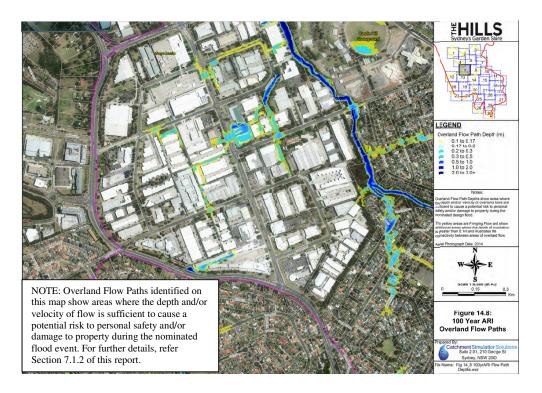
Figure 9 20 Year ARI Overland Flow Paths

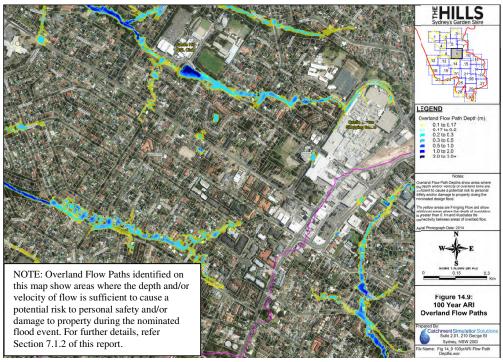




Figures extracted from The Hills Draft Urban Overland Flow Study

Figure 10 100 Year ARI Overland Flow Paths





Figures extracted from The Hills Draft Urban Overland Flow Study

6.1.5 Blockage Assessment

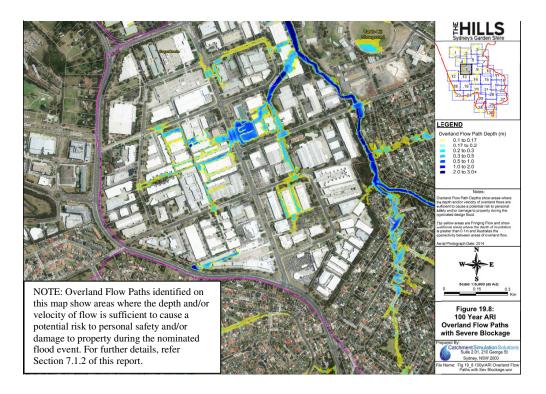
An important element of the study is that it also has undertaken a sensitivity analysis on blockage of the stormwater system and its main culverts (zero blockage and severe). "Severe" blockage has been assessed as being:

- 100% blockage of "On grade" stormwater pits
- 100% blockage of "Sag" stormwater pits = 50% blockage
- 100% blockage of Culverts with height < 3 metres or width < 5 metres
- 25% blockage of Culverts with height > 3 metres and width > 5 metres

Figure 11 (a and b) shows the effect of what is considered as a severe blockage to the stormwater system.

As would be expected, the extents of the overland flow paths are greater, affecting more cadastral lots than previous. The flow depths also appear to be deeper in some of these areas.

Figure 11 100 Year ARI Overland Flow Paths - Severe Blockage Scenario





Figures extracted from The Hills Draft Urban Overland Flow Study

7 Flooding Baseline for the Showground Station Urban Activation Precinct

7.1 Comparison of Flooding and Overland Flow Results

As it is understood that Council will use the information from the Urban Overland Flow Study to inform potential changes to their Flood Controlled Land mapping, a preliminary assessment of draft Overland Flow Results from the study against the existing mapping has been undertaken.

For this preliminary assessment, the flood control lot map was compared to the design 100yr ARI overland flow mapping.

The review has shown that there are more areas currently on the flood control lot mapping than appear to experience overland flows according to the new study. As such, Council may review their existing Flood Controlled Land mapping accordingly.

7.2 Recommendation

Given the time constraints of this project, it is recommended that the Precinct Structure Plan is developed in accordance with the existing flood control lot mapping and relevant flood planning levels, although the draft Overland Flow Study results have been used to inform the planning of the Precinct.

It is recommended that the Plan be reviewed once the results of the Overland Flow Study are adopted by Council.

8 Proposed Precinct Plan

With reference to the proposed LEP zoning map below, the main elements of the plan for the Showground Station UAP area are:

- Construction of new roads These are proposed across all areas within the commercial/industrial area to the west of Cattai Creek, a new road over Cattai Creek, and further new roads within the residential areas to the east of the site and within the Castle Hill Showground area.
- Re-classification of lands to west of Cattai Creek The proposed LEP rezoning allows for the inclusion of an Enterprise Corridor (B6) and General Residential (R1). It also allows for increased heights of buildings within this area for existing light industrial areas.
- Re-classification of the existing Showground Area to Public Recreation (RE1) and a Local Centre (B2), which includes the NWRL Showground Railway Station.
- Re-classification of the residential area density to the east and south east to medium density (R3) and high density (R4)



Figure 12 Proposed LEP Land Zoning Map

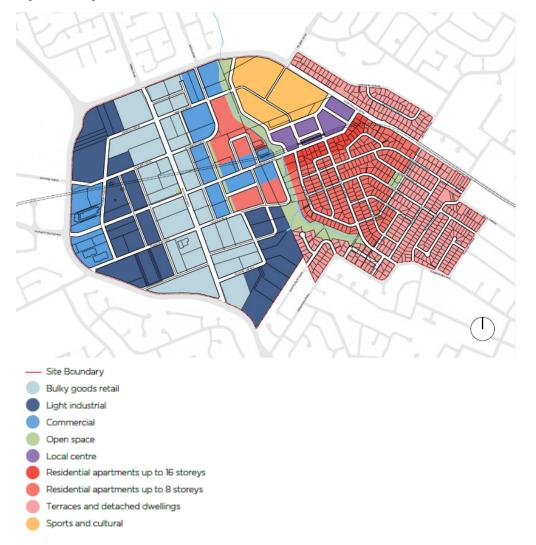


Figure 13 Proposed Precinct Plan - Land Uses

9 Precinct Plan Review

Having established the existing policies and guidelines for development within The Hills LGA, and reviewed the most current overland flow information, the following opportunities or constraints have been identified for the Precinct Plan with regards to flood mitigation/management, stormwater management and water quality treatment.

Flood mitigation/management infrastructure is discussed holistically for the precinct, whereas discussion on stormwater management and water quality treatment has been separated into the discrete elements of the Precinct Plan outlined in Section 8.

9.1 Flood mitigation/management infrastructure

Having reviewed the reports as listed in Sections 5 and 6, there do not appear to be any previously identified recommendations for flood mitigation/management infrastructure on a large scale within the Precinct or upstream.

Having reviewed the Precinct and the upstream catchment, there appears to be limited open space available for the potential provision of precinct-scale overland flow mitigation infrastructure solutions, which could typically include options such as retarding basins and channel modifications.

Although there are not many opportunities upstream of the catchment to provide large scale solutions, the provision of on-the-lot solutions (such as rainwater tanks) should be investigated to assist with the reduction of surface water run-off for more frequent events. An incentive for the installation of rainwater tanks on existing properties could be provided. It is assumed that any redeveloped residential property will be required to install these through BASIX requirements. The recent North Kellyville DCP 2014 and Box Hill/Box Hill Industrial Precinct DCP 2014 mandated that "All buildings must install rainwater tanks to meet a portion of supply such as outdoor use and toilets. All residential dwellings are required to provide a (minimum) 3,000 litre (3 KL) rainwater tank as part of the WSUD strategy, and such tank is to be connected for use in toilet flushing and external uses." It should be noted that rainwater tanks are not recommended as a solution for significant rainfall events that will cause overland flooding.

Within the Precinct itself, as there will be significant redevelopment expected, there are potential opportunities to address the overland flow issues, as illustrated in the mapping shown in this report. For each road that is to be developed, additional stormwater infrastructure will need to be constructed. Should this be undertaken in a holistic manner in accordance with the existing OSD policy, it may assist in reducing the overland flows that exists within the area.

9.2 Stormwater Management and Water Quality Treatment

9.2.1 Overall Commentary

Although the Precinct should result in considerable redevelopment and opportunities to improve the stormwater management for the catchment, it is

anticipated that this redevelopment will generally be implemented in piecemeal fashion over a medium to long term period. As such, it will be difficult for Council to implement a large scheme that will result in an immediate improvement to overland flow or water quality issues.

With that being the case, it may be more advisable to implement any changes through the revision of the LEP and DCP, and to mitigate any known risks with regards to overland flows until the point that the catchment has been redeveloped to the extent that there is a reduction in peak flows.

As a considerable area within the extents of the Precinct may be re-developed, OSD implementation would be likely to have a positive impact on the current overland flow results as discussed, and subsequent benefit to flood mitigation within Cattai Creek. This could be investigated as an option in a potential future flood/overland flow modelling study by Council, that would examine the effects of the new development.

Other than further hydraulic modelling being undertaken to determine the effects of the Precinct development, a general Stormwater Masterplan for the Precinct could be undertaken to determine the other benefits that may be associated to sustainable stormwater management, such as stormwater harvesting and re-use for example.

There may be opportunities for improvement in the riparian corridor, such as examining the spill performance and spill frequency of the existing Sydney Water overflow that discharges to Cattai Creek. Redevelopment of the area to the west of Cattai Creek may identify any unknown stormwater connections and reduce the frequency of when this overflow discharges

Further opportunities for improvement to the riparian corridor, such as geomorphological improvements, could be made through the widespread implementation of rainwater tanks on private properties.

9.2.2 New Roads

The introduction of new roads will likely open up new routes for overland flow around the precinct, potentially reducing flood impacts to lots. The development of these roads may also increase surface water run-off within the Precinct Area, which should be mitigated through on site detention.

Should these new roads, along with the increase in density of the area, result in additional traffic, this will likely introduce additional water quality loadings (motor oils/hydrocarbons) to the area that would need to be addressed. As discussed above, road upgrades are anticipated to be delivered in a staged manner, accompanying adjacent developments, which makes integration of WSUD elements challenging. However, there is potential for raingardens/bioretention tree pits to be introduced (supplementing, rather than replacing the typical minor drainage network) to treat local flows from the road corridor.

9.2.3 Commercial/Industrial Area West of Cattai Creek

As described above, the introduction of new roads within this area may cause changes to the overland flow routes. With regards to the newly proposed B6 Enterprise Corridor and R1 General Residential, these appear to be within the 100

year ARI overland flow paths for the catchment, and are currently classified as flood control lots. It is assumed that additional measures will need to be undertaken to address the potential overland flows through these areas, and that Flood Planning Levels will be set to 100 year ARI plus 500mm freeboard in line with Part C6 of the DCP.

With regards to water quality and pollutant generation within the area, the reduction in light industrial areas may result in the reduction of some current pollution loading, particularly if WSUD elements are introduced to the area through its redevelopment.

9.2.4 Showground

Having assessed the available overland flow mapping for this area, it does not appear that there are considerable existing overland flow problems. The redevelopment of this part of the Precinct however, which could include an increase in impermeable area, may result in additional surface run-off compared to the existing situation. The introduction of more people and vehicles to the area, since it is proposed to be a local centre as part of the Precinct rezoning, is likely to generate additional pollutant loadings.

Although the proposed re-zoning may increase the surface water run-off and water quality pollutant generation, this area has significant opportunites for stormwater management and WSUD given that it is likely to be developed in a more holistic manner and within a shorter time frame than other parts of the precinct. There should be ample opportunities available to not only manage these increases, but to develop in a sustainable manner that should result in improving the existing situation.

A holistic stormwater management plan could be derived for this specific area, and given that this is to become a new local centre and potential showcase to entice further redevelopment within the area, it should be investigated whether this could become a Green Star community area.

The large available open space area would be likely to provide sufficient scope to introduce WSUD and detention for a wider catchment than simply the Showground's local catchment alone. However, the position of the Showground area close to the top of the catchment and to the north of Cattai Creek means that there is limited potential to use this area to treat and/or detain stormwater flows from the rest of the precinct

9.2.5 Existing residential area

For the existing residential area to the east/south-east of the site, the Precinct Plan proposes an increase in density (to medium and high density housing), with the introduction of new roads. These density increases may result in the increase in impermeable areas, and therefore in an increase in surface water run-off. Mandating OSD in these areas should be considered to not only eliminate the potential increase in run-off, but to reduce it in comparison with the existing conditions.

It is noted that the proposed new road, a continuation of Dawes Avenue to the west towards Cattai Creek, would assist with the conveyance of overland flows

towards the creek. The construction of this road would require the demolition of existing properties that appear to be affected by overland flow.

As with other areas within the proposed precinct, the increase in density will most likely result in an increase in water quality pollutant loadings that will need to be addressed also, through on-lot WSUD measures.

10 Future Planning Controls

It is understood that The Hills Shire Council are currently in the process of revisiting the LEP and DCP for the whole Local Government Area, and that therefore there may be changes in relation to the management of stormwater, overland flows and water quality.

In determining potential future planning controls that could be incorporated into Hills Shire Council's DCP, it is acknowledged that it is important to achieve the best outcome for the community and the environment, whilst not impinging on the financial viability of redevelopment due to overly restrictive measures. As such, Arup have assessed the merit of the existing controls/guidelines.

The recent North Kellyville DCP 2014 and Box Hill/Box Hill Industrial Precinct DCP 2014 contain a number of stormwater quantity, quality and flooding provisions that are either not included or not as clearly articulated in the current DCP 2012, and these provide a good basis for future DCP provisions for the Precinct.

10.1 OSD Policy

As discussed earlier in this report, the existing OSD policy is set to the requirements of the Hawkesbury River Catchment OSD policy. It is assumed that the benefits that this current policy provides would therefore be mandated as a minimum should there be a change in the OSD policy. In examining the existing policy however, should the redevelopment of the Precinct result in the widespread implementation and construction of OSD tanks, the overland flows should reduce considerably. An example of this is the light industrial / commercial area to the west of Cattai Creek within the Precinct. The excerpt below is from the current Overland Flow Study (Drainage Catchment 4 Flow Locations), and shows flow measurement lines from which piped and overland flows have been extracted from the TUFLOW model for the 10 year, 20 year and 100 year design ARI events.



Figure 14 Flow Measurement Lines - Overland Flow Study

Figures extracted from The Hills Draft Urban Overland Flow Study

The corresponding Table 4 in the report provides the breakdown as follows:

ID	Location	Peak Discharge (m³/s)								
		10 Year ARI		20 Year ARI			100 Year ARI			
		Pipe	Overland	Total	Pipe	Overland	Total	Pipe	Overland	Total
40	Whitling Ave	4.77	4.86	9.63	4.96	6.65	11.6	4.77	10.3	15.1
41	DS Middleton Ave	4.83	8.51	13.3	5.07	12.0	17.1	5.56	15.9	21.5
42	White Cedar Dr	2.15	7.89	10.0	2.82	10.7	13.5	2.46	14.5	17.0
43	DS Carrington Rd	0.00	23.8	23.8	0.00	30.7	30.7	0.00	43.1	43.1
44	Victoria Av	7.22	1.63	8.85	8.78	2.53	11.3	9.86	4.94	14.8
45	Castle St/Grand Wy	3.24	7.44	10.7	3.53	9.48	13.0	3.72	13.6	17.3
46	Britannia Rd X Bounty Ave	2.56	4.22	6.78	2.80	5.19	7.99	3.12	7.41	10.5

Figures extracted from The Hills Draft Urban Overland Flow Study

Should there be little or no existing OSD within the area, the application of widespread OSD through redevelopment upstream of the flow check line at Victoria Avenue should result in considerable flow reductions.

Assuming that only two thirds (52 ha approx.) of the upstream catchment from this flow check line had OSD implemented in the future, the peak flow for the 100yr ARI for this whole area would be reduced to 4.5 m³/s, which is a considerable reduction pro-rata wise of the equivalent total of 9.8 m³/s for the 100 year ARI event. This estimation was on the basis that a Permissible Site Discharge

of 87 l/s/ha, in line with the Hawkesbury River Catchment OSD Policy, would be implemented.

10.2 WSUD

There is an opportunity to provide more up-to-date and binding WSUD consideration within Council's LEP and/or DCP, consistent across all types of development, including areas under 2,500m² in size. The existing 'target-based' pollutant reductions that are recommended in the Technical Guidelines for Western Sydney could be incorporated within the actual DCP, and demonstration of how these targets have been addressed by mandated as a DA submission requirement. The target values could be increased to match those included within the North Kellyville DCP 2014 and Box Hill/Box Hill Industrial Precinct DCP 2014, as provided in Table 3 of this report. Inclusion of a target for oils and greases is also recommended. As an example, Parramatta City Council's DCP requires no visible oils for flows up to 50% of the one-year ARI peak flow specific for particular development types.

10.3 Draft Controls

10.3.1 Objectives

- a. To adopt best practice techniques for stormwater quality management.
- b. To minimise flooding and reduce the effects of stormwater pollution on Cattai Creek.
- c. To ensure that land is appropriate to managing and minimising risks from flooding.
- d. To ensure an integrated approach to water management through the use of water sensitive urban design (WSUD) principles.

10.3.2 Controls

- A comprehensive Stormwater Management Plan/Master Plan is to be prepared
 for the Precinct prior to approval of first development within the B2 zone. The
 Master Plan is to ensure the sustainable stormwater management within the
 Precinct and is to include consideration of various of sustainable practices
 including stormwater management, rainwater harvesting and re-use and water
 conservation.
- 2. All Stormwater drainage designs are to comply with the most up to date revision of Council's "Design Guidelines".
- 3. WSUD is to be adopted throughout all development, incorporating water quality management and attenuation of runoff to acceptable levels following development.
- 4. The following stormwater management objectives are to be achieved for all development within the Precinct:
 - 90% reduction in the post-development average annual gross pollutant load

- 85% reduction in the post-development average annual total suspended solids (TSS) load
- 65% reduction in the post-development average annual total phosphorus (TP) load
- 45% reduction in the post-development average annual total nitrogen (TN) load
- 5. For developments generating oils and grease, the additional objective of no visible oils for flows up to 50% of the one-year ARI peak flow shall be achieved.
- 6. Design or new road corridors shall incorporate WSUD elements including raingardens/bioswales/bioretention tree pits to supplement the typical minor drainage network to treat local flows from the road corridor. Design and construction of these elements shall allow for ease of ongoing maintenance and for pedestrian crossings at appropriate locations.
- 7. WSUD infrastructure elements are to be designed and constructed in accordance following publications:
 - Australian Runoff Quality (Engineers Australia 2005)
 - Water Sensitive Urban Design Technical Guidelines for Western Sydney (NSW Government Stormwater Trust and UPRCT, May 2004).
- 8. Water quality modelling to support development proposals within the Precincts shall utilise MUSIC Version 5 or later and adopt modelling parameters in line with the most up to date version of the NSW Music Modelling Guidelines (CMA).
- 9. To minimise the impact of stormwater on the health and amenity of Cattai Creek, stormwater is to be retained on development sites by:
 - collecting and storing water from roofs and hard surfaces
 - maximising porous surfaces and deep soil zones
 - draining paved surfaces to adjacent vegetation
- 10. All buildings must install rainwater tanks to meet a portion of supply such as outdoor use and toilets. All residential dwellings are required to provide a (minimum) 3,000 litre (3 KL) rainwater tank, and such tank is to be connected for use in toilet flushing and external uses. Larger tanks than the requirement are permitted.
- 11. Each rainwater tank is to be provided with potable water trickle top-up with a back flow prevention device, complying with Sydney Water requirements.
- 12. On-site detention is to be provided in accordance with Section 4.22 of Council's Design Guidelines Subdivision / Developments.
- 13. Within the Showground Precinct, Flood planning levels for new development shall comply with the requirements of Council's DCP (2012) Section C6.
- 14. Development is to comply with the flood risk management provisions of Council's DCP 2102 Section C6.
- 15. All landscaping is to be compatible with flood risk and not impede overland stormwater flows.

- 16. All vegetation species and structures, including paths, walls and fences, are to be able to withstand temporary flood inundation in any areas designated as detention basins.
- 17. During the construction phase of development, the relevant Stormwater Management Objectives for New Development as set out in the most up to date revision of "Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction" (NSW Department of Housing) must be complied with in full.
- 18. Erosion and sediment control measures are to be implemented and regularly maintained on site, while sediment trapping measures are to be located at all points where stormwater runoff can enter inlets to stormwater systems, or where runoff may leave the construction site.