

re: **Geotechnical Design Parameters - Infiltration Gallery  
Proposed Residential Development  
Wateridge - Block 29 - Wanaki Road - Ottawa**

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Further to your request and authorization, Paterson Group (Paterson) prepared the current memorandum to provide a geotechnical design parameters for the proposed infiltration gallery located at the aforementioned site.

The following memorandum should be read in conjunction with Paterson Report PG4965-1 Revision 1 dated September 13, 2019.

Paterson reviewed the following grading plan prepared by Novatech Engineering Inc. regarding the aforementioned development:

- ☐ General Plan of Services, Project No. 119066-00, Drawing No. 119066-GR, Revision 3 dated September 18, 2019.

## **Geotechnical Design Parameters**

Based on the above noted drawings, it is expected that the subsoil conditions expected at the base and sidewalls over the infiltration gallery will consist of a very stiff to stiff brown silty clay. It should be further noted that the long-term groundwater level is located below the bottom of the infiltration gallery based on the dimensions provided in Note #10 presented on the aforementioned drawing. It is anticipated that the long-term groundwater will not effect the performance of the infiltration gallery and sufficient separation between the invert level and the long-term groundwater level is present.

The following hydraulic conductivity values can be used for the design of the system based upon previous experience at similar sites in the immediate area with similar stratigraphy and typical published values for very stiff to stiff brown silty clay. The hydraulic conductivity value was conservatively estimated to be in the order of  $1 \times 10^{-6}$  to  $1 \times 10^{-8}$  m/sec. Based on the above noted hydraulic conductivity values, the approximate infiltration rates will range from 14 to 46 mm/hr. It should be noted that a safety correction factor was not applied to the above noted infiltration rates for calculating the design infiltration rates.

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We trust that this information satisfies your immediate requirements.

Best Regards,

**Paterson Group Inc.**



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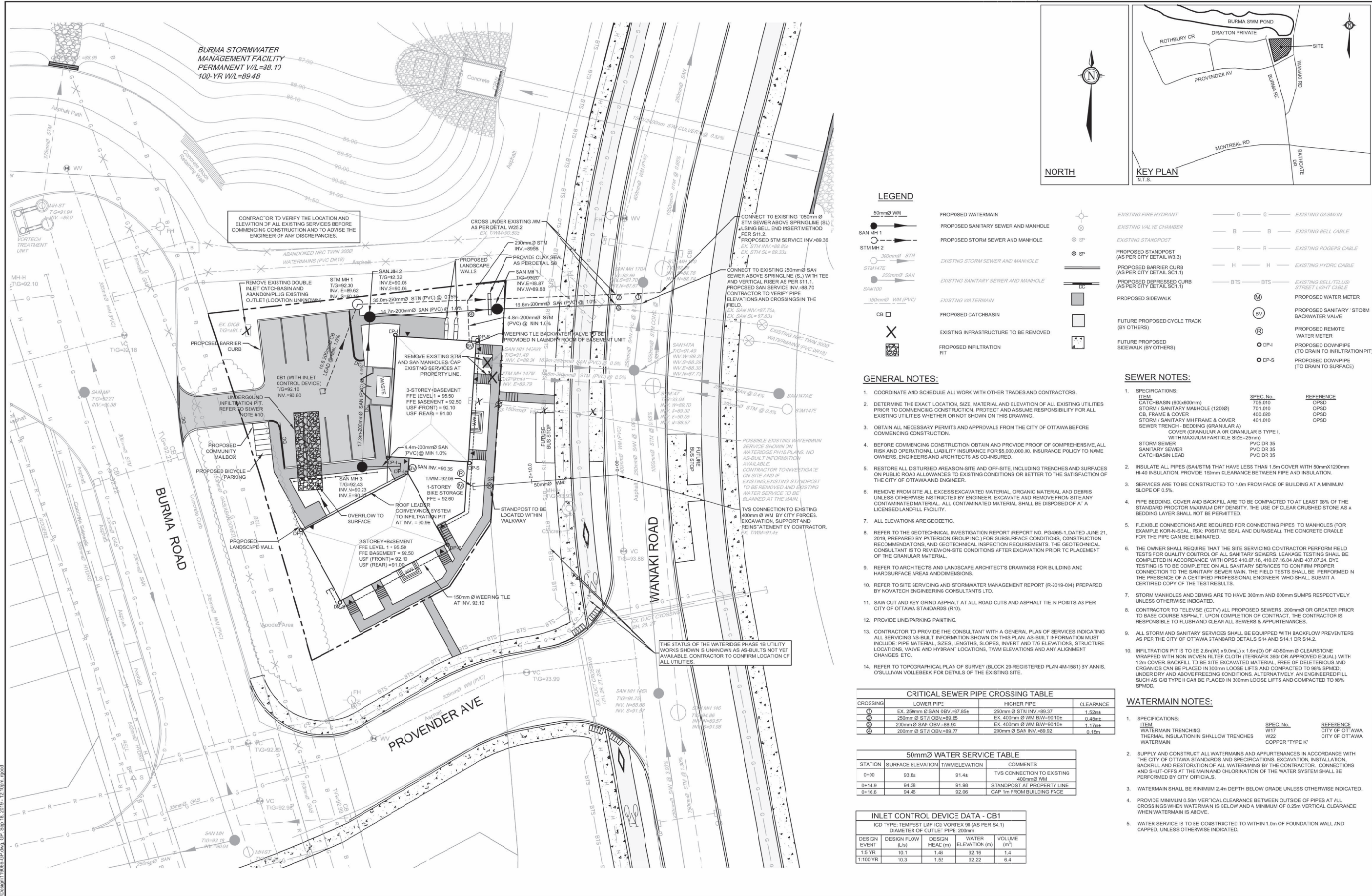
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