

Confederation Line Level 2 Proximity Study

**Proposed Mixed Use Development
1047 Richmond Road – Ottawa, Ontario**

Prepared for Fengate Asset Management

Report PG6108-1 Revision 3 dated December 9, 2024

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1.0 Introduction

Paterson Group (Paterson) was commissioned by Fengate Asset Management (Fengate) to conduct a Confederation Line Level 2 Proximity Study for the proposed mixed-use development to be located at 1047 Richmond Road, in the City of Ottawa.

The objectives of the current study were to:

- Review all current information provided by the City of Ottawa with regards to the construction of the Confederation Line and New Orchard Station.
- Liaison between the City of Ottawa and the Fengate consultant team involved with the aforementioned project.

The following report has been prepared specifically and solely for the aforementioned project which is described herein. It contains a collaboration of civil, structural and geotechnical design information as they pertain to the aforementioned project.

2.0 Development Details

The proposed development at 1047 Richmond Road will consist of two residential buildings. The first building is noted as Tower A rising to 36 storeys. A second building noted as Tower B will have 38 storeys. It is further understood that both structures will share a common two-level underground parking structure. The underground parking structure will occupy the majority of the subject site, with the exception of a proposed park area located at the south-west corner of the site. The development will also include associated access lanes, amenity areas, and landscaped areas. The underground parking structure for the proposed buildings is to be setback approximately 1 m from the property line along Richmond Road. The design underside of the footing elevation is anticipated to be approximately 55.5 m and will be founded upon sound bedrock.

At the time of submission, it is understood that the City of Ottawa proposes that the Confederation Line and New Orchard Station will be constructed in proximity to the proposed development.

For purposes of determining the top of the tunnel and top of rail elevations, footing levels for the station, and rail alignment location, the following drawings provided by the City of Ottawa were reviewed:

- ❑ West Track and Guideway Overall Design Segment 2 Westbound Alignment and Profile Sta. 44+850 to 45+350 – Drawing No. EJV-S2GUID-GUI-DWG-2003 – Contract No. LRT19-1019 Revision 2 dated July 25, 2022, prepared by EWC Designers.
- ❑ New Orchard Station Segment 2 Sections – Transverse Drawing No. EJV-S2STNE-ARC-DWG-4105 – Contract No. LRT19-1019 Revision 2 dated May 10, 2023, prepared by EWC Designers.
- ❑ New Orchard Station Segment 2 Overall Sections – Drawing No. EJV-S2STNE-ARC-DWG-4000 – Contract No. LRT19-1019 Revision 1 dated January 31, 2022, prepared by EWC Designers.

It should be noted that the following report analyzes a ‘worst case’ scenario regarding the Confederation Line with respect to the proposed development. The following is known about the Confederation Line:

- ❑ The Confederation Line alignment will run in a north-east to south-west direction and will be located at the existing pathway and landscaped area between Richmond Road and Byron Avenue, approximately 19 m south-east of the subject site.
- ❑ The Confederation Line tunnel will be below ground, with the top of the tunnel located near the existing ground surface (approximately 65 m - geodetic elevation). The top of the rail elevation is anticipated to be approximately 58 m.
- ❑ Based on the subsurface profile at 1047 Richmond Road, bedrock is assumed to vary near the location of the rail line structure at approximate geodetic elevations of 61 and 64 m. Therefore, it is anticipated that the Confederation Line tunnel will be founded on bedrock.
- ❑ New Orchard Station is proposed to be located approximately 19 m south-east of the proposed development property line.

3.0 Construction Methodology and Impact Review

Paterson has prepared a construction methodology summary along with possible impacts on the adjacent segment of the Confederation Line and New Orchard Station based on the current building design details. The Construction Methodology and Impact Review is provided in Appendix A and presents the anticipated construction items, impact review and a mitigation program recommended for the Confederation Line. One of the main issues will be vibrations associated with the bedrock blasting removal program. It is recommended that a vibration monitoring program be implemented to ensure vibration levels remain below recommended tolerances. Details of a recommended vibration monitoring program are presented below.

3.1 Vibration Monitoring and Control Program

Due to the presence of the construction of the proposed Confederation Tunnel and New Orchard Station, the contractor should take extra precautions to minimize vibrations. The vibration monitoring program will be required for the duration of the blasting operations and any other construction activities which are anticipated to induce significant vibrations.

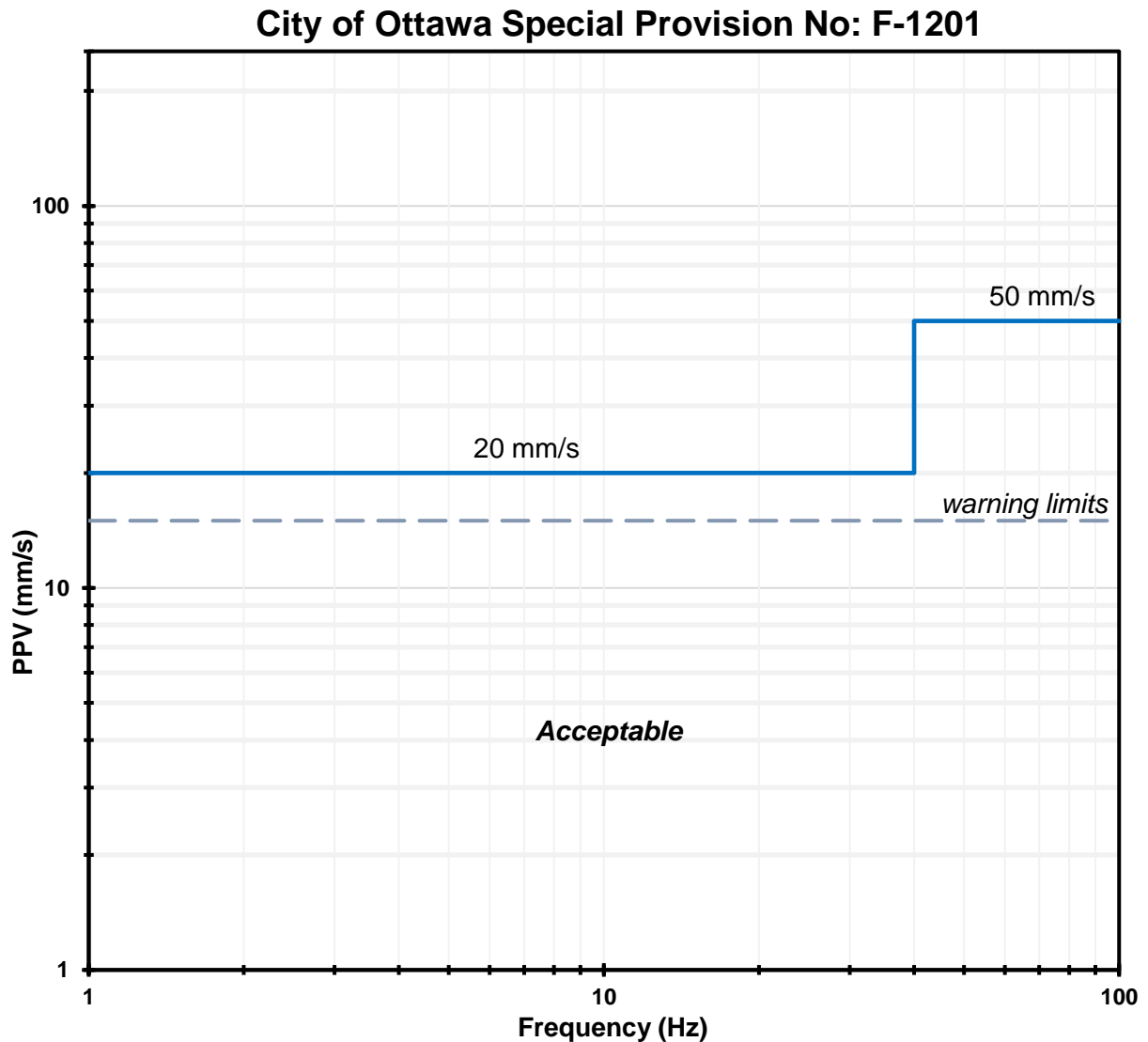
The purpose of the Vibration Monitoring and Control Program (VMCP) is to provide a description of the measures to be implemented by the contractor to manage excavation operations and any other vibration sources during the construction of the proposed development. The VMCP will also provide a guideline for assessing results against the relevant vibration impact assessment criteria and recommendations to meet the required limits.

The monitoring program will incorporate real time results at the Confederation Tunnel and rail station, which is located in the general vicinity of the subject site. The monitoring equipment should consist of a tri-axial seismograph, capable of measuring vibration intensities up to 254 mm/s at a frequency response of 2 to 250 Hz. The monitoring equipment should be placed in the tunnel, if the tunnel has been constructed by the time blasting has commenced at 1047 Richmond Road. Otherwise, if the tunnel construction has not been completed at the time of blasting at 1047 Richmond Road, then the monitoring equipment should be placed at the ground surface at the nearest boundary of the Confederation Line alignment.

The location should be reviewed periodically throughout construction to ensure that the monitoring equipment remains within the closest radius to the construction activities. The vibration monitor locations should be approved by the project manager prior to installation. During construction, the vibration monitor will be relocated to the 'worst case' location for each construction activity. When an event is triggered, Paterson will review the results and provide any necessary feedback. Otherwise, the vibration results will be summarized in the weekly report.

Proposed Vibration Limits

The following figure outlines the recommended vibration limits for the Confederation Line railway and New Orchard Station during blasting operations:



The excavation operations should be planned and conducted under the supervision of a licensed professional engineer who is an experienced bedrock excavation consultant.

Monitoring Data

The monitoring protocol should include the following information:

Warning Level Event

- Paterson will review all vibrations over the established warning level, illustrated by the blue line in the above figure, and;
- Paterson will notify the contractor if any vibrations occur due to construction activities and are close to the exceedance level.

Exceedance Level Event

- Paterson will notify all the relevant stakeholders via email if any vibrations surpass the exceedance level, illustrated by the black line in the above figure,
- Ensure monitors are functioning, and;
- Issue the vibration exceedance result.

The data collected will include the following:

- Measured vibration levels,
- Distance from the construction activity to monitoring location, and;
- Vibration type.

Monitoring should be compliant with all related regulations.

3.2 Incident/Exceedance Reporting

In case an incident/exceedance occurs from construction activities, the Senior Project Management and any relevant personnel should be notified immediately. A report should be completed which contains the following:

- Identify the location of vibration exceedance,
- The date, time and nature of the exceedance/incident,
- Purpose of the exceeded monitor and current vibration criteria,
- Identify the likely cause of the exceedance/incident,
- Describe the response action that has been completed to date, and;
- Describe the proposed measures to address the exceedance/incident.

The contractor should implement mitigation measures for future excavation or any construction activities as necessary and provide updates on the effectiveness of the improvement. Response actions should be pre-determined prior to excavation, depending on the approach provided to protect elements. Processes and procedures should be in-place prior to completing any vibrations to identify issues and react in a quick manner in the event of an exceedance.

4.0 Proximity Study Requirement Responses

Paterson was informed by the City of Ottawa that a Level 2 Confederation Line Proximity Study should be completed for the proposed development. A Level 2 Confederation Line Proximity Study is required where the proposed development is located within the City of Ottawa’s Development Zone of Influence.

The following table lists the applicable requirements for Level 1 and Level 2 study and the response location for each item:

Table 1 - List of Confederation Line Proximity Study Requirements	
Level 1 Projects	Response
Site Plan (or Plan of Subdivision) of the development.	See Confederation Line Proximity Plan (Drawing No. PG6108-1 Revision 3 dated December 9, 2024) presented in Appendix A.
Floor Plans for the development.	See Floor Plans provided by RLA Architecture presented in Appendix D.
Development cross-section.	Refer to the Confederation Line Proximity Plan (Drawing No. PG6108-1 Revision 3 dated December 9, 2024) and Cross-Section A-A' (Drawing No. PG6108-2 Revision 1 dated September 7, 2023) presented in Appendix A.
A Geotechnical Report prepared in accordance with the Geotechnical Investigation and Reporting Guidelines for Development Applications.	Refer to Geotechnical Assessment Report: prepared by Terrapex Report No. CO972.00 dated December 5, 2024, presented in Appendix B.

Up to date property survey of existing and proposed property lines prepared to Strata Reference Plan Standards, signed and sealed by an Ontario Land Surveyor.	Refer to the property survey presented in Appendix A.
Utility Servicing Plan.	A Utility Servicing Plan will be provided prior to the Site Plan Agreement.
Stormwater Management Plan and Grading Plan.	A Stormwater Management Plan and Grading Plan will be provided prior to the site Plan Agreement.
Architectural Drawings and Landscape Plans.	Architectural Drawings and Landscape Plans will be provided prior to the Site Plan Agreement.
Noise and Vibration Study prepared in accordance with the City's Environmental Noise Control Guidelines.	Refer to the Roadway Traffic Noise and Vibration Feasibility Assessment Report No. 21-416 prepared by Gradient Wind Engineers & Scientists Addendum dated August 12, 2024, which is presented in Appendix C.
Level 2 Projects	Response
Fire/Life Safety and HVAC Report	A Fire/life safety and HVAC Report will be provided prior to the Site Plan Agreement.
Excavation Plan.	A temporary shoring system will be designed to at-rest earth pressures as required by the site Geotechnical Investigation Report. Temporary shoring drawings will be submitted once they are finalized.
Construction Plan.	A Construction Plan will be provided prior to the Site Plan Agreement Reference can further be made to the Construction Methodology and Impact Review presented in Appendix A.

We trust that this information satisfies your immediate request.

Best Regards,

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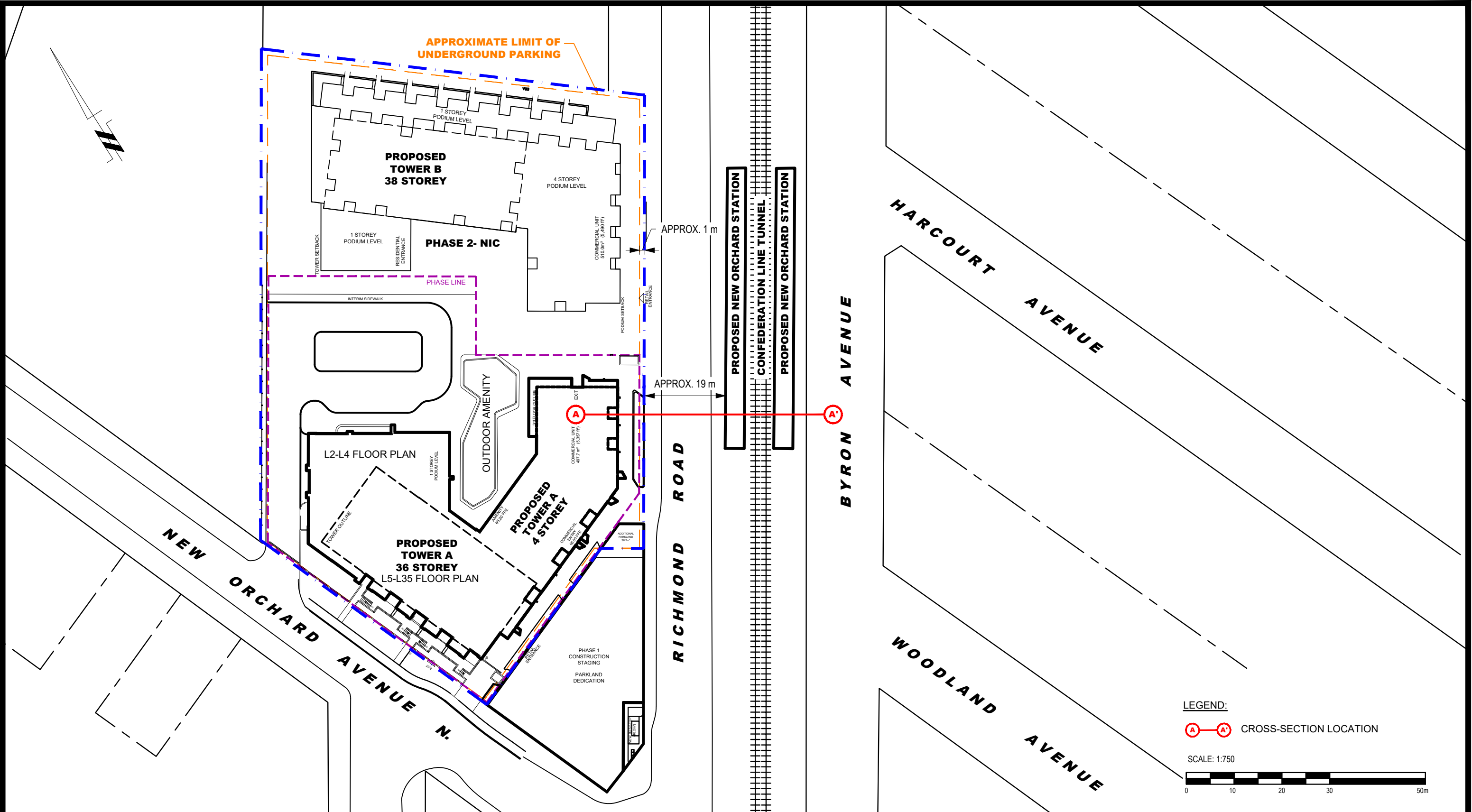
APPENDIX A

Confederation Line Proximity Plan

Cross Section A-A'

Topographic Survey Plan

Construction Methodology and Impact Review



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2	UPDATED CONCEPTUAL PLAN	28/08/2024	OM
1	UPDATED CONCEPTUAL PLAN	07/07/2023	NP

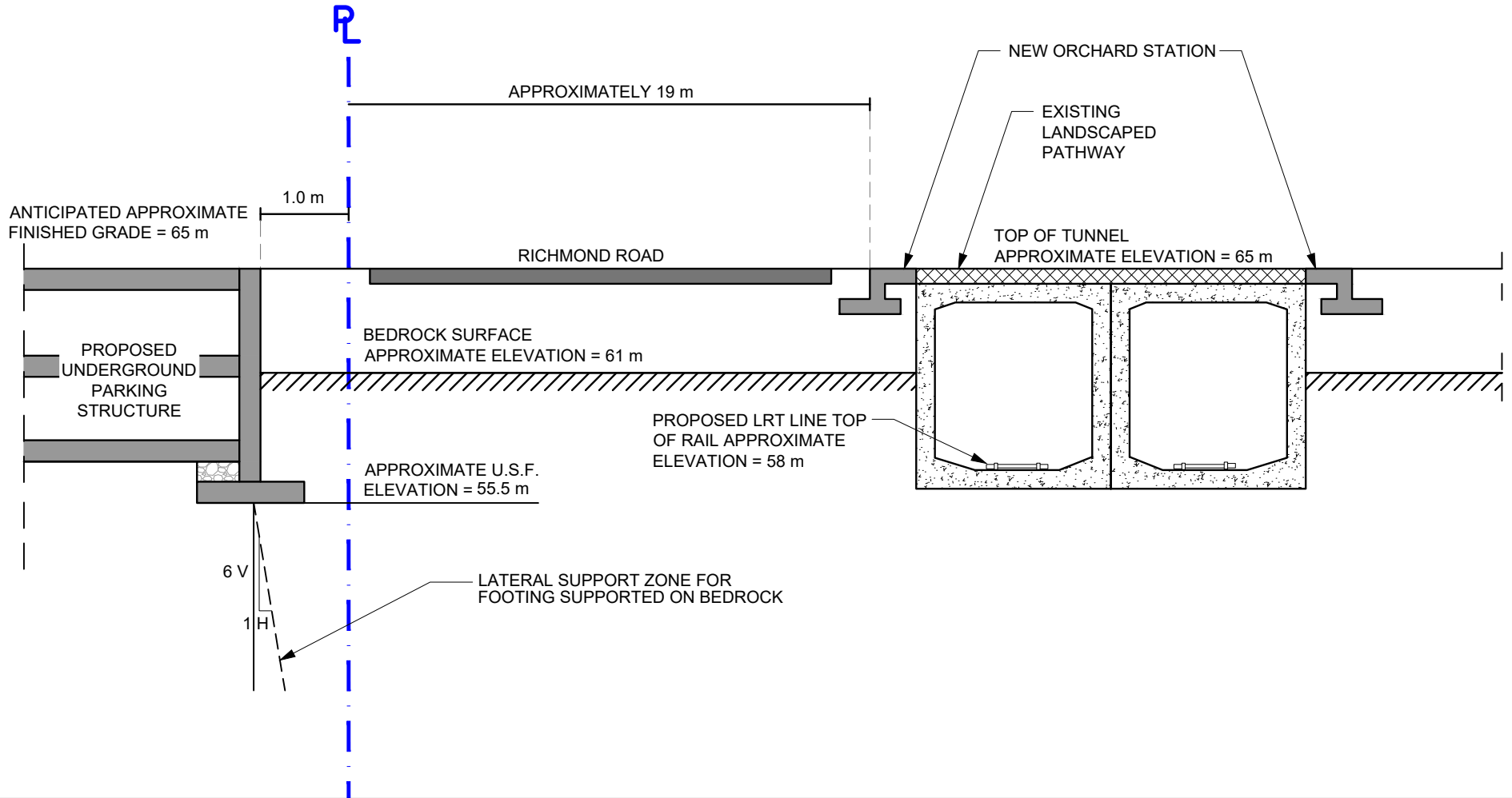
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CONFEDERATION LINE PROXIMITY STUDY
PROPOSED MIXED USE DEVELOPMENT
1047 RICHMOND ROAD
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CROSS SECTION A-A'



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Surveyor's Certificate

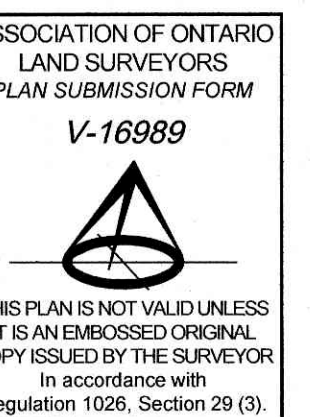
- I CERTIFY THAT: 1. This survey and plan are correct and in accordance with the Surveys Act and the regulations made under them. 2. The survey was completed on the 29th day of September, 2021.

Date: 29/09/2021 Signature: E. H. Henveyer Ontario Land Surveyor

Distances shown on this plan are ground distances and can be converted to grid distances by multiplying by the combined scale factor of 0.999982.

For bearing comparisons, a rotation of 0°01'00" counter-clockwise was applied to bearings on P1, P4 & P5. For bearing comparisons, a rotation of 0°19'10" counter-clockwise was applied to bearings on P6. For bearing comparisons, a rotation of 0°01'30" counter-clockwise was applied to bearings on P2 & P7.

Coordinates are derived from Can-Net 2016 Real Time Network GPS observations referenced to Specified Control Points 0191980005 and 01919750705, MTM Zone 9 (76°30' West Longitude) NAD-83 (original).



ELEVATION NOTES

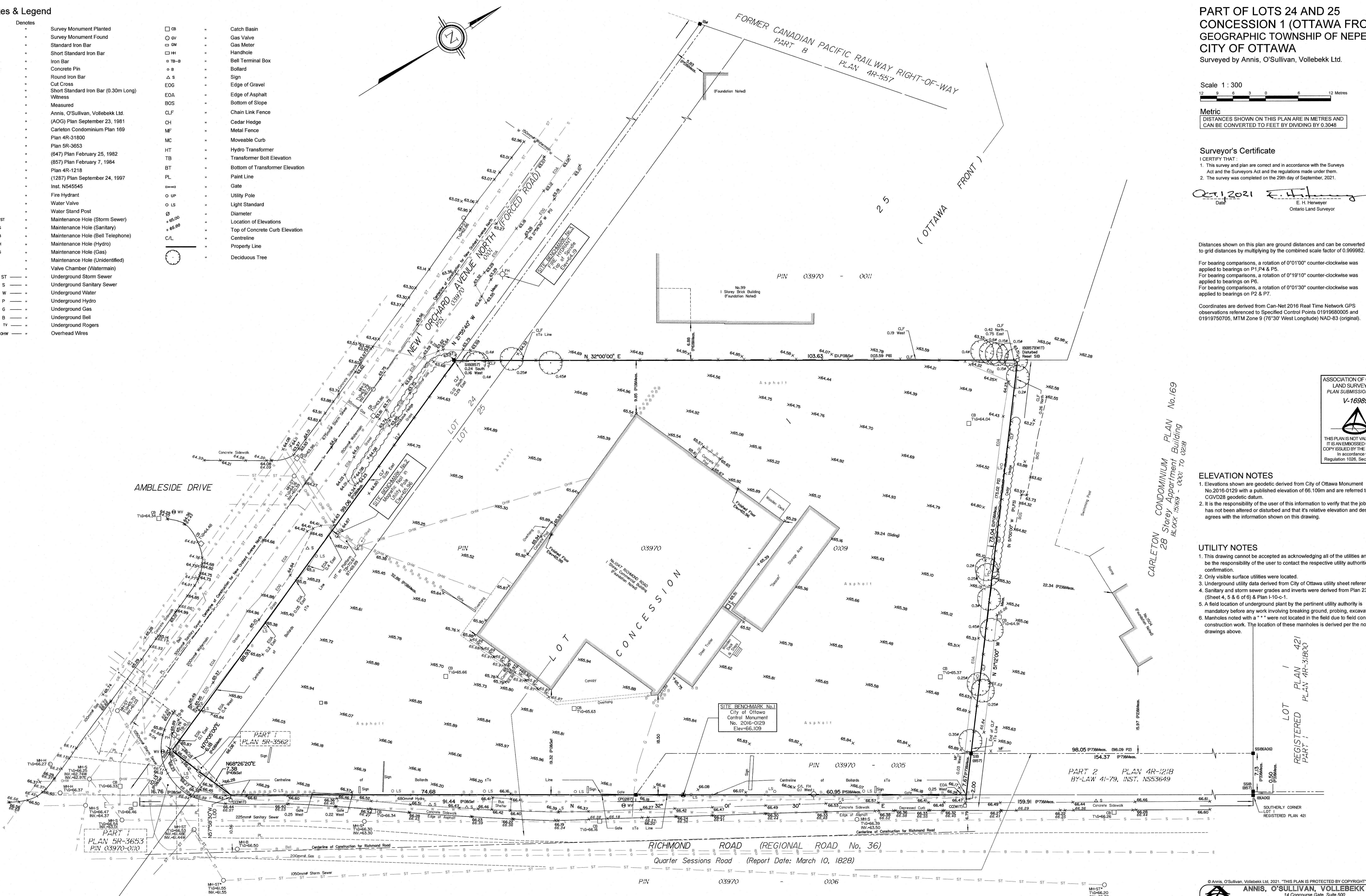
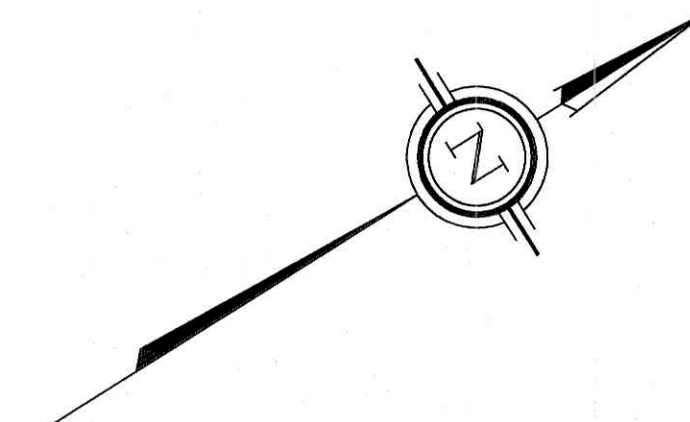
- 1. Elevations shown are geodetic derived from City of Ottawa Monument No.2016-0129 with a published elevation of 66.109m and are referred to the CGVD28 geodetic datum. 2. It is the responsibility of the user of this information to verify that the job benchmark has not been altered or disturbed and that its relative elevation and description agrees with the information shown on this drawing.

UTILITY NOTES

- 1. This drawing cannot be accepted as acknowledging all of the utilities and it will be the responsibility of the user to contact the respective utility authorities for confirmation. 2. Only visible surface utilities were located. 3. Underground utility data derived from City of Ottawa utility sheet reference E-01-09. 4. Sanitary and storm sewer grades and inverts were derived from Plan 2353 (Sheet 4, 5 & 6 of 8) & Plan I-10-c-1. 5. A field location of underground plant by the pertinent utility authority is mandatory before any work involving breaking ground, probing, excavating etc. 6. Manholes noted with a "*" were not located in the field due to field conditions and construction work. The location of these manholes is derived per the noted drawings above.

Notes & Legend

Table with 2 columns: Denotes and symbols. Lists various survey markers (e.g., Survey Monument Planted, Catch Basin), utility lines (e.g., Storm Sewer, Water), and other features (e.g., Catchment, Property Line).



Construction Methodology and Impact Review		
Construction Item	Potential Impact	Mitigation Program
<p>Item A - Installation of Temporary Shoring System - Where adequate space is not available for the overburden to be sloped, the overburden along the perimeter of the proposed building footprints will need to be shored in order to complete the construction of the underground parking levels. The shoring system is anticipated to consist of a soldier pile and lagging system.</p>	<p>Vibration issues during shoring system installation.</p>	<p>Design of the temporary shoring system, in particular vibrations during installation, will take into consideration the presence of the Confederation Line and New Orchard Station.</p> <p>Installation of the shoring system is not anticipated to have an adverse impact on the Confederation Line or New Orchard Station, nonetheless, a vibration monitoring device is recommended to be installed to monitor vibrations. The vibration monitor would be remotely connected to permit real time monitoring and a vibration monitoring program would be implemented as detailed in Subsection 3.1 - Vibration Monitoring and Control Program of Paterson Group Report PG6108-1 Revision 3 dated December 9, 2024.</p>
<p>Item B - Bedrock Blasting and Removal Program - Blasting of the bedrock will be required for the proposed development and parking garage structure construction. It is expected that bedrock removal is required based on the current design concepts for the proposed development.</p>	<p>Structural damage of Confederation Line due to vibrations from blasting program.</p>	<p>Structural damage to the Confederation Line and New Orchard Station during bedrock blasting and removal is not anticipated, nonetheless, a vibration monitoring device is recommended to be installed in the tunnel in order to monitor vibrations. The vibration monitor would be remotely connected to permit real time monitoring and a vibration monitoring program would be implemented as detailed in Subsection 3.1 - Vibration Monitoring and Control Program of Paterson Group Report PG6108-1 Revision 3 dated December 9, 2024.</p>
<p>Item C - Construction of Footings and Foundation Walls - The proposed building will include 2 levels of underground parking. Therefore, the footings will be placed over a clean, surface sounded dolostone with interbedded shale, limestone, and sandstone bedrock bearing surface.</p>	<p>Building footing loading on adjacent Confederation Line, and excavation within the lateral support zone of the Confederation Line.</p>	<p>Due to the distance between the proposed building and the Confederation Line and New Orchard Station, the zone of influence from the proposed footings will not intersect the rail line structure and associated infrastructure. Further, although the underground parking levels for the proposed building will extend approximately 9.5 m below existing ground surface, due to the approximate 19 m distance between the proposed building and rail line infrastructure, the building excavation will not impact the lateral support zone of the Confederation Line and New Orchard Station.</p>

APPENDIX B

Geotechnical Assessment Report:

Prepared By Terrapex

Report No. CO972.00 dated December 5, 2024



GEOTECHNICAL ASSESSMENT REPORT

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1 INTRODUCTION

Terrapex Environmental Ltd. (Terrapex) was retained by Fengate Development Holdings LP to prepare a geotechnical assessment for the proposed residential development at the property located at 1047 Richmond Road, Ottawa, Ontario (hereafter referred to as the "Site"). Authorization to proceed with this study was given by Mr. Lee Marlowe of Fengate Development Holdings LP.

The Site is located at 1047 Richmond Road in Ottawa, Ontario. The site is approximately 2.5 acres. The site is currently vacant.

The site is bordered to the east by a residential tower, to the south by Richmond Road, to the west by New Orchard Avenue and the north by a low-rise residential building. For this report, Richmond Road is considered to be oriented in an east-west direction.

Based on communications with the Client, we understand that Fengate was originally planning to develop the Site with three residential towers with 36 to 40-storeys (called Towers A, B and C) and three six-storey podiums. The proposed development also included a park, a drop-off area, an outdoor amenity and access roadways. The development included three levels of underground parking extending under the entire development site excluding the future park.

According to the latest development plan (rla Architecture, Nov 6, 2024) provided by the Client, Terrapex understands that the proposed development scheme has changed, and Fengate is contemplating to develop the Site in two phases, where the Phase 1, will include a thirty-six (36) storey mixed use building (Tower A) and a three-storey podium structure within the western portion of the site. The proposed Phase 1 development also includes a 1,000 m² of parkland dedication, a drop-off area, an outdoor amenity, soft landscaping features and access roadways. The Phase 1 development includes two levels of underground parking which will encompass the entire development area, excluding the parkland dedication.

Golder Associates conducted a geotechnical and hydrogeological investigation at the subject site in support of the initial development plan in 2021. Their investigation included drilling of ten boreholes advanced 7.6 m to 15.5 m below the existing ground surface (mbgs). A copy of the above report was provided to Terrapex. Terrapex referred to Golder's borehole data and laboratory test results to prepare the current geotechnical assessment report, in support of the latest development plan.

The borehole location plan, overlaid on the latest development plan, is presented in Appendix B.

The purpose of this investigation was to characterize the underlying soil, bedrock and groundwater conditions, to determine the relevant geotechnical properties of encountered ground condition and to provide geotechnical engineering recommendations for the proposed development.

This report presents the results of the investigation performed in accordance with the general terms of reference outlined above and is intended for the guidance of the owner and the design architects or engineers only. It is assumed that the design will be in accordance with the applicable building codes and standards.

2 PAST FIELD WORK

The fieldwork for this investigation was carried out by Golder during the period between September 21 and 30, 2021 in conjunction with the fieldwork of the Phase II Environmental Site Assessment. It consisted of ten (10) boreholes (BH21-01 to BH21-10) advanced by drilling contractor CCC Geotechnical and Environmental Drilling of Ottawa. The locations of the boreholes are shown in **Appendix B**.

The boreholes designated as BH21-01 through BH21-10 were advanced to depths ranging from 7.6 m to 15.5 m below ground surface (mbgs).

Standard penetration tests were carried out in the course of advancing the boreholes through the overburden to take representative soil samples and to measure penetration index values (N-values) to characterize the condition of the various soil materials. The number of blows of the striking hammer required to drive the split spoon sampler to 300 mm depth was recorded and these are presented on the logs as penetration index values. Results of SPT are shown on the borehole log sheets in **Appendix C** of this report.

The boreholes were sampled with split spoon sampler to approximate depths ranging from 1.6 to 4.8 mbg in auger refusal. Boreholes BH21-01 to BH21-05 were subsequently advanced to a depth of approximately 7.6 m into the bedrock using a pneumatic hammer rock drilling (air hammered). No rock cores were recovered from these boreholes. The remaining boreholes designated as BH21-06 to BH21-10 were cored using an HQ-size coring bit to approximate depths ranging from 7.5 to 15.5 m.

Monitoring wells were advanced in all Boreholes except for BH21-08 to allow for groundwater measurement and to perform in-situ hydraulic conductivity testing. Groundwater measurements were made in the monitoring wells on October 05, 2021. The results of the groundwater measurements are discussed in Section 4.6 of this report.

At borehole BH21-08, a 63.5 mm inside diameter rigid PVC casing was grouted over the full depth of the borehole to allow for Vertical Seismic Profile (VSP) testing to determine the shear wave velocity profile of the soil and rock.

The borehole locations were marked in the field and surveyed by Golder. The positions and ground surface elevations at the borehole locations were determined using a Trimble R8 GPS survey unit. The Geodetic reference system used for the survey is the North American Datum of

1983 (NAD83). The borehole coordinates are based on the Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM Zone 09) coordinate system. The elevations are referenced to Geodetic datum (CGVD28).

3 PAST LABORATORY TESTS

The soil samples and bedrock cores retained from the boreholes were visually classified by Golder and natural water content and grain size distribution were conducted on selected soil samples, and Uniaxial Compressive Strength (UCS) tests were carried out on selected bedrock samples. The results of these tests and Standard Penetration Tests are presented on the borehole log sheets attached in **Appendix C** of this report.

In addition, two samples of soil from boreholes BH21-06 and BH21-10 were submitted to Eurofins Environment Testing by Golder for basic chemical analysis related to potential sulphate attack on buried concrete elements and corrosion of buried ferrous elements. The results of these tests are enclosed in **Appendix H**; discussed in Section 5.11 of this report.

4 SITE AND SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS

Full details of the subsurface soil, and groundwater conditions at the site are given on the Borehole Log Sheets attached in **Appendix C** of this report. Images of the bedrock core runs are presented in Appendix E of this report.

The following paragraphs present a description of the site and a commentary on the engineering properties of the various soil materials contacted in the boreholes.

It should be noted that the boundaries of the soil types indicated on the borehole logs are inferred from non-continuous soil sampling and observations made during drilling. These boundaries are intended to reflect transition zones for the purpose of geotechnical design, and therefore, should not be construed as exact planes of geological change.

4.1. SITE DESCRIPTION

The Site is located at 1047 Richmond Road in Ottawa, Ontario. The site is approximately 2.5 acres and is currently occupied by a single-story car dealership located in the middle of the site, surrounded by asphalt-paved parking and driveways. Land uses surrounding the Site are commercial and residential.

The site is generally flat. The ground surface elevations established at the borehole locations range from 64.64 m to 66.07 m.

4.2. ASPHALTIC CONCRETE AND GRANULAR MATERIAL

Asphaltic concrete pavement is present at all borehole locations. The thickness of the asphaltic concrete ranges from approximately 50 to 100 mm. The granular material supporting the asphaltic concrete ranges from 110 to 540 mm in thickness.

4.3. FILL MATERIAL

Fill material is present below the granular base course in all the boreholes. The fill material generally consists of sand, silty sand to gravelly silty sand. The fill materials extend to approximate depths ranging from 0.9 and 2.4 mbgs.

The fill materials are mostly brown to dark-brown, grey-brown in color and moist in appearance. The water content of two samples of fill were about 10% by weight.

Standard penetration resistance testing (SPT) carried out in the cohesionless sand, silty sand to gravelly silty sand soils provided N-values ranging from 1 to 35, indicating a very loose to dense (typically compact) state of packing. It should be noted that the higher N-values at surface could be due to encountering gravel pieces.

Grain size analysis was carried out on two samples of the fill materials. The test results enclosed in Appendix D as Figure B-1 and Figure B-2.

4.4. NATIVE SOIL (GLACIAL TILL)

Native soil deposits were encountered in boreholes BH21-04 to BH21-05 and BH21-08 and BH21-10.

4.4.1 SILTY SAND

A deposit of silty sand in a heterogeneous mixture of gravel, cobbles, and boulders is present below the pavement structure and fill material in boreholes BH21-04 to BH21-05 and BH21-08 and BH21-10, extending to approximately depths ranging from 3.1 and 4.8 mbgs on weathered bedrock.

The silty sand is grey to grey-brown in color. The water content of the silty sand samples ranges from 7 to 14% by weight, generally being moist to very moist in appearance.

Standard penetration resistance testing (SPT) carried out in the silty sand soils provided N-values ranging from 46 to 50, indicating a dense to very dense compactness.

Grain size analysis was carried out on selected samples of the native soils. The test results are enclosed in **Figure B-3, Appendix D**.

4.5. BEDROCK CONDITIONS

Bedrock was encountered at depths of 0.9 mbg to 3.7 mbg at all boreholes, corresponding to geodetic elevations varying from 61.4 m to 65.2 m. At the location of Boreholes BH21-06 through BH21-10, bedrock was proven by rock coring to depths varying from 9.4 to 15.5 mbg.

A zone of highly weathered bedrock was encountered in boreholes BH21-02, BH21-03, BH21-06 and BH21-09 by augering and SPT sampling to depths varying from 0.9 to 3.1 m. The thickness of the weathered zone ranged approximately from 0.5 to 1.7 m at these borehole locations.

The approximate depth, core length and geodetic elevation of the ground surface and bedrock surface, where auger refusal was encountered at each borehole location, is provided in the Table below. The highly weathered portion of the bedrock is ignored in the Table.

Table Summary of Bedrock Information

Borehole No.	Elevation of Ground Surface (m)	Depth of Bedrock (m)	Core Length (m)	Elevation of Bedrock Surface (m)
21-01	65.7	1.8	N/A ¹	63.9
21-02	65.5	3.1	N/A ¹	62.4
21-03	65.2	3.1	N/A ¹	62.2
21-04	65.1	3.7	N/A ¹	61.4
21-05	65.5	3.7	N/A ¹	61.8
21-06	65.0	1.9	7.5	63.1
21-07	66.1	1.6	8.1	64.4
21-08	64.6	3.2	12.3	61.4
21-09	65.9	1.7	13.8	64.2
21-10	65.9	4.8	10.7	61.1

Note: ¹ No bedrock core recovery due to pneumatic hammer rock drilling

The bedrock surface should not be considered accurate to better than +/- 0.5 m and some variations in the bedrock surface elevation across the site should be expected.

According to the available borehole log records, the bedrock encountered is described as medium grey dolostone with shale, limestone and sandstone interbeds to depths ranging from 9.1 to 13.2 m below ground surface. A light grey sandstone was encountered with thin partings of shale below the dolostone layer in boreholes BH21-08 to BH21-10 at depths ranging from 9.1 to 13.2 m below ground surface, extending to termination depth of the boreholes at 15.4 to 15.5 m.

Rock Quality Designation (RQD) values of the bedrock are shown on the record of drillhole logs. The RQD values of the recovered cores range from about 0 to 100% but more typically in the range of 75 to 100% below ground level.

Based on Table 3.10 of the Canadian Foundation Engineering manual (CFEM) 4th Edition, the bedrock is classified as “very poor to excellent” for RQD ranging from 0 to 100% and “good to excellent quality” for RQD ranging from 75 to 100% at depth below ground surface. Photographs of the recovered bedrock core are presented in **Appendix E**.

Unconfined Compressive Strength (UCS) test determinations were completed on nine (9) core specimens of the bedrock. The results of the unconfined compression test carried out on the core specimens indicate rock strengths ranging from 86 to 144 MPa.

Based on the UCS test results, the bedrock is classified as “strong” and its hardness grade is R4 according to Table 3.5 of the CFEM (4th Edition).

The UCS test results and values are also presented in **Figures B-4 and B-5 in Appendix D**.

4.6. GROUNDWATER CONDITIONS

The groundwater levels were measured in the boreholes during their advancement and subsequently in the monitoring wells on October 5, 2021. The groundwater table measured in the monitoring wells was at depths of 2.7 m to 9.3 m, corresponding to geodetic elevations of 56.7 m to 62.4 m. The recorded water levels reflect the groundwater conditions on the dates they were measured and are provided below.

Summary of Groundwater Level Measurement Results

Borehole No.	Geologic Unit of Screed Interval	Depth of Screened Interval (m)	Ground Surface Elevation (m)	Groundwater Level		Date of Measurement
				Depth below ground surface* (m)	Elevation (m)	
21-01	Dolostone	4.57 – 7.62	65.73	7.60	58.13	Oct. 5, 2021
21-02	Dolostone	3.96 – 7.01	65.46	3.32	62.14	Oct. 5, 2021
21-03	Dolostone	4.57 – 7.62	65.24	3.22	62.02	Oct. 5, 2021
21-04	Dolostone	4.57 – 7.62	65.09	2.70	62.39	Oct. 5, 2021
21-05	Dolostone	4.57 – 7.62	65.47	3.94	61.53	Oct. 5, 2021
21-06	Dolostone	6.33 – 9.38	65.00	6.84	58.16	Oct. 5, 2021
21-07	Dolostone	6.68 – 9.73	66.07	9.34	56.73	Oct. 5, 2021
21-09	Dolostone	6.63 – 9.68	65.90	Dry	Dry	Oct. 5, 2021
21-10	Sandstone	12.40 – 15.45	65.89	8.85	57.04	Oct. 5, 2021

It should be noted that groundwater levels are subject to seasonal fluctuations. A higher groundwater level condition may likely develop in the spring and following significant rainfall events.

5 DISCUSSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The following discussions and recommendations are based on the factual data obtained from the boreholes advanced at the site and are intended for use by the client and their design architects and engineers only.

It is understood that the existing building at the Site was recently demolished. As part of the Phase 1 development, it is proposed to redevelop the Site with a thirty-six (36) storey mixed use building and a three-storey podium, including two levels of underground parking which will encompass the entire development site excluding the parkland dedication; with the remainder of the Site being developed with a 1,000 m² of parkland dedication, a drop-off area, an outdoor amenity, soft landscaping features and access roadways. The proposed development plan is shown in **Appendix B**.

The construction methods described in this report are not specifications or recommendations to the contractors or as the only suitable methods. The collected data and the interpretation presented in this report may not be sufficient to assess all the factors that may influence the construction. Contractors bidding on this project or conducting work associated with this project should make their own interpretation of the factual data and/or carry out their own investigations as they might deem necessary. The contractor should also select the method of construction, equipment and sequence based on their previous experience on similar projects.

5.1. EXCAVATION

Based on the borehole findings, excavations for foundations, basements, sewer trenches and utilities will be carried out through fill, native soil (glacial till), weathered bedrock and sound bedrock.

Excavation of the soil strata is not expected to pose any difficulty and can be carried out with heavy hydraulic excavators.

Excavations for the foundations should be carried out so as to minimize the disturbance of bedrock at the design founding elevations. In this regard, it may be necessary to use a hydraulic hammer for foundation excavations.

Bedrock excavation is anticipated across the site. According to the rock core data from current and previous investigations, the bedrock generally consists of good to strong dolostone with interbedded shale, limestone and sandstone of variable bed thicknesses and depths across the site. Bedrock excavation is expected to be carried out using line drilling and blasting, hoe ramming or both. Provision should be made in the excavation contract to include the use of these techniques for excavation in bedrock. Any blasting should be carried out in accordance with City of Ottawa Special Provision S.P. No: F-1201 and under the supervision of a blasting specialist engineer. Vibration monitoring of the blasting operation should be carried out to ensure that the

blasting always meets the limiting vibration criteria.

The contractor should submit a complete and detailed blasting design and monitoring proposal prepared by a blasting/vibrations specialist prior to commencing blasting. This would have to be reviewed and accepted in relation to the requirements of the blasting specifications. Vibration monitoring of the blasting should be carried out to ensure that the blasting meets the limiting vibration criteria at all times. A pre-blast condition survey should be carried out of surrounding structures and utilities located within 75 m of the excavation site.

All excavations must be carried out in accordance with the Occupational Health and Safety Act (OHSA). With respect to the OHSA, the near surface fill materials and the underlying native soils above the groundwater table are expected to conform to Type 3 soils. Soils situated below the water table are considered Type 4 soils. The bedrock is classified as type 1 soil.

Temporary excavations for slopes in Type 3 soils should not exceed 1.0 horizontal to 1.0 vertical. Excavations in Type 2 soil may be cut with vertical side-walls within the lower 1.2 m height of excavation and 1.0 horizontal to 1.0 vertical above this height. Locally, where loose or soft soil is encountered at shallow depths or within zones of persistent seepage, it may be necessary to flatten the side slopes as necessary to achieve stable conditions.

For excavations through multiple soil types, the side slope geometry is governed by the soil with the highest number designation. Excavation side-slopes should not be unduly left exposed to inclement weather. Excavation slopes consisting of sandy soils will be prone to gully in periods of wet weather, unless the slopes are properly sheeted with tarpaulins.

Where workers must enter excavations extending deeper than 1.2 m below grade, the excavation sidewalls must be suitably sloped and/or braced in accordance with the Occupational Health and Safety Act and Regulations for Construction Projects.

Where the basement walls of the proposed development will extend to the property limits, sufficient space will not be available to slope the sidewalls of the basement excavation; as such it will be necessary to shore the basement excavation walls. Shoring recommendations are provided in Section 5.7.3 of this report.

Where space permits, temporary open cut may be used for basement excavations. The safe side slope angle for open excavations should conform to the Occupational Health and Safety Act requirements.

5.2. GROUNDWATER CONTROL

Based on observations made during drilling of the boreholes, and close examination of the soil samples extracted from the boreholes, groundwater seepage is expected to occur within excavation extended below an approximate depth of 2.7 mbg. In the event that excavations will

extend below the groundwater table it will be necessary to lower the groundwater level a minimum of 1 m below the lowest excavation level in the overburden, and to the base of the excavation in bedrock. The dewatering system should be designed and installed by specialist contractor. The contractors should make their own assessments for temporary control of groundwater seepage into the excavation.

The hydrogeological study by Golder for this project should be referred to for recommendations for estimated dewatering volumes during the construction and during the service life of the building and requirements for the application for Permit to Take Water (PTTW), should this be deemed necessary.

5.3. SITE GRADING

Based on the Civil Drawings provided by the Client, only minor modifications to site grading will be required. The existing services will have to be decommissioned, and the excavations left behind will need to be engineered.

The site consists of fill which is underlain by a deposit of silty sand in a heterogeneous mixture of gravel, cobbles, and boulders, which are in turn underlain by bedrock. The existing soil condition is not susceptible to considerable long-term settlement. Given the above, any ground settlement as a result of the proposed grading will be negligible.

5.4. ENGINEERED FILL

The following recommendations regarding construction of engineered fill should be adhered to during the construction stage:

- All surface vegetation, organic materials, loose or soft fill soils, and softened and/or disturbed soils must be removed, and the exposed subgrade soils proof-rolled under the supervision of the Geotechnical Engineer prior to placement of new fill.
- If the fill will be used to support structures, the existing fill must be removed in its entirety prior to placement of new fill.
- Soils used as engineered fill should be free of organics and/or other unsuitable material. The engineered fill must be placed in lifts not exceeding 200 mm in thickness and compacted to at least 98% Standard Proctor maximum Dry Density (SPMDD).
- Engineered fill operations should be monitored and compaction tests should be performed on a full-time basis by a qualified engineering technician supervised by the project engineer.
- The boundaries of the engineered fill must be clearly and accurately laid out in the field by qualified surveyors prior to the commencement of engineered fill construction. The top of the engineered fill should extend a minimum of 2.5 m beyond the envelope of the proposed structures. Where the depth of engineered fill exceeds 1.5 m, this horizontal distance of

2.5 m beyond the perimeter of the structure should be increased by at least 1 m for each 1.5 m depth of fill.

- The engineered fill operation should take place in favorable climatic conditions. If the work is carried out in months where freezing temperatures may occur, all frost affected material must be removed prior to the placement of frost-free fill.
- If unusual soil conditions become apparent during construction, due to subsurface groundwater influences, our office should be contacted in order to assess the conditions and recommend appropriate remedial measures.

5.5. REUSE OF ON-SITE EXCAVATED SOIL

On-site excavated inorganic soils, and soils free of construction debris and other deleterious materials are considered suitable for reuse as backfill provided their water content is within 2% of their optimum water contents (OWC) as determined by Standard Proctor test, and the materials are effectively compacted with a heavy sheepsfoot compactor.

While the quality of the on-site soils is considered unsuitable for backfilling. Measured water content within the fill and native soils (glacial till) within the presumed excavation depth generally range from approximately 10 to 14%. The native soils are moist to very moist and are unsuitable for use as engineered fill.

5.6. SERVICE TRENCHES

Civil and Grading plans were not available at the time of preparation of this report. Services can be supported on undisturbed native deposits or on bedrock. The type of bedding depends mainly on the strength of the subgrade immediately below the invert levels.

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Normal Class 'B' bedding is recommended for underground utilities. Granular 'A' or 19 mm crusher-run limestone can be used as bedding material; all granular materials should meet OPSD 1010 specifications. The bedding material should be compacted to a minimum of 95% SPMD. Bedding details should follow the applicable governing design detail (i.e. City of Ottawa, OPSD). Trenches dug for these purposes should not be unduly left exposed to inclement weather.

Pipe bedding and backfill for flexible pipes should be undertaken in accordance with OPSD 802.010. Pipe embedment and cover for rigid pipes should be undertaken in accordance with OPSD 802.030.

If unsuitable bedding conditions occur, careful preparation and strengthening of the trench bases prior to sewer installation will be required. The subgrade may be strengthened by placing a thick

mat consisting of 50 mm crusher-run limestone. Field conditions will determine the depth of stone required. Geotextiles and/or geogrids may be helpful, and these options should be reviewed by Terrapex on a case-by-case basis.

Sand cover material should be placed as backfill to at least 300 mm above the top of pipes. Placement of additional granular material may be required for use of smaller compaction equipment for the first few lifts above the pipe to prevent damage to the pipe during the trench backfill compaction.

It is recommended that service trenches be backfilled with on-site excavated materials such that at least 95% of SPMDD is obtained in the lower zone of the trench and 98% of SPMDD for the upper 1000 mm.

Impermeable clay should be provided across the entire width of the service trenches. It is recommended that the seals be at least 1.0 m in length along the trench (in accordance with the city of Ottawa Standard S8). The seals should be constructed near the property line along all service installations.

In areas of narrow trenches or confined spaces such as around manholes, catch basins, etc., the use of aggregate fill such as Granular 'B' Type I (OPSS 1010) is required if there is to be postconstruction grade integrity.

5.7. FOUNDATION DESIGN

The proposed Tower A and the adjoining podium with two levels of underground parking can be supported with shallow footings on sound bedrock. According to the available architectural drawings the average mean grade is 65.4 masl. The finished floor elevation of the P2 underground parking level can be assumed at 6 to 7 mbgs.

Conventional strip and spread foundations placed on undisturbed sound bedrock at/below 58.0 masl may provide a bearing resistance of 5 MPa at ULS. Foundations designed for the above bearing pressure are expected to settle less than 25 mm total and 19 mm differential.

All footing subgrades must be evaluated by the Geotechnical Engineer prior to placing formwork and foundation concrete to ensure that the surface exposed at the excavation base is consistent with the design geotechnical bearing resistance. Any surficially weathered bedrock should be removed prior to pouring concrete.

Rainwater or groundwater seepage entering the foundation excavations must be pumped away (not allowed to pond). The foundation subgrade soils should be protected from freezing, inundation, and equipment traffic. If unstable subgrade conditions develop, Terrapex should be contacted to assess the conditions and make appropriate recommendations.

Frost protection may not be required for footings placed on sound bedrock.

5.8. CONCRETE SLAB-ON-GRADE

At the proposed depths of the lowest underground floor slabs, it is expected that the subgrade will consist of sound bedrock which is suitable for slab-on-grade construction.

Subgrade preparation should include the removal of any fractured or delaminated rock pieces. After removal of all unsuitable materials, the subgrade should be inspected and adjudged as satisfactory before preparing the granular base course. Any loose or unsuitable subgrade areas should be sub-excavated and replaced with suitable approved compacted backfill; placed in maximum lifts of 200 mm thickness and compacted to at least 98% of SPMDD.

It is recommended that a combined moisture barrier and a levelling course, having a minimum thickness of 200 mm and comprised of free draining material such as 19 mm clear stone (OPSS 1004) compacted by vibration to a dense state underlain by non-woven geotextile (filter fabric) separating the clear stone and the underlying sand.

Provided the subgrade, underfloor fill and granular base are prepared in accordance with the above recommendations, the recommended Modulus of Subgrade Reaction (Ks) for slab design will be 40,000 kPa/m.

Perimeter and subfloor drainage shall be installed in accordance with the specifications provided in Appendix H.

5.9. SHORING DESIGN

It is anticipated that the excavation for the underground parking structure for the Phase 1 development will extend close to the north, south and west property limits and as such it may not be possible to slope the banks of the excavation. In this regard it will be necessary to shore the excavation walls above the sound bedrock where the excavation is close to the property boundaries. The east boundary of the Phase 1 development may not require shoring.

Soldier pile and wood lagging system may be used as the shoring system.

Vertical cuts into the sound bedrock will be possible. However, remedial works such as steel mesh, shotcrete should be implemented to ensure that rock pieces do not fall down and endanger workers in the excavation.

Where space permits, temporary open cut may be used for basement excavations. The safe side slope angle for open excavations should conform to the Occupational Health and Safety Act requirements.

The design of temporary shoring for the support of the subsoils must account for the presence of structures and buried services on the adjacent properties, and the existing subsurface conditions at the site.

The lateral restraining force for the shoring system may be provided by employing either rakers or tieback anchors. The latter is favorable because they do not protrude into the excavations as is the case with rakers. The use of tieback anchors will depend on whether permission is obtained to extend the anchors to the required distance on to the neighboring properties.

The shoring design should be based on the procedure detailed in the latest edition of the Canadian Foundation Engineering Manual.

The active earth pressure coefficient: K_a to be used for the design of the shoring system, should be as follows:

= 0.5 where adjacent building footings or buried services fall within an envelope formed by a 75° line drawn from the base of the excavation wall to the ground surface.

= 0.4 where adjacent building footings or buried services fall within an envelope formed by a 60° line drawn from the base of the excavation wall to the ground surface.

= 0.3 where adjacent building footings or buried services fall outside an envelope formed by a 45° line drawn from the base of the excavation wall to the ground surface.

= 0.25 where adjacent building footings or buried services are outside an envelope formed by a 30° line drawn from the base of the excavation wall to the ground surface.

Anchors extended into the sound bedrock may be designed based on skin frictions of 700 kPa. These values depend on the anchor installation method and grouting procedures. Gravity poured concrete can result in low bond values, while pressure grouted anchors will give higher values and produce a more satisfactory anchor.

It will be necessary to perform load tests on the tiebacks to confirm the bond stresses assumed in the design of anchors.

Movement of the shoring system is inevitable. Vertical movements will result from the vertical loads on the soldier piles resulting from the inclined tiebacks and inward horizontal movement will result from the earth and water pressures. The magnitude of this movement can be controlled by sound construction practices. The lateral and vertical movement of the shoring system must be monitored especially at locations in which settlement sensitive structures are present, to ensure that movements are kept within acceptable range.

5.10. ROCK ANCHORS

Rock anchors may be used to provide resistance against overturning and uplift. Rock anchors may be designed based on skin friction of 700 kPa in sound bedrock. The value depends on the

anchor installation method and grouting procedures. Gravity poured concrete can result in lower bond values, while pressure grouted anchors will give higher values and produce a more satisfactory anchor.

The effective unit weight of the bedrock could be considered as 26 kN/m³ above the groundwater level and 16 kN/m³ below the groundwater level.

The designer should also assess the potential failure within the rock mass due to anchor pull-out. Resistance to rock mass failure around the anchors is provided by: (i) effective weight of a conical rock mass around each anchor, with the apex of the cone at the tip of the anchor and an apex angle of 60°, (ii) tensile strength of the rock mass.

Where the anchors are closely spaced in a row and the conical zones of influence coincide, the weight of the truncated trapezoidal rock mass around the row of anchors must be considered as the resistive force, instead of single cones around each anchor.

For inclined anchors, the weight of the rock mass should be projected along the axis of the anchor.

In preliminary design, the tensile strength of the rock mass may be neglected. Its contribution can be evaluated during the detailed design stage.

Pre-production and proof tests shall be conducted in accordance with the requirements of OPSS 942, under full-time supervision of the geotechnical engineer.

Provisions shall be made for protection of the rock anchors from corrosion.

5.11. LATERAL EARTH PRESSURE

Parameters used in the determination of earth pressure acting on temporary shoring walls are defined below.

Parameter	Definition	Units
Φ'	Angle of Internal Friction	degrees
γ	Bulk Density	kN/m ³
S_u	Undrained Shear Strength	kPa
K_a	active earth pressure coefficient (Rankine)	dimensionless
K_o	at-rest earth pressure coefficient (Rankine)	dimensionless
K_p	passive earth pressure coefficient (Rankine)	dimensionless
K_{ae}	active earth pressure coefficient (Mononobe-Okabe)	dimensionless
K_{pe}	passive earth pressure coefficient (Mononobe-Okabe)	dimensionless

5.11.1 Static Conditions

The appropriate un-factored values for use in the design of structures subject to unbalanced earth pressures at this site are tabulated as follows:

SOIL PARAMETER VALUES

Soil	Parameter				
	Φ'	γ	Ka	Kp	Ko
Fill	28°	20	0.36	2.77	0.53
Silty Sand (Glacial Till)	31°	21.5	0.32	3.12	0.48
Weathered Bedrock	35°	26	0.27	3.69	0.43
Sound Bedrock	45°	26	0.17	5.83	0.29

1. Passive and sliding resistance within the zone subject to frost action (i.e. within 1.8 m below finished grade) should be disregarded in the lateral resistance computations.

Subsurface walls subject to unbalanced earth pressures must be designed to resist a pressure that can be calculated based on the following formula:

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

where P = lateral pressure in kPa acting at a depth h (m) below ground surface

K = applicable lateral earth pressure coefficient

γ = bulk unit weight of backfill (kN/m³)

h = height at any point along the interface (m)

q = the complete surcharge loading (kPa)

This equation assumes that free-draining backfill and positive drainage is provided to ensure that there is no hydrostatic pressure acting in conjunction with the earth pressure. The coefficient of earth pressure at rest (K_o) should be used in the calculation of the earth pressure on the basement walls.

Subsurface walls that are subject to unbalanced earth and hydrostatic pressures must be designed to resist a pressure that can be calculated based on the following formula:

$$P = K [\gamma (h - h_w) + \gamma' h_w + q] + \gamma_w h_w$$

where P = lateral pressure in kPa acting at a depth h (m) below ground surface

K = applicable lateral earth pressure coefficient

H = height at any point along the interface (m)

h_w = depth below the groundwater level at point of interest (m)

γ = bulk unit weight of backfill (kN/m³)

γ' = the submerged unit weight (kN/m³) of exterior soil ($\gamma' = \gamma - \gamma_w$)
 γ_w = unit weight of water, assume a value of 9.8 kN/m³
 q = the complete surcharge loading (kPa)

Resistance to sliding of earth retaining structures is developed by friction between the base of the footing and the soil. This friction (R) depends on the normal load on the soil contact (N) and the frictional resistance of the soil ($\tan \Phi'$) expressed as: $R = N \tan \Phi'$. This is an ultimate resistance value and does not contain a factor of safety.

5.11.2 Dynamic Conditions

Below grade walls subjected to lateral seismic forces can be designed using the pseudo-static approach using the Mononobe-Okabe equations.

The total active thrust under seismic loading (P_{ae}) is recommended to be expressed as follows:

$$P_{ae} = \frac{1}{2} K_{ae} \gamma H^2 \times (1 - k_v)$$

Where: H = Height of the wall, K_{ae} = horizontal component of active earth pressure coefficient including effects of earthquake loading,

k_v = Vertical component of the earthquake acceleration typically a range of $2/3 \times k_h$ to $1/3 \times k_h$ is considered but a value closer to $2/3 \times k_h$ is recommended

k_h = Horizontal component of the earthquake acceleration, typically Peak Ground Acceleration (PGA) or a factor thereof is used. The Site Class-adjusted PGA for the Site is 0.244 g at Site Class A, where g is the acceleration due to gravity.

For passive earthquake pressure (P_{pe}) the following equation can be used:

$$P_{pe} = \frac{1}{2} K_{pe} \gamma H^2 \times (1 - k_v)$$

Where: K_{pe} = horizontal component of passive earth pressure coefficient including effects of earthquake loading

The above equation includes both the active pressures under static (P_a) as well as the increased force due to seismic forces. The active force under static conditions is assumed to act at a point of $(0.3 \times H)$ above the base and the seismic force is assumed to act near $(0.6 \times H)$ above the base, where H is the height of the wall. Therefore, the point of application for P_{ae} may be calculated from the following:

$$h = [(0.33H \times P_a) + (0.6H \times P_e)] / P_{ae}$$

The following soil parameters are presented to assist Designers in designing retaining walls for this Site under seismic conditions using the pseudo-static approach:

Table 7-3: Lateral Earth Pressure Soil Parameter Values – Dynamic Conditions

Soil	Parameter					
	Φ'	γ	K_{ae}	K_{pe}	K_{ae}	K_{pe}
			Non-yielding Wall		Yielding Wall	
Fill	28°	20	0.55	2.32	0.44	2.56
Silty Sand (Glacial Till)	31°	21.5	0.5	2.66	0.40	2.90
Weathered Bedrock	35°	26	0.43	3.19	0.34	3.45
Sound Bedrock	45°	26	0.3	5.21	0.23	5.53

5.12. PAVEMENT DESIGN

5.12.1 On-Grade Construction

Based on the existing topography of the subject site and the data collected during the field investigation, it is anticipated that the sub-grade for the asphaltic concrete pavement will generally consist of fill material. Given the frost susceptibility and drainage characteristics of the subgrade soils, the following pavement structure design is recommended for the Site:

RECOMMENDED ASPHALTIC CONCRETE PAVEMENT STRUCTURE DESIGN (MINIMUM COMPONENT THICKNESSES)

Pavement Layer	Compaction Requirements	Thickness and Material (Light Duty Pavement)	Thickness and Material (Heavy Duty Pavement)
Surface Course Asphaltic Concrete	97% Marshall Density	40 mm Hot-Laid HL3	50 mm Hot-Laid HL3
Binder Course Asphaltic Concrete	97% Marshall Density	50 mm Hot-Laid HL8	70 mm Hot-Laid HL8
Granular Base	100% SPMDD	150 mm compacted depth OPSS Granular A	150 mm compacted depth Granular A
Granular Sub-Base	100% SPMDD	300 mm compacted depth Granular B	450 mm compacted depth Granular B

* SPMDD - Standard Proctor maximum dry density (ASTM-D698)

Subgrade preparation should include the removal of weak and softened soils. After removal of all unsuitable materials, the subgrade should be proof rolled with heavy rubber-tired equipment and adjudged as satisfactory before preparing the granular base course. The proof-rolling operation should be witnessed by the Geotechnical Engineer. Any soft or unsuitable subgrade areas which deflect significantly should be sub-excavated and replaced with suitable engineered fill material compacted to at least 98% of SPMDD.

The granular pavement structure materials should be placed in lifts not exceeding 150 mm thick

and be compacted to a minimum of 100% SPMDD. Asphaltic concrete materials should be rolled and compacted per OPSS 310. The granular and asphaltic concrete pavement materials and their placement should conform to OPSS 310, 501, 1010 and 1150, and the pertinent Municipality specifications. Further, it is recommended that the Municipality's specifications should be referred to for use of higher grades of asphalt cement for asphaltic concrete where applicable.

The long-term performance of the proposed pavement structure is highly dependent upon the subgrade support conditions. Stringent construction control procedures should be maintained to ensure that uniform subgrade moisture and density conditions are achieved. In addition, the need for adequate drainage cannot be over-emphasized. The finished pavement surface and underlying subgrade should be free of depressions and should be crowned and sloped to provide effective drainage. Surface water should not be allowed to pond adjacent to the outside edges of pavement areas. Sub-drains must be provided to facilitate effective and assured drainage of the pavement structures as required to intercept excess subsurface moisture and minimize subgrade softening. The invert of sub-drains should be maintained at least 0.3 m below subgrade level.

As part of the subgrade preparation, proposed pavement areas should be stripped of unsuitable earth fill and other obvious objectionable material. Fill required to raise the grades to design elevations should be free of organic material and at a water content which will permit compaction to the specified densities. Soft or spongy subgrade areas should be sub-excavated and properly replaced with suitable approved backfill compacted to 98% SPMDD. For fine-grained clay soils as encountered at the site, the degree of compaction specification alone cannot ensure distress free subgrade. Proof-rolling of the roadway subgrade must be carried out and witnessed by Terrapex personnel for final recommendations of sub-base thickness.

Additional comments on the construction of pavement areas are as follows:

- As part of the subgrade preparation, the proposed pavement areas should be stripped of vegetation, topsoil, unsuitable earth fill and other obvious objectionable material. The subgrade should be properly shaped and sloped as required, and then proof-rolled. Loose/soft or spongy subgrade areas should be sub-excavated and replaced with suitable approved material compacted to at least 98% of SPMDD.
- Where new fill is needed to increase the grade or replace disturbed portions of the subgrade, excavated inorganic soils or similar clean imported fill materials may be used, provided their moisture content is maintained within 2 % of the soil's optimum moisture content. All fill must be placed and compacted to not less than 98% of SPMDD.
- For fine-grained soils, as encountered at the site, the degree of compaction specification alone cannot ensure distress free subgrade. Proof-rolling must be carried out and witnessed by Terrapex personnel for final recommendations of sub-base thicknesses.
- In the event that pavement construction takes place in the spring thaw, the late fall, or

following periods of significant rainfall, it should be anticipated that an increase in thickness of the granular sub-base layer will be required to compensate for reduced subgrade strength.

5.12.2 Above Parking Garage Roof

The pavement above the parking garage roof slab may be comprised of a minimum of 75 mm thick layer of granular 'A' topped with asphaltic concrete having a minimum thickness of 80 mm (40 mm HL8 and 40 mm HL3). The asphaltic concrete materials should be rolled and compacted in accordance with OPSS 310 requirements.

The critical section of pavement will be at the transition between the pavement on grade and the pavement above the garage roof slab. In order to alleviate the detrimental effects of dynamic loading / settlement / pavement depression in the backfill to the rigid garage roof structure, it is recommended that an approach type slab be constructed at the entrance/exit points, by extending the granular sub-base to greater depths along the exterior garage wall.

5.13. TREES

Given the sandy nature of the fill and native materials, the overburden soil is not susceptible to settlements induced by moisture suction by tree roots.

5.14. EARTHQUAKE DESIGN PARAMETERS

The Ontario Building Code (2012) stipulates the methodology for earthquake design analysis, as set out in Subsection 4.1.8.7. The determination of the type of analysis is predicated on the importance of the structure, the spectral response acceleration, and the site classification.

The parameters for determination of the Site Classification for Seismic Site Response are set out in Table 4.1.8.4.A of the Ontario Building Code (2012). The classification is based on the determination of the average shear wave velocity in the top 30 metres of the site stratigraphy, where shear wave velocity (v_s) measurements have been taken.

Based on the geophysical data provided by Golder, the Vertical Seismic Profiling (VSP) test results indicated that the average shear wave velocity in the upper 30 from the bedrock surface (V_{s30}) was about 1,700 m/s. Provided that the foundations for the proposed building will be founded on bedrock, the site designation for seismic analysis is Class A. Test results of the VSP are presented in Appendix F.

The site specific 5% damped spectral acceleration coefficients, and the peak ground acceleration factors are provided in the 2012 Ontario Building Code - Supplementary Standard SB-1 (August 15, 2006), Table 1.2, location Ottawa, Ontario.

5.15. CHEMICAL CHARACTERIZATION OF SUBSURFACE SOIL

Two samples of soil from boreholes BH21-06 and BH21-10 were submitted to Eurofins Environment Testing for basic chemical analysis related to potential sulphate attack on buried concrete elements and corrosion of buried ferrous elements. The Certificate of Analysis provided by the analytical chemical testing laboratory is contained in **Appendix G** of this report and summarized below:

Borehole Number	Sample Number	Depth Intervals (m)	Chlorides (%)	Sulphates (%)	pH	Resistivity (Ohm-cm)
21-06	2	1.5 – 1.9	0.007	<0.01	8.9	4,350
21-10	3	2.3 – 2.7	<0.002	0.01	8.4	6,670

The test results revealed that the pH index of the soil samples is 8.4 and 8.9, indicating a slight alkalinity.


The water-soluble sulphate content of the tested samples are <0.01% and 0.01%. The concentration of water-soluble sulphate content of the tested sample is below the CSA Standard of 0.1% water-soluble sulphate (Table 12 of CSA A23.1, Requirements for Concrete Subjected to Sulphate Attack). Special concrete mixes against sulphate attack are therefore not required for the sub-surface concrete of the proposed buildings.

6. LIMITATIONS OF REPORT

The Limitations of Report, as quoted in Appendix 'A', are an integral part of this report.

Yours respectfully,

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APPENDIX A

LIMITATIONS OF REPORT

LIMITATIONS OF REPORT

This report has been completed in accordance with the terms of reference for this project as agreed upon by Fengate Development Holdings LP (the Client) and Terrapex Environmental Ltd. (Terrapex) and generally accepted engineering consulting practices in this area.

The conclusion and recommendations in this report are based on information determined at the inspection locations. Soil and groundwater conditions between and beyond the test holes may differ from those encountered at the test hole locations, and conditions may become apparent during construction which could not be detected or anticipated at the time of the soil investigation. If new or different information is identified, Terrapex should be requested to re-evaluate its conclusions and recommendations and amend the report as appropriate.

The design recommendations given in this report are applicable only to the project described in the text, and then only if constructed substantially in accordance with details of alignment and elevations stated in the report. Since all details of the design may not be known to us, in our analysis certain assumptions had to be made as set out in this report. The actual conditions may, however, vary from those assumed, in which case changes and modifications may be required to our recommendations.

This report was prepared for the sole use of Fengate Development Holdings LP. Terrapex accepts no liability for claims arising from the use of this report, or from actions taken or decisions made as a result of this report, by parties other than Fengate Development Holdings LP. The material herein reflects Terrapex's judgement in light of the information available to it at the time of preparation. We recommend, therefore, that we be retained during the final design stage to review the design drawings and to verify that they are consistent with our recommendations, or the assumptions made in our analysis. We also recommend that we be retained during construction to confirm that the subsurface conditions throughout the site do not deviate materially from those encountered in the test holes. In cases where these recommendations are not followed, Terrapex's responsibility is limited to accurately interpreting the conditions encountered at the test holes, only.

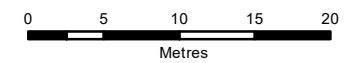
The comments given in this report on potential construction problems and possible methods are intended for the guidance of the design engineer, only. The number of inspection locations may not be sufficient to determine all the factors that may affect construction methods and costs. Contractors bidding on this project or undertaking the construction should, therefore, make their own interpretation of the factual information presented and draw their own conclusions as to how the subsurface conditions may affect their work.

APPENDIX B

SITE LOCATION PLAN AND GENERAL SITE LAYOUT



- LEGEND**
- SITE BOUNDARY
 - PHASE 1 DEVELOPMENT BOUNDARY
 - MONITORING WELL (BY Golder)



DATA SOURCE: CITY OF OTTAWA, PROPOSED SITE PLAN PROVIDED BY CLIENT.
 MAP PROJECTION: NAD 1983 UTM ZONE 18N

CLIENT:

FENGATE

SITE LOCATION:

1047 RICHMOND ROAD
 OTTAWA, ONTARIO



TITLE:

SITE PLAN

DRAWN BY:

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PROJECT NO.:

CO972.00

CHECKED BY:

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REVISION:

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DATE:

SEPTEMBER 2024

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APPENDIX C

BOREHOLE LOG SHEETS

PROJECT: 21494078

RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-01

SHEET 1 OF 1

LOCATION: N 5026314.5 ; E 361326.2

BORING DATE: September 24, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		HEADSPACE COMBUSTIBLE VAPOUR CONCENTRATIONS [PPM] ⊕	HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION		
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	HEADSPACE ORGANIC VAPOUR CONCENTRATIONS [PPM] □	WATER CONTENT PERCENT						
						ND = Not Detected	10 ⁻⁶	10 ⁻⁵	10 ⁻⁴	10 ⁻³				
						ND = Not Detected	Wp	W	WI					
							100	200	300	400	20	40	60	80
0	Power Auger 200 mm Diam. (Hollow Stem)	GROUND SURFACE		65.73										
		ASPHALT		0.00										
		FILL - (SW) gravelly SAND, angular; brown (PAVEMENT STRUCTURE); non-cohesive, moist		0.10	1	SS	19	ND				Metals	Flush Mount Casing	
		FILL - (SM) gravelly SILTY SAND; grey to dark brown, trace sand (SP); non-cohesive, moist, compact to very loose		65.43	2	SS	4	ND						
1				63.90	3	SS	2	ND			PHCs, VOCs			
2		BEDROCK (Auger Refusal) (Air hammer from 1.83 m to 7.62 m)		1.83								Bentonite Seal		
3														
4														
5	Air Hammer H Bit													
6														
7														
8														
8		End of Borehole		58.11										
		Note(s):		7.62										
		1. Water level measured at a depth of 7.63 m (Elev. 58.13 m) on October 5, 2021												
		2. Borehole log not for geotechnical purposes.												
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DEPTH SCALE

1 : 50



LOGGED: DG

CHECKED: AG

PROJECT: 21494078

RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-02

SHEET 1 OF 1

LOCATION: N 5026359.3 ; E 361297.8

BORING DATE: September 21, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		HEADSPACE COMBUSTIBLE VAPOUR CONCENTRATIONS [PPM] ⊕	HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	HEADSPACE ORGANIC VAPOUR CONCENTRATIONS [PPM] □	WATER CONTENT PERCENT				
						ND = Not Detected	10 ⁻⁶	10 ⁻⁵	10 ⁻⁴	10 ⁻³		
						ND = Not Detected	Wp	W	WI			
							100	200	300	400		
							100	200	300	400		
0		GROUND SURFACE		65.46								
		ASPHALT		0.08								
		FILL - (SW) gravelly SAND, angular, grey (PAVEMENT STRUCTURE); non-cohesive, moist		65.16	1	SS	22	ND				Flush Mount Casing
		FILL - (SP) SAND, fine to medium, trace silt; brown; non-cohesive, moist, compact to dense		0.30								
1				64.24	2	SS	31	ND				Metals
		FILL - (SM/GP) SILTY SAND and GRAVEL; dark brown, contains brick fragments and rootlets; non-cohesive, moist, compact		1.22								
				63.63	3	SS	10	ND				
2		Highly weathered BEDROCK		1.83								Bentonite Seal
				63.63	4	SS	>84	ND				
				62.41	5	SS	>500	ND				PHCs, VOCs
3		BEDROCK (Auger Refusal) (Air hammer from 3.05 M TO 7.62 M)		3.05								
4				62.41								Silica Sand
5				57.84								
6				7.62								50 mm Diam, PVC #10 Slot Screen
7												
8		End of Borehole										
		Note(s):										
		1. Water level measured at a depth of 3.32 m (Elev. 62.14 m) on October 5, 2021										
		2. Borehole log not for geotechnical purposes.										
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DEPTH SCALE

1 : 50



LOGGED: DG

CHECKED: AG

PROJECT: 21494078

RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-03

SHEET 1 OF 1

LOCATION: N 5026355.1 ;E 361289.2

BORING DATE: September 21 & 22, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		HEADSPACE COMBUSTIBLE VAPOUR CONCENTRATIONS [PPM] ⊕	HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION		
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	HEADSPACE ORGANIC VAPOUR CONCENTRATIONS [PPM] □	WATER CONTENT PERCENT						
						ND = Not Detected	10 ⁻⁶	10 ⁻⁵	10 ⁻⁴	10 ⁻³				
						ND = Not Detected	Wp	W	WI					
							100	200	300	400	20	40	60	80
0		GROUND SURFACE		65.24										
		ASPHALT		0.08										
		FILL - (SW) gravelly SAND, angular; grey (PAVEMENT STRUCTURE); non-cohesive, moist		64.63	1	SS	43	ND				VOCs	Flush Mount Casing	
		FILL - (SP) SAND, fine to medium, trace silt; brown; non-cohesive, moist, dense		64.02	2	SS	31	ND				PHCs		
	Power Auger 200 mm Diam. (Hollow Stem)	FILL - (SM) SILTY SAND, some topsoil, trace gravel; dark brown, contains shale fragments; non-cohesive, moist, compact		63.41	3	SS	12	ND				Metals		
		Highly weathered BEDROCK		62.19	4	SS	>94	ND					Bentonite Seal	
				62.19	5	SS	52/6"							
		BEDROCK (Auger Refusal) (Air hammer from 3.05 m to 7.62 m)		3.05										
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5														
6														
7														
8		End of Borehole		57.62										
		Note(s):		7.62										
		1. Water level measured at a depth of 4.22 m (Elev. 62.02 m) on October 5, 2021												
		2. Borehole log not for geotechnical purposes.												
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DEPTH SCALE

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LOGGED: DG

CHECKED: AG

PROJECT: 21494078

RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-04

SHEET 1 OF 1

LOCATION: N 5026369.7 ;E 361313.7

BORING DATE: September 21, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		HEADSPACE COMBUSTIBLE VAPOUR CONCENTRATIONS [PPM] ⊕	HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION		
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	HEADSPACE ORGANIC VAPOUR CONCENTRATIONS [PPM] □	WATER CONTENT PERCENT						
						ND = Not Detected	10 ⁻⁶	10 ⁻⁵	10 ⁻⁴	10 ⁻³				
						ND = Not Detected	Wp	W	WI					
							100	200	300	400	20	40	60	80
0		GROUND SURFACE		65.09										
		ASPHALT		0.05										
		FILL - (SM) SILTY SAND, trace gravel; brown to grey brown, contains wood fragments; non-cohesive, moist, loose to compact			1	SS	9	ND				VOCs		
1					2	SS	10	ND						
					3	SS	7	ND						
2					4	SS	14	ND						
				62.65										
		(SM) gravelly SILTY SAND; grey brown, contains cobbles and boulders (GLACIAL TILL); non-cohesive, wet, dense		2.44	5	SS	49	ND				PHCs		
3					6	SS	55/4"	ND						
				61.43										
4		BEDROCK (Auger Refusal) (Air hammer from 3.66 m to 7.62 m)		3.66										
5														
6														
7														
				57.47										
8		End of Borehole		7.62										
		Note(s):												
		1. Water level measured at a depth of 2.70 m (Elev. 62.39 m) on October 5, 2021												
		2. Borehole log not for geotechnical purposes.												
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DEPTH SCALE

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PROJECT: 21494078

RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-05

SHEET 1 OF 1

LOCATION: N 5026358.2 ;E 361327.9

BORING DATE: September 22/24, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		HEADSPACE COMBUSTIBLE VAPOUR CONCENTRATIONS [PPM] ⊕	HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION		
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	100	200	300	400			10 ⁻⁶	10 ⁻⁵
						ND = Not Detected					WATER CONTENT PERCENT			
						ND = Not Detected					Wp ----- W ----- WI			
						100	200	300	400	20	40	60	80	
0		GROUND SURFACE		65.47										
		ASPHALT		0.08	1	SS	15	ND						
		FILL - (SP) SAND, fine to coarse, some gravel, trace silt; brown, non-cohesive, moist, compact		64.86	2	SS	20	ND						
		FILL - (SM/GW) SILTY SAND and GRAVEL; dark brown, contains wood fragments; non-cohesive, moist, compact		64.02	3	SS	52/0	ND						
		Possible FILL - (SP) SILTY SAND, fine to coarse, trace silt, trace gravel; grey brown; non-cohesive, moist, compact to dense		64.02	3	SS	52/0	ND						
				1.45	4	SS	20	ND						
				62.73	5	SS	39	ND						
		(SM) gravelly SILTY SAND, non-plastic fines; grey brown, contains cobbles (GLACIAL TILL); non-cohesive, moist, dense		62.73	6	SS	46	ND						
				61.82	7	SS	34/10	ND						
		BEDROCK (Auger Refusal) (Air hammer from 3.65 m to 7.62 m)		61.82										
				3.65										
				57.85										
				7.62										
8		End of Borehole		57.85										
		Note(s):												
		1. Water level measured at a depth of 3.94 m (Elev 61.53 m) on October 5, 2021												
		2. Borehole log not for geotechnical purposes.												

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RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-06

SHEET 1 OF 2

LOCATION: N 5026317.1 ;E 361275.1

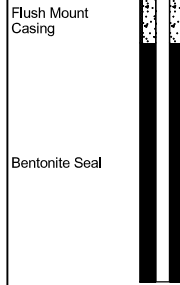
BORING DATE: September 30, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE, BLOWS/0.3m				HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION		
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.30m	SHEAR STRENGTH Cu, kPa				WATER CONTENT PERCENT					
								20	40	60	80	nat V. rem V.	+ ⊕			- ⊖	Q - U
0	Power Auger 200 mm Diam. (Hollow Stem)	GROUND SURFACE		65.00													
		ASPHALT		0.05													
		FILL - (SW) gravelly SAND, angular; grey (PAVEMENT STRUCTURE); non-cohesive, moist		0.20													
		FILL - (SP) SAND, fine to medium, trace silt; brown; non-cohesive, moist, loose		64.09													
1		FILL - (SM) gravelly SILTY SAND; grey brown, contains organic matter, possible cobbles; non-cohesive, moist, loose		0.91	1	SS	37										
	Highly weathered BEDROCK		63.63														
			1.37														
2		Borehole continued on RECORD OF DRILLHOLE 21-06		63.12	2	SS	>76										
			1.88														
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DEPTH SCALE

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CHECKED: AG

PROJECT: 21494078

RECORD OF DRILLHOLE: 21-06

SHEET 2 OF 2

LOCATION: N 5026317.1 ;E 361275.1

DRILLING DATE: September 30, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

INCLINATION: -90° AZIMUTH: ---

DRILL RIG: CME 55

DRILLING CONTRACTOR: CCC Drilling

DEPTH SCALE METRES	DRILLING RECORD	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOLIC LOG	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	RUN NO.	RECOVERY		R.Q.D. %	FRACT. INDEX PER 0.25 m	DIP w.r.t. CORE AXIS	DISCONTINUITY DATA			ROCK STRENGTH INDEX			WEATHERING INDEX				Q. AVG.		
						FLUSH	TOTAL CORE %				SO	FR	DIP	Jr	Jc	R ₁	R ₂	R ₃	W ₁	W ₂		W ₃	W ₄
		BEDROCK SURFACE		63.12																			
2		Slightly weathered to fresh, medium to thickly bedded, medium grey, fine grained, faintly porous, medium strong DOLOSTONE, interbedded with shale, limestone and sandstone - Broken core from 1.88 m to 2.07 m - Broken core from 2.34 m to 2.38 m - Broken core from 2.41 m to 2.43 m		1.88	1	100					BD, PL, SM	SO											
3					2	100					BD, PL, SM	SO											
4					3	100					BD, UN, SM	SO								Bentonite Seal			
5		- Broken core from 5.11 m to 5.14 m			4	100					AJN, PL, H	IN, CA <1 mm											
6		- Broken core from 6.47 m to 6.49 m			5	100					BD, PL, SM	DC, CL <1 mm											
7					6	100					BD, PL, SM	DC, CL <1 mm											
8																							
9		- Lost core from 8.56 m to 8.59 m									BD, PL, SM	DC, SI 2 mm								52 mm Diam. PVC #10 Slot Screen			
10		End of Drillhole Note(s): 1. Water level measured at a depth of 6.84 m (Elev. 58.16 m) on October 5, 2021		55.62																			
11				9.38																			

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DEPTH SCALE

1 : 50



LOGGED: RI

CHECKED: AG

PROJECT: 21494078

RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-07

SHEET 1 OF 2

LOCATION: N 5026297.0 ; E 361328.4

BORING DATE: September 30, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE, BLOWS/0.3m				HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.30m	SHEAR STRENGTH Cu, kPa		WATER CONTENT PERCENT		Wp WI			
								20	40	60	80	10 ⁻⁵	10 ⁻⁴		
0	Power Auger 200 mm Diam. (Hollow Stem)	GROUND SURFACE		66.07											
		ASPHALT		0.05											
		FILL - (SW) gravelly SAND, angular; grey (PAVEMENT STRUCTURE); non-cohesive, moist		0.25											
		FILL - (SP) SAND, fine to medium, trace sand; brown; non-cohesive, moist		0.43											
1		FILL - (SM) gravelly SILTY SAND; dark brown; non-cohesive, moist, loose Highly weathered BEDROCK		65.16 0.91	1	SS	92								Flush Mount Casing
			64.45	2	SS	50/4"								Bentonite Seal	
2		Borehole continued on RECORD OF DRILLHOLE 21-07		1.62											
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DEPTH SCALE

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GOLDER

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PROJECT: 21494078

RECORD OF DRILLHOLE: 21-07

SHEET 2 OF 2

LOCATION: N 5026297.0 ; E 361328.4

DRILLING DATE: September 30, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

INCLINATION: -90° AZIMUTH: ---

DRILL RIG: CME 55

DRILLING CONTRACTOR: CCC Drilling

DEPTH SCALE METRES	DRILLING RECORD	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOLIC LOG	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	RUN No.	FLUSH	COLOUR % RETURN	RECOVERY		R.Q.D. %	FRACT. INDEX PER 0.25 m	DIP w.r.t. CORE AXIS	DISCONTINUITY DATA		ROCK STRENGTH INDEX				WEATH- ERING INDEX				Q AVG.				
								TOTAL CORE %	SOLID CORE %				TYPE AND SURFACE DESCRIPTION		Ja4	Ja3	Ja2	Ja1	W1	W2	W3	W4					
								100	100																		
		BEDROCK SURFACE		64.45																							
		Slightly weathered to fresh, medium to thickly bedded, medium grey, fine grained, non to faintly porous, medium strong DOLOSTONE, interbedded with shale, limestone and sandstone		1.62	1								BD, UN, SM	SO													
2		- Broken core from 1.85 m to 1.86 m - Broken/lost core from 1.95 m to 2.01 m - Broken/lost core from 2.11 m to 2.29 m - Broken core from 2.34 m to 2.37 m											BD, UN, SM	SO													
3		- Broken core from 3.21 m to 2.25 m			2								BD, PL, SM	SO													
4		- Broken core from 4.19 m to 4.2 m											BD, PL, SM	SO													
5													BD, PL, SM	SO													
6													BD, PL, SM	SO													
7													BD, PL, SM	SO													
8		- Broken core from 7.55 m to 5.56 m			5								BD, PL, SM	SO													
9													BD, PL, SM	SO													
10		- Broken/lost core from 9.43 m to 9.51 m											BD, CU, SM	SO													
		- Broken core from 9.72 m to 9.73 m		56.34									BD, PL, SM	SO													
		End of Drillhole		9.73									BD, PL, SM	SO													
		Note(s): 1. Water level measured at a depth of 9.34 m (Elev. 56.73 m) on October 5, 2021																									

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DEPTH SCALE

1 : 50



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RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-08

SHEET 1 OF 3

LOCATION: N 5026385.1 ;E 361306.5

BORING DATE: September 28, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE, BLOWS/0.3m				HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION		
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.30m	SHEAR STRENGTH Cu, kPa				WATER CONTENT PERCENT					
								20	40	60	80	nat V. + rem V. ⊕	Q - U - ●			Wp	W
0	Power Auger 200 mm Diam. (Hollow Stem)	GROUND SURFACE		64.64													
		ASPHALT		0.05													
		FILL - (SW) gravelly SAND, angular; grey (PAVEMENT STRUCTURE); non-cohesive, moist		0.16													
		FILL - (SP) SAND, fine to medium, trace silt; brown; non-cohesive, moist		0.53													
1		FILL - (SM) gravelly SILTY SAND; dark brown, contains organic matter (rootlets); non-cohesive, moist, loose to compact		64.11	1	SS	6										
2		(SM) gravelly SILTY SAND; grey to grey brown, trace organic matter, weathered shale and thick laminations to thin beds of sand, fine to medium (GLACIAL TILL); non-cohesive, moist, compact to very dense		62.81	2	SS	23										
3				1.83	3	SS	56										
4		Highly weathered BEDROCK		61.59	4	SS	50/6'										
		Borehole continued on RECORD OF DRILLHOLE 21-08		3.05													
				3.2													

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DEPTH SCALE

1 : 50



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PROJECT: 21494078

RECORD OF DRILLHOLE: 21-08

SHEET 2 OF 3

LOCATION: N 5026385.1 ;E 361306.5

DRILLING DATE: September 28, 2021

DATUM: Geodetic

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DRILL RIG: CME 55

DRILLING CONTRACTOR: CCC Drilling

DEPTH SCALE METRES	DRILLING RECORD	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOLIC LOG	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	RUN No.	COLOUR % RETURN		JN - Joint FLT - Fault SHR - Shear VN - Vein CJ - Conjugate	BD - Bedding FO - Foliation CO - Contact OR - Orthogonal CL - Cleavage	PL - Planar CU - Curved UN - Undulating ST - Stepped IR - Irregular	PO - Polished K - Sticksided SM - Smooth Ro - Rough MB - Mechanical Break	BR - Broken Rock NOTE: For additional abbreviations refer to list of abbreviations & symbols.											
						RECOVERY							R.Q.D. %	FRACT. INDEX PER 0.25 m	DIP w.r.t. CORE AXIS	DISCONTINUITY DATA		ROCK STRENGTH INDEX				WEATHERING INDEX	Q. AVG.
						TOTAL CORE %	SOLID CORE %									TYPE AND SURFACE DESCRIPTION	Jr	Ja	R ₄	R ₃	R ₂		
		BEDROCK SURFACE		61.44																			
4		Slightly weathered to fresh, medium to thickly bedded, medium grey, fine grained, non to faintly porous, medium strong DOLOSTONE, interbedded with shale, limestone and sandstone - Broken/lost core from 3.2 m to 3.79 m		3.20	1	100																	
5																							
6					2	100																	
7																							
8		- Broken/lost core from 7.66 m to 7.73 m			3	100																	
9																							
10		- Broken core from 9.06 m to 9.13 m Fresh, thinly to thickly bedded, light grey, fine to medium grained, non to faintly porous, medium strong SANDSTONE, with thin partings of shale		55.51 9.13	4	100																	
11		- Clay seam from 11.10 m to 11.11 m			5	100																	
12		- Broken core from 11.73 m to 11.75 m - Broken core from 12.14 m to 12.17 m			6	100																	
13					7	100																	

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RECORD OF DRILLHOLE: 21-08

SHEET 3 OF 3

LOCATION: N 5026385.1 ;E 361306.5

DRILLING DATE: September 28, 2021

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DRILL RIG: CME 55

DRILLING CONTRACTOR: CCC Drilling

DEPTH SCALE METRES	DRILLING RECORD	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOLIC LOG	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	RUN No.	COLOUR % RETURN	RECOVERY		R.Q.D. %	FRACT. INDEX PER 0.25 m	DIP w.r.t. CORE AXIS	DISCONTINUITY DATA				ROCK STRENGTH INDEX				WEATH- ERING INDEX				Q AVG.			
							TOTAL CORE %	SOLID CORE %				TYPE AND SURFACE DESCRIPTION		Jr	Jr	Jr	Jr	R1	R2	R3	R4	W1	W2		W3	W4	
							FLUSH	FLUSH																			
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14	Rotary Drill HGS Core	Fresh, thinly to thickly bedded, light grey, fine to medium grained, non to faintly porous, medium strong SANDSTONE, with thin partings of shale - Lost core from 13.59 m to 13.60 m		7		100																					
15				8		100																					
		End of Drillhole		49.15 15.49																							

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DEPTH SCALE

1 : 50



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RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-09

SHEET 1 OF 3

LOCATION: N 5026279.3 ;E 361293.7

BORING DATE: September 29, 2021

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SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE, BLOWS/0.3m				HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION		
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.30m	SHEAR STRENGTH Cu, kPa				WATER CONTENT PERCENT					
								20	40	60	80	nat V. + rem V. ⊕	Q - U - ●			Wp	W
0	Power Auger 200 mm Diam., (Hollow Stem)	GROUND SURFACE		65.90													
		ASPHALT		0.05													
		FILL - (SW) gravelly SAND, angular; grey (PAVEMENT STRUCTURE)		0.25													
		FILL - (SP) SAND, fine to medium, trace to some silt; brown; non-cohesive, moist		0.56													
1		FILL - (SM/ML) gravelly SILTY SAND to sandy SILT; brown to dark brown, contains weathered shale and organic matter; non-cohesive, moist, loose			1	SS	5									Flush Mount Casing	
		Highly weathered BEDROCK		64.38													
2		Borehole continued on RECORD OF DRILLHOLE 21-09		1.52													
				1.65													
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DEPTH SCALE

1 : 50



GOLDER

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RECORD OF DRILLHOLE: 21-09

DEPTH SCALE METRES	DRILLING RECORD	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOLIC LOG	ELEV.		RUN NO.	COLOUR % RETURN	RECOVERY		R.Q.D. %	FRACT. INDEX PER 0.25 m	DIP w.r.t. CORE AXIS	DISCONTINUITY DATA			ROCK STRENGTH INDEX					Q AVG.						
				DEPTH (m)	FLUSH			TOTAL CORE %	SOLID CORE %				TYPE AND SURFACE DESCRIPTION		Jeon	Jr	Ja	R1	R2	R3		R4	W1	W2	W3	W4	
2		Fresh, medium to thickly bedded, medium grey, fine grained, non to faintly porous, medium strong DOLOSTONE, interbedded with shale, limestone and sandstone		64.25	1.65	1	100						BD,UN,SM SO														
		- Broken core from 1.65 m to 1.92 m											BD,PL,SM SO														
		- Broken core from 2.3 m to 2.41 m											BD,PL,SM SO														
3		- Broken core from 3.37 m to 3.4 m				2	100						BD,UN,SM SO														
4						3	100						BD,PL,SM SO														
5						4	100						BD,PL,SM SO														
6						5	100						BD,UN,SM SO														
7						6	100						BD,PL,SM SO														
8		- Broken/lost core from 8.09 m to 8.17 m				7	100						BD,UN,SM SO														
9						8	100						BD,UN,SM SO														
10		- Broken/lost core from 9.86 m to 9.87 m				9	100						BD,UN,SM SO														
		- Broken core from 10.18 m to 10.26 m				10	100						BD,UN,SM SO														
		- Broken core from 10.73 m to 10.76 m				11	100						BD,UN,SM SO														
11		Fresh, thinly to thickly bedded, light grey, fine to medium grained, non to faintly porous, medium strong SANDSTONE, with thin partings of shale		54.73	11.17	8	100						BD,UN,RO														

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DRILLING DATE: September 29, 2021

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DRILL RIG: CME 55

DRILLING CONTRACTOR: CCC Drilling

DEPTH SCALE METRES	DRILLING RECORD	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOLIC LOG	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	RUN NO.	RECOVERY		R.Q.D. %	FRACT. INDEX PER 0.25 m	DISCONTINUITY DATA				ROCK STRENGTH INDEX				WEATH- ERING INDEX				Q. AVG.		
						TOTAL CORE %	SOLID CORE %			TYPE AND SURFACE DESCRIPTION		Jr	Jc	Jd	Jk	R1	R2	R3	R4	W1	W2		W3	W4
						FLUSH																		
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12		Fresh, thinly to thickly bedded, light grey, fine to medium grained, non to faintly porous, medium strong SANDSTONE, with thin partings of shale - Broken core from 11.67 m to 11.68 m								BD,UN,SM BD,UN,SM														
		- Lost core from 12.42 m to 12.43 m								BD,UN,RO BD,UN,SM														
13					8	100																		
14	Relay Drill HC3 Core	- Broken core from 13.84 m to 13.85 m			9	100				BD,UN,SM BD,PL,SM SO											Bentonite Seal			
15					10	100																		
16		End of Drillhole Note(s): 1. Borehole was dry on October 5, 2021		50.40 15.50																				
17																								
18																								
19																								
20																								
21																								

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DEPTH SCALE
1 : 50



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RECORD OF BOREHOLE: 21-10

SHEET 1 OF 3

LOCATION: N 5026360.8 ;E 361363.7

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SAMPLER HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

PENETRATION TEST HAMMER, 64kg; DROP, 760mm

DEPTH SCALE METRES	BORING METHOD	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE, BLOWS/0.3m				HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY, k, cm/s				ADDITIONAL LAB. TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION	
		DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (m)	NUMBER	TYPE	SHEAR STRENGTH Cu, kPa				WATER CONTENT PERCENT					
							20	40	60	80	nat V. rem V.	+ ⊕	- ⊖			Q - U
0		GROUND SURFACE		65.89												
		ASPHALT		0.05											Flush Mount Casing	
		FILL - (SM) gravelly SILTY SAND; brown; non-cohesive, moist		65.15												
1		FILL - (SM) gravelly SILTY SAND; grey brown, trace organic matter; non-cohesive, moist, compact		0.74	1	SS	10									
		(SM) gravelly SILTY SAND; grey brown, contains cobbles and boulders (GLACIAL TILL); non cohesive, moist, dense to very dense		64.37												
2				1.52	2	SS	46									
					3	SS	73									
3					4	RC	DD									
4					5	RC	DD									
5				61.09	6	SS	>50									
		Borehole continued on RECORD OF DRILLHOLE 21-10		4.8											Bentonite Seal	

DEPTH SCALE

1 : 50



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SHEET 3 OF 3

LOCATION: N 5026360.8 ;E 361363.7

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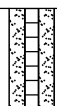
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DRILL RIG: CME 55

DRILLING CONTRACTOR: CCC Drilling

DEPTH SCALE METRES	DRILLING RECORD	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOLIC LOG	ELEV.		RUN No.	COLOUR		JN - Joint		BD - Bedding		PL - Planar		PO - Polished		BR - Broken Rock		Q AVG.		
				DEPTH (m)			FLUSH		RECOVERY		FRACT. INDEX PER 0.25 m	DIP w.z.l. CORE AXIS	DISCONTINUITY DATA		ROCK STRENGTH INDEX		WEATH- ERING INDEX				
							TOTAL CORE %	SOLID CORE %	R.Q.D. %	TYPE AND SURFACE DESCRIPTION			Jr	Ja	R4	R3	R2	R1		W1	W2
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15	Rotary Drill HC3 Core	Fresh, thinly to thickly bedded, light grey, fine to medium grained, non to faintly porous, medium strong SANDSTONE with thin partings of shale		50.44	15.45	8	100														
		End of Drillhole																			
16		Note(s): 1. Water level measured at a depth 8.85 m (Elev. 57.04 m) on October 5, 2021																			



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DEPTH SCALE
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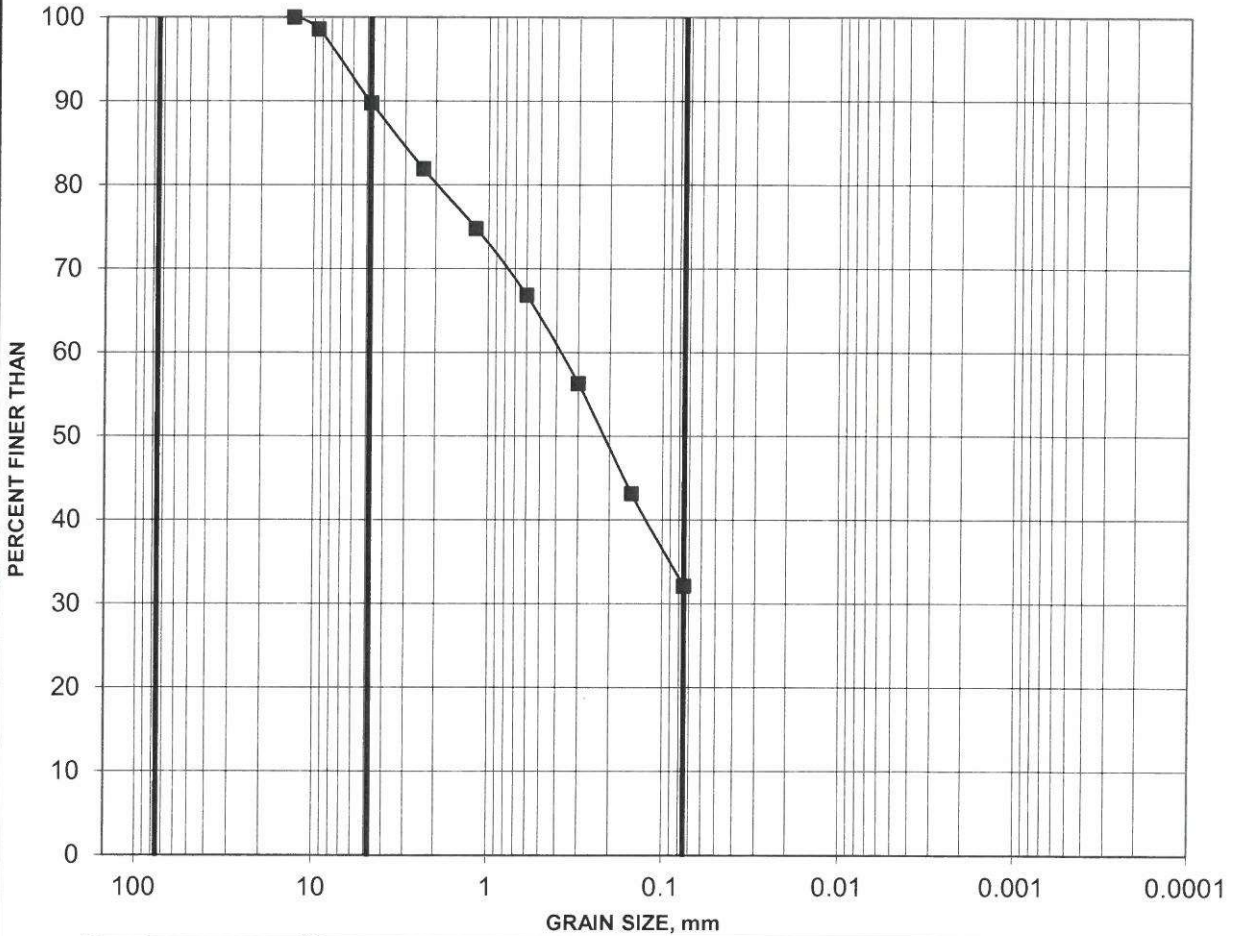
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GEOTECHNICAL LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION

FIGURE
B-1

SILTY SAND (FILL)



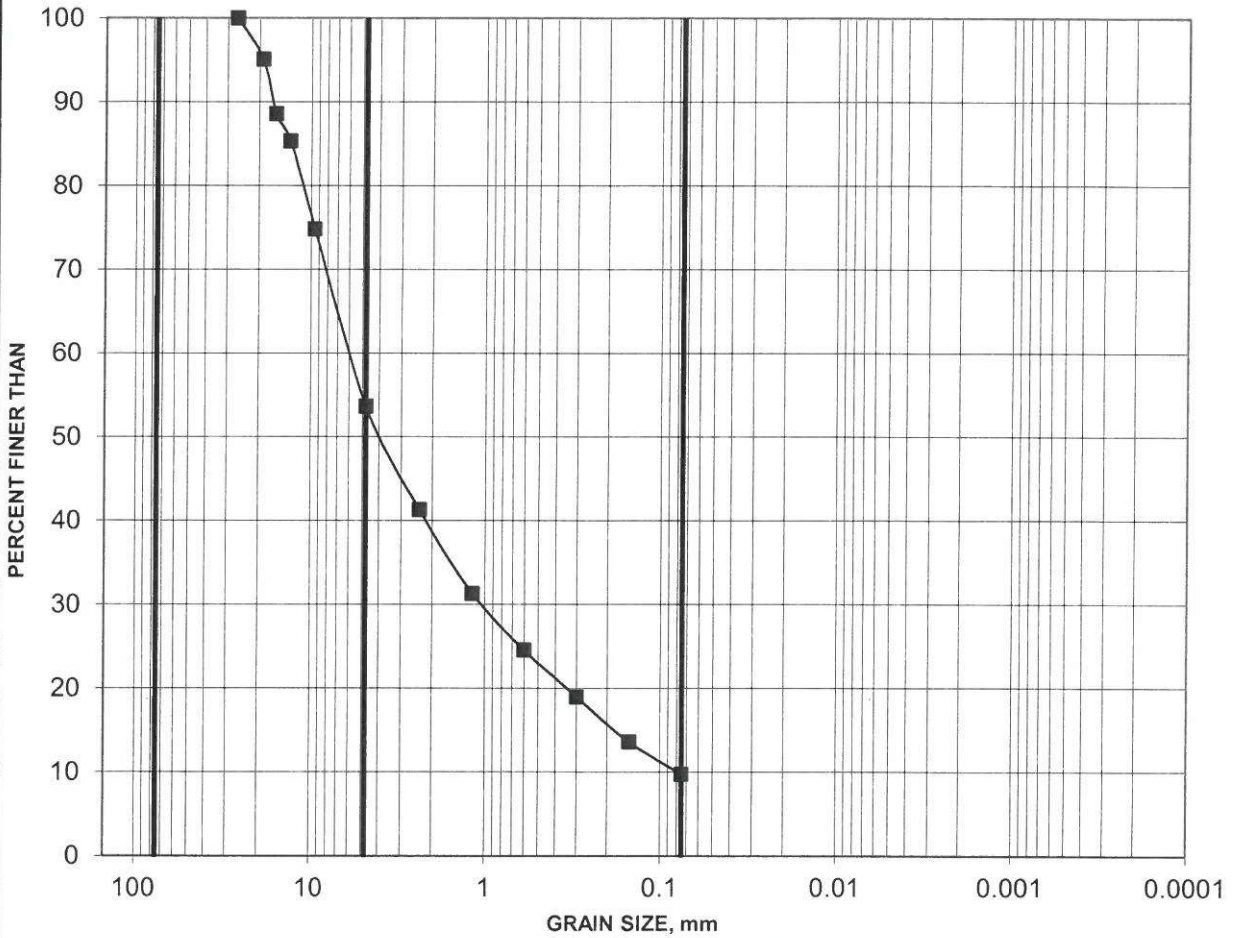
COBBLE SIZE	COARSE	FINE	COARSE	MEDIU	FINE	SILT AND CLAY
	GRAVEL SIZE		SAND SIZE			

Borehole	Sample	Depth (m)	Constituents (%)			
			Gravel	Sand	Silt	Clay
■ 21-01	2	0.61-1.22	10	58	32	

GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION

FIGURE
B-2

GRAVELLY SAND (FILL)



COBBLE SIZE	COARSE	FINE	COARSE	MEDIU	FINE	SILT AND CLAY
	GRAVEL SIZE		SAND SIZE			

Borehole	Sample	Depth (m)	Constituents (%)			
			Gravel	Sand	Silt	Clay
■ 21-02	3	1.22-1.83	46	44	10	

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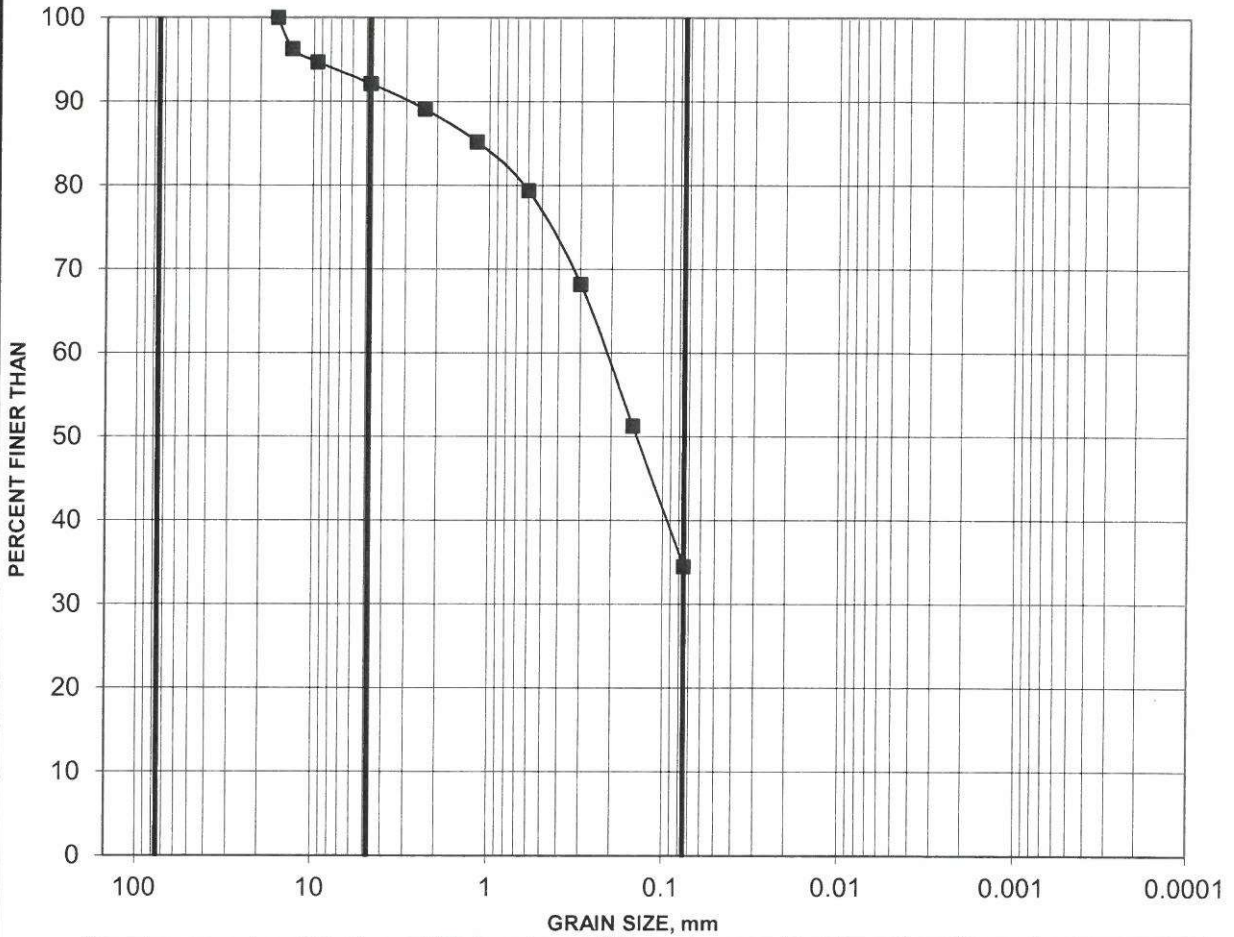
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GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION

FIGURE
B-3

SILTY SAND (GLACIAL TILL)

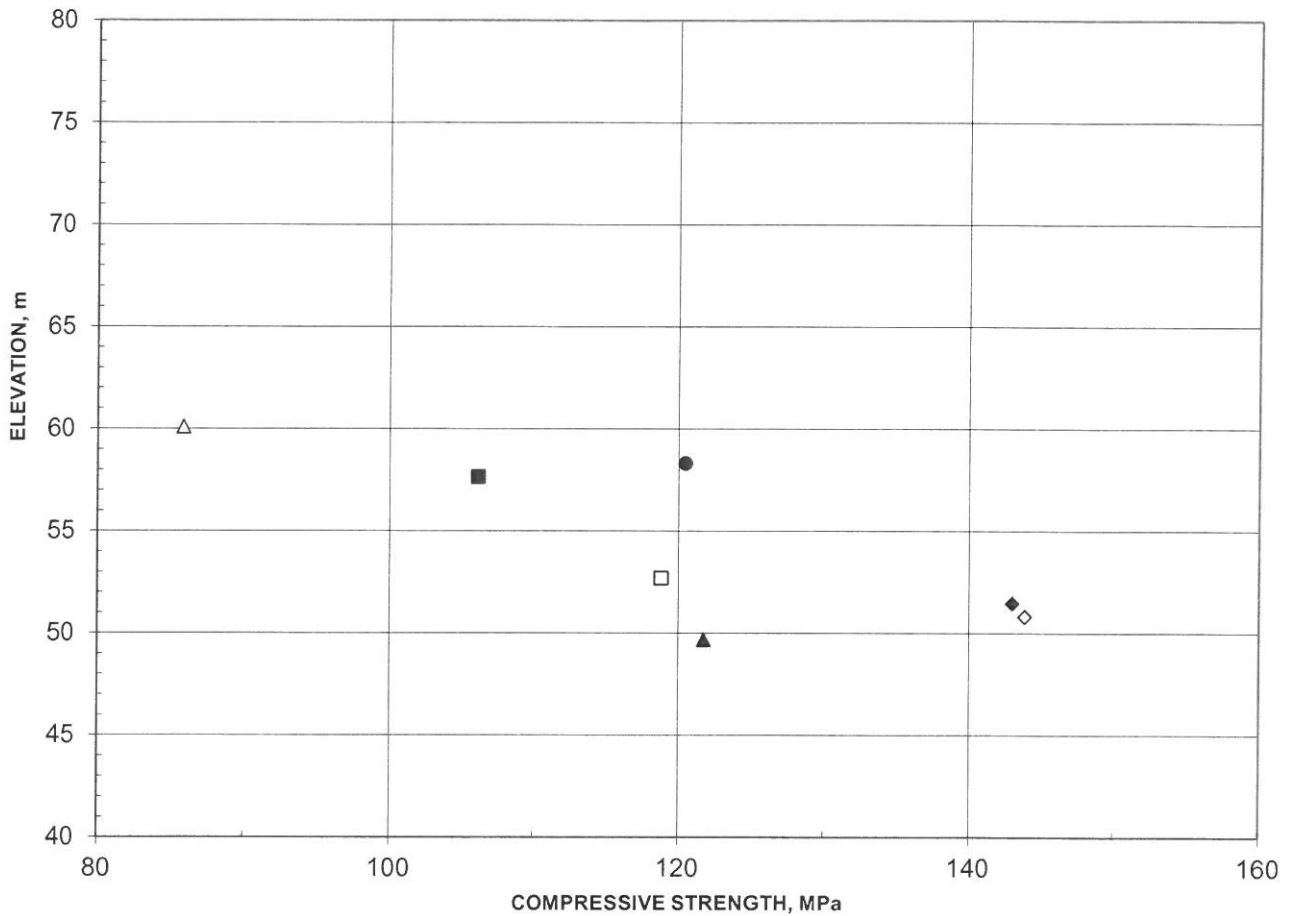


COBBLE SIZE	COARSE	FINE	COARSE	MEDIU	FINE	SILT AND CLAY
	GRAVEL SIZE		SAND SIZE			

Borehole	Sample	Depth (m)	Constituents (%)			
			Gravel	Sand	Silt	Clay
■ 21-08	3A	2.29-2.44	8	57	35	

ASTM D7012 - Method C
UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH OF ROCK CORE
SUMMARY OF LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

FIGURE
B-4



	Borehole	Depth (m)	L/D	Bulk Density (kg/m ³)	Lithology	UCS (MPa)	Failure Type
■	BH21-06 RC1	7.4	2.1	2669	shale/limestone	106	1
◆	BH21-08 RC1	13.2	2.1	2610	limestone	143	1
▲	BH21-08 RC2	15.0	2.1	2580	limestone	122	1
●	BH21-09 RC1	7.6	2	2640	limestone	120	1
□	BH21-09 RC2	13.2	2.0	2500	limestone	119	1
◇	BH21-09 RC3	15.1	2	2542	limestone	144	1
△	BH21-10 RC1	5.8	2.1	2671	shale/limestone	86	1

Notes:

Failure Types

1. Well formed cones on both ends
2. Well formed cones on one end, vertical cracks through cap
3. Columnar vertical cracking through both ends
4. Diagonal fracture with no cracking through ends
5. Side fractures at top or bottom
6. Side fractures at both sides of top or bottom

Remarks

- Cores tested in vertical direction.
- Cores tested in air-dry condition.
- Time to failure > 2 and < 15 minutes.

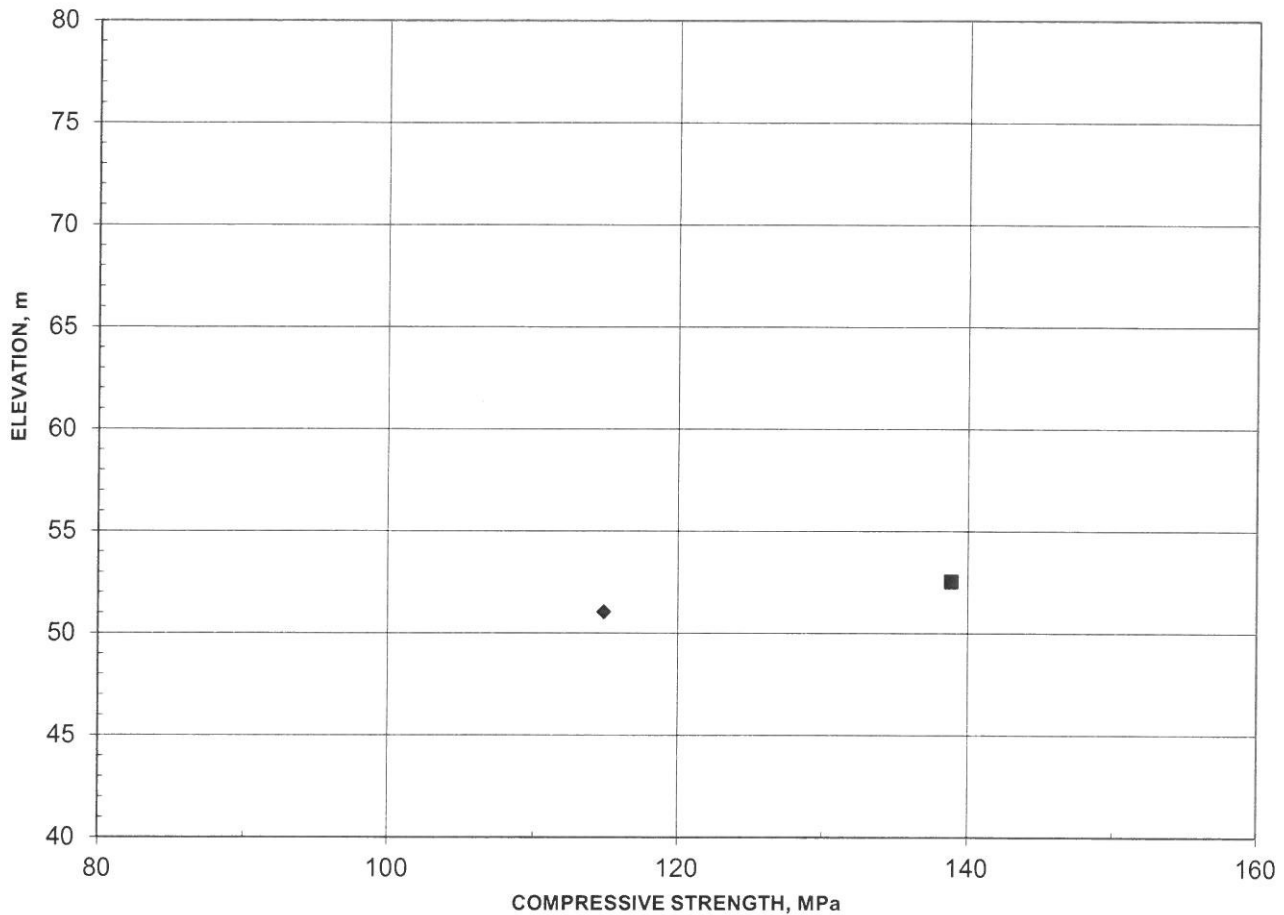
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**ASTM D7012 - Method C
UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH OF ROCK CORE
SUMMARY OF LABORATORY TEST RESULTS**

**FIGURE
B-5**



	Borehole	Depth (m)	L/D	Bulk Density (kg/m ³)	Lithology	UCS (MPa)	Failure Type
■	BH21-10 RC2	13.3	2.2	2550	limestone	139	1
◆	BH21-10 RC3	14.8	2.2	2543	limestone	115	1

Notes:

Failure Types

1. Well formed cones on both ends
2. Well formed cones on one end, vertical cracks through cap
3. Columnar vertical cracking through both ends
4. Diagonal fracture with no cracking through ends
5. Side fractures at top or bottom
6. Side fractures at both sides of top or bottom

Remarks

- Cores tested in vertical direction.
- Cores tested in air-dry condition.
- Time to failure > 2 and < 15 minutes.

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APPENDIX E

ROCK CORE PHOTOS

BH 21-06 (Dry)
Rock core from a depth of 1.9 m to 9.4 m
Core Box 1 to 3 of 3

1.9 m



9.4 m



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BH 21-06 (Wet)
Rock core from a depth of 1.9 m to 9.4 m
Core Box 1 to 3 of 3

1.9 m



9.4 m



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BH 21-07 (Dry)
Rock core from a depth of 1.6 m to 9.7 m
Core Box 1 to 3 of 3

1.6 m



9.7 m



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1 to 3 of 3**

BH 21-07 (Wet)
Rock core from a depth of 1.6 m to 9.7 m
Core Box 1 to 3 of 3

1.6 m



9.7 m



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1 to 3 of 3

BH 21-08 (Dry)
Rock core from a depth of 3.2 m to 11.2 m
Core Box 1 to 3 of 5

3.2 m



11.2 m



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1 to 3 of 5

BH 21-08 (Dry)
Rock core from a depth of 11.2 m to 15.5 m
Core Box 4 to 5 of 5

11.2 m



15.5 m



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BH 21-08 (Wet)
Rock core from a depth of 3.2 m to 11.2 m
Core Box 1 to 3 of 5

3.2 m



11.2 m



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BH 21-08 (Wet)
Rock core from a depth of 11.2 m to 15.5 m
Core Box 4 to 5 of 5

11.2 m



15.5 m



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BH 21-08
4 to 5 of 5

BH 21-09 (Dry)
Rock core from a depth of 1.6 m to 10.0 m
Core Box 1 to 3 of 5

1.6 m



10.0 m



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BH 21-09 (Dry)
Rock core from a depth of 10.0 m to 15.5 m
Core Box 4 to 5 of 5

10.0 m



15.5 m



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1.6 m



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BH 21-10 (Dry)
Rock core from a depth of 2.7 m to 12.1 m
Core Box 1 to 3 of 5

2.7 m



12.1 m



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12.1 m



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APPENDIX F

RESULTS OF GEOPHYSICS TESTING

TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM

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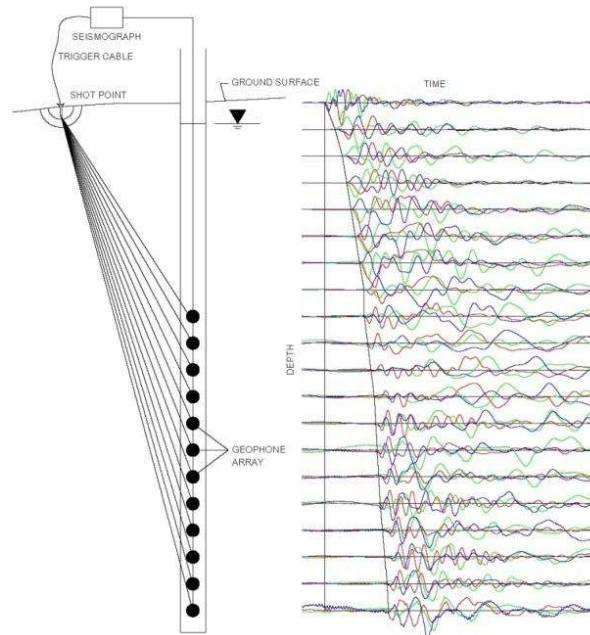
VERTICAL SEISMIC PROFILING RESULTS 1047 RICHMOND ROAD, OTTAWA, ONTARIO

This memorandum presents the results of two Vertical Seismic Profiling (VSP) testing carried out in Borehole 21-08 at 1047 Richmond Road, Ottawa, Ontario. VSP testing was carried out on October 6, 2021. Borehole 21-08 was drilled to an approximate depth of 15 m below the existing ground surface and then cased with a 2.5 inch PVC pipe grouted in place. The borehole consisted of approximately 3.2 m of sandy silt over dolostone and sandstone bedrock to the bottom of the borehole.

Methodology

For the VSP method, seismic energy is generated at the ground surface by an active seismic source and recorded by a geophone located in a nearby borehole at a known depth. The active seismic source can be either compression or shear wave. The time required for the energy to travel from the source to the receiver (geophone) provides a measurement of the average compression or shear-wave seismic velocity of the medium between the source and the receiver. Data obtained from different geophone depths are used to calculate a detailed vertical seismic velocity profile of the subsurface in the immediate vicinity of the test borehole.

The high-resolution results of a VSP survey are often used for earthquake engineering site classification, as per the National Building Code of Canada (NBCC).



Example 1: Layout and resulting time traces from a VSP survey.

Field Work

The field work was carried out on October 6, 2021, by personnel from the Golder Mississauga office.

At Borehole 21-08, compression and shear-wave seismic energy were generated from a sledge-hammer located 2.00 m from the borehole. The seismic source for the shear-wave test consisted of a 2.4-metre-long, 150 millimetre by 150 millimetre wooden beam, weighted by a vehicle and horizontally struck with a 9.9 Kg sledge-hammer on alternate ends of the beam to induce polarized shear waves. Test measurements started at ground surface and were recorded in the borehole with a 3-component receiver spaced at 1-metre intervals below the ground surface to the maximum depth of the casing (15 m).

The seismic records collected for each source location were stacked a minimum of three times to minimize the effects of ambient background seismic noise on the collected data. The data was sampled at 0.020833 millisecond intervals and a total time window of 0.341 seconds was collected for each seismic shot.

Data Processing

Processing of the VSP test results consisted of the following main steps:

- 1) Compilation of seismic records to present seismic traces for all depth intervals on a single plot for each seismic source and for each component;
- 2) Low Pass Filtering of data to remove spurious high-frequency noise;
- 3) First-break picking of the compression and shear-wave arrivals; and,
- 4) Calculation of the average compression and shear-wave velocity to each tested depth interval.

Processing of the VSP data was completed using the SeisImager/SW software package (Geometrics Inc.). The seismic records from Borehole 21-08 are presented on the following two plots and show the first-break picks of the compression wave (Figure 1) and shear wave arrivals (Figure 2) overlaid on the seismic waveform traces recorded at the different geophone depths. The arrivals were picked on the vertical component for the compression source and on the two horizontal components for the shear source.

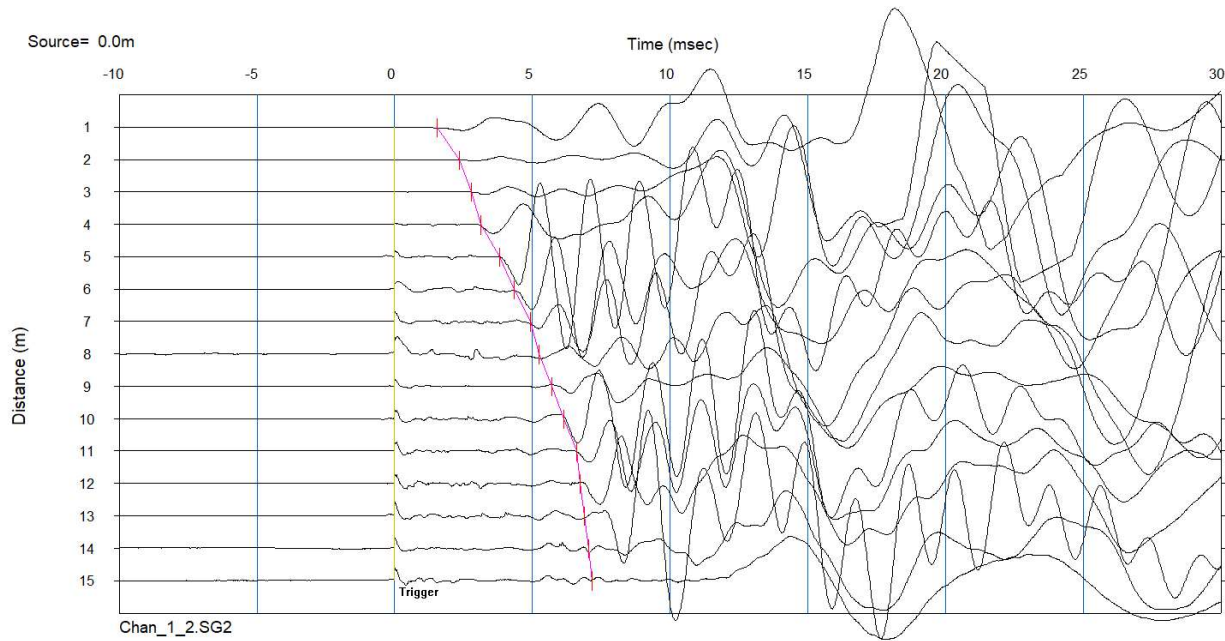


Figure 1: First-break picking of compression wave arrivals (red) along the seismic traces recorded at each receiver depth of Borehole 21-08.

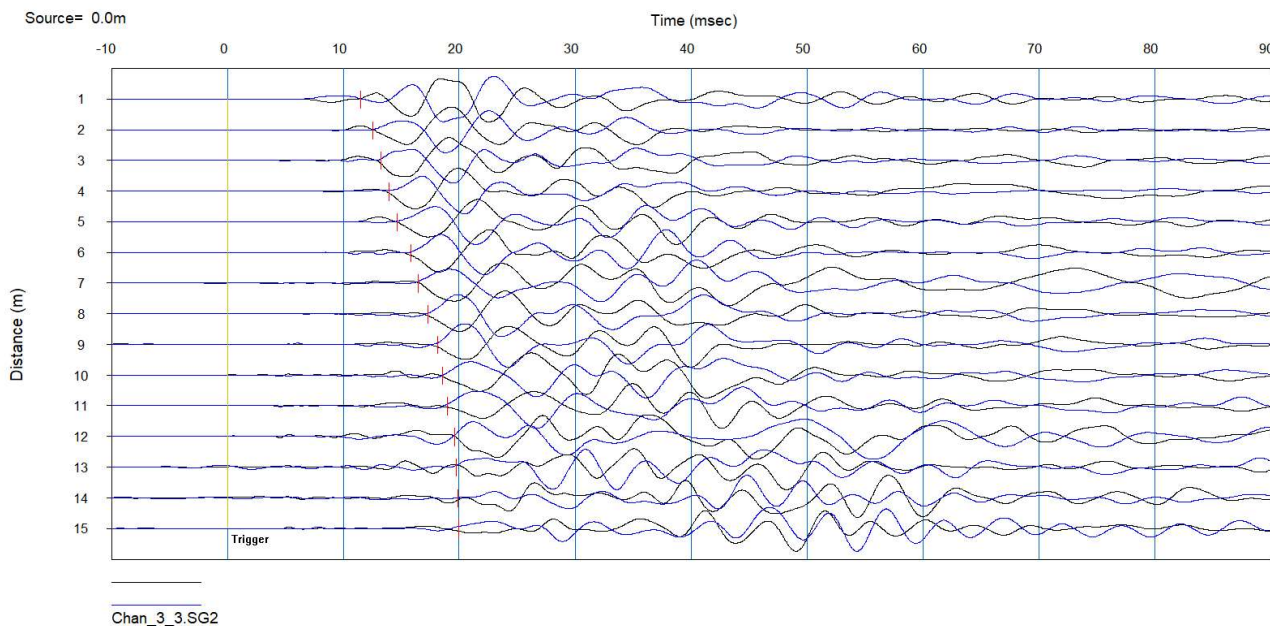


Figure 2: First-break picking of shear wave arrivals (red) along the seismic traces recorded at each receiver depth of Borehole 21-08.

Results

The VSP results at Borehole 21-08 are summarized in Table 1. The shear wave and compression wave layer velocities were calculated by best-fitting a theoretical travel time model to the field data. The depths presented on the table are relative to ground surface.

The estimated dynamic engineering moduli, based on the calculated wave velocities, are also presented in Table 1. The engineering moduli were calculated using an estimated bulk density, based on the borehole log. An estimated bulk density of 2000 kg/m³ was used for the overburden and an estimated bulk density of 2,600 kg/m³ was used for the limestone bedrock.

At Borehole 21-08 the average shear wave velocity from ground surface to a depth of 30 metres was measured to be 1,171 metres per second. The average velocity at Borehole BH 21-08 was calculated assuming that the velocity from 15 metres to a depth of 30 metres was constant with an average shear-wave velocity value of 2,800 m/s which is equal to the velocity at the bottom of the borehole.

Limitations

This technical memorandum, which specifically includes all tables, figures and attachments, is based on data and information collected by Golder Associates Ltd. and is based solely on the conditions of the properties at the time of the work, supplemented by historical information and data obtained by Golder Associates Ltd. as described in this memo.

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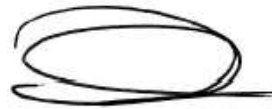
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We trust that these results meet your current needs. If you have any questions or require clarification, please contact the undersigned at your convenience.

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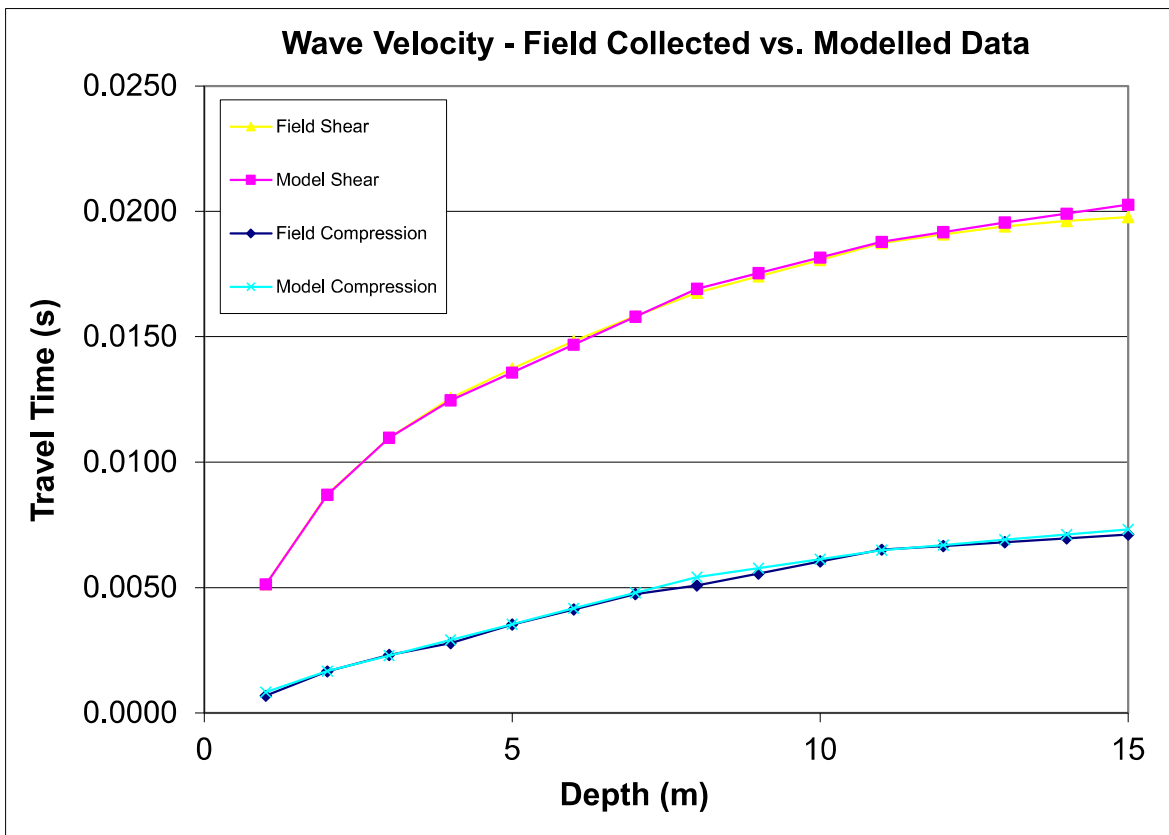
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Attachments: Table 1 – VSP Modeller BH 21-08

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**TABLE 1
VSP VELOCITY PROFILE
BOREHOLE 21-08**

Layer Depth (m)		Velocities (m/s)		Estimated Bulk Density (kg/m ³)	Dynamic Engineering Properties			
Top	Bottom	Compressional Wave	Shear Wave		Poissons Ratio	Shear Modulus (MPa)	Deformation Modulus (MPa)	Bulk Modulus (MPa)
0.0	1.0	400	195	2000	0.34	76	204	219
1.0	2.0	1200	280	2000	0.47	157	461	2671
2.0	3.0	1600	440	2000	0.46	387	1130	4604
3.0	4.0	1600	670	2600	0.39	1167	3253	5100
4.0	5.0	1600	900	2600	0.27	2106	5343	3848
5.0	6.0	1600	900	2600	0.27	2106	5343	3848
6.0	7.0	1600	900	2600	0.27	2106	5343	3848
7.0	8.0	1600	900	2600	0.27	2106	5343	3848
8.0	9.0	2800	1600	2600	0.26	6656	16741	11509
9.0	10.0	2800	1600	2600	0.26	6656	16741	11509
10.0	11.0	2800	1600	2600	0.26	6656	16741	11509
11.0	12.0	4800	2600	2600	0.29	17576	45430	36469
12.0	13.0	4800	2600	2600	0.29	17576	45430	36469
13.0	14.0	4800	2800	2600	0.24	20384	50638	32725
14.0	15.0	4800	2800	2600	0.24	20384	50638	32725



Notes

1. Depth presented is relative to the ground surface.
2. This table shall be analyzed in conjunction with the accompanying report.

APPENDIX G

CERTIFICATE OF CHEMICAL ANALYSES

Certificate of Analysis

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Group	Analyte	MRL	Units	Guideline	Lab I.D. Sample Matrix Sample Type Sampling Date Sample I.D.	1588443 Soil 2021-09-30 21-06 sa2	1588444 Soil 2021-09-27 21-10 sa3
Anions	Cl	0.002	%			0.007	<0.002
	SO4	0.01	%			<0.01	0.01
General Chemistry	Electrical Conductivity	0.05	mS/cm			0.24	0.15
	pH	2.00				8.88	8.39
	Resistivity	1	ohm-cm			4350	6670

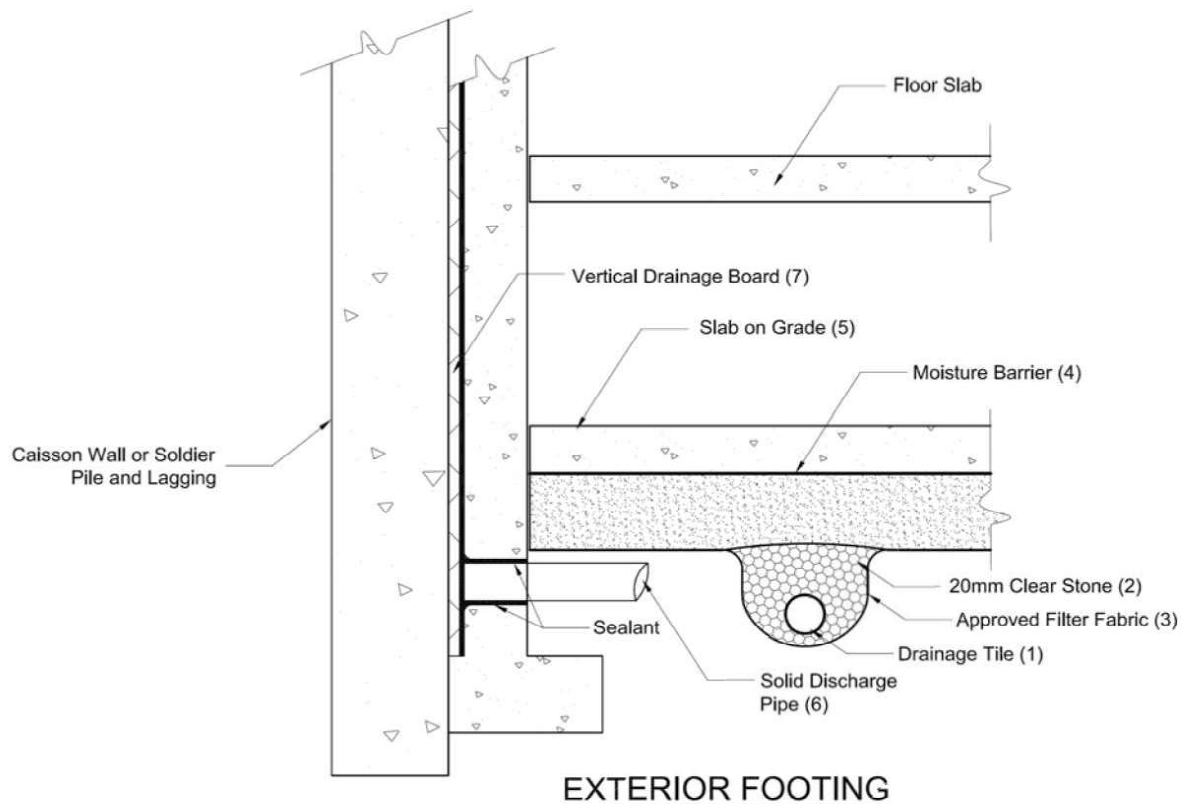
Guideline = * = **Guideline Exceedence**

Results relate only to the parameters tested on the samples submitted.
 Methods references and/or additional QA/QC information available on request.

MRL = Method Reporting Limit, AO = Aesthetic Objective, OG = Operational Guideline, MAC = Maximum Acceptable Concentration, IMAC = Interim Maximum Acceptable Concentration, STD = Standard, PWQO = Provincial Water Quality Guideline, IPWQO = Interim Provincial Water Quality Objective, TDR = Typical Desired Range

APPENDIX H

PERMANENT DRAINAGE RECOMMENDATIONS



Notes

1. Drainage tile to consist of 100 mm (4") diameter weeping tile or equivalent perforated pipe leading to a positive sump or outlet.
2. 20 mm (3/4") Clear Stone – 150mm (6") top and side of drain, 100 mm (4") of stone below drain.
3. Wrap the clear stone with an approved filter membrane (Terrafix 270R or equivalent).
4. Moisture barrier to be at least 200 mm (8") of compacted clear 20 mm (3/4") stone or equivalent free draining material. A vapour barrier may be required for special floors.
5. Do not connect the underfloor drains to the perimeter drains.
6. Solid discharge pipe outletting into a solid pipe leading to a sump.
7. Vertical drainage board Terradrain 600 or equivalent with filter cloth should be continuous from bottom to 1.2 m below exterior finished grade.
8. Review the geotechnical report for specific details. Final detail must be approved before system is considered acceptable.

DRAINAGE RECOMMENDATIONS
Shored Basement wall with Underfloor Drainage System
 (Not to Scale)

APPENDIX C

Traffic Noise and Vibration Feasibility Assessment:

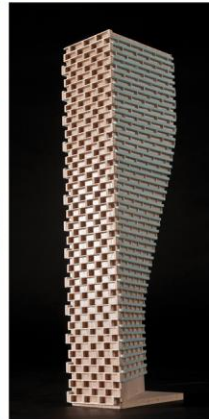
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**TRANSPORTATION NOISE
AND VIBRATION
ASSESSMENT**

1047 Richmond Road
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Report: 21-416- Transportation Noise and
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report describes a transportation noise and vibration assessment undertaken in support of a Site Plan Control (SPC) application for the proposed residential development located at 1047 Richmond Road in Ottawa, Ontario. The proposed development comprises two towers rising from two four-storey podia. The primary source of roadway traffic noise is Richmond Road to the south. As the site is in proximity to the future proposed Ottawa-Carleton Regional Transit Commission (OC Transpo) Light Rail Transit (LRT) Confederation Line, a ground vibration impact assessment from the proposed underground LRT system on the development was conducted following the procedures outlined in the Federal Transit Authorities (FTA) protocol. Figure 1 illustrates a complete site plan with the surrounding context.

The assessment is based on (i) theoretical noise prediction methods that conform to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP) NPC-300, Ministry of Transportation Ontario (MTO), and City of Ottawa Environmental Noise Control Guidelines (ENCG) guidelines; (ii) future vehicular traffic volumes corresponding to roadway classification, roadway traffic volumes obtained from the City of Ottawa, and LRT information from the Rail Implementation Office; (iii) architectural drawings provided by Roderick Lahey Architect Inc. in August 2024; and (iv) ground-borne vibration criteria as specified by the Federal Transit Authority (FTA) Protocol.

The results of the current analysis indicate that noise levels will range between 48 and 60 dBA during the daytime period (07:00-23:00) and between 41 and 53 dBA during the nighttime period (23:00-07:00). The highest noise level (60 dBA) occurs at the south façade of Tower A, which is nearest and most exposed to Richmond Road. Figures 4 and 5 illustrate daytime and nighttime noise contours of the site 4.5 m above grade.

The results indicate that upgraded building components and central air conditioning will not be required for Tower A as noise levels predicted due to roadway traffic do not exceed the criteria of 65 dBA during the daytime listed in ENCG. However, noise levels fall between 55 dBA and 65 dBA during the daytime period. As such, Tower A will need forced air heating with provisions for central air conditioning, as a minimum requirement. These requirements will allow occupants to keep windows closed and maintain a comfortable living environment. A Type C Warning Clause will also be required in all Lease, Purchase and Sale Agreements, as summarized in Section 6.



The results also indicate that noise levels at the at-grade amenity area and the Level 4 amenity terraces are expected to be between 51 dBA and 56 dBA. As noise levels at the Level 4 outdoor amenity are slightly above 55 dBA, acoustic mitigation in the form of a noise screen is recommended but not required. If no mitigation is provided, a Type A Warning Clause will also be required in all Lease, Purchase and Sale Agreements, as summarized in Section 6.

Estimated vibration levels at the foundation nearest to the OC Transpo LRT Confederation Line are expected to be 0.044 mm/s RMS (65 dBV), based on the FTA protocol and an offset distance of 32 m to the nearest track centerline. Details of the calculation are provided in Appendix B. Since predicted vibration levels do not exceed the criterion of 0.14 mm/s RMS at the foundation, concerns due to vibration impacts on the site are not expected. As vibration levels are acceptable, correspondingly, regenerated noise levels are also expected to be acceptable.

With regard to stationary noise impacts from proposed mechanical systems on the building, they will be designed to ensure compliance with the ENCG sound level limits. Noise impacts can generally be minimized by judicious selection and placement of the equipment. Where necessary, noise screens and silencers can be placed into the design. It is recommended a stationary noise study be conducted once mechanical plans for the proposed building become available. This study would assess the impacts of stationary noise from rooftop mechanical units serving the proposed building on surrounding noise-sensitive areas.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Gradient Wind Engineering Inc. (Gradient Wind) was retained by Fengate Asset Management to undertake a transportation noise and vibration assessment, in support of a Site Plan Control (SPC) application for the proposed residential development located at 1047 Richmond Road in Ottawa, Ontario. This report summarizes the methodology, results, and recommendations related to the assessment of exterior noise and vibration levels generated by local transportation traffic.

This assessment is based on theoretical noise calculation methods conforming to the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP) NPC-300¹, Ministry of Transportation Ontario (MTO)², and City of Ottawa Environmental Noise Control Guidelines (ENCG)³ guidelines. Noise calculations were based on architectural drawings provided by Roderick Lahey Architect Inc. in August 2024, with future traffic volumes corresponding to roadway classification and theoretical roadway capacities, and recent satellite imagery.

2. TERMS OF REFERENCE

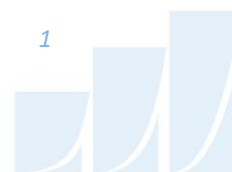
The focus of this transportation noise assessment is “Tower A” of the proposed residential development located at 1047 Richmond Road in Ottawa, Ontario. The subject site is located on a nearly rectangular parcel of land north of the intersection of New Orchard Avenue North and Richmond Road.

The proposed development comprises two towers rising from two four-storey podia. The two towers are identified as “Tower A” (36 storeys) and “Tower B” (38 storeys) which are situated in the southwest corner and northeast corner of the subject site, respectively. A park is provided at the southwest corner of the subject site. Tower A and Tower B are topped with a mechanical penthouse and both buildings share two below-grade parking levels which are accessed by a parking ramp located to the north of Tower A via a loading/service laneway extending along the north elevation of the subject site from New Orchard Avenue North. A central drop-off courtyard is accessed from the noted laneway.

¹ Ontario Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change – Environmental Noise Guidelines, Publication NPC-300, Queens Printer for Ontario, Toronto, 2013

² Ministry of Transportation Ontario, “*Environmental Guide for Noise*”, August 2021

³ City of Ottawa Environmental Noise Control Guidelines, January 2016

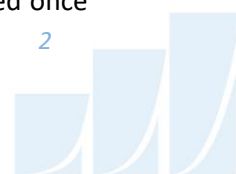


Above the two levels of underground parking, Level 1 of Tower A includes retail space fronting a proposed park at the southwest corner of the site, a residential lobby along the east elevation, and a loading area and garbage room at the northwest elevation, with residential units and shared building support spaces throughout the remainder of the level. An at-grade outdoor amenity area is located east of Tower A. Level 2 of Tower A includes storage lockers to the northeast and residential units throughout the remainder of the level. At Level 3, the podium steps back towards Tower A in the east and north directions to incorporate private terraces. At Level 4, the podium steps back towards Tower A in the east direction to incorporate an outdoor amenity area. The remainder of Level 4 comprises of indoor amenity space. Tower A rises from the podium with a rectangular planform. All floors serving Towers A between Level 5 and Level 38 comprise residential units. Level 39 includes an indoor amenity space to the northeast with residential units throughout the remainder of the level.

The site is surrounded by Sir John A. Macdonald Parkway and the Trans-Canada Trail northeast, high-rise residential buildings to the northeast and to the southwest, and mostly low-rise residential buildings for the remaining compass directions. Additionally, the Ottawa-Carleton Regional Transit Commission (OC Transpo) Light Rail Transit (LRT) Confederation Line extension and the future New Orchard Station are currently under construction approximately 20 m to the south of the subject site. The primary source of roadway traffic noise is Richmond Road to the south. Figure 1 illustrates a complete site plan with the surrounding context.

The primary source of ground-borne vibration is the future OC Transpo LRT line located to the south of the subject site. As per the City of Ottawa's Official Plan, the LRT system is situated within 75 m from the nearest property line. As a result, a ground vibration impact assessment from the underground LRT system on the proposed development was conducted following the procedures outlined in the Federal Transit Authorities (FTA) protocol. Airborne noise transmission from the LRT onto the development was considered to be negligible compared to surface transportation noise as the LRT is located entirely underground.

With regard to stationary noise impacts from proposed mechanical systems on the building, they will be designed to ensure compliance with the ENCG sound level limits. Noise impacts can generally be minimized by judicious selection and placement of the equipment. Where necessary, noise screens and silencers can be placed into the design. It is recommended a stationary noise study be conducted once



mechanical plans for the proposed building become available. This study would assess the impacts of stationary noise from rooftop mechanical units serving the proposed building on surrounding noise-sensitive areas.

3. OBJECTIVES

The principal objectives of this study are to (i) calculate the future noise levels on the study building produced by local transportation sources, (ii) predict vibration levels on the study building produced from the LRT system, and (iii) explore potential noise mitigation where required.

4. METHODOLOGY

4.1 Background

Noise can be defined as any obtrusive sound. It is created at a source, transmitted through a medium, such as air, and intercepted by a receiver. Noise may be characterized in terms of the power of the source or the sound pressure at a specific distance. While the power of a source is characteristic of that particular source, the sound pressure depends on the location of the receiver and the path that the noise takes to reach the receiver. Measurement of noise is based on the decibel unit, dBA, which is a logarithmic ratio referenced to a standard noise level (2×10^{-5} Pascals). The 'A' suffix refers to a weighting scale, which better represents how the noise is perceived by the human ear. With this scale, a doubling of power results in a 3 dBA increase in measured noise levels and is just perceptible to most people. An increase of 10 dBA is often perceived to be twice as loud.

4.2 Roadway Traffic Noise

4.2.1 Criteria for Roadway Traffic Noise

For surface roadway traffic noise, the equivalent sound energy level, L_{eq} , provides a measure of the time varying noise levels, which is well correlated with the annoyance of sound. It is defined as the continuous sound level, which has the same energy as a time varying noise level over a period of time. For roadways, the L_{eq} is commonly calculated on the basis of a 16-hour (L_{eq16}) daytime (07:00-23:00) / 8-hour (L_{eq8}) nighttime (23:00-07:00) split to assess its impact on residential buildings. NPC-300 specifies that the recommended indoor noise limit range (that is relevant to this study) is 50, 45 and 40 dBA for retail/office/indoor amenity space, living rooms, and sleeping quarters, respectively, as listed in Table 1.



TABLE 1: INDOOR SOUND LEVEL CRITERIA (ROAD)⁴

Type of Space	Time Period	L _{eq} (dBA)
General offices, reception areas, retail stores, etc.	07:00 – 23:00	50
Living/dining/den areas of residences , hospitals, schools, nursing/retirement homes, day-care centres, theatres, places of worship, libraries, individual or semi-private offices, conference rooms, etc.	07:00 – 23:00	45
Sleeping quarters of hotels/motels	23:00 – 07:00	45
Sleeping quarters of residences , hospitals, nursing/retirement homes, etc.	23:00 – 07:00	40

Predicted noise levels at the plane of window (POW) dictate the action required to achieve the recommended sound levels. An open window is considered to provide a 10 dBA reduction in noise, while a standard closed window is capable of providing a minimum 20 dBA noise reduction⁵. A closed window due to a ventilation requirement will bring noise levels down to achieve an acceptable indoor environment⁶. Therefore, where noise levels exceed 55 dBA daytime and 50 dBA nighttime, the ventilation for the building should consider the need for having windows and doors closed, which triggers the need for forced air heating with provision for central air conditioning. Where noise levels exceed 65 dBA daytime and 60 dBA nighttime, air conditioning will be required and building components will require higher levels of sound attenuation⁷.

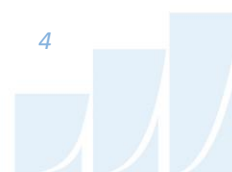
The sound level criterion for outdoor living areas is 55 dBA, which applies during the daytime (07:00 to 23:00). When noise levels exceed 55 dBA, mitigation should be provided to reduce noise levels where technically and administratively feasible to acceptable levels at or below the criterion.

⁴ MOECP, Environmental Noise Guidelines, NPC 300 – Part C, Table C-9

⁵ Burberry, P.B. (2014). Mitchell’s Environment and Services. Routledge, Page 125

⁶ MOECP, Environmental Noise Guidelines, NPC 300 – Part C, Section 7.8

⁷ MOECP, Environmental Noise Guidelines, NPC 300 – Part C, Section 7.1.3



4.2.2 Roadway Traffic Volumes

The ENCG dictates that noise calculations should consider future sound levels based on a roadway’s classification at the mature state of development. Therefore, traffic volumes are based on the roadway classifications outlined in the City of Ottawa’s Official Plan (OP) and Transportation Master Plan⁸ which provide additional details on future roadway expansions. Average Annual Daily Traffic (AADT) volumes are then based on data in Table B1 of the ENCG for each roadway classification. Table 2 (below) summarizes the AADT values used for each roadway included in this assessment.

TABLE 2: ROADWAY TRAFFIC DATA

Segment	Roadway Traffic Data	Speed Limit (km/h)	Traffic Volumes
Richmond Road	2-Lane Urban Arterial Undivided (2-UAU)	50	15,000

4.2.3 Theoretical Roadway Traffic Noise Predictions

The impact of transportation noise sources on the development was determined by computer modelling. Transportation noise source modelling is based on the software program *Predictor-Lima* which utilizes the United States Federal Highway Administration’s Traffic Noise Model (TNM) to represent the roadway line sources. The TNM model is also being accepted in the updated Environmental Guide for Noise of Ontario, 2021 by the Ministry of Transportation (MTO)⁹. This computer program can represent three-dimensional surfaces and first reflections of sound waves over a suitable spectrum for human hearing. A set of comparative calculations were performed in the current Ontario traffic noise prediction model STAMSON for comparisons to Predictor simulation results. The STAMSON model is, however, older and requires each receptor to be calculated separately. STAMSON also does not accurately account for building reflections and multiple screening elements, and curved road geometry. A total of 6 receptor locations were identified around the site, as illustrated in Figure 2.

⁸ City of Ottawa Transportation Master Plan, November 2013

⁹ Ministry of Transportation Ontario, “*Environmental Guide for Noise*”, August 2021, pg. 16

Roadway noise calculations were performed by treating each segment as separate line sources of noise, and by using existing and proposed building locations as noise barriers. In addition to the traffic volumes summarized in Table 2, theoretical noise predictions were based on the following parameters:

- Truck traffic on all roadways was taken to comprise 5% heavy trucks and 7% medium trucks, as per ENCG requirements for noise level predictions.
- The day/night split for all roads was taken to be 92% / 8%, respectively.
- Default ground surfaces were taken to be reflective due to the presence of hard (paved) ground.
- Topography was assumed to be a flat/gentle slope surrounding the study building.
- Noise receptors were strategically placed at 6 locations around the study area (see Figure 2).

4.3 Ground Vibration and Ground-borne Noise

Transit systems and heavy vehicles on roadways can produce perceptible levels of ground vibrations, especially when they are in close proximity to residential neighbourhoods or vibration-sensitive buildings. Similar to sound waves in air, vibrations in solids are generated at a source, propagated through a medium, and intercepted by a receiver. In the case of ground vibrations, the medium can be uniform, or more often, a complex layering of soils and rock strata. Also, similar to sound waves in air, ground vibrations produce perceptible motions and regenerated noise known as 'ground-borne noise' when the vibrations encounter a hollow structure such as a building. Ground-borne noise and vibrations are generated when there is excitation of the ground, such as from a train or subway. Repetitive motion of the wheels on the track or rubber tires passing over an uneven surface causes vibration to propagate through the soil. When they encounter a building, vibrations pass along the structure of the building beginning at the foundation and propagating to all floors. Air inside the building excited by the vibrating walls and floors represents regenerated airborne noise. Characteristics of the soil and the building are imparted to the noise, thereby creating a unique noise signature.

Human response to ground vibrations is dependent on the magnitude of the vibrations, which is measured by the root mean square (RMS) of the movement of a particle on a surface. Typical units of ground vibration measures are millimeters per second (mm/s), or inch per second (in/s). Since vibrations can vary over a wide range, it is also convenient to represent them in decibel units, or dBV. In North America, it is common practice to use the reference value of one micro-inch per second ($\mu\text{in/s}$) to represent vibration



levels for this purpose. The threshold level of human perception to vibrations is about 0.10 mm/s RMS or about 72 dBV. Although somewhat variable, the threshold of annoyance for continuous vibrations is 0.5 mm/s RMS (or 85 dBV), five times higher than the perception threshold, whereas the threshold for significant structural damage is 10 mm/s RMS (or 112 dBV), at least one hundred times higher than the perception threshold level.

4.3.1 Ground Vibration Criteria

The Canadian Railway Association and Canadian Association of Municipalities have set standards for new sensitive land developments within 300 metres of a railway right-of-way, as published in their document *Guidelines for New Development in Proximity to Railway Operations*¹⁰, which indicates that vibration conditions should not exceed 0.14 mm/s RMS averaged over a one-second time period at the first floor and above of the proposed building.

4.3.2 Theoretical Ground Vibration Prediction Procedure

Potential vibration impacts of the trains were predicted using the Federal Transit Authority's (FTA) *Transit Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment*¹¹ protocol. The FTA general vibration assessment is based on an upper bound generic set of curves that show vibration level attenuation with distance. These curves, illustrated in the figure on the following page, are based on ground vibration measurements at various transit systems throughout North America. Vibration levels at points of reception are adjusted by various factors to incorporate known characteristics of the system being analyzed, such as operating speed of vehicle, conditions of the track, construction of the track and geology, as well as the structural type of the impacted building structures. The vibration impact on the building was determined using a set of curves for Rapid Transit at a speed of 50 mph. Adjustment factors were considered based on the following information:

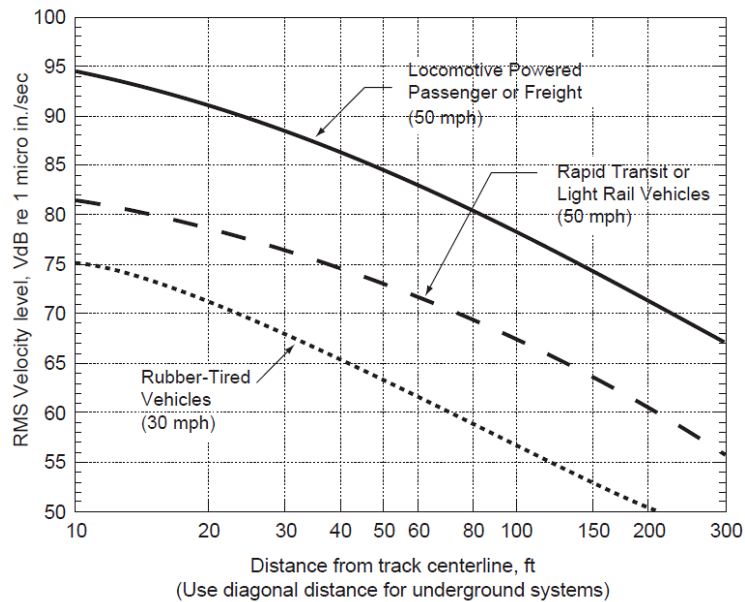
- The maximum operating speed of the LRT line is 43 mph (70 km/h) at peak.
- The setback distance between the development and the closest track is 32 m.

¹⁰ Dialog and J.E. Coulter Associates Limited, prepared for The Federation of Canadian Municipalities and The Railway Association of Canada, May 2013

¹¹ John A. Volpe National Transportation Systems Center, Transit Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment, Federal Transit Administration, September 2018



- The vehicles are assumed to have soft primary suspensions.
- Tracks are not welded, though in otherwise good condition.
- Soil conditions do not efficiently propagate vibrations.
- The building's foundation will bear on bedrock.
- Type of transit structure is Station.



**FTA GENERALIZED CURVES OF VIBRATION LEVELS VERSUS DISTANCE
(ADOPTED FROM FIGURE 10-1, FTA TRANSIT NOISE AND VIBRATION IMPACT ASSESSMENT)**

5. RESULTS

5.1 Roadway Traffic Noise Levels

The results of the transportation noise calculations are summarized in Table 3 below.

TABLE 3: EXTERIOR NOISE LEVELS DUE TO ROADWAY TRAFFIC SOURCES

Receptor Number	Receptor Height Above Grade/Roof (m)	Receptor Location	Roadway Noise Level (dBA)	
			Day	Night
R1	109.5	POW - Level 39 Tower A - South Façade	60	53
R2	109.5	POW - Level 39 Tower A - East Façade	58	51
R3	109.5	POW - Level 39 Tower A - North Façade	48	41
R4	109.5	POW - Level 39 Tower A - West Façade	52	45
R5	13.5	OLA - Level 4 Tower A - Outdoor Amenity	56	N/A*
R6	1.5	OLA - At-Grade Outdoor Amenity	51	N/A*

*Noise levels during the nighttime are not considered for OLAs

The results of the current analysis indicate that noise levels will range between 48 and 60 dBA during the daytime period (07:00-23:00) and between 41 and 53 dBA during the nighttime period (23:00-07:00). The highest noise level (60 dBA) occurs at the south façade of Tower A, which is nearest and most exposed to Richmond Road. Figures 4 and 5 illustrate daytime and nighttime noise contours of the site 4.5 m above grade.

Table 4 shows a comparison in results between Predictor-Lima and STAMSON. Noise levels calculated in STAMSON were found to have a good correlation with Predictor-Lima and variability between the two programs was within an acceptable level of $\pm 0-3$ dBA. STAMSON input parameters are shown in Appendix A.

TABLE 4: RESULTS OF STAMSON/PREDICTOR-LIMA CORRELATION

Receptor ID	Receptor Height (m)	Receptor Location	STAMSON 5.04 Noise Level (dBA)		PREDICTOR-LIMA Noise Level (dBA)	
			Day	Night	Day	Night
R1	109.5	POW - Level 39 Tower A - South Façade	63	55	60	53
R5	13.5	OLA - Level 4 Tower A - Outdoor Amenity	59	N/A*	56	N/A*

*Noise levels during the nighttime are not considered for OLAs

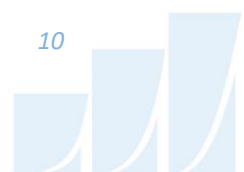
5.1.1 Noise Control Measures

The results indicate that upgraded building components and central air conditioning will not be required for Tower A as noise levels predicted due to roadway traffic do not exceed the criteria of 65 dBA during the daytime listed in ENCG. However, noise levels fall between 55 dBA and 65 dBA during the daytime period. As such, Tower A will need forced air heating with provisions for central air conditioning, as a minimum requirement. These requirements will allow occupants to keep windows closed and maintain a comfortable living environment. A Type C Warning Clause will also be required in all Lease, Purchase and Sale Agreements, as summarized in Section 6.

The results also indicate that noise levels at the at-grade amenity area and the Level 4 amenity terraces are expected to be between 51 dBA and 56 dBA. As noise levels at the Level 4 outdoor amenity are slightly above 55 dBA, acoustic mitigation in the form of a noise screen is recommended but not required. If no mitigation is provided, a Type A Warning Clause will also be required in all Lease, Purchase and Sale Agreements, as summarized in Section 6.

5.2 Ground Vibrations and Ground-Borne Noise Levels

Estimated vibration levels at the foundation nearest to the OC Transpo LRT Confederation Line are expected to be 0.044 mm/s RMS (65 dBV), based on the FTA protocol and an offset distance of 32 m to the nearest track centerline. Details of the calculation are provided in Appendix B. Since predicted vibration levels do not exceed the criterion of 0.14 mm/s RMS at the foundation, concerns due to vibration impacts on the site are not expected. As vibration levels are acceptable, correspondingly, regenerated noise levels are also expected to be acceptable.



6. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

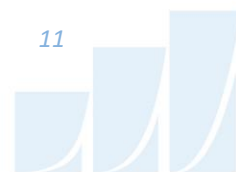
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The results indicate that upgraded building components and central air conditioning will not be required for Tower A as noise levels predicted due to roadway traffic do not exceed the criteria of 65 dBA during the daytime listed in ENCG. However, noise levels fall between 55 dBA and 65 dBA during the daytime period. As such, Tower A will need forced air heating with provisions for central air conditioning, as a minimum requirement. These requirements will allow occupants to keep windows closed and maintain a comfortable living environment. A Type C Warning Clause will also be required in all Lease, Purchase and Sale Agreements, as summarized below.

Type C:

"This dwelling unit has been designed with the provision for adding central air conditioning at the occupant's discretion. Installation of central air conditioning by the occupant in low and medium density developments will allow windows and exterior doors to remain closed, thereby ensuring that the indoor sound levels are within the sound level limits of the Municipality and the Ministry of the Environment."

The results also indicate that noise levels at the at-grade amenity area and the Level 4 amenity terraces are expected to be between 51 dBA and 56 dBA. As noise levels at the Level 4 outdoor amenity are slightly above 55 dBA, acoustic mitigation in the form of a noise screen is recommended but not required. If no mitigation is provided, a Type A Warning Clause will also be required in all Lease, Purchase and Sale Agreements, as summarized below.



Type A:

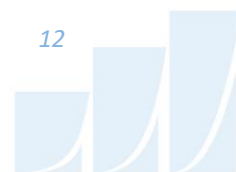
"Purchasers/tenants are advised that sound levels due to increasing road traffic (rail traffic) (air traffic) may occasionally interfere with some activities of the dwelling occupants as the sound levels exceed the sound level limits of the Municipality and the Ministry of the Environment."

As the development is adjacent to a future proposed LRT line and station, the Rail Construction Program Office recommends that the warning clause identified below be included in all Lease, Purchase and Sale Agreements.

"The Owner hereby acknowledges and agrees:

- i) The proximity of the proposed development of the lands described in Schedule "A" hereto (the "Lands") to the City's existing and future transit operations, may result in noise, vibration, electromagnetic interferences, stray current transmissions, smoke and particulate matter (collectively referred to as "Interferences") to the development;*
- ii) It has been advised by the City to apply reasonable attenuation measures with respect to the level of the Interferences on and within the Lands and the proposed development; and*
- iii) The Owner acknowledges and agrees all agreements of purchase and sale and lease agreements, and all information on all plans and documents used for marketing purposes, for the whole or any part of the subject lands, shall contain the following clauses which shall also be incorporated in all transfer/deeds and leases from the Owner so that the clauses shall be covenants running with the lands for the benefit of the owner of the adjacent road:*

'The Transferee/Lessee for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns acknowledges being advised that a public transit light-rail rapid transit system (LRT) is proposed to be located in proximity to the subject lands, and the

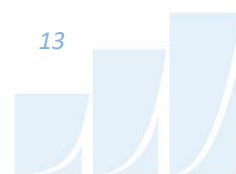


construction, operation and maintenance of the LRT may result in environmental impacts including, but not limited to noise, vibration, electromagnetic interferences, stray current transmissions, smoke and particulate matter (collectively referred to as the Interferences) to the subject lands. The Transferee/Lessee acknowledges and agrees that despite the inclusion of noise control features within the subject lands, Interferences may continue to be of concern, occasionally interfering with some activities of the occupants on the subject lands.

The Transferee covenants with the Transferor and the Lessee covenants with the Lessor that the above clauses verbatim shall be included in all subsequent lease agreements, agreements of purchase and sale and deeds conveying the lands described herein, which covenants shall run with the lands and are for the benefit of the owner of the adjacent road.”

Estimated vibration levels at the foundation nearest to the OC Transpo LRT Confederation Line are expected to be 0.044 mm/s RMS (65 dBV), based on the FTA protocol and an offset distance of 32 m to the nearest track centerline. Details of the calculation are provided in Appendix B. Since predicted vibration levels do not exceed the criterion of 0.14 mm/s RMS at the foundation, concerns due to vibration impacts on the site are not expected. As vibration levels are acceptable, correspondingly, regenerated noise levels are also expected to be acceptable.

With regard to stationary noise impacts from proposed mechanical systems on the building, they will be designed to ensure compliance with the ENCG sound level limits. Noise impacts can generally be minimized by judicious selection and placement of the equipment. Where necessary, noise screens and silencers can be placed into the design. It is recommended a stationary noise study be conducted once mechanical plans for the proposed building become available. This study would assess the impacts of stationary noise from rooftop mechanical units serving the proposed building on surrounding noise-sensitive areas.



This concludes our transportation noise and vibration assessment and report. If you have any questions or wish to discuss our findings, please advise us. In the interim, we thank you for the opportunity to be of service.

Sincerely,

Gradient Wind Engineering Inc.



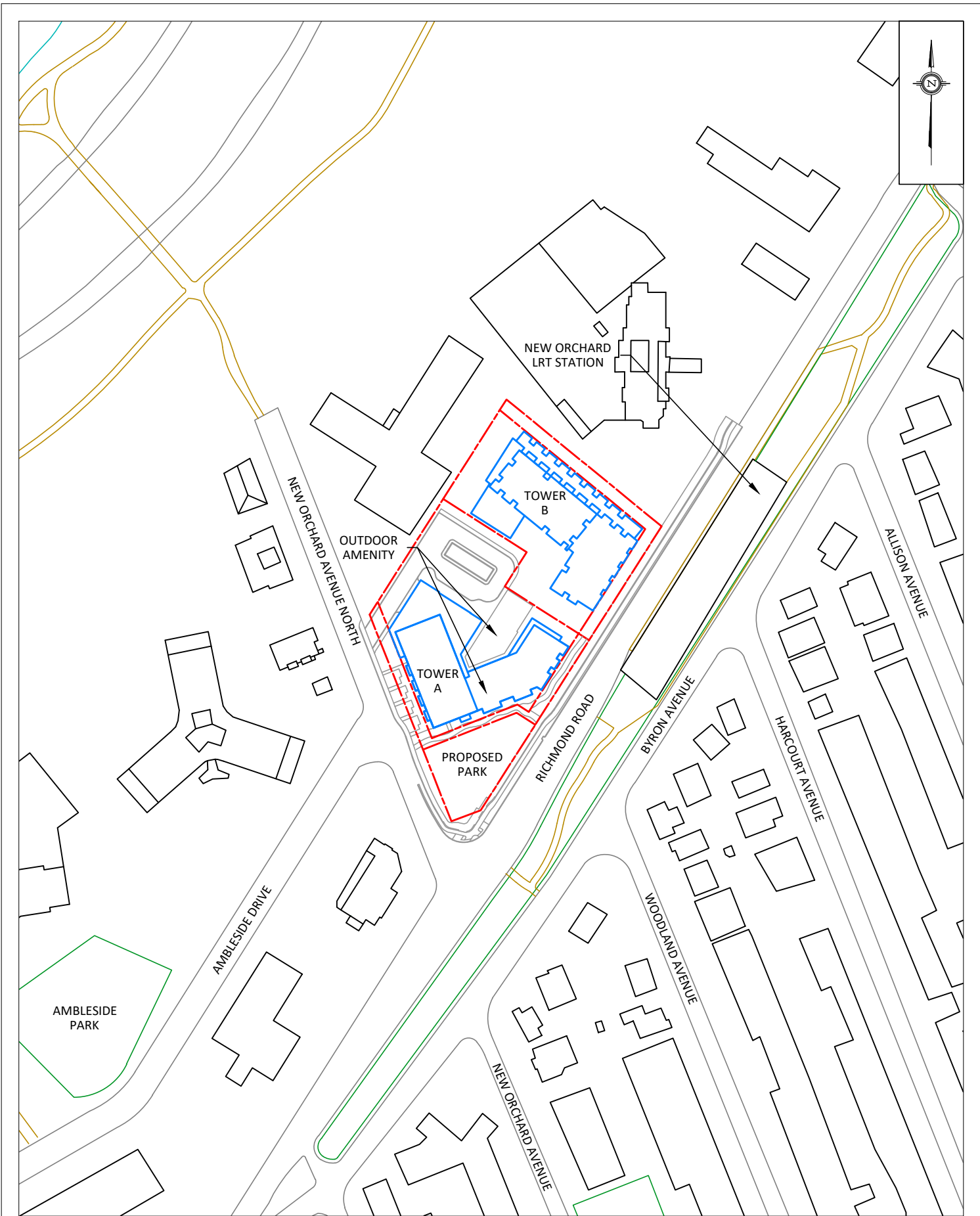
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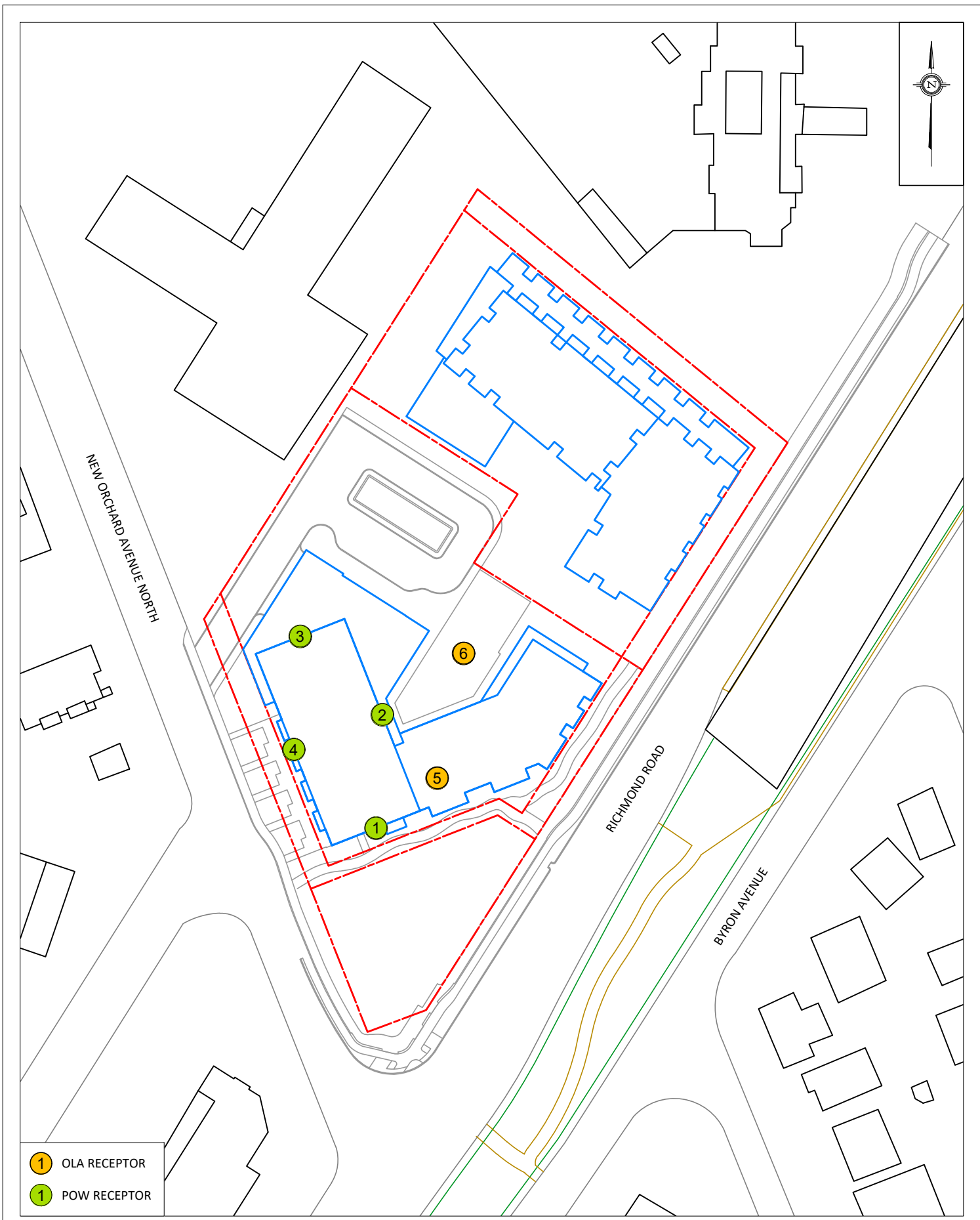
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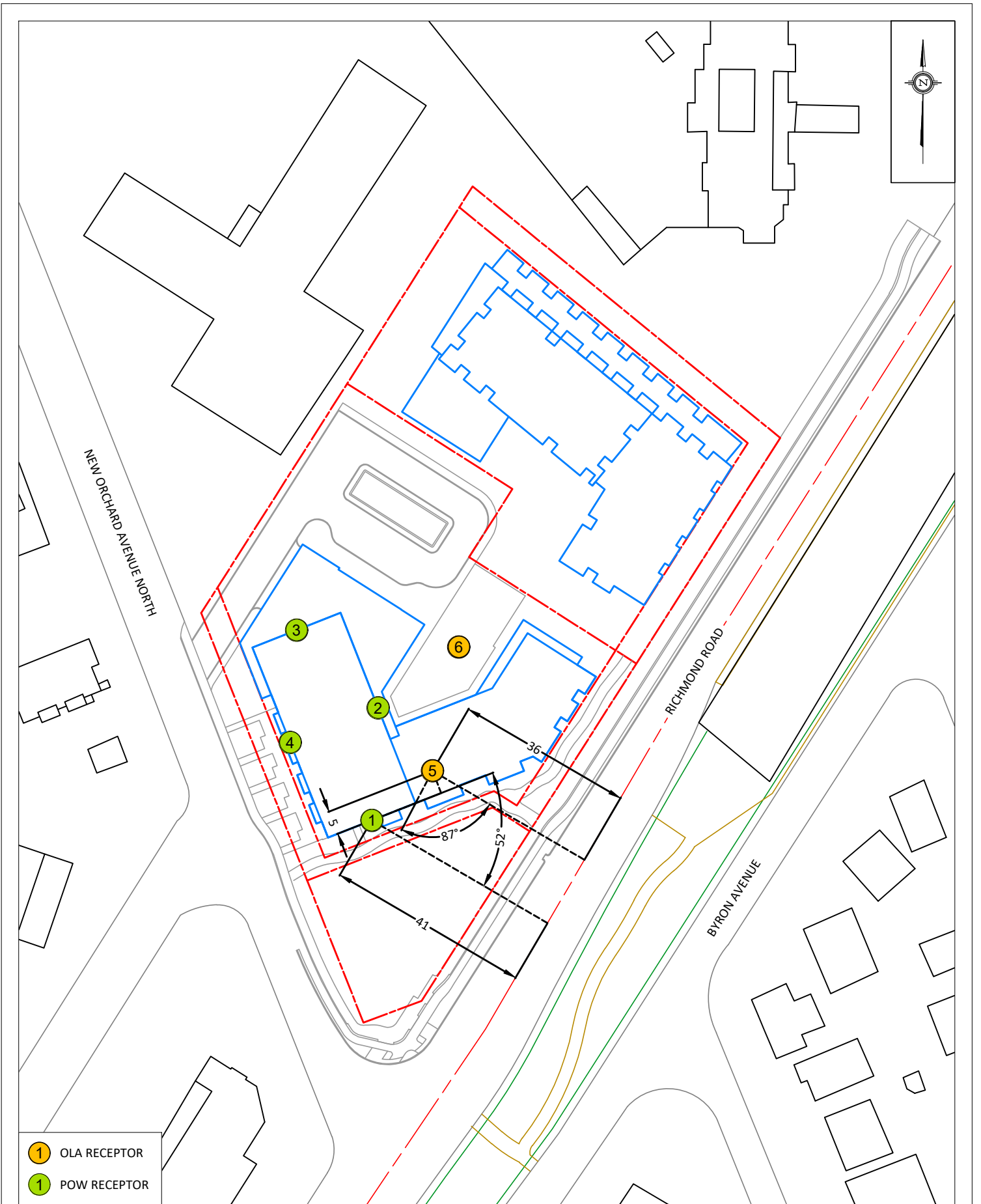


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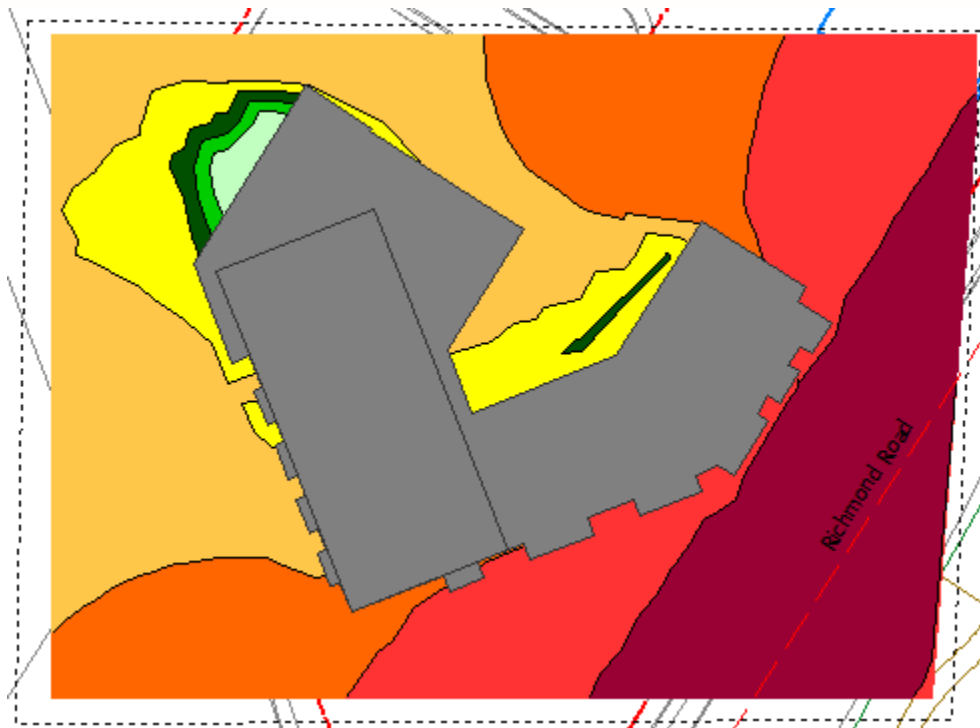
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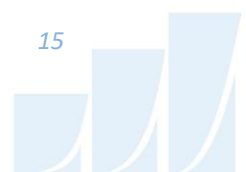
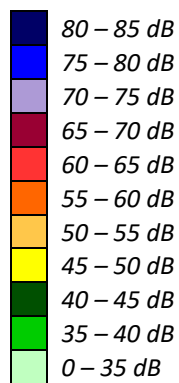


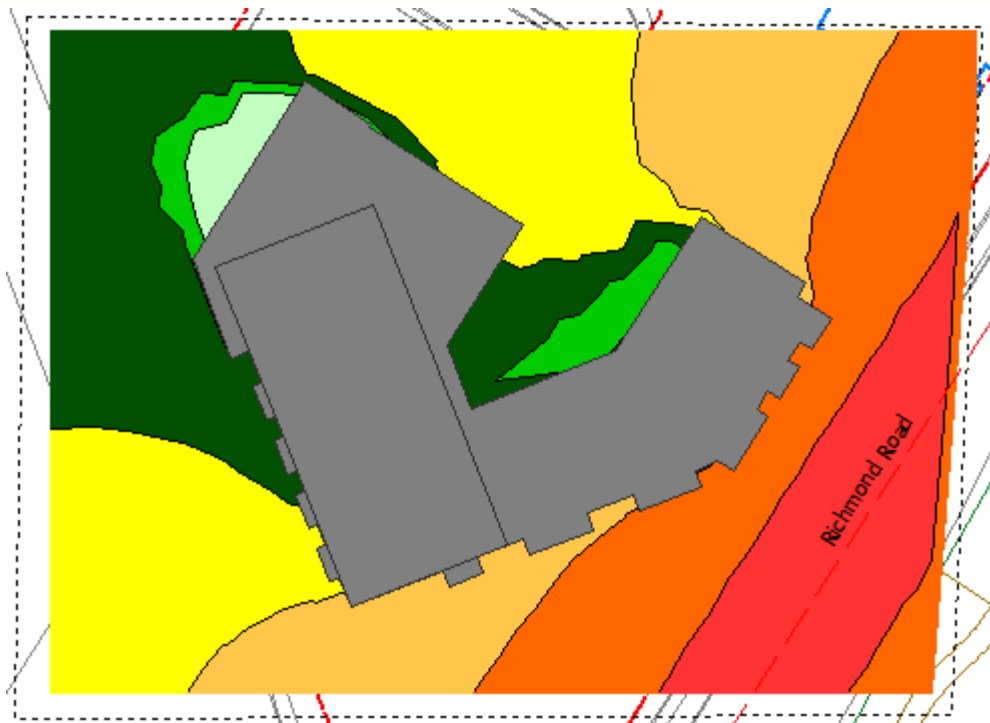
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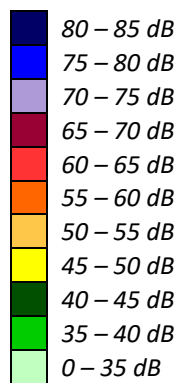


**FIGURE 4: DAYTIME TRANSPORTATION NOISE CONTOURS
(4.5 M ABOVE GRADE)**



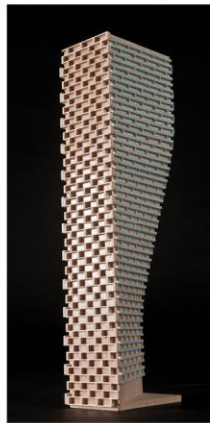


**FIGURE 5: NIGHTTIME TRANSPORTATION NOISE CONTOURS
(4.5 M ABOVE GRADE)**



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APPENDIX A

STAMSON SAMPLE CALCULATIONS

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STAMSON 5.0 **NORMAL REPORT** **Date: 24-07-2024 12:23:21**
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY / NOISE ASSESSMENT

Filename: R1.te Time Period: Day/Night 16/8 hours
 Description:

Road data, segment # 1: Richmond Rd (day/night)

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Car traffic volume   : 12144/1056   veh/TimePeriod   *
Medium truck volume :    966/84     veh/TimePeriod   *
Heavy truck volume  :    690/60     veh/TimePeriod   *
Posted speed limit  :     50 km/h
Road gradient       :      0 %
Road pavement      :      1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)
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* Refers to calculated road volumes based on the following input:

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24 hr Traffic Volume (AADT or SADT): 15000
Percentage of Annual Growth       : 0.00
Number of Years of Growth         : 0.00
Medium Truck % of Total Volume    : 7.00
Heavy Truck % of Total Volume     : 5.00
Day (16 hrs) % of Total Volume    : 92.00
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Data for Segment # 1: Richmond Rd (day/night)

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Angle1  Angle2      : -52.00 deg   90.00 deg
Wood depth      :      0      (No woods.)
No of house rows :      0 / 0
Surface         :      2      (Reflective ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 41.00 / 41.00 m
Receiver height  : 118.50 / 118.50 m
Topography      :      1      (Flat/gentle slope; no barrier)
Reference angle  :      0.00
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Results segment # 1: Richmond Rd (day)

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 63.08 + 0.00) = 63.08 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
-52	90	0.00	68.48	0.00	-4.37	-1.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	63.08

Segment Leq : 63.08 dBA

Total Leq All Segments: 63.08 dBA



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Results segment # 1: Richmond Rd (night)

Source height = 1.50 m

ROAD (0.00 + 55.49 + 0.00) = 55.49 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
-52	90	0.00	60.88	0.00	-4.37	-1.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	55.49

Segment Leq : 55.49 dBA

Total Leq All Segments: 55.49 dBA

TOTAL Leq FROM ALL SOURCES (DAY): 63.08
(NIGHT): 55.49



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STAMSON 5.0 NORMAL REPORT Date: 24-07-2024 12:43:37
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY / NOISE ASSESSMENT

Filename: R5.te Time Period: Day/Night 16/8 hours
Description:

Road data, segment # 1: Richmond Rd (day/night)

Car traffic volume : 12144/1056 veh/TimePeriod *
Medium truck volume : 966/84 veh/TimePeriod *
Heavy truck volume : 690/60 veh/TimePeriod *
Posted speed limit : 50 km/h
Road gradient : 0 %
Road pavement : 1 (Typical asphalt or concrete)

* Refers to calculated road volumes based on the following input:

24 hr Traffic Volume (AADT or SADT): 15000
Percentage of Annual Growth : 0.00
Number of Years of Growth : 0.00
Medium Truck % of Total Volume : 7.00
Heavy Truck % of Total Volume : 5.00
Day (16 hrs) % of Total Volume : 92.00

Data for Segment # 1: Richmond Rd (day/night)

Angle1 Angle2 : -90.00 deg 87.00 deg
Wood depth : 0 (No woods.)
No of house rows : 0 / 0
Surface : 2 (Reflective ground surface)
Receiver source distance : 36.00 / 36.00 m
Receiver height : 13.50 / 13.50 m
Topography : 2 (Flat/gentle slope; with barrier)
Barrier angle1 : -90.00 deg Angle2 : 87.00 deg
Barrier height : 12.00 m
Barrier receiver distance : 5.00 / 5.00 m
Source elevation : 0.00 m
Receiver elevation : 0.00 m
Barrier elevation : 0.00 m
Reference angle : 0.00



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Results segment # 1: Richmond Rd (day)

Source height = 1.50 m

Barrier height for grazing incidence

Source Height (m)	! Receiver ! Height (m)	! Barrier ! Height (m)	! Elevation of ! Barrier Top (m)
1.50	!	13.50	!
		11.83	!
			11.83

ROAD (0.00 + 59.51 + 0.00) = 59.51 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
-90	87	0.00	68.48	0.00	-3.80	-0.07	0.00	0.00	-5.09	59.51

Segment Leq : 59.51 dBA

Total Leq All Segments: 59.51 dBA

Results segment # 1: Richmond Rd (night)

Source height = 1.50 m

Barrier height for grazing incidence

Source Height (m)	! Receiver ! Height (m)	! Barrier ! Height (m)	! Elevation of ! Barrier Top (m)
1.50	!	13.50	!
		11.83	!
			11.83

ROAD (0.00 + 51.91 + 0.00) = 51.91 dBA

Angle1	Angle2	Alpha	RefLeq	P.Adj	D.Adj	F.Adj	W.Adj	H.Adj	B.Adj	SubLeq
-90	87	0.00	60.88	0.00	-3.80	-0.07	0.00	0.00	-5.09	51.91

Segment Leq : 51.91 dBA

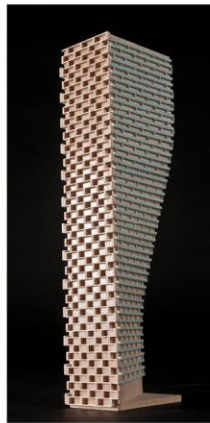
Total Leq All Segments: 51.91 dBA

TOTAL Leq FROM ALL SOURCES (DAY): 59.49
(NIGHT): 51.91



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APPENDIX B

FTA VIBRATION CALCULATIONS

Possible Vibration Impacts
Predicted using FTA General Assesment

Train Speed	70 km/h	43 mph
	Distance from C/L	
	(m)	(ft)
LRT	32.0	105.0

Vibration

From FTA Manual Fig 10-1

Vibration Levels at distance from track 67 dBV re 1 micro in/sec

Adjustment Factors FTA Table 10-1

Speed reference 50 mph	-1.30	Speed Limit of 70 km/h (43 mph)
Vehicle Parameters	0	Assume Soft primary suspension, Wheels run true
Track Condition	0	None
Track Treatments	0	None
Type of Transit Structure	-5	Station
Efficient vibration Propagation	0	None
Vibration Levels at Fdn	61	
Coupling to Building Foundation	0	Bear on bedrock
Floor to Floor Attenuation	-2.0	Ground Floor Occupied
Amplification of Floor and Walls	6	
Total Vibration Level	64.7	dBV or 0.044 mm/s
Noise Level in dBA	29.7	dBA



**Table 10-1. Adjustment Factors for Generalized Predictions of
Ground-Borne Vibration and Noise**

<i>Factors Affecting Vibration Source</i>				
Source Factor	Adjustment to Propagation Curve		Comment	
Speed	Reference Speed		Vibration level is approximately proportional to $20 \cdot \log(\text{speed}/\text{speed}_{\text{ref}})$. Sometimes the variation with speed has been observed to be as low as 10 to 15 $\log(\text{speed}/\text{speed}_{\text{ref}})$.	
	Vehicle Speed			
		50 mph		30 mph
	60 mph	+1.6 dB		+6.0 dB
	50 mph	0.0 dB		+4.4 dB
	40 mph	-1.9 dB	+2.5 dB	
	30 mph	-4.4 dB	0.0 dB	
	20 mph	-8.0 dB	-3.5 dB	
Vehicle Parameters (not additive, apply greatest value only)				
Vehicle with stiff primary suspension	+8 dB		Transit vehicles with stiff primary suspensions have been shown to create high vibration levels. Include this adjustment when the primary suspension has a vertical resonance frequency greater than 15 Hz.	
Resilient Wheels	0 dB		Resilient wheels do not generally affect ground-borne vibration except at frequencies greater than about 80 Hz.	
Worn Wheels or Wheels with Flats	+10 dB		Wheel flats or wheels that are unevenly worn can cause high vibration levels. This can be prevented with wheel truing and slip-slide detectors to prevent the wheels from sliding on the track.	
Track Conditions (not additive, apply greatest value only)				
Worn or Corrugated Track	+10 dB		If both the wheels and the track are worn, only one adjustment should be used. Corrugated track is a common problem. Mill scale on new rail can cause higher vibration levels until the rail has been in use for some time.	
Special Trackwork	+10 dB		Wheel impacts at special trackwork will significantly increase vibration levels. The increase will be less at greater distances from the track.	
Jointed Track or Uneven Road Surfaces	+5 dB		Jointed track can cause higher vibration levels than welded track. Rough roads or expansion joints are sources of increased vibration for rubber-tire transit.	
Track Treatments (not additive, apply greatest value only)				
Floating Slab Trackbed	-15 dB		The reduction achieved with a floating slab trackbed is strongly dependent on the frequency characteristics of the vibration.	
Ballast Mats	-10 dB		Actual reduction is strongly dependent on frequency of vibration.	
High-Resilience Fasteners	-5 dB		Slab track with track fasteners that are very compliant in the vertical direction can reduce vibration at frequencies greater than 40 Hz.	

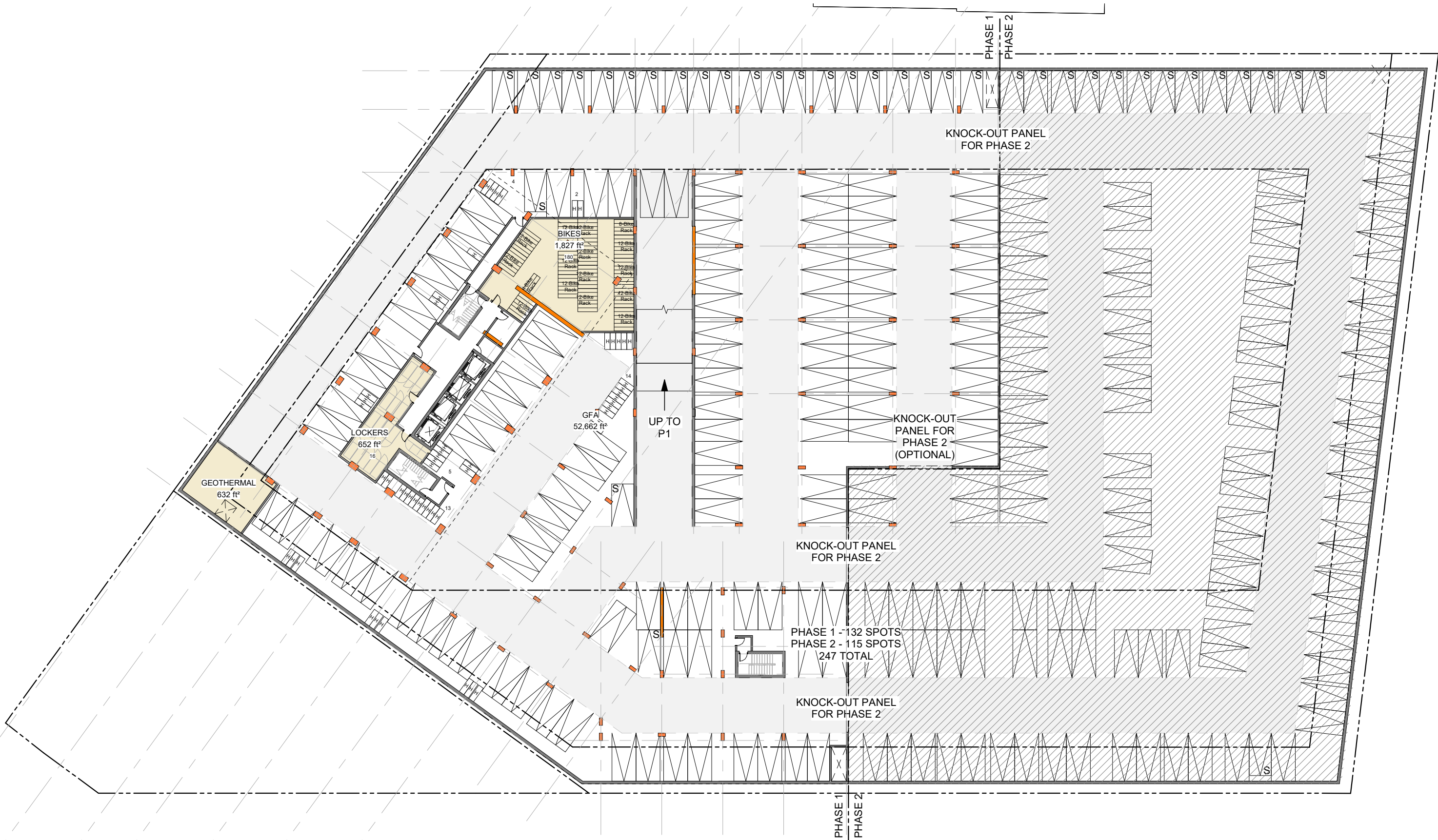


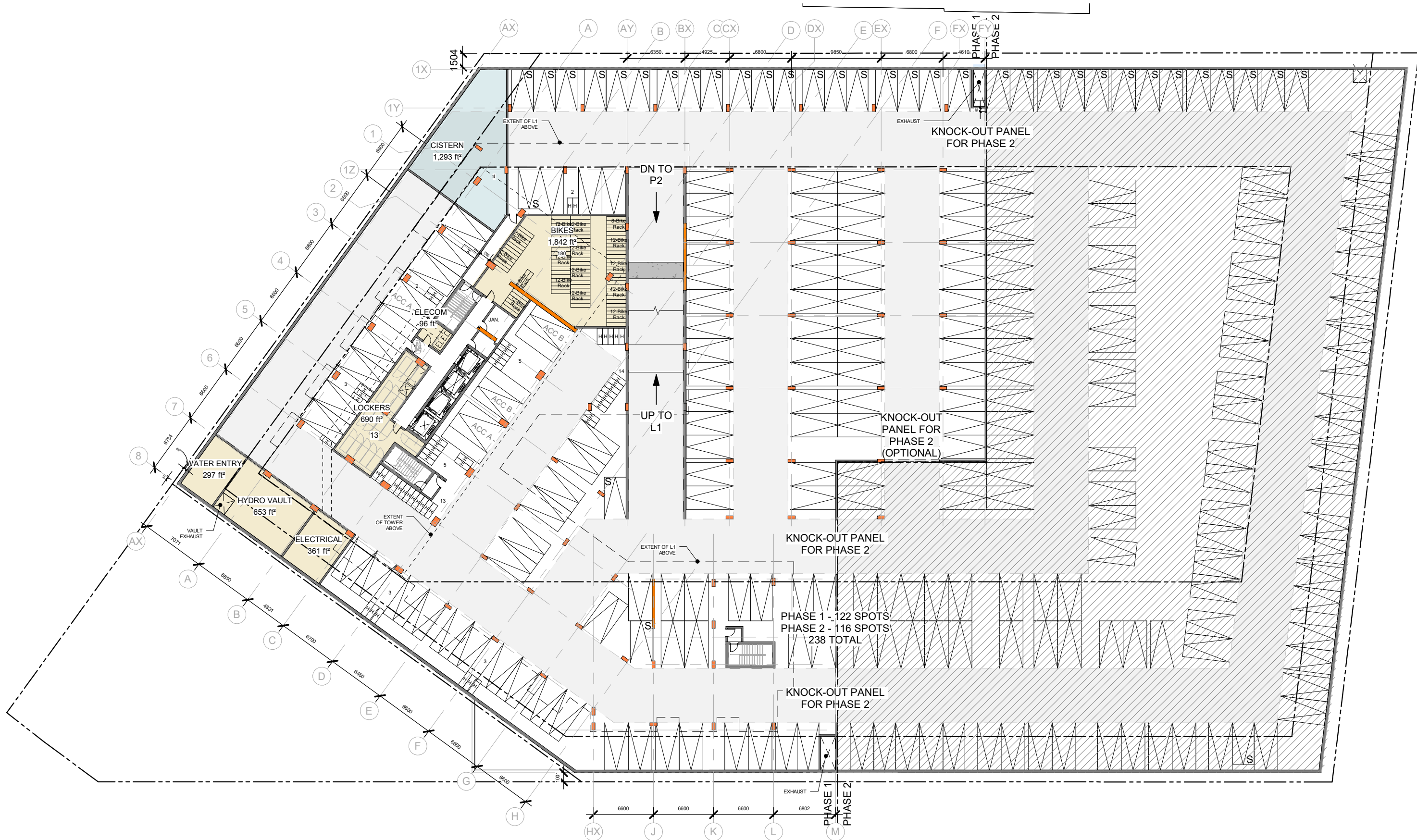
Table 10-1. Adjustment Factors for Generalized Predictions of Ground-Borne Vibration and Noise (Continued)				
<i>Factors Affecting Vibration Path</i>				
Path Factor	Adjustment to Propagation Curve		Comment	
Resiliently Supported Ties	-10 dB		Resiliently supported tie systems have been found to provide very effective control of low-frequency vibration.	
Track Configuration (not additive, apply greatest value only)				
Type of Transit Structure	Relative to at-grade tie & ballast:		The general rule is the heavier the structure, the lower the vibration levels. Putting the track in cut may reduce the vibration levels slightly. Rock-based subways generate higher-frequency vibration.	
	Elevated structure	-10 dB		
	Open cut	0 dB		
	Relative to bored subway tunnel in soil:			
	Station	-5 dB		
	Cut and cover	-3 dB		
	Rock-based	-15 dB		
Ground-borne Propagation Effects				
Geologic conditions that promote efficient vibration propagation	Efficient propagation in soil		Refer to the text for guidance on identifying areas where efficient propagation is possible.	
	+10 dB			
	Propagation in rock layer	<u>Dist.</u>	<u>Adjust.</u>	The positive adjustment accounts for the lower attenuation of vibration in rock compared to soil. It is generally more difficult to excite vibrations in rock than in soil at the source.
		50 ft	+2 dB	
100 ft		+4 dB		
150 ft		+6 dB		
	200 ft	+9 dB		
Coupling to building foundation	Wood Frame Houses		-5 dB	
	1-2 Story Masonry		-7 dB	
	3-4 Story Masonry		-10 dB	
	Large Masonry on Piles		-10 dB	
	Large Masonry on Spread Footings		-13 dB	
	Foundation in Rock		0 dB	
<i>Factors Affecting Vibration Receiver</i>				
Receiver Factor	Adjustment to Propagation Curve		Comment	
Floor-to-floor attenuation	1 to 5 floors above grade:	-2 dB/floor	This factor accounts for dispersion and attenuation of the vibration energy as it propagates through a building.	
	5 to 10 floors above grade:	-1 dB/floor		
Amplification due to resonances of floors, walls, and ceilings	+6 dB		The actual amplification will vary greatly depending on the type of construction. The amplification is lower near the wall/floor and wall/ceiling intersections.	
<i>Conversion to Ground-borne Noise</i>				
Noise Level in dBA	Peak frequency of ground vibration:		Use these adjustments to estimate the A-weighted sound level given the average vibration velocity level of the room surfaces. See text for guidelines for selecting low, typical or high frequency characteristics. Use the high-frequency adjustment for subway tunnels in rock or if the dominant frequencies of the vibration spectrum are known to be 60 Hz or greater.	
	Low frequency (<30 Hz):	-50 dB		
	Typical (peak 30 to 60 Hz):	-35 dB		
	High frequency (>60 Hz):	-20 dB		

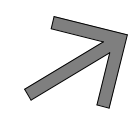
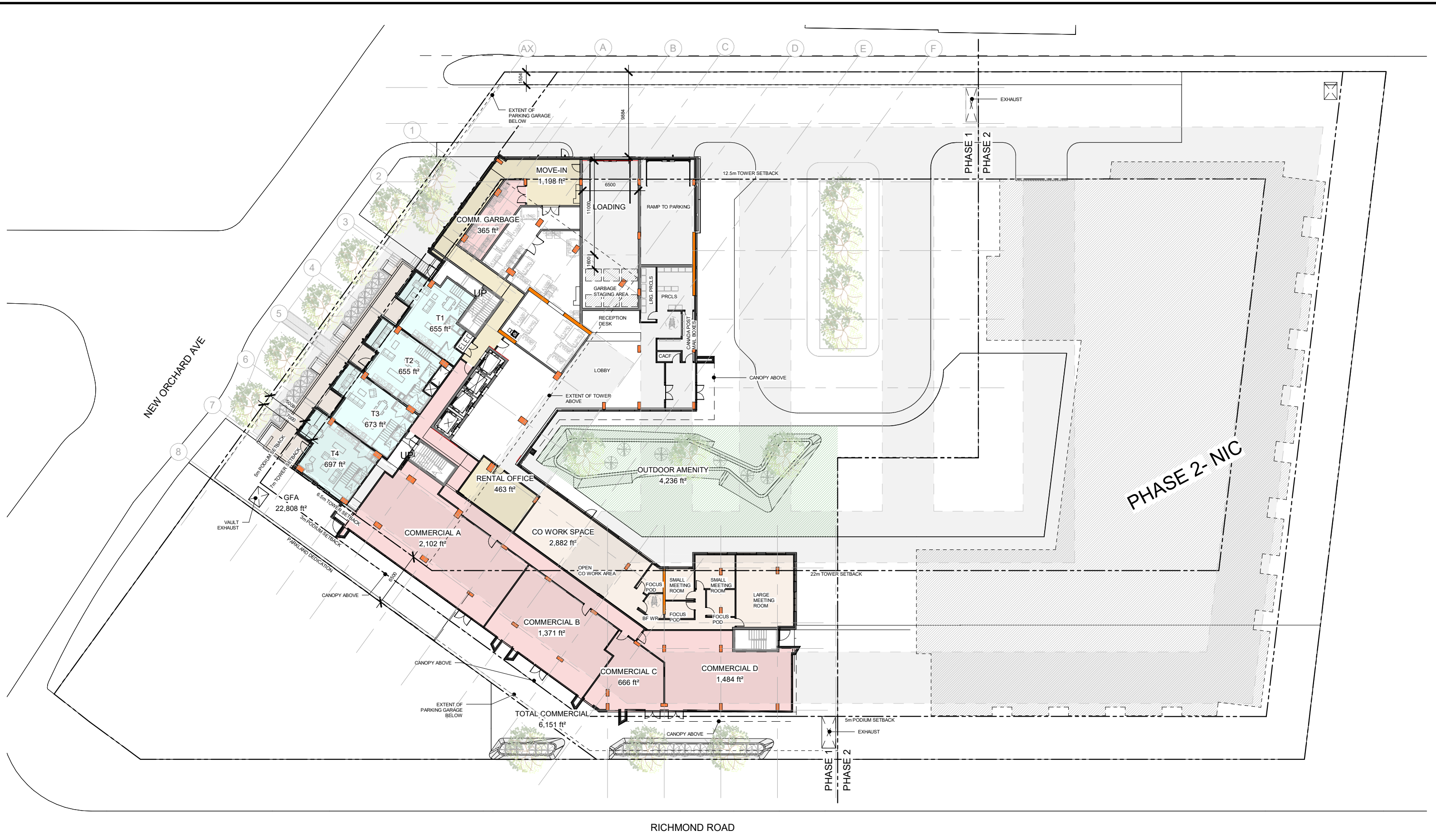


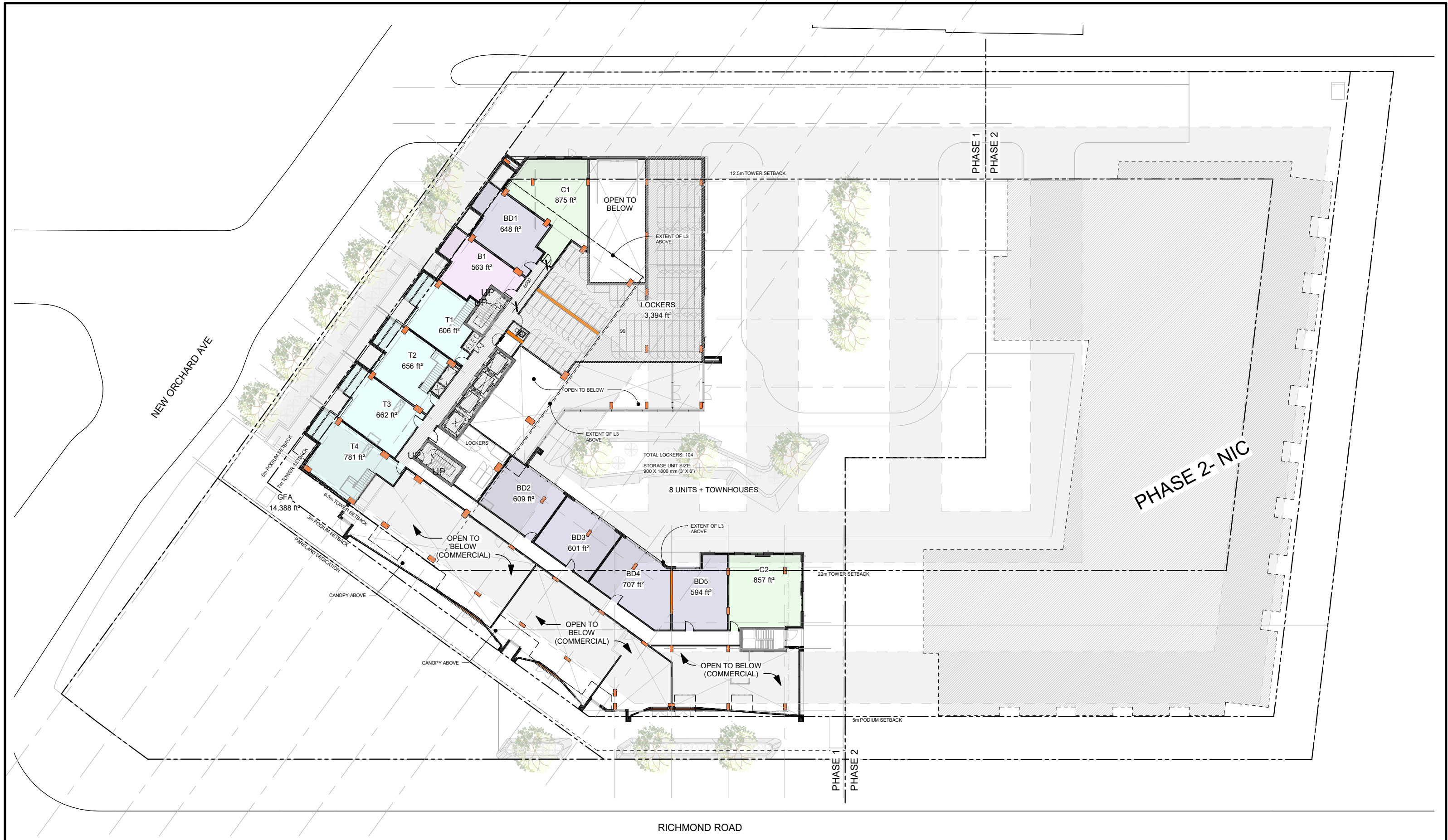
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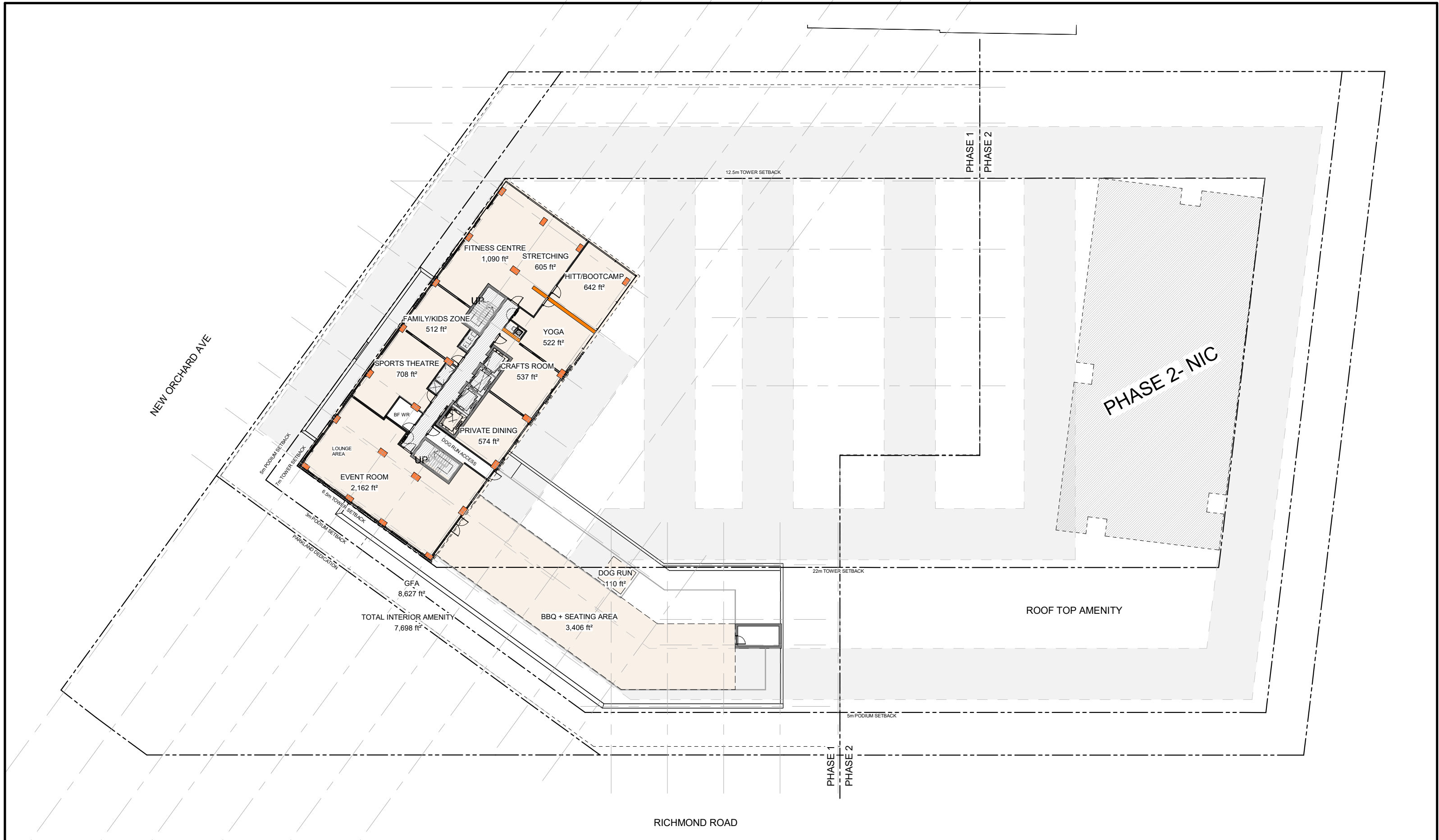






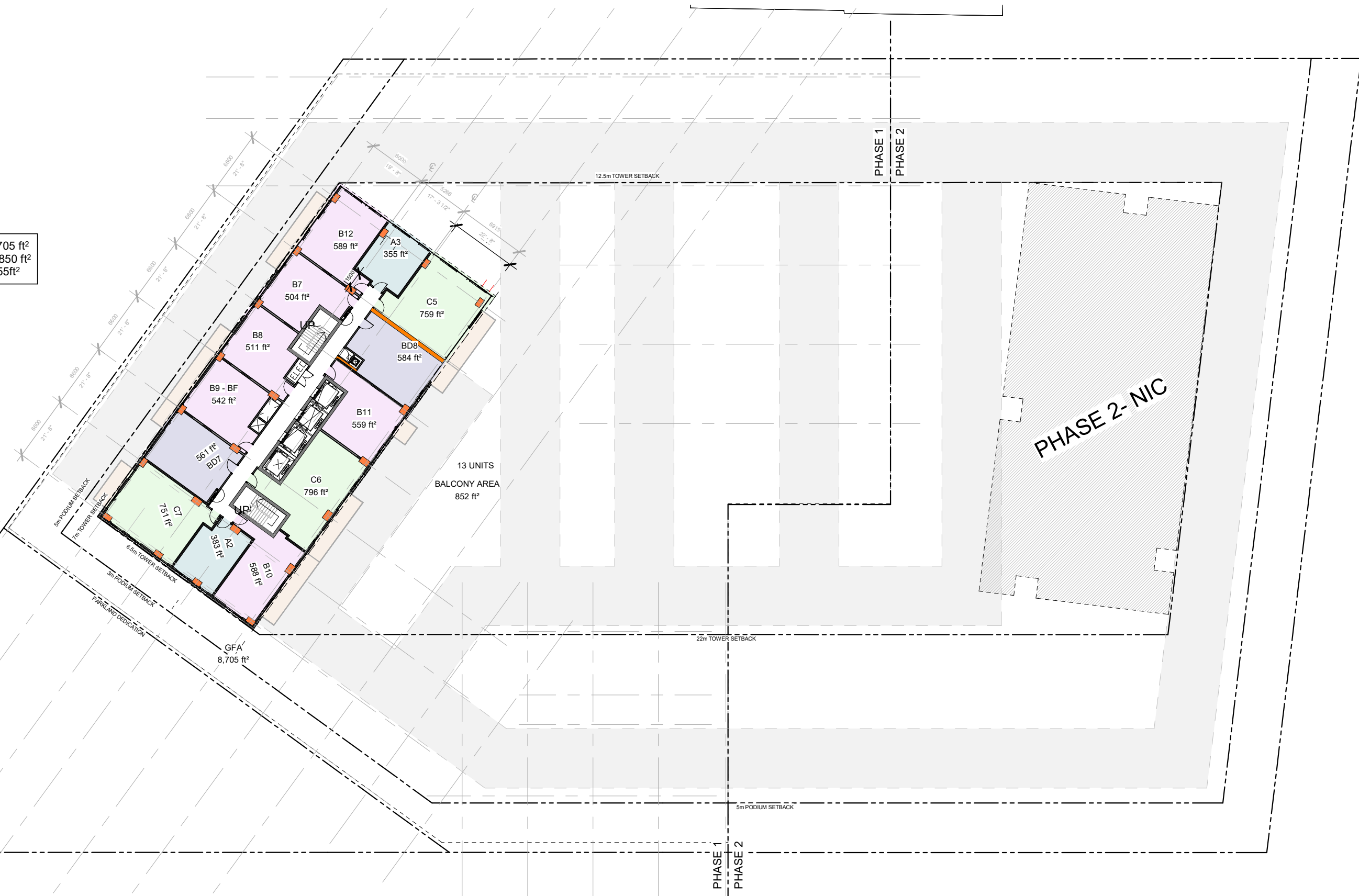






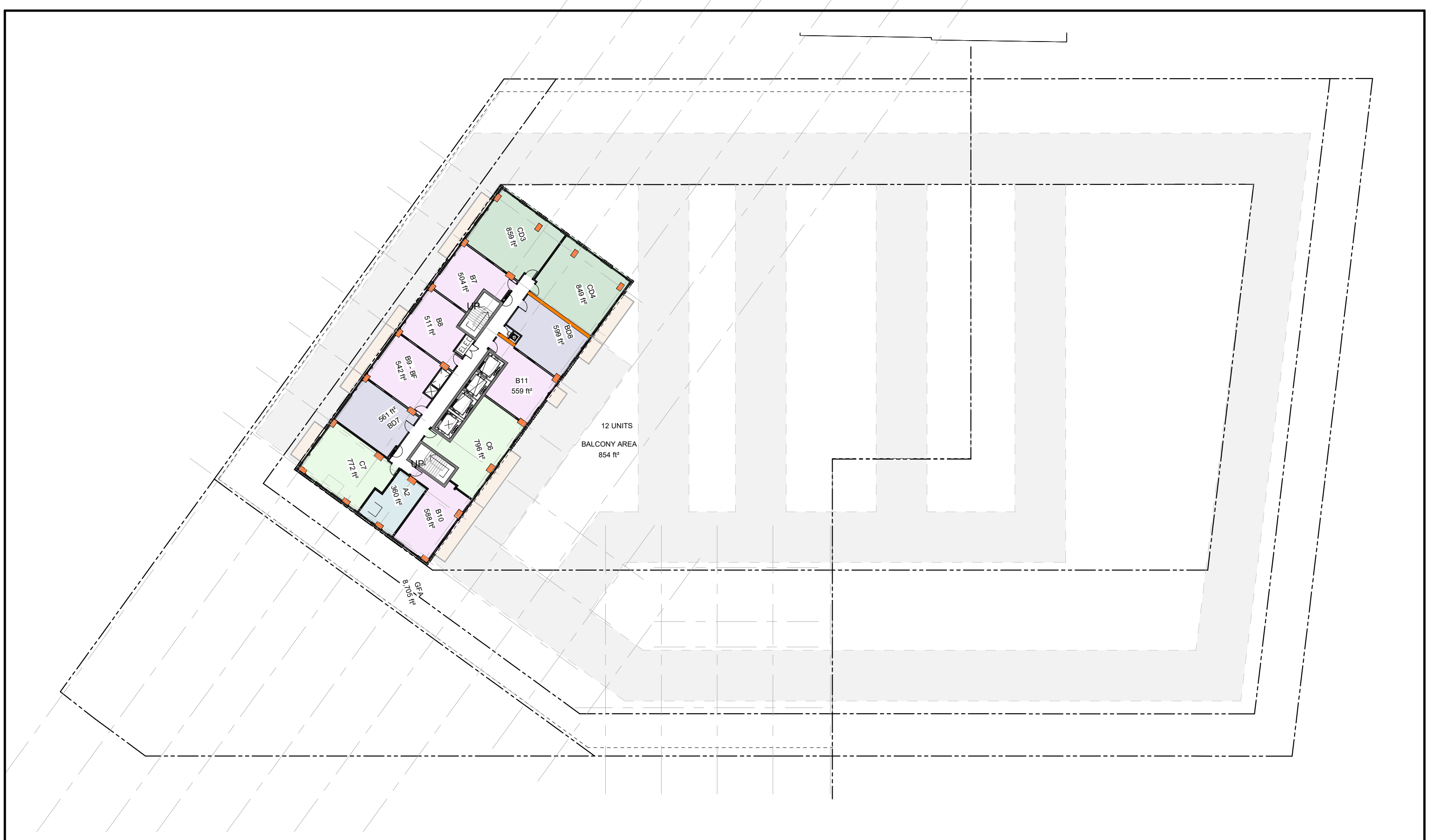
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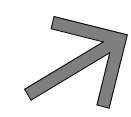
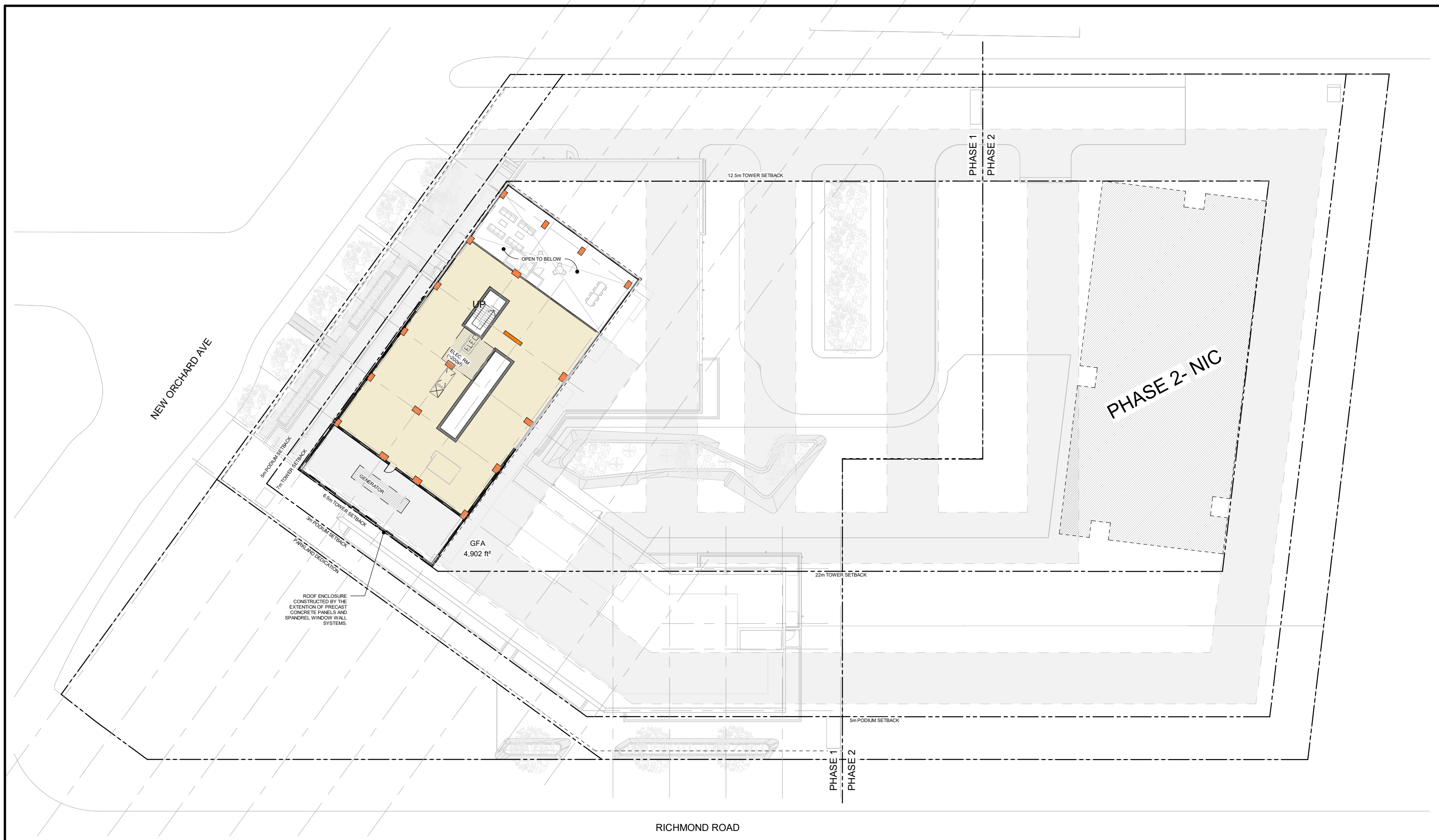


RICHMOND ROAD









APPENDIX E

Proximity Assessment:

Report PG6108-LET.01 Revision 3 dated December 9, 2024



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Attention: **Ms. Corina Sajewski**

Subject: **Proximity Assessment
Proposed Mixed-Use Development
1047 Richmond Road, Ottawa, ON**

Dear Madam,

Further to your request and authorization, Paterson Group (Paterson) prepared the current letter report to summarize construction issues which could occur due to the proximity of the proposed buildings with respect to the subject alignment of the proposed Confederation Line Light Rail project and New Orchard Station. The following letter should be read in conjunction with the Geotechnical Assessment Report (Report No. CO972.00 dated December 5, 2024 prepared by Terrapex).

1.0 Background Information

The proposed development at 1047 Richmond Road will consist of two residential buildings. The first building is noted as Tower A rising to 36 storeys and Tower B rising to 38 storeys. It is further understood that both structures will share a common two-level underground parking structure placed approximately 1 m away from the property boundary along Richmond Road. Based on available information at the time of issuance of this report, it is understood that the subject tunnel alignment will be located below the landscaped area between Richmond Road and Byron Avenue.

The following sections summarize the existing soils information and construction precautions for the proposed building, which may impact the subject alignment of the Confederation Line.





It should be noted that the information submitted as part of the current Proximity Study will be supplemented with construction plans issued for construction, dewatering and discharge plans, temporary shoring design drawings, foundation and subsurface walls/structure design drawings, a Blast Assessment Report and field monitoring program as described in the application conditions.

2.0 Subsurface Conditions

Based on existing geotechnical information, the subsurface conditions in the immediate area of the subject site and subject Confederation Line alignment generally consist of the following:

- The existing surface grade is at a geodetic elevation of approximately 65 to 66 m.
- The overburden thickness is approximately 1.6 to 4.8 m.
- Bedrock surface elevation is at an approximate geodetic elevation of 61.1 to 64.4 m.
- The bedrock underlying the site consists of a good to excellent quality dolostone with interbedded shale, limestone, and sandstone. Unconfined compressive strengths, where tested, ranged from 86 to 144 MPa.

Tunnel Location

The GeoOttawa Rail Alignment O-Train tool along with available drawings indicate that an approximate setback of 19 m is present between the property line and the proposed Confederation Line and New Orchard Station. The rail tunnel runs parallel to the south-east property boundary. It is understood that the underground parking levels for the proposed building will be placed approximately 1 m away from the southeast property line adjacent to the Richmond Road Right-of-Way (ROW). Therefore, an approximate horizontal separation of 20 m is present between the subject alignment of the Confederation Line and New Orchard Station, and the proposed underground parking structure at 1047 Richmond Road.

Based on design drawings issued for construction in 2022 and 2023, the underside of the tunnel elevation will be at an approximate elevation of 58 m along the subject alignment. The founding elevation of the proposed building will be approximately 55.5 m (geodetic). Therefore, a vertical differential of approximately 3 m is present between the founding levels of the two structures with a horizontal separation of at least 20 m.

3.0 Construction Precautions and Recommendations

Influence of Proposed Development on Tunnel

Based on existing soil information and building design details, the footings of the proposed building will be founded on good-quality bedrock. Therefore, lateral loads due to the building footings will be transferred directly into the bedrock well within a conservative 1H:6V zone of influence from the outside face of the footing.



From the preliminary information provided for the subject alignment and the proposed building location, the proposed building at 1047 Richmond Road will not cause additional loading on the subject alignment of the Confederation Line or New Orchard Station.

Excavation and Temporary Shoring

The overburden along the perimeter of the proposed building footprint will need to be temporarily shored with a soldier pile and lagging system in order to complete the construction of the underground parking structure for the proposed buildings. Bedrock removal is also anticipated, which will be completed by line drilling, blasting and/or hoe ramming. The blasting and hoe ramming will be carried out by a contractor specializing in bedrock removal. It is understood that the Confederation Line LRT extension at Richmond Road is currently under construction and the bedrock removal for the proposed buildings may potentially be completed prior to the construction of the subject alignment of the proposed Confederation Line and rail station. In that case, there will be no impact of the building excavation on the subject alignment of the proposed Confederation Line and rail station.

It should be noted that the temporary shoring system will be designed for at-rest earth pressures as per geotechnical design recommendations outlined in the Geotechnical Assessment Report (Report No. CO972.00 dated December 5, 2024 prepared by Terrapex).

A seismograph is recommended to be installed either adjacent to or within the Confederation Line Tunnel as part of the Vibration Monitoring and Control Program to monitor vibrations during the bedrock removal program. A vibration monitoring program detailing trigger levels and action levels will be detailed by Paterson. The monitoring program will be required for the full construction duration for blasting operations, dewatering, backfilling and compaction, construction traffic and other construction activities.

Pre-Construction Survey

A pre-construction survey will be required for the tunnel structure and rail station. Any existing structures in the immediate area of the proposed building will also undergo a pre-construction survey as per standard construction practices, where bedrock blasting will be required.

Groundwater Control

Groundwater observations during the geotechnical investigation indicated groundwater levels within the bedrock between approximately 2.7 to 9.3 m below the existing ground surface. However, the Confederation Line is understood to be founded on bedrock. Therefore, no groundwater lowering effects due to the proposed development are anticipated with respect to the Confederation Line.



Tunnel Waterproofing System

Due to the separation between the proposed buildings at 1047 Richmond Road and the subject alignment of the Confederation Line and New Orchard Station, it is anticipated that the replacement or repair of the waterproofing systems for the tunnel structure and rail station will not be required during construction.

4.0 Conclusions and Recommendations

Based on the currently available information for the subject alignment of the proposed buildings and the existing soil information, the proposed buildings will not negatively impact the proposed tunnel alignment or rail station.

It should be noted that the information submitted as part of the current Proximity Study will be supplemented with construction plans issued for construction, structural drawings, temporary shoring design drawings, foundation and subsurface walls/structure design drawings, a Blast Assessment Report and field monitoring program as described in the application conditions.

We trust that this information meets your immediate request.

Best Regards,

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