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1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report presents the results of a geotechnical investigation carried out for the above noted proposed residential development located on the east side of Holland Avenue, about 165 metres south of the intersection of Wellington Street West and Holland Avenue (see Key Plan, Figure 1).

The purpose of the investigation was to:

- Identify the subsurface conditions at the site by means of a limited number of boreholes;
- Based on the factual information obtained, provide recommendations and guidelines on the geotechnical engineering aspects of the project design; including bearing capacity and other construction considerations, which could influence design decisions.

2.0 BACKGROUND INFORMATION AND SITE GEOLOGY

2.1 Existing Conditions and Site Geology

The subject site for this assessment consists of about a 0.05 hectare (0.12 acres) rectangular shaped property located at 157 Holland Avenue, City of Ottawa, Ontario (see Key Plan, Figure 1).



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For the purposes of this assessment, project north lies in a direction parallel to Holland Avenue which is located immediately west of the subject site.

Surrounding land use is currently mixed residential and commercial development. The site is bordered on the north and south by commercial developments (offices), on the east by residential development and on the west by Holland Avenue followed by residential development. The site is currently occupied by a single family dwelling.

The ground surface at the site is graded such that surface water drains from east to west towards Holland Avenue.

Based on a review of the surficial geology map for the site area, it is expected that the site is underlain by fine textured glaciomarine deposits or glacial till. Bedrock geology maps indicate that the bedrock underlying the site consists of limestone with some shaly partings of the Ottawa Formation.

Based on a review of overburden thickness mapping for the site area, the overburden is estimated to be about 4.6 metres in thickness above bedrock.

2.2 Proposed Development

It is understood that preliminary plans are being prepared for the construction of a 4-storey residential building. It is understood that the building will have standard wood frame construction with conventional concrete spread footing foundations and concrete slab-on-grade construction. The proposed building will be provided with an asphaltic concrete surfaced access roadway and parking area. The proposed building will be serviced by municipal water and sanitary services.

Surface drainage for the proposed building will be by means of swales, catch basins and storm sewers. The proposed building will be provided with municipal sewer and water services.



3.0 PROCEDURE

The field work for this investigation was carried out on February 24, 2020, at which time two boreholes, numbered BH1 and BH2, were put down at the site using a truck mounted drill rig equipped with a hollow stem auger owned and operated by OGS Drilling of Almonte, Ontario. In general, the boreholes were put down within the proposed building footprint.

Sampling of the overburden materials encountered at the borehole locations were carried out at regular 0.75 metre depth intervals using a 50 millimetre diameter drive open conventional split spoon sampler in conjunction with standard penetration testing (ASTM D-1586 – Penetration Test and Split Barrel Sampling of Soils) and in situ vane shear testing (ASTM D-2573 Standard Test Method for Field Shear Test in Cohesive Soil). The boreholes (BH1 and BH2) were advanced within the building footprint to depths of about 8.23 and 6.95 metres, respectively, below the existing ground surface using 200 mm hollow stem augers. Borehole BH1 was continued to a depth of about 8.46 metres below the existing ground surface as a probe hole using dynamic cone penetration testing. The soils were classified using the Unified Soil Classification System.

The subsurface soil conditions encountered at the boreholes were classified based on visual and tactile examination of the samples recovered (ASTM D2488 - Standard Practice for Description and Identification of Soils (Visual-Manual Procedure), standard penetration tests (ASTM D-1586) as well as laboratory test results on select samples. Groundwater conditions at the boreholes were noted at the time of drilling and a subsequent groundwater water level monitoring site visit. The boreholes were loosely backfilled with the auger cuttings upon completion of drilling.

One soil sample (BH2 – SS3 - 3.05 - 3.65m) was submitted for Atterberg Limits (D4318) and Moisture Content (ASTM D2216). One sample (BH1 - SS4 - 4.6 to 5.2m) was submitted for particle size analysis (ASTM D422). The samples were selected based on depth and tactile examination to be representative of the various soil conditions encountered at the site. The soils were classified using the Unified Soil Classification System. A total of six (6) soil samples recovered from the boreholes were also tested for moisture content (ASTM D2216).

One soil sample (BH1 - SS2 - 1.5 - 2.1m) was delivered to a chemical laboratory for testing for any indication of potential soil sulphate attack on concrete and corrosivity to buried steel.



The field work was supervised throughout by a member of our engineering staff who located the boreholes in the field, logged the boreholes and cared for the samples obtained. A description of the subsurface conditions encountered at the boreholes are given in the attached Record of Borehole Sheets. The results of the laboratory testing of the soil samples are presented in the Laboratory Test Results section and Attachments A and B following the text in this report. The approximate location of the boreholes are shown on the attached Site Plan, Figure 2.

4.0 SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS

4.1 General

As previously indicated, a description of the subsurface conditions encountered at the boreholes is provided in the attached Record of Borehole Sheets following the text of this report. The borehole logs indicate the subsurface conditions at the specific drill locations only. Boundaries between zones on the logs are often not distinct, but rather are transitional and have been interpreted. Subsurface conditions at locations other than borehole locations may vary from the conditions encountered at the boreholes.

The soil descriptions in this report are based on commonly accepted methods of classification and identification employed in geotechnical practice. Classification was in general completed by visual-manual procedures in accordance with ASTM 2488 - Standard Practice for Description and Identification of Soils (Visual-Manual Procedure) with select samples being classified by laboratory testing in accordance with ASTM 2487. Classifications were confirmed by laboratory testing using test methods conforming to ASTM D4318, ASTM D2216 and ASTM D422.

Classification and identification of soil involves judgement and Kollaard Associates Inc. does not guarantee descriptions as exact, but infers accuracy to the extent that is common in current geotechnical practice.

The groundwater conditions described in this report refer only to those observed at the location and on the date the observations were noted in the report and on the borehole logs. Groundwater conditions may vary seasonally, or may be affected by construction activities on or in the vicinity of the site.



The following is a brief overview of the subsurface conditions encountered at the boreholes.

4.2 Fill

Fill materials consisting of about a 100 millimetre layer of asphaltic concrete, followed by about 200 to 300 millimetres of grey crushed stone then by about 200 millimetres of yellow brown silty sand and gravel with a trace of clay and organics was encountered from the surface at both of the boreholes. The fill materials ranged in thickness from about 0.6 to 0.8 metres at the borehole locations. The fill materials were fully penetrated at all borehole locations.

4.3 Silty Clay

Beneath the fill materials, a deposit of grey brown to grey silty clay was encountered at both of the boreholes. The results of standard penetration test N values ranging from 3 to 14 blows per 0.3 metres of penetration were obtained within the silty clay crust from about 0.75 to 2.1 metres indicating a stiff to very stiff consistency. Immediately beneath the silty clay crust at a depth of about 2.4 metres at borehole BH1, an in situ vane shear test result indicated an undrained shear strength value of 29 kilopascals. Though the result indicates a firm consistency, it is only slightly above the undrained shear strength value of 25 kilopascals which is an indication of a soft consistency.

All other in situ shear vane tests carried out at beneath 2.4 metres in the silty clay deposit gave undrained shear strength values ranging from about 40 to 73 kilopascals in boreholes BH1 and BH2. The results of the in situ vane shear testing and tactile examination carried out for the silty clay material indicate that the silty clay is firm to stiff in consistency. The thickness of the silty clay ranged between 4.8 and 5.1 metres at boreholes BH1 and BH2. The silty clay was fully penetrated at both boreholes.

The results of Atterberg Limits tests and moisture content (ASTM D422) conducted on one soil sample (BH2 – SS3 - 3.05 - 3.65 metres) of the silty clay are presented in the following table and in Attachment A at the end of the report. The tested silty clay sample classifies as high plasticity in accordance with the Unified Soil Classification System. The results of the laboratory testing are located in Attachment A.



Table I – Atterberg Limit and Water Content Results

Sample	Depth(metres)	LL (%)	PL (%)	PI (%)	W (%)
BH2-SS3	3.05 - 3.65	63.9	22.6	41.3	56.3

LL: Liquid Limit PL: Plastic Limit PI: Plasticity Index w: water content
CH: Inorganic High Plastic Soils

The results of a hydrometer test (ASTM D422 and D2216) of a soil sample (BH1-SS4) indicate the sample has a sand content of 1.4 percent, silt content of about 44.6 percent and a clay content of 54.0 percent. The results are located in Attachment A.

4.4 Glacial Till

Beneath the silty clay, a deposit of grey silty sand glacial till was encountered at both boreholes. The glacial till consists of gravel in a matrix of silty sand with some clay, gravel and cobbles. The silty sand till was encountered in both boreholes BH1 and BH2 at depths of 6.55 and 6.95 metres, respectively, below the existing ground surface. The results of standard penetration test N values at borehole BH1 ranged from 31 to 38 blows per 0.3 metres of penetration were obtained within the glacial till indicating a dense state of packing. Upon advancement of the auger in the glacial till material at BH2, practical refusal on the surface of a large boulder or bedrock was encountered at about 7.0 metres below the existing ground surface.

Borehole BH1 was advanced through the glacial till starting at a depth of 8.23 metres by dynamic cone penetration testing to refusal at about 8.46 metres below the existing ground surface. The dynamic cone penetration test at BH1 gave a value of greater than 100 blows per 0.3 metres. Borehole BH1 was terminated with practical refusal to cone penetration on either a boulder or bedrock at a depth of about 8.46 metres below the existing ground surface.

4.5 Moisture Contents

A total of six soil samples recovered from the boreholes were also tested for moisture content (ASTM D2216). The measured moisture contents of the soil samples ranged from about 5 to 61 percent. The results of the moisture content are located on the Record of Borehole sheets following the text of this report.



4.6 Groundwater

A trace of groundwater was encountered within each of the boreholes at the time of drilling at depths ranging between 4.6 and 4.9 metres below the existing ground surface. It should be noted that the groundwater levels may be higher during wet periods of the year such as the early spring.

4.7 Corrosivity on Reinforcement and Sulphate Attack on Portland Cement

The results of the laboratory testing of a soil sample submitted for chemistry testing related to corrosivity is summarized in the following table.

Item	Threshold of Concern	Test Result	Comment
Chlorides (Cl)	Cl > 0.04 %	0.0185	Negligible
pH	5.0 < pH	7.48	Basic Negligible concern
Resistivity	R < 20,000 ohm-cm	1610	Highly Corrosive
Sulphates (SO ₄)	SO ₄ > 0.1%	0.0173	Negligible concern

The results were compared with Canadian Standards Association (CSA) Standards A23.1 for sulphate attack potential on concrete structures and poses a "negligible" risk for sulphate attack on concrete materials and accordingly, conventional GU or MS Portland cement may be used in the construction of the proposed concrete elements.

The pH value for the soil sample was reported to be at 7.48, indicating a durable condition against corrosion. This value was evaluated using Table 2 of Building Research Establishment (BRE) Digest 362 (July 1991). The pH is greater than 5.5 indicating the concrete will not be exposed to attack from acids.

The chloride content of the sample was also compared with the threshold level and present negligible concrete corrosion potential.



Corrosivity Rating for soils ranges from extremely corrosive to non-corrosive as follows:

Soil Resistivity (ohm-cm)	Corrosivity Rating
> 20,000	non- corrosive
10,000 to 20,000	mildly corrosive
5,000 to 10,000	moderately corrosive
3,000 to 5,000	corrosive
1,000 to 3,000	highly corrosive
< 1,000	extremely corrosive

The Soil resistivity was found to be 1610 ohm-cm for the sample analyzed making the soil highly corrosive for buried steel. Consideration to increasing the specified strength and/or adding air entrainment into any reinforced concrete in contact with the soil should be given. Consideration should also be given to increasing the minimum concrete cover over reinforcing steel.

Based on the chemical test results, Type GU General use Hydraulic Cement may be used for this proposed development. Special protection is required for reinforcement steel within the concrete walls.

5.0 GEOTECHNICAL GUIDELINES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

5.1 General

This section of the report provides engineering guidelines on the geotechnical design aspects of the project based on our interpretation of the information from the test holes and the project requirements. It is stressed that the information in the following sections is provided for the guidance of the designers and is intended for this project only. Contractors bidding on or undertaking the works should examine the factual results of the investigation, satisfy themselves as to the adequacy of the information for construction, and make their own interpretation of the factual data as it affects their construction techniques, schedule, safety and equipment capabilities.

The professional services for this project include only the geotechnical aspects of the subsurface conditions at this site. The presence or implications of possible surface and/or subsurface contamination resulting from previous uses or activities at this site or adjacent properties, and/or resulting from the introduction onto the site of materials from offsite sources are outside the terms of reference for this report.



5.2 Foundations for Proposed Residential Buildings

As previously indicated, the subsurface conditions at the site encountered at the boreholes advanced during the investigation within the proposed new building consisted of fill materials followed by silty clay overlying glacial till. The allowable bearing pressure for any footings depends on the depth of the footings below original ground surface, the width of the footings, and the height above the original ground surface of any landscape grade raise adjacent to the foundations and the thickness of the soils deposit beneath the footings.

5.3 Foundation Design and Bearing Capacity

The subsurface conditions at the site encountered at the boreholes advanced during the investigation consisted of fill materials followed by native silty clay overlying glacial till. With the exception of the fill materials, the subsurface conditions encountered at the test holes advanced during the investigation are suitable for the support of the proposed building on conventional spread footing foundations placed on a native subgrade or on engineered fill placed on the native subgrade. The excavations for the foundation should be taken through any fill materials, topsoil or otherwise deleterious material to expose the native, undisturbed silty clay. It is suggested that the buildings be founded either directly on the underlying silty clay or on engineered fill placed on the silty clay.

Based on the undrained shear strength measurements within the silty clay deposit, the silty clay has a firm to stiff consistency, however, a softer layer with limited capacity to support loads from footings and grade raise fill was encountered at a depth of about 2.4 metre at BH1.

For predictable performance of the proposed foundations the following should be completed:

- All existing fill materials and any deleterious materials should be removed from within the proposed foundation areas to expose the native silty clay.
- The soft layer identified at about 2.4 metres should be removed and replaced with engineered fill placed on the silty clay or
- The basement height could be designed to extend past the softer silty clay layer.

Strip and pad footings, a minimum 0.8 metres in width bearing on the firm to stiff native undisturbed silty clay or on a engineered pad placed on the firm to stiff native silty clay at the desired depth below the existing ground surface and above the groundwater level or on a suitably constructed



engineering pad placed on the native silty clay may be designed using a maximum allowable bearing pressure of 80 kilopascals for serviceability limit states and 150 kilopascals for the factored ultimate bearing resistance.

The above allowable bearing pressure is subject to a maximum grade raise of 1.0 metres above the existing ground surface and to maximum strip and pad footing widths of 1.5 metres.

Provided that any loose and/or disturbed soil is removed from the bearing surfaces prior to pouring concrete, the total and differential settlement of the footings should be less than 25 millimetres and 20 millimetres, respectively.

5.4 Engineered Fill

Any fill required to raise the footings for the proposed building to founding level should consist of imported granular material (engineered fill). The engineered fill should consist of granular material meeting Ontario Provincial Standards Specifications (OPSS) requirements for Granular A or Granular B Type II and should be compacted in maximum 300 millimetre thick loose lifts to at least 98 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density. It is considered that the engineered fill should be compacted using dynamic compaction with a large diameter vibratory steel drum roller or diesel plate compactor. If a diesel plate compactor is used, the lift thickness may need to be restricted to less than 300 mm to achieve proper compaction. Compaction should be verified by a suitable field compaction test method.

To allow the spread of load beneath the footings, the engineered fill should extend down and out from the edges of the footing at 1 horizontal to 1 vertical, or flatter. The excavations for the proposed building should be sized to accommodate this fill placement.

The first lift of engineered fill material should have a thickness of 300 millimetres in order to protect the subgrade during compaction. It is considered that the placement of a geotextile fabric between the engineered fill and the subgrade is not necessary where granular materials meeting the grading requirements for OPSS Granular B Type II or OPSS Granular A are placed on a silty clay subgrade above the normal ground water level. It is recommended that trucks are not used to place the



engineered fill on the subgrade. The fill should be dumped at the edge of the excavation and moved into place with a tracked bulldozer or excavator.

The native silty clay soils at this site will be sensitive to disturbance from construction operations and from rainwater or snowmelt, and frost. In order to minimize disturbance, construction traffic operating directly on the subgrade should be kept to an absolute minimum and the subgrade should be protected from below freezing temperatures.

5.4.1 Foundation Excavation

Any excavation for the proposed structures will likely be carried out through fill material to bear within the native silty clay subgrade. The sides of the excavations should be sloped in accordance with the requirements of Ontario Regulation 213/91, s. 226 under the Occupational Health and Safety Act. According to the Act, the native soils at the site can be classified as Type 3 soil, however this classification should be confirmed by qualified individuals as the site is excavated and if necessary, adjusted.

It is expected that the side slopes of the excavation will be stable in the short term provided the walls are sloped at 1H:1V through the fill materials to 1.2 metres or less from the bottom of the excavation and provided no excavated materials are stockpiled within 3 metres of the top of the excavations.

5.4.2 Effect of Foundation Excavation on Adjacent Structures and City of Ottawa Services

As previously indicated, the proposed foundation excavations will be carried out through fill and native silty clay. There will be no bedrock excavation or removal. As such, there will be no excavation processes which could contribute to vibration which could potentially damage adjacent City of Ottawa Services.

5.4.3 Ground Water in Excavation and Construction Dewatering

Groundwater inflow from the native soils into the excavations during construction, if any should be handled by pumping from sumps within the excavation.



Groundwater was observed at between about 3.7 metres below the ground surface at time of drilling. Based on the groundwater levels observed, it is considered that the excavation for the new building at the site should not extend below the ground water level. As such a permit to take water is will not be required prior to excavation.

5.4.4 Effect of Dewatering of Foundation or Site Services Excavations on Adjacent Structures

Since the existing ground water level at the site will be below the expected underside of footing elevations, dewatering of the excavation will not remove water from historically saturated soils. The closest building is located about 15 metres north of the proposed buildings on the subject site. As such dewatering of the foundation or site services excavations, if required, will not have a detrimental impact on the adjacent structures.

5.5 Frost Protection Requirements for Spread Footing Foundations

In general, all exterior foundation elements and those in any unheated parts of the proposed building should be provided with at least 1.5 metres of earth cover for frost protection purposes. Isolated, unheated foundation elements adjacent to surfaces, which are cleared of snow cover during winter months should be provided with a minimum 1.8 metres of earth cover for frost protection purposes.

Where less than the required depth of soil cover can be provided, the foundation elements should be protected from frost by using a combination of earth cover and extruded polystyrene rigid insulation. A typical frost protection insulation detail could be provided upon request, if required.

5.6 Foundation Wall Backfill

The native soils encountered at this site are considered to be frost susceptible. As such, to prevent possible foundation frost jacking due to frost adhesion, the backfill against any unheated or insulated walls or isolated walls or piers should consist of free draining, non-frost susceptible material. If imported material is required, it should consist of sand or sand and gravel meeting OPSS Granular B Type I grading requirements. Alternatively, foundations could be backfilled with native



material in conjunction with the use of an approved proprietary drainage layer system such as "System Platon" against the foundation wall. It is pointed out that there is potential for possible frost jacking of the upper portion of some types of these drainage layer systems if frost susceptible material is used as backfill. This could be mitigated by backfilling the upper approximately 0.6 metres with non-frost susceptible granular material.

Where the backfill material will ultimately support a pavement structure or walkway, it is suggested that the foundation wall backfill material be compacted in 250 millimetre thick lifts to 95 percent of the standard Proctor dry density value. In that case any native material proposed for foundation backfill should be inspected and approved by the geotechnical engineer.

The basement foundation walls should be designed to resist the earth pressure, P , acting against the walls at any depth, h , calculated using the following equation.

$$P = k_0 (\gamma h + q)$$

Where:

P	=	the pressure, at any depth, h , below the finished ground surface
k_0	=	earth pressure at-rest coefficient, 0.5
γ	=	unit weight of soil to be retained, estimated at 22 kN/m ³
q	=	surcharge load (kPa) above backfill material
h	=	the depth, in metres, below the finished ground surface at which the pressure, P , is being computed

This expression assumes that the water table would be maintained at the founding level by the above mentioned foundation perimeter drainage and backfill requirements.

5.7 Foundation Drainage

A conventional, perforated perimeter drain, with a 150 millimetre surround of 20 millimetre minus crushed stone, should be provided at the founding level for the cast-in-place concrete basement floor slab and should lead by gravity flow to the City Storm Sewer or to a sump. If the perimeter drain tile is discharged by gravity to the Storm Sewer a backup flow valve must be used. If a sump is used, the sump should be equipped with a backup pump and generator. The sump discharge should be equipped with a backup flow protector



The proposed basement should also be provided with under floor drains consisting of perforated pipe with a surround of 20 millimetre minus crushed stone to reduce the potential for buildup of hydrostatic pressure below the basement floor. The under floor drains should be placed beginning at the inside edge of the foundation wall and should be spaced a maximum of 5 metres apart. The under floor drain should also be directed to the storm sewer or to the sump.

It is noted that if the storm sewer system for the area surrounding the site consists of a dual system, that is a system intended to surcharge and convey flow along the street during a major storm event, it is recommended to connect the perimeter drain tile to a sump.

5.8 Basement Floor Slab

As stated above, it is expected that the proposed building will be founded on native silty clay or on an engineered pad placed on the native subgrade. For predictable performance of the proposed concrete floor slab all existing fill material, topsoil and any otherwise deleterious material should be removed from below the proposed floor slab area. The exposed native subgrade surface should then be inspected and approved by geotechnical personnel.

Engineered fill materials provided to support the concrete floor slab should consist of sand, or sand and gravel meeting the Ontario Provincial Standards Specifications (OPSS) for Granular B Type I or crushed stone meeting OPSS grading requirements for Granular B Type II. A minimum 150 millimetre thickness of crushed stone meeting OPSS Granular A should be provided immediately beneath the concrete floor slab. The engineered fill materials should be compacted in maximum 300 millimetre thick lifts to at least 98 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density. Alternatively clear crushed 20 mm minus stone could be used immediately below the concrete floor slab provided the clear stone is well compacted prior to concrete placement.

The concrete floor slab should be saw cut at regular intervals to minimize random cracking of the slab due to shrinkage and expansion of the concrete. The saw cut depth should be about one quarter of the thickness of the slab. The crack control cuts should be placed at a grid spacing not exceeding the lesser of 25 times the slab thickness or 4.5 metres.



5.9 Seismic Design for the Proposed Residential Buildings

5.9.1 Seismic Site Classification

For seismic design purposes, in accordance with the 2012 OBC Section 4.1.8.4, Table 4.1.8.4.A., the site classification for seismic site response is Site Class C. The subsurface conditions below the proposed footing design level are indicated to consist of the following:

Stiff to very stiff silty clay to a depth of about 2.2 metres followed by firm to stiff silty clay to a depth of about 6.5 to 6.9 metres followed by dense glacial till then bedrock. Bedrock is estimated to be at a depth of about 9 metres.

Consideration of the cohesive materials encountered in the boreholes:

Layer	Description	Depth (m)	d_i (m)	S_{ui} (kPa)	d_i/S_{ui} (m/kPa)	Estimated Shear Wave Velocity (m/s)
	USF	1.2				
1	Silty Clay	1.2	1.0	120	0.008	
2	Silty Clay	2.2	4.75	55.6	0.085	
	$d_c/(\sum(d_i/S_{ui}))$				61.3	180

Consideration of the non-cohesive materials encountered in the boreholes:

Layer	Description	Depth (m)	d_i (m)	$N(60)_i$ (blows/0.3 m)	d_i/N_i (blows/0.3m)	Estimated Shear Wave Velocity (m/s)
2	Silty Clay	6.95				
3	TILL	6.95	1.5	56	0.028	
4	Bedrock	8.5	21.5	N/A		
	$d_c/(\sum(d_i/N(60)_i))$				56	
	Since $N(60) = 56 > 50$ (site class C)					360
	Limestone Bedrock					800 to 1800

Since the seismic site classification is based on the average properties of the top 30 metres below the underside of the foundation, the site classification will include both the overburden and the bedrock. In order to correlate the overburden and bedrock information, the minimum shear wave velocity provided for site class D and site class C soil was obtained from Table 4.1.8.4.A of the



Ontario Building Code 2012 (as updated) to be 180 m/s and 360 m/s. The bedrock at the site is limestone. The minimum expected shear velocity for the bedrock at the site is 800 m/s. The weighted average shear wave velocity of the upper 30 metres is equal to 456 m/s which corresponds to a seismic site classification of site class C.

5.9.2 National Building Code Seismic Hazard Calculation

The online 2015 National Building Code Seismic Hazard Calculation was used to verify the seismic conditions at the site. The design Peak Ground Acceleration (PGA) for the site was calculated as 0.309 with a 2% probability of exceedance in 50 years based on the interpolation of the 2015 National Building Code Seismic Hazard calculation. The seismic site classification for the site is indicated to be Seismic Site Class C. The results of the calculation are attached following the text of this report.

5.9.3 Potential for Soil Liquefaction

As indicated above, the results of the boreholes and information from geological maps indicate that the native deposits underlying the site consist of fill materials (silty sand, topsoil) followed by a stiff silty clay crust then by firm clays to depths of about 6.55 to 6.95 metres.

C.F.E.M. section 6.6.3.2 (6) recommends that the Bray et al. (2004) criteria be used to determine liquefaction susceptibility of fine-grained soils:

That is fine-grained soils with $PI \leq 12$ and $W_c > 0.85LL$ are susceptible to liquefaction, soils with $12 \leq PI \leq 20$ and $W_c > 0.8LL$ are moderately susceptible to liquefaction and soils with $PI > 20$ and $W_c < 0.8LL$ are not susceptible to liquefaction.

Seed et al. (2003) proposed liquefaction susceptibility criteria that are similar to those by Bray et al. (2004) except that they include slightly different W_c / LL ratios and include constraints on LL . The criteria by Seed et al. (2003) are described by three zones on the Atterberg limits chart, which are bounded by the following PI and LL values: Zone A soils have $PI \leq 12$ and $LL \leq 37$ and are considered potentially susceptible to “classic cyclically induced liquefaction” if the water content is greater than 80% of the LL ; Zone B soils have $PI \leq 20$ and $LL \leq 47$ and are considered potentially



liquefiable with detailed laboratory testing recommended if the water content is greater than 85% of the LL; and Zone C soils with $PI > 20$ or $LL > 47$ are considered generally not susceptible to classic cyclic liquefaction, although they should be checked for potential sensitivity.

From the laboratory test results, the silty has a plasticity index $PI =$ of 43.1 and a liquid limit of 63.9 indicating an inorganic highly plastic clay. The sensitivity of a soil is defined as the ratio of the strength of the undisturbed state of that of the soil in the remolded state. The sensitivity ratio of the silty clay at the site ranges from 4 to 11 with an average of 6 indicating that the soil is of medium sensitivity. As such the silty clay is not prone to liquefaction.

6.0 SITE SERVICES

6.1 Excavation

The excavations for the site services will be carried out through fill materials (silty sand/topsoil) and silty clay. For the purposes of Ontario Regulation 213/91 the soils at the site can be considered to be Type 3 soil. The sides of the excavations in overburden materials should be sloped in accordance with the requirements in Ontario Regulation 213/91 under the Ontario Occupational Health and Safety Act. That is, open cut excavations with overburden deposits should be carried out with side slopes of 1 horizontal to 1 vertical, or flatter. Where space constraints dictate, the excavation and backfilling operations should be carried out within a tightly fitting, braced steel trench box.

Based on the depths at which groundwater was measured at the time of drilling, significant groundwater flow into any excavation is unlikely. Any groundwater inflow into the service trenches should be handled by pumping from sumps from within the excavations.

6.2 Pipe Bedding and Cover Materials

It is suggested that the service pipe bedding material consist of at least 150 millimetres of granular material meeting OPSS requirements for Granular A. A provisional allowance should, however, be made for sub-excavation of any existing fill or disturbed material encountered at sub-grade level. Granular material meeting OPSS specifications for Granular B Type II could be used as a sub-



bedding material. The use of clear crushed stone as bedding or sub-bedding material should not be permitted.

Cover material, from pipe spring line to at least 300 millimetres above the top of the pipe, should consist of granular material, such as OPSS Granular A or Granular B Type I (with a maximum particle size of 25 millimetres).

The sub-bedding, bedding and cover materials should be compacted in maximum 200 millimetre thick lifts to at least 95 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density using suitable vibratory compaction equipment.

6.3 Trench Backfill

The general backfilling procedures should be carried out in a manner that is compatible with the future use of the area above the service trenches.

In areas where the service trench will be located below or in close proximity to existing or future roadway areas, acceptable native materials should be used as backfill between the roadway sub-grade level and the depth of seasonal frost penetrations (i.e. 1.8 metres below finished grade) in order to reduce the potential for differential frost heaving between the area over the trench and the adjacent section of roadway.

Where native backfill is used, it should match the native materials exposed on the trench walls. Some of the native materials from the lower part of the trench excavations may be wet of optimum for compaction. Depending on the weather conditions encountered during construction, some drying of materials and/or recompaction may be required. Any wet materials that cannot be compacted to the required density should either be wasted from the site or should be used outside of existing or future roadway areas. Any boulders or cobbles should not be used as service trench backfill. Backfill below the zone of seasonal frost penetration could consist of either acceptable native material or imported granular material conforming to OPSS Granular B Type I. If the native material is not suitable for backfill, imported granular material may have to be used. If imported granular materials are used, suitable frost tapers should be used OPSD 802.013.



To minimize future settlement of the backfill and achieve an acceptable sub-grade for the roadways, sidewalks, etc., the trench should be compacted in maximum 300 millimetre thick lifts to at least 95 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density. The specified density may be reduced where the trench backfill is not located or in close proximity to existing or future roadways, driveways, sidewalks, or any other type of permanent structure.

7.0 ACCESS ROADWAY AND PARKING LOT PAVEMENTS

7.1 Subgrade Preparation

In preparation for pavement construction at this site any fill and topsoil and any soft, wet or deleterious materials should be removed from the proposed access roadway and parking lot areas. The exposed subgrade surface should then be inspected and approved by geotechnical personnel. Based on the results of the boreholes, the subsurface conditions in the access roadway and parking areas consist of existing fill materials (asphaltic concrete, overlying crushed stone then silty sand and gravel with a trace of organics and silty clay) overlying native silty clay. Any soft or unacceptable areas evident should be subexcavated and replaced with suitable earth borrow material. The subgrade should be shaped and crowned to promote drainage of the roadway and parking area granulars. Following approval of the preparation of the subgrade, the pavement granulars may be placed.

For any areas of the site that require the subgrade to be raised to proposed roadway and parking area subgrade level, the material used should consist of OPSS select subgrade material or OPSS Granular B Type I or Type II. Materials used for raising the subgrade to proposed roadway and parking area subgrade level should be placed in maximum 300 millimetre thick loose lifts and be compacted to at least 95 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density using suitable compaction equipment.

For pavement areas subject to cars and light trucks the pavement should consist of:

- 50 millimetres of Superpave 12.5 asphaltic concrete over
- 150 millimetres of OPSS Granular A base over
- 300 millimetres of OPSS Granular B, Type II subbase over
(50 or 100 millimetre minus crushed stone)



Non-woven geotextile fabric (4 oz/sy) such as Terrafix 270R or Thrace-Ling 130EX or approved alternative.

Performance grade PG 58-34 asphaltic concrete should be specified. Compaction of the granular pavement materials should be carried out in maximum 300 millimetre thick loose lifts to 100 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density value using suitable vibratory compaction equipment.

The above pavement structures will be adequate on an acceptable sub-grade, that is, one where any roadway fill and service trench backfill has been adequately compacted. If the roadway sub-grade is disturbed or wetted due to construction operations or precipitation, the granular thicknesses given above may not be adequate and it may be necessary to increase the thickness of the Granular B Type II subbase. The adequacy of the design of the pavement thickness should be assessed by the geotechnical personnel at the time of construction.

8.0 CONSTRUCTION CONSIDERATIONS

It is suggested that the final design drawings for the project, including the proposed site grading plan, be reviewed by the geotechnical engineer to ensure that the guidelines provided in this report have been interpreted as intended and to re-evaluate the guidelines provided in the report with respect to the actual project plans. Items such as actual foundation wall/column loads, whether or not the basement is heated, etc could have significant impacts on foundation type, frost protection requirements, etc.

The engagement of the services of the geotechnical consultant during construction is recommended to confirm that the subsurface conditions throughout the proposed development do not materially differ from those given in the report and that the construction activities do not adversely affect the intent of the design.

All foundation areas and any engineered fill areas for the proposed residential building should be inspected by Kollaard Associates Inc. to ensure that a suitable sub-grade has been reached and properly prepared. The placing and compaction of any granular materials beneath the foundations should be inspected to ensure that the materials used conform to the grading and compaction specifications.



The subgrade for the site services, access roadways and driveway should be inspected and approved by geotechnical personnel. In situ density testing should be carried out on the service pipe bedding and backfill and the pavement granular materials to ensure the materials meet the specifications from a compaction point of view.

The native silty clay deposits at this site will be sensitive to disturbance from construction operations, from rainwater or snow melt, and frost. In order to minimize disturbance, construction traffic operating directly on the subgrade should be kept to an absolute minimum and the subgrade should be protected from below freezing temperatures.

We trust this report provides sufficient information for your present purposes. If you have any questions concerning this report or if we may be of further services to you, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Regards,

Kollaard Associates Inc.

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





















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RECORD OF BOREHOLE BH1

PROJECT: Proposed Residential Development
CLIENT: Developpements Proximi-T Inc.
LOCATION: 157 Holland Avenue, Ottawa, Ontario
PENETRATION TEST HAMMER: 63.5kg, Drop, 0.76mm

PROJECT NUMBER: 200126
DATE OF BORING: February 24, 2020
SHEET 1 of 1
DATUM: LOCAL

DEPTH SCALE (meters)	SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			UNDIST. SHEAR STRENGTH				DYNAMIC CONE PENETRATION TEST					ADDITIONAL LAB TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION	
	DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (M)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.3m	×	Cu, kPa			×	blows/300 mm						
							20	40	60	80	10	30	50	70	90			
	Ground Surface																	
0	Asphaltic Concrete (FILL)		0.00															
	Grey crushed stone (FILL)																	
	Yellow brown sand and gravel, trace organics and clay (FILL)		0.40															
	Grey brown SILTY CLAY		0.60															
1				1	SS	7									50			
	Grey SILTY CLAY		1.50															
				2	SS	3									56			
2							○	×										
							○			×								
3				3	SS	1									23			
							○		×									
4							○				×							
								○				×						
5				4	SS	2												
							○		×									
							○			×								
6																		
				5	SS	1									28			
7	Grey silty sand, trace to some gravel, cobbles and clay (GLACIAL TILL)		6.55															
				6	SS	38									7			
																		
8				7	SS	31									5			
																		
	End of borehole with practical refusal on large boulder or bedrock		8.46															

Trace of water observed in borehole at approximately 4.9 metres below the existing ground surface on February 24, 2020.



DEPTH SCALE: 1 to 75

BORING METHOD: Power Auger

AUGER TYPE: 200 mm Hollow Stem

LOGGED: DT

CHECKED: SD

RECORD OF BOREHOLE BH2

PROJECT: Proposed Residential Development
CLIENT: Developpements Proximi-T Inc.
LOCATION: 157 Holland Avenue, Ottawa, Ontario
PENETRATION TEST HAMMER: 63.5kg, Drop, 0.76mm

PROJECT NUMBER: 200126
DATE OF BORING: February 24, 2020
SHEET 1 of 1
DATUM: LOCAL

DEPTH SCALE (meters)	SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			UNDIST. SHEAR STRENGTH					DYNAMIC CONE PENETRATION TEST					ADDITIONAL LAB TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION
	DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (M)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.3m	×	Cu, kPa			×	blows/300 mm						
							20	40	60	80								
							REM. SHEAR STRENGTH											
						○	20	40	60	80	○	10	30	50	70	90		
0	Ground Surface																	
	Asphaltic Concrete (FILL)		0.00															
	Grey crushed stone (FILL)		0.30															
	Yellow brown sand and gravel, trace organics and clay (FILL)																	
1	Grey brown SILTY CLAY		0.80	1	SS	14										45		
				2	SS	8										53		
2	Grey SILTY CLAY		2.13				○			×								
3				3	SS	2												
4							○				×							
5				4	SS	WH					×					61		
							○				×							
							○			×								
				5	SS	WH										51		
7	Grey silty sand, trace to some gravel, cobbles and clay (GLACIAL TILL)		6.95															
	End of borehole with practical refusal on large boulder or bedrock																	
8																		

Trace of water observed in borehole at approximately 4.6 metres below the existing ground surface on February 24, 2020.

Trace of water observed in borehole at approximately 4.6 metres below the existing ground surface on February 24, 2020.

DEPTH SCALE: 1 to 50

BORING METHOD: Power Auger

AUGER TYPE: 200 mm Hollow Stem

LOGGED: DT

CHECKED: SD



LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND TERMINOLOGY

SAMPLE TYPES

AS auger sample
CS chunk sample
DO drive open
MS manual sample
RC rock core
ST slotted tube
TO thin-walled open Shelby tube
TP thin-walled piston Shelby tube
WS wash sample

PENETRATION RESISTANCE

Standard Penetration Resistance, N
The number of blows by a 63.5 kg hammer dropped 760 millimeter required to drive a 50 mm drive open sampler for a distance of 300 mm. For split spoon samples where less than 300 mm of penetration was achieved, the number of blows is reported over the sampler penetration in mm.

Dynamic Penetration Resistance
The number of blows by a 63.5 kg hammer dropped 760 mm to drive a 50 mm diameter, 60° cone attached to 'A' size drill rods for a distance of 300 mm.

WH
Sampler advanced by static weight of hammer and drill rods.

WR
Sampler advanced by static weight of drill rods.

PH
Sampler advanced by hydraulic pressure from drill rig.

PM
Sampler advanced by manual pressure.

SOIL TESTS

C consolidation test
H hydrometer analysis
M sieve analysis
MH sieve and hydrometer analysis
U unconfined compression test
Q undrained triaxial test
V field vane, undisturbed and remolded shear strength

SOIL DESCRIPTIONS

Relative Density	'N' Value
Very Loose	0 to 4
Loose	4 to 10
Compact	10 to 30
Dense	30 to 50
Very Dense	over 50

Consistency	Undrained Shear Strength (kPa)
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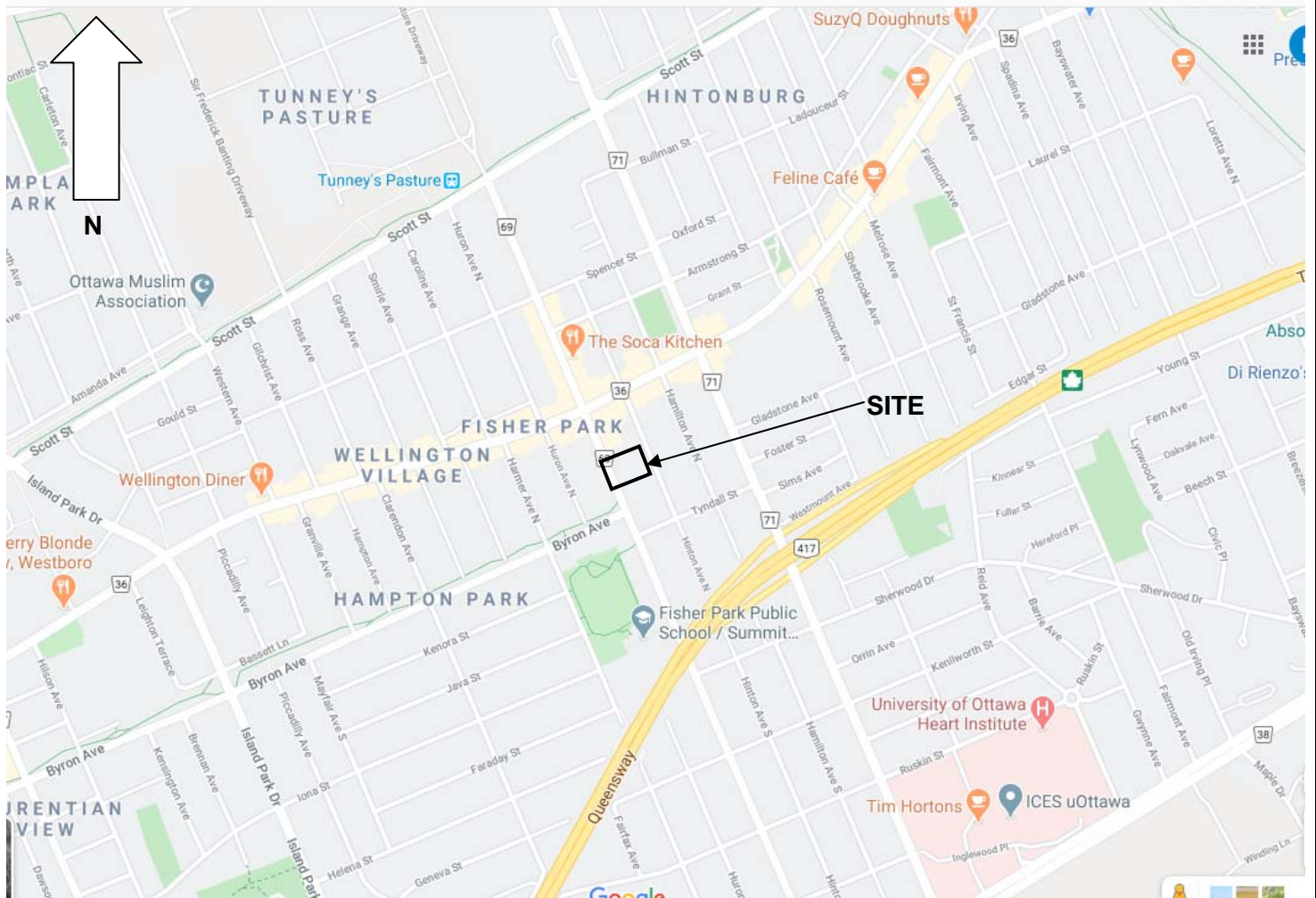
Very soft	0 to 12
Soft	12 to 25
Firm	25 to 50
Stiff	50 to 100
Very Stiff	over 100

LIST OF COMMON SYMBOLS

c_u undrained shear strength
 e void ratio
 C_c compression index
 C_v coefficient of consolidation
 k coefficient of permeability
 I_p plasticity index
 n porosity
 u pore pressure
 w moisture content
 w_L liquid limit
 w_p plastic limit
 ϕ^1 effective angle of friction
 γ unit weight of soil
 γ^1 unit weight of submerged soil
 σ normal stress

KEY PLAN

FIGURE 1



NOT TO SCALE



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DRAWING NUMBER:
SITE PLAN, FIGURE 2

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BH1 APPROXIMATE BOREHOLE LOCATION

REFERENCE: PLAN SUPPLIED BY
CITY OF OTTAWA EMAPS.

SPECIAL NOTE: THIS DRAWING TO
BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH
THE ACCOMPANYING REPORT.

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ATTACHMENT A

Laboratory Test Results for Physical Properties



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March 3, 2020
File: 122410003

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Reference: Kollaard File #200126
ASTM D4318 Atterberg Limit & ASTM D2216 Moisture Content

The table below summarizes Atterberg Limit & Moisture Content results for BH-2 SS3.

Source	Depth	Natural Moisture Content	Liquid Limit	Plastic Limit	Plasticity Index
BH-2 SS3	10'-12'	56.3%	63.9	22.6	41.3

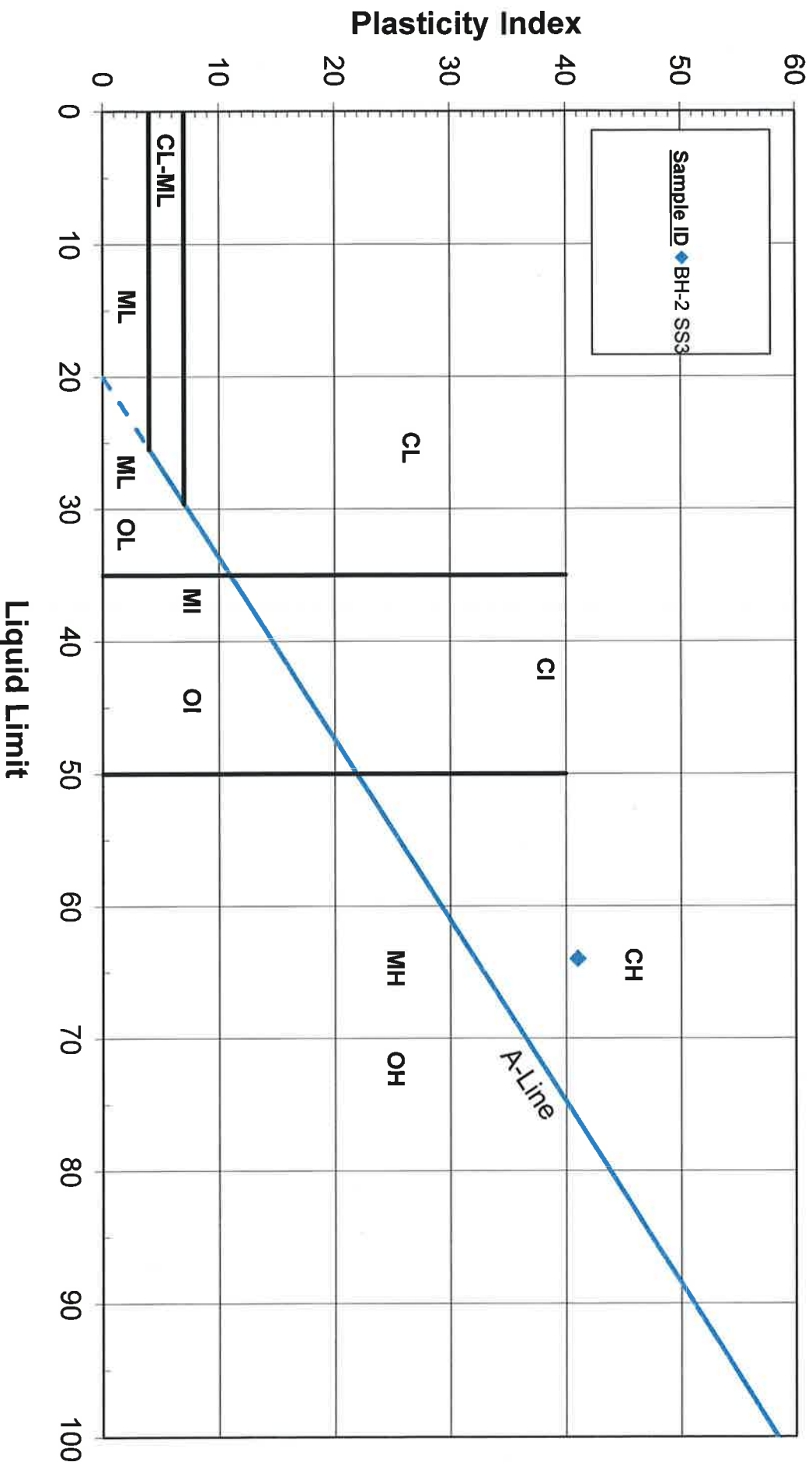
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Attachments: Atterberg Limit Plasticity Chart



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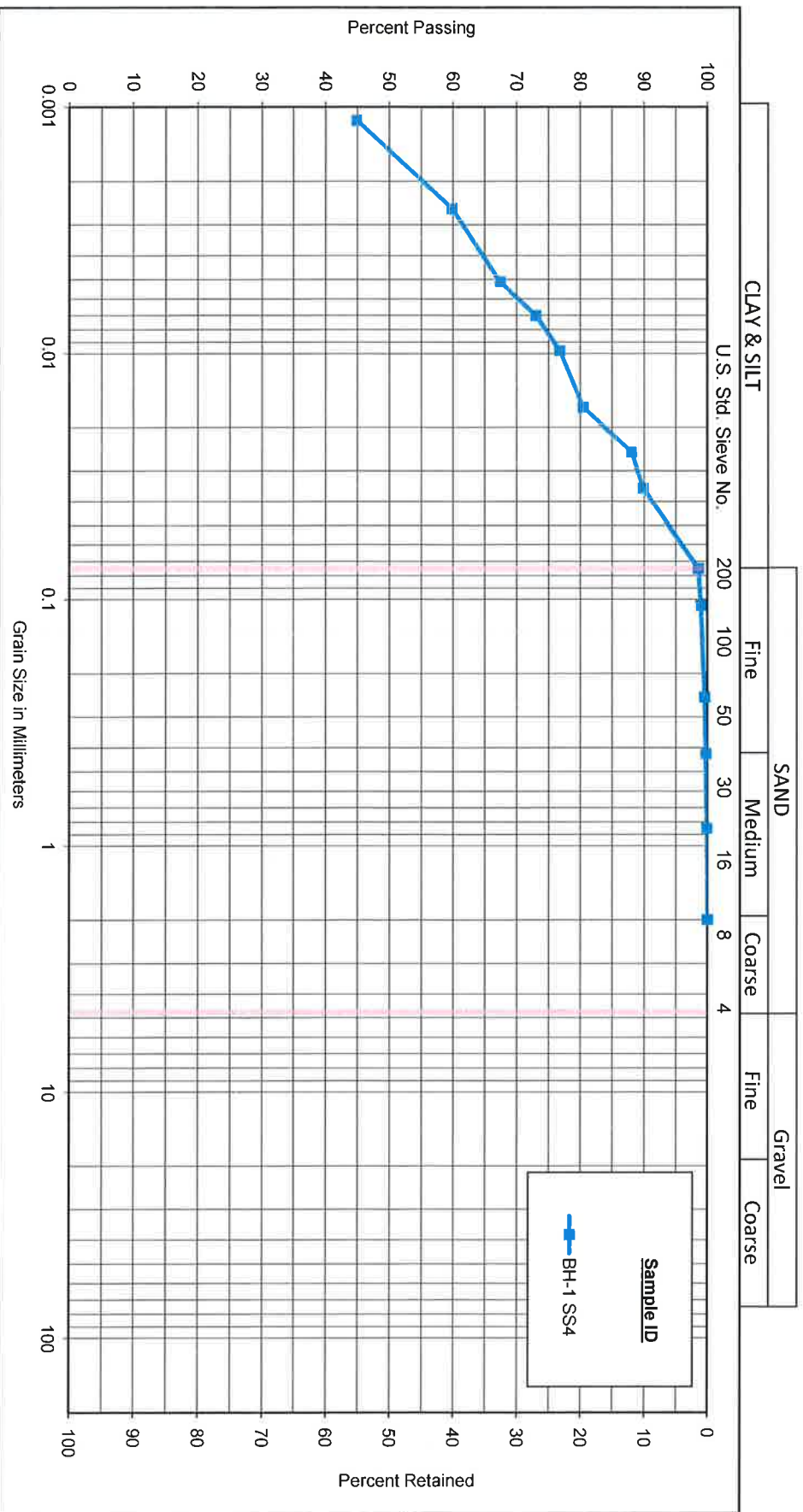
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PLASTICITY CHART

Figure No.

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Unified Soil Classification System



Sample ID	Depth	% Gravel	% Sand	% Silt	% Clay
BH-1 SS4	15'-17'	0.0	1.4	44.6	54.0

GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION

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Figure No.



Particle-Size Analysis of Soils

LS702
AASHTO T88

PROJECT DETAILS

Client:	Kollaard Associates, File #2000126	Project No.:	122410003
Project:	157 Holland Avenue, Ottawa	Test Method:	LS702
Material Type:	Soil	Sampled By:	Kollaard Associates Engineers
Source:	BH-1	Date Sampled:	February 24, 2020
Sample No.:	SS4	Tested By:	Denis Rodriguez
Sample Depth	15 -17'	Date Tested:	February 24, 2020

WASH TEST DATA

Oven Dry Mass in Hydrometer Analysis (g)	52.31
Sample Weight after Hydrometer and Wash (g)	0.76
Percent Passing No. 200 Sieve (%)	98.5
Percent Passing Corrected (%)	98.55

PERCENT LOSS IN SIEVE

Sample Weight Before Sieve (g)	157.10
Sample Weight After Sieve (g)	156.00
Percent Loss in Sieve (%)	0.70

SOIL INFORMATION

Liquid Limit (LL)	
Plasticity Index (PI)	
Soil Classification	
Specific Gravity (G _s)	2.750
Sg. Correction Factor (c)	0.978
Mass of Dispersing Agent/Litre	48 g

CALCULATION OF DRY SOIL MASS

Oven Dried Mass (W _o), (g)	48.92
Air Dried Mass (W _a), (g)	49.30
Hygroscopic Corr. Factor (F=W _a /W _o)	0.9923
Air Dried Mass in Analysis (M _a), (g)	52.72
Oven Dried Mass in Analysis (M _o), (g)	52.31
Percent Passing 2.0 mm Sieve (P ₂₀), (%)	100.00
Sample Represented (W _v), (g)	52.31

HYDROMETER DETAILS

Volume of Bulb (V _b), (cm ³)	63.0
Length of Bulb (L ₂), (cm)	14.47
Length from '0' Reading to Top of Bulb (L ₁), (cm)	10.29
Scale Dimension (h _s), (cm/Div)	0.155
Cross-Sectional Area of Cylinder (A), (cm ²)	27.25
Meniscus Correction (H _m), (g/L)	1.0

START TIME 9:35 AM

HYDROMETER ANALYSIS

Date	Time	Elapsed Time T Mins	H _u Divisions g/L	H _o Divisions g/L	Temperature T _e °C	Corrected Reading R = H _u - H _o g/L	Percent Passing P %	L cm	η Poise	K	Diameter D mm
24-Feb-20	9:36 AM	1	56.0	8.0	22.5	48.0	89.77	7.53404	9.50295	0.012894	0.03539
24-Feb-20	9:37 AM	2	55.0	8.0	22.5	47.0	87.90	7.68904	9.50295	0.012894	0.02528
24-Feb-20	9:40 AM	5	51.0	8.0	22.5	43.0	80.42	8.30904	9.50295	0.012894	0.01662
24-Feb-20	9:50 AM	15	49.0	8.0	22.5	41.0	76.68	8.61904	9.50295	0.012894	0.00977
24-Feb-20	10:05 AM	30	47.0	8.0	22.5	39.0	72.94	8.92904	9.50295	0.012894	0.00703
24-Feb-20	10:35 AM	60	44.0	8.0	22.0	36.0	67.33	9.39404	9.61570	0.012870	0.00513
24-Feb-20	1:45 PM	250	40.0	8.0	22.0	32.0	59.8465	10.01404	9.61570	0.012870	0.00260
25-Feb-20	9:35 AM	1440	32.0	8.0	22.5	24.0	44.8849	11.25404	9.50295	0.012894	0.00114

Remarks:

Reviewed By: Brian Prescott
Date: March 3/2020

SIEVE ANALYSIS

Sieve Size mm	Cum. Wt. Retained	Percent Passing
75.0		100.0
63.0		100.0
53.0		100.0
37.5		100.0
26.5		100.0
19.0		100.0
13.2		100.0
9.5		100.0
4.75		100.0
2.00	0.0	100.0
Total (C + F)¹	156.00	
0.850	0.06	99.89
0.425	0.14	99.73
0.250	0.24	99.54
0.106	0.56	98.93
0.075	0.75	98.57
PAN	0.76	

Note 1: (C + F) = Coarse + Fine



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ATTACHMENT B

Laboratory Test Results for Chemical Properties



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* Refer to Referenced Information for Qualifiers (if any) and Methodology.

Test Method References:

ALS Test Code	Matrix	Test Description	Method Reference**
CL-R511-WT	Soil	Chloride-O.Reg 153/04 (July 2011)	EPA 300.0
5 grams of dried soil is mixed with 10 grams of distilled water for a minimum of 30 minutes. The extract is filtered and analyzed by ion chromatography.			
Analysis conducted in accordance with the Protocol for Analytical Methods Used in the Assessment of Properties under Part XV.1 of the Environmental Protection Act (July 1, 2011).			
EC-WT	Soil	Conductivity (EC)	MOEE E3138
A representative subsample is tumbled with de-ionized (DI) water. The ratio of water to soil is 2:1 v/w. After tumbling the sample is then analyzed by a conductivity meter.			
Analysis conducted in accordance with the Protocol for Analytical Methods Used in the Assessment of Properties under Part XV.1 of the Environmental Protection Act (July 1, 2011).			
MOISTURE-WT	Soil	% Moisture	CCME PHC in Soil - Tier 1 (mod)
PH-WT	Soil	pH	MOEE E3137A
A minimum 10g portion of the sample is extracted with 20mL of 0.01M calcium chloride solution by shaking for at least 30 minutes. The aqueous layer is separated from the soil and then analyzed using a pH meter and electrode.			
Analysis conducted in accordance with the Protocol for Analytical Methods Used in the Assessment of Properties under Part XV.1 of the Environmental Protection Act (July 1, 2011).			
RESISTIVITY-CALC-WT	Soil	Resistivity Calculation	APHA 2510 B
The reported Resistivity value is calculated as the inverse of the conductivity of a 2:1 water:soil leachate. This method does not use direct measurement of Soil Resistivity using a resistivity meter.			
RESISTIVITY-CALC-WT	Soil	Resistivity Calculation	MOECC E3138
The reported Resistivity value is calculated as the inverse of the conductivity of a 2:1 water:soil leachate. This method does not use direct measurement of Soil Resistivity using a resistivity meter.			
SO4-WT	Soil	Sulphate	EPA 300.0
5 grams of soil is mixed with 50 mL of distilled water for a minimum of 30 minutes. The extract is filtered and analyzed by ion chromatography.			

** ALS test methods may incorporate modifications from specified reference methods to improve performance.

The last two letters of the above test code(s) indicate the laboratory that performed analytical analysis for that test. Refer to the list below:

Laboratory Definition Code	Laboratory Location
WT	ALS ENVIRONMENTAL - WATERLOO, ONTARIO, CANADA

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GLOSSARY OF REPORT TERMS

Surrogates are compounds that are similar in behaviour to target analyte(s), but that do not normally occur in environmental samples. For applicable tests, surrogates are added to samples prior to analysis as a check on recovery. In reports that display the D.L. column, laboratory objectives for surrogates are listed there.

mg/kg - milligrams per kilogram based on dry weight of sample

mg/kg wwt - milligrams per kilogram based on wet weight of sample

mg/kg lwt - milligrams per kilogram based on lipid weight of sample

mg/L - unit of concentration based on volume, parts per million.

< - Less than.

D.L. - The reporting limit.

N/A - Result not available. Refer to qualifier code and definition for explanation.

Test results reported relate only to the samples as received by the laboratory.

UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED, ALL SAMPLES WERE RECEIVED IN ACCEPTABLE CONDITION.

Analytical results in unsigned test reports with the DRAFT watermark are subject to change, pending final QC review.



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Contact: Dean Tataryn

Test	Matrix	Reference	Result	Qualifier	Units	RPD	Limit	Analyzed
CL-R511-WT		Soil						
Batch	R5010108							
WG3282566-3	CRM	AN-CRM-WT						
Chloride			99.5		%		70-130	26-FEB-20
WG3282566-4	DUP	L2421348-1						
Chloride		<5.0	<5.0	RPD-NA	ug/g	N/A	30	26-FEB-20
WG3282566-2	LCS							
Chloride			103.7		%		80-120	26-FEB-20
WG3282566-1	MB							
Chloride			<5.0		ug/g		5	26-FEB-20
EC-WT		Soil						
Batch	R5011442							
WG3283074-4	DUP	WG3283074-3						
Conductivity		0.150	0.155		mS/cm	3.0	20	28-FEB-20
WG3283074-2	IRM	WT SAR3						
Conductivity			91.6		%		70-130	28-FEB-20
WG3283589-1	LCS							
Conductivity			97.0		%		90-110	28-FEB-20
WG3283074-1	MB							
Conductivity			<0.0040		mS/cm		0.004	28-FEB-20
MOISTURE-WT		Soil						
Batch	R5009070							
WG3282221-3	DUP	L2420927-1						
% Moisture		17.0	16.9		%	0.8	20	27-FEB-20
WG3282221-2	LCS							
% Moisture			100.4		%		90-110	27-FEB-20
WG3282221-1	MB							
% Moisture			<0.25		%		0.25	27-FEB-20
PH-WT		Soil						
Batch	R5010777							
WG3282076-1	DUP	L2421128-3						
pH		7.66	7.64	J	pH units	0.02	0.3	27-FEB-20
WG3282948-1	LCS							
pH			6.96		pH units		6.9-7.1	27-FEB-20
SO4-WT		Soil						
Batch	R5012201							
WG3282155-4	CRM	AN-CRM-WT						
Sulphate			101.6		%		60-140	28-FEB-20
WG3282155-3	DUP	L2421135-1						



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Test	Matrix	Reference	Result	Qualifier	Units	RPD	Limit	Analyzed
SO4-WT	Soil							
Batch	R5012201							
WG3282155-3	DUP	L2421135-1						
Sulphate		173	174		mg/kg	0.6	30	28-FEB-20
WG3282155-2	LCS							
Sulphate			103.4		%		80-120	28-FEB-20
WG3282155-1	MB							
Sulphate			<20		mg/kg		20	28-FEB-20

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Legend:

Limit	ALS Control Limit (Data Quality Objectives)
DUP	Duplicate
RPD	Relative Percent Difference
N/A	Not Available
LCS	Laboratory Control Sample
SRM	Standard Reference Material
MS	Matrix Spike
MSD	Matrix Spike Duplicate
ADE	Average Desorption Efficiency
MB	Method Blank
IRM	Internal Reference Material
CRM	Certified Reference Material
CCV	Continuing Calibration Verification
CVS	Calibration Verification Standard
LCSD	Laboratory Control Sample Duplicate

Sample Parameter Qualifier Definitions:

Qualifier	Description
J	Duplicate results and limits are expressed in terms of absolute difference.
RPD-NA	Relative Percent Difference Not Available due to result(s) being less than detection limit.

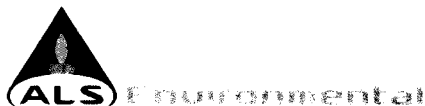
Hold Time Exceedances:

All test results reported with this submission were conducted within ALS recommended hold times.

ALS recommended hold times may vary by province. They are assigned to meet known provincial and/or federal government requirements. In the absence of regulatory hold times, ALS establishes recommendations based on guidelines published by the US EPA, APHA Standard Methods, or Environment Canada (where available). For more information, please contact ALS.

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Please note that this report may contain QC results from anonymous Sample Duplicates and Matrix Spikes that do not originate from this Work Order.



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Report To Contact and company name below will appear on the final report		Report		Below - Contact your AM to confirm all E&P TATs (surcharges may apply)		
Company:	Kollaard Associates (27196)	Select Report Format:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PDF <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCEL <input type="checkbox"/> ELP (DIGITAL)	Standard TAT if received by 3 pm - business days - no surcharges apply		
Contact:	Dean Tataryn	Quality Control (QC) Report with Report	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Phone:	613.860.0923, ext.225	<input type="checkbox"/> Compare Results to Criteria on Report - provide details below if box checked		<input type="checkbox"/>		
Company address below will appear on the final report		Select Distribution:	<input type="checkbox"/> EMAIL <input type="checkbox"/> MAIL <input type="checkbox"/> FAX	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Street:	210 Prescott Street, Unit 1 P.O. Box 189	Email 1 or Fax	dean@kollaard.ca	<input type="checkbox"/>		
City/Province:	Kemptville, Ontario	Email 2		<input type="checkbox"/>		
Postal Code:	K0G 1J0	Email 3		<input type="checkbox"/>		
Invoice To	Same as Report To <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Invoice Distribution		Analysis Request		
	Copy of Invoice with Report <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Select Invoice Distribution:	<input type="checkbox"/> EMAIL <input type="checkbox"/> MAIL <input type="checkbox"/> FAX	Indicate Filtered (F), Preserved (P) or Filtered and Preserved (F/P) below		
Company:		Email 1 or Fax	mary@kollaard.ca	<div>Corrosivity</div>		
Contact:		Email 2				
Project Information		Oil and Gas Required Fields (client use)				
ALS Account # / Quote #:	Q71021	AFE/Cost Center:	PO#			
Job #:	200126	Major/Minor Code:	Routing Code:	<div>SAMPLES ON HOLD</div> <div>Sample is hazardous (please provide further detail)</div> <div>NUMBER OF CONTAINERS</div>		
PO / AFE:		Requisitioner:				
LSD:		Location:				
ALS Lab Work Order # (lab use only):	L2421135	ALS Contact:	Melanie M. ES			
ALS Sample # (lab use only)	Sample Identification and/or Coordinates (This description will appear on the report)	Date (dd-mm-yy)	Time (hh:mm)	Sample Type		
	BH1 SS 2 S-7	FEB 24/20		SO1		
Drinking Water (DW) Samples¹ (client use)		Special Instructions / Specify Criteria to add on report by clicking on the drop-down list below (electronic COC only)		SAMPLE CONDITION AS RECEIVED (lab use only)		
Are samples taken from a Regulated DW System?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			Frozen <input type="checkbox"/> SIF Observations Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		
Are samples for human consumption/ use?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			Ice Packs <input type="checkbox"/> Ice Cubes <input type="checkbox"/> Custody seal intact Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		
				Cooling Initiated <input type="checkbox"/>		
				INITIAL COOLER TEMPERATURES °C: 17.8 FINAL COOLER TEMPERATURES °C: 8.1		
SHIPMENT RELEASE (client use)		INITIAL SHIPMENT RECEPTION (lab use only)		FINAL SHIPMENT RECEPTION (lab use only)		
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1. If any water samples are taken from a Regulated Drinking Water (DW) System, please submit using an Authorized DW COC form.

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Geotechnical Investigation
Proposed Residential Development
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ATTACHMENT C

National Building Code Seismic Hazard Calculation

2015 National Building Code Seismic Hazard Calculation

INFORMATION: Eastern Canada English (613) 995-5548 français (613) 995-0600 Facsimile (613) 992-8836
Western Canada English (250) 363-6500 Facsimile (250) 363-6565

Site: 45.399N 75.731W

User File Reference: 157 Holland Avenue, Ottawa, Ontario

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Probability of exceedance per annum	0.000404	0.001	0.0021	0.01
Probability of exceedance in 50 years	2 %	5 %	10 %	40 %
Sa (0.05)	0.442	0.244	0.146	0.043
Sa (0.1)	0.517	0.296	0.184	0.060
Sa (0.2)	0.435	0.252	0.159	0.054
Sa (0.3)	0.330	0.193	0.123	0.043
Sa (0.5)	0.235	0.137	0.087	0.031
Sa (1.0)	0.117	0.069	0.044	0.015
Sa (2.0)	0.056	0.032	0.020	0.006
Sa (5.0)	0.015	0.008	0.005	0.001
Sa (10.0)	0.005	0.003	0.002	0.001
PGA (g)	0.278	0.161	0.100	0.032
PGV (m/s)	0.195	0.110	0.067	0.021

Notes: Spectral ($S_a(T)$, where T is the period in seconds) and peak ground acceleration (PGA) values are given in units of g (9.81 m/s^2). Peak ground velocity is given in m/s . Values are for "firm ground" (NBCC2015 Site Class C, average shear wave velocity 450 m/s). NBCC2015 and CSAS6-14 values are highlighted in yellow. Three additional periods are provided - their use is discussed in the NBCC2015 Commentary. Only 2 significant figures are to be used. **These values have been interpolated from a 10-km-spaced grid of points. Depending on the gradient of the nearby points, values at this location calculated directly from the hazard program may vary. More than 95 percent of interpolated values are within 2 percent of the directly calculated values.**

References

National Building Code of Canada 2015 NRCC no. 56190; Appendix C: Table C-3, Seismic Design Data for Selected Locations in Canada

Structural Commentaries (User's Guide - NBC 2015: Part 4 of Division B)
Commentary J: Design for Seismic Effects

Geological Survey of Canada Open File 7893 Fifth Generation Seismic Hazard Model for Canada: Grid values of mean hazard to be used with the 2015 National Building Code of Canada

See the websites www.EarthquakesCanada.ca and www.nationalcodes.ca for more information