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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Site Address	Land off High Street, Stoke Golding, Hinckley, CV13 6HA. Easting: 439819 Northing: 297479
Site Description and Setting	The proposed development is situated on a greenfield site with an area of approximately 0.79ha. The site is accessed off High Street from the west. To the south lies Roseway and its residential dwellings whilst to the north and east lies further greenfield land.
Proposed Development	This report is to support a full planning application proposed to situate a 19 dwelling residential development including pedestrian access and associated infrastructure of highway, drainage and landscaping works.
Flood Risk Information	The site is wholly within Flood Zone 1 (Low Probability) which is defined as land having less than 0.1% annual probability of river or sea flooding. The Environment Agency Flood Risk from Surface Water Map for the 2050's epoch indicates that the site is predominately at very low risk of surface water flooding. There is an area of medium-high risk along the eastern boundary of the site, indicating an on-site ditch. Other sources of flood risk including, but not limited to reservoirs, canals and sewers, are assessed as being low or negligible.
Surface Water Drainage Strategy	Existing runoff conditions have been calculated using the FEH module within Flow Causeway. For an impermeable area of 0.504ha, the QBAR Greenfield Rate has been calculated as 0.2/s. Discharge is limited to 2l/s to reduce blockage risk. In accordance with the National SuDS Standards, the strategy involves conveying surface water flows to a geocellular tank and attenuation basin before discharging to the on-site watercourse. In total a storage volume of 358.22m³ is required within the attenuation basin to allow sufficient time for surface water to discharge at the restricted rate of 2.0l/s and to accommodate the 1%AEP40CC storm event. Additional drainage features such as permeable paving will be used across the site and will provide extra storage on-site. Permeable paving will act as a first treatment stage for any run-off and will ensure adequate surface water treatment is provided.
Foul Water Drainage Strategy	It is proposed that foul water from the development will connect into the existing foul water system within the site and this has been accepted by Severn Trent Water in a Developer Enquiry response. A pumping station will be required for all dwellings to have an outfall. All systems are to be offered to STW in a Section 104 approval application.
Recommendations	It is recommended that any proposed dwellings situated in areas of high to medium surface water flood risk have finished floor levels raised 300mm above that of the estimated flood level. If certainty about the estimated flood level cannot be discerned, then raising finished floor levels 600mm may be appropriate. Should this not be feasible, further flood risk resistance or resilience measures may be necessary.
Conclusions	With the above measures in place, the development of the site will not create any flood risk issues within the wider area.
This summary should be read in conjunction with the full report and reflects an assessment of the site based on information received by MEC at the time of production.	

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 MEC Consulting Group Ltd (MEC), has been commissioned by A.R Cartwright Construction Ltd (hereafter referred to as 'the Client') to undertake a Flood Risk Assessment for a proposed residential development at Stoke Golding (hereafter referred to as 'the Site'). A site location plan is shown in **Appendix A**, and a proposed layout plan is contained within **Appendix B**.
- 1.2 This report is to support a full planning application proposed to situate a 19 dwelling residential development including pedestrian access and associated infrastructure of highway, drainage and landscaping works.
- 1.3 The purpose of this Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) is to review freely available information and assess the flood risk posed to the site from a range of sources. The assessment has been prepared using our best engineering judgement, however, there are levels of uncertainty implicit in the historical data and methods of analysis. The Flood Risk Assessment has been carried out in accordance with the requirements of the documents below:
- National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) – December 2024
 - Flood Risk and Coastal Change Planning Practice Guidance (PPG) – August 2022
 - Environment Agency Flood Map for Planning and Risk of Flooding from Surface Water datasets from the DEFRA Spatial Data Catalogue
 - British Geological Survey Geology Viewer and GeoIndex
 - Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council Local Development Framework, December 2009
 - Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council Level 1 Strategic Flood Risk Assessment, July 2019
 - Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council Level 2 Strategic Flood Risk Assessment, May 2020
 - The Leicestershire and Leicester City Level 1 Strategic Flood Risk Assessment - October 2017.
 - The Leicestershire County Council Preliminary Flood Risk Assessment - June 2011
 - The Local Flood Risk Management Strategy for Leicestershire - February 2024
- 1.4 The Local Planning Authority (LPA) for the site is Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council (HBBC) and the Lead Local Flood Authority (LLFA) for the site is Leicestershire County Council (LCC). The site falls within the Severn Trent Water (STW) catchment.
- 1.5 Revision A of this Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) has been produced to accord with comments from the LLFA on planning application 25/01004/FUL, dated 21/11/2025, as part of their role as statutory consultee on major planning applications to HBBC under the Flood and Water Management Act 2010.
- 1.6 The comments from the LLFA have been replicated below in *italics*, with the full comments available in **Appendix J**, and the measures taken to address them directly below each point in normal text. The content of the FRA has also been amended to suit.

- *The applicant should re-consult with STW to clarify the adopted sewer arrangement in proximity to the site and fully investigate the existing ditch on the east boundary.*

The outfall for location has now been amended to the on-site ordinary watercourse. As such, this comment is no longer applicable.

- *Where a ditch is confirmed along the east boundary, the applicant must seek to use this as a surface water receptor for the site.*

Subsequent to the LLFA's consultation, the proposed outfall location has been amended to the on-site ordinary watercourse as requested.

- *Additional survey of the site to determine any additional surface water features obscured by the dense overgrowth.*

Due to the nesting season the clearance of the undergrowth was not possible to accurately survey the underlying ground. However, a site visit was possible to take a depth of 0.6m of the receiving ditch and outfall levels have been based upon this depth.

- *Assessment of groundwater/spring activity on site. Where found, appropriate mitigation provided.*

The site visit found no evidence of an on-site spring. The outfall ditch does receive flows from the adopted sewer network of Stoke Golding at the southern site boundary, which is visible from the adopted sewer plans located in **Appendix D**, and it is believed these inform the surface water flow path shown in the EA's Surface Water Flood Risk mapping, rather than a spring or groundwater emergence.

- *Provide a cross section of the proposed basin and evidence that suitable space is allowed for maintenance access by the third-party contractor.*

A cross section of the proposed basin is now available in **Appendix G**, as requested.

- *Details on how safety concerns around the proposed basin will be mitigated.*

A post and rail fence is now proposed around the attenuation basin and shown in the drainage strategy plan in **Appendix G**.

- *Amend layout to allow for a suitable easement to any surface water drainage assets located along the east boundary of the site.*

Sewer easements are shown in the drainage strategy plan in **Appendix G**.

- *Infiltration testing (this can be conditioned).*

A soakaway feasibility technical note has been produced to determine the site setting and its underlying ground conditions, and is available in **Appendix I**. Should this not be sufficient, infiltration testing can be conditioned to determine actual soakage rates.

- *Where a surface water connection to the combined system is deemed necessary surcharging of the downstream combined system needs to be considered within calculations along with a mechanism to reduce the risk of backflows into the site.*

The outfall for location has now been amended to the on-site ordinary watercourse. As such, this comment is no longer applicable.

- 1.7 It is therefore considered that this revision of the flood risk assessment satisfies the comments of the LLFA in their consultation response and conditional approval can be granted of matters concerning flood risk and surface water drainage.

Disclaimer

- 1.8 MEC has completed this report for the benefit of the Client and any relevant statutory authority which may require reference in relation to approvals for the proposed development. Other third parties should not use or rely upon the contents of this report unless explicit written approval has been gained from MEC.
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2.0 POLICY CONTEXT

National Planning Policy Framework

- 2.1 The National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) was published and updated most recently in December 2024 by the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government.
- 2.2 The NPPF is the primary source of national planning guidance in England, setting out the Government's planning policies for England, and how they are expected to be applied by local councils.
- 2.3 'Chapter 14: Meeting the challenge of climate change, flooding and coastal change' outlines the guiding principles for managing flood risk as part of the planning process, notably paragraphs 161-186.
- 2.4 The Planning Practice Guidance (PPG) sets out the vulnerability to flooding of different land uses. It encourages development to be in areas of lower flood risk where possible and stresses the importance of preventing increases in flood risk off-site to the wider catchment.
- 2.5 The PPG also states that alternative sources of flooding, other than fluvial (river flooding), should be considered when preparing an FRA. The document also includes a series of tables that define Flood Zones, the flood risk vulnerability classification of development land use, and 'compatibility' of development within the defined Flood Zones.
- 2.6 Therefore, this FRA has been completed in line with the guidance and requirements of the NPPF and PPG.

Local Development Framework

- 2.7 The Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council (HBBC) Local Development Framework 2006-2026 (LDF) was adopted by the council in December 2009. This LDF sets out how land within the authorities' boundaries can be used and developed, providing policies which the council uses to determine planning applications. The plan aims to ensure future growth and changes to the Borough are appropriate to local need now, and in the future.
- 2.8 More generally, the LDF also lists policies that guide the design and principles of all development within the authorities' land. Those relevant to this FRA are summarised as follows;
- DM7 – Preventing Pollution and Flooding
 - DM10 – Development and Design

Local SFRA

- 2.9 The HBBC Level 1 Strategic Flood Risk Assessment (SFRA) was published in July 2019. The SFRA was produced to provide an appropriate evidence base for the LDF and provides a summary of flood risk across the district.

- 2.10 The HBBC Level 2 SFRA was published in May 2020. This Level 2 report provides specific flood risk information for allocated sites within the LDF, and generally builds upon the Level 1 report providing updates to flood risk policy, flood history and recommendations.
- 2.11 Appropriate background information has been used to inform this FRA and will be referenced accordingly.

Local PFRA

- 2.12 The Leicestershire County Council Preliminary Flood Risk Assessment (PFRA) was published in June 2011 and was prepared to assist Leicestershire County Council meet its duties to manage local flood risk, and the delivery of any legal requirements placed on it as Lead Local Flood Authority (LLFA) under the Flood Risk Regulations 2009.
- 2.13 Appropriate background information has been used to inform this FRA and will be referenced accordingly.

Flood Risk Management Strategy

- 2.14 The Local Flood Risk Management Strategy for Leicestershire (FRMS) was published in February 2024 to comply with Section 9 of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010 and aims to provide a framework for meeting its requirements to develop, maintain, apply, and monitor a local strategy for flood risk management.
- 2.15 The FRMS provides further information regarding surface water runoff, groundwater and sewer flooding and flood risk around the County and the introduction of flood risk alleviation schemes at various scales, including SuDS.

Supplementary Planning Document

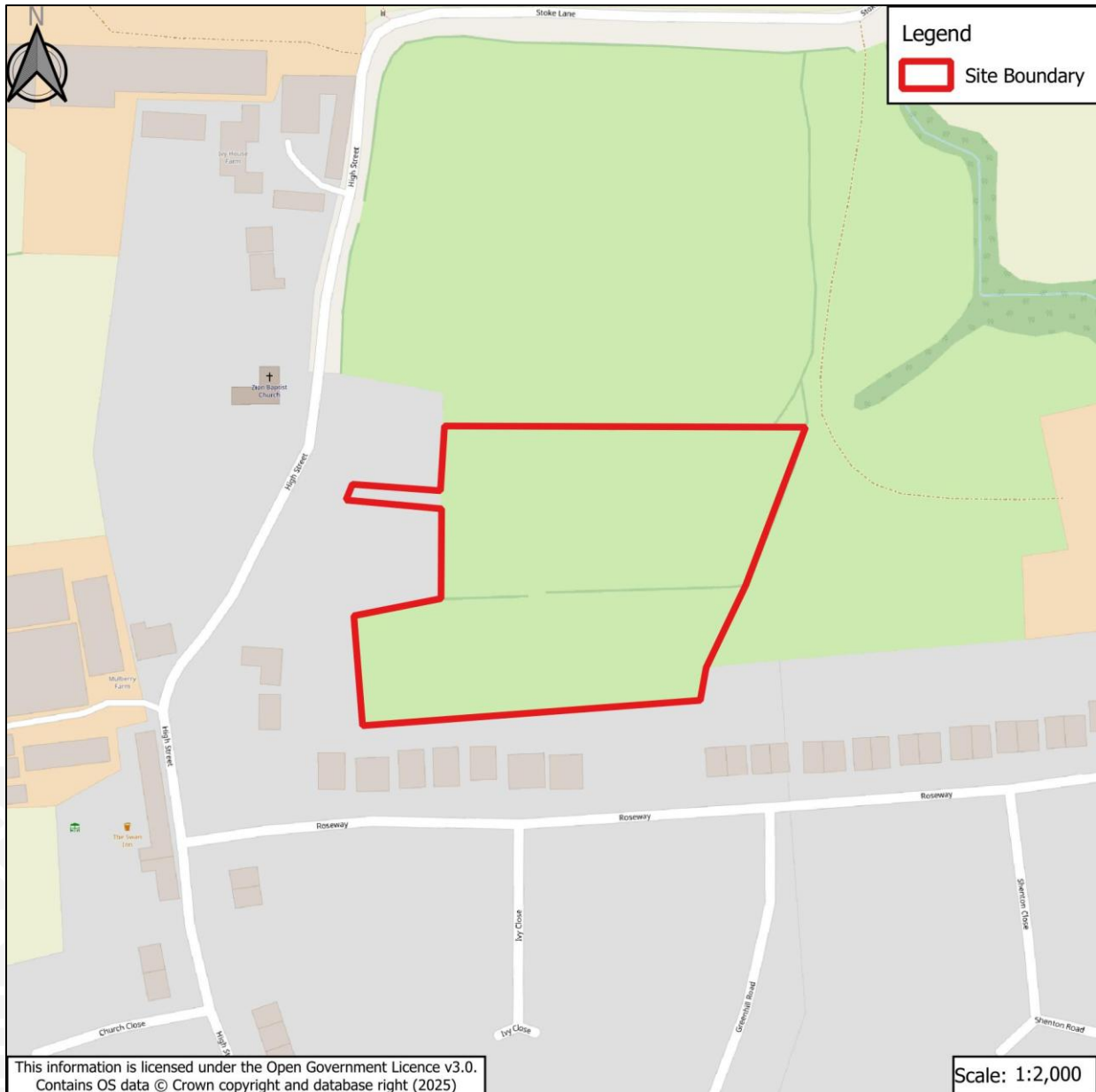
- 2.16 The HBBC 'The Good Design Guide' Supplementary Planning Documents (SPD) was published in February 2020. This SPD was produced to provide developers with information on all aspects of development they will be required to meet as part of an application.
- 2.17 Specially for this FRA, this SPD contains information on managing flood risk and the water environment within HBBC, along with information surrounding SuDS, flood mitigation and how they should be incorporated into designs.

3.0 SITE LOCATION AND CONTEXT

Site Location and Existing Use

- 3.1 The site is located to the east of High Street, Stoke Golding, approximately 3km northwest of the town of Hinckley, Leicestershire (Ordnance Survey National Grid Reference: Easting: 439819 Northing: 297479). Mapping shows the site to currently comprise of a sloped paddock. A site location plan is included for reference as Figure 3.1. In total, the site covers approximately 0.79ha.

Figure 3.1 Site Location Plan



- 3.2 To the north and east is open agricultural land, to the south are rear gardens and houses on Roseway and to the west is High Street.
- 3.3 Mapping shows the site to currently consist of a sloped paddock, therefore, is considered undeveloped and is assumed to be subject to a natural regime of runoff and infiltration where ground conditions permit.

Local Watercourses

- 3.4 There are no existing named watercourses identified in close vicinity to the site. Approximately 180m to the north, on the other side of Stoke Lane, lies the Ashby-de-la-Zouch Canal.
- 3.5 On the eastern site boundary a ditch, classified as an unnamed ordinary watercourse is present. A site visit confirmed a depth of 0.6m is present in the ditch at the northeastern site corner. The ditch currently received surface water flows from a STW network in Stoke Golding, south of the site.

Topography

- 3.6 A topographical survey, completed by SV Surveying Ltd and included as **Appendix C**, shows the site to have a maximum elevation of 101.470mAOD in the southwest, falling to a minimum elevation of 95.150mAOD in the northeast.
- 3.7 The topographical survey and surface water flow paths indicate the existence of on-site ditches at the site's eastern boundary, following the topography of the site which slopes from southwest to northeast.

Geology

- 3.8 British Geological Survey (BGS) mapping suggests the site is wholly underlain by a bedrock geology comprising Gunthorpe Member - Mudstone.
- 3.9 The site is also shown to be underlain by a superficial geology comprising Bosworth Clay Member – Clay and Silt and surrounded by both Wigston Member – Sand and Gravel and Oadby Member – Diamicton. This suggests a limited potential for infiltration due to containing subordinate layers of clays and silts.
- 3.10 BGS records do not show any publicly available boreholes within or in the vicinity of the site boundary.
- 3.11 The site does not fall within a Source Protection Zone (SPZ).

4.0 ASSESSMENT OF FLOOD RISK

Desk-based Information

- 4.1 The NPPF states that all potential sources of flood risk must be identified and appraised. Flooding can occur from a variety of sources individually, or in combination and can result from both natural and artificial processes.
- 4.2 Table 4.1 provide an initial desk-based review of the level of flood risk from all sources, which are then assessed in further detail where the risk is considered significant and merits further investigation.

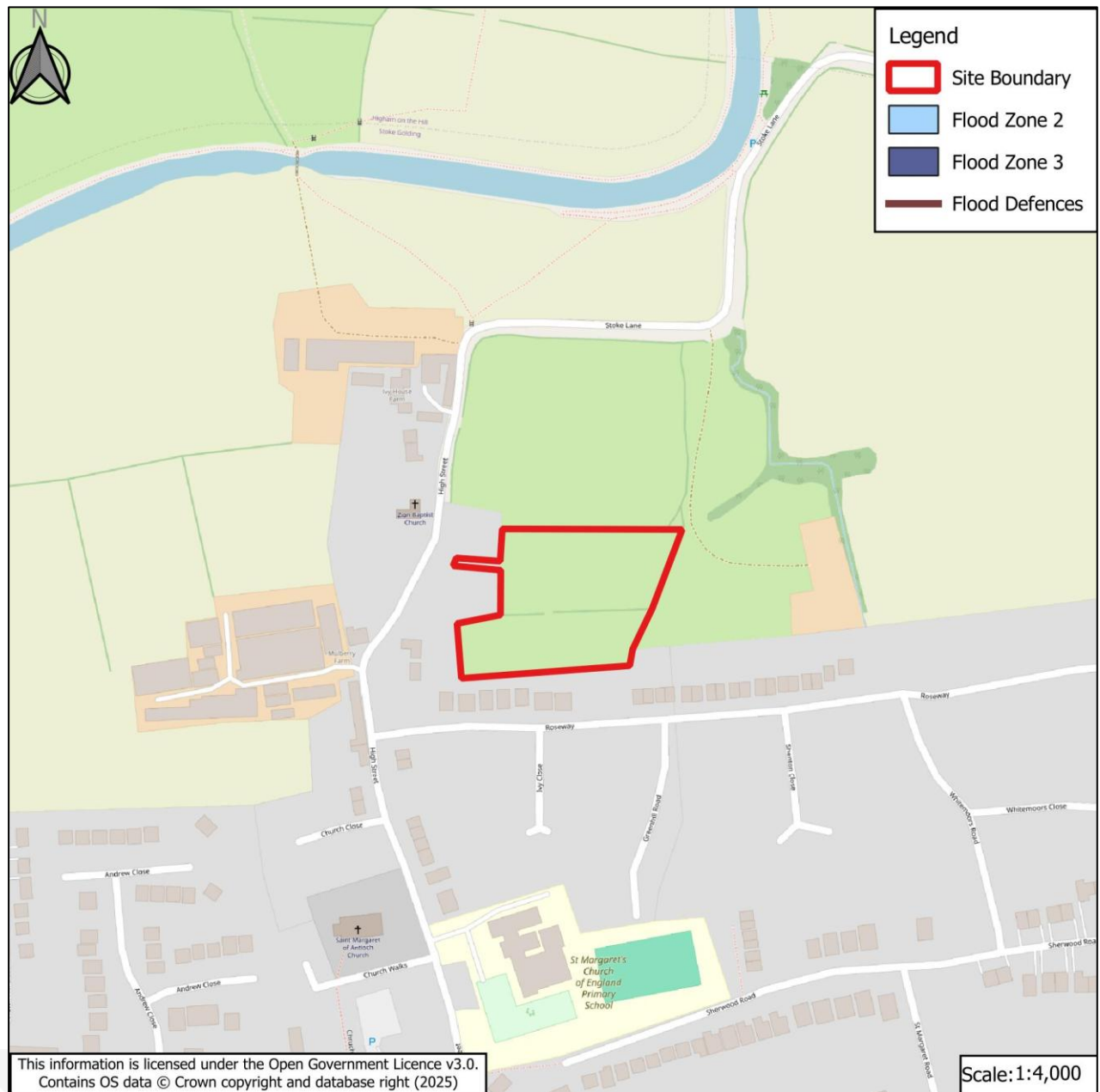
Table 4.1 : Desk-Based Assessment of Flood Risk

Source	Risk		
	High	Medium	Low
Fluvial			X
Coastal & Tidal			X
Surface Water			X
Groundwater			X
Sewer			X
Canals			X
Reservoirs & Waterbodies			X

Risk of Flooding from Rivers and Seas

- 4.3 The Environment Agency (EA) has produced a resource known as the Flood Map for Planning, which identifies areas at risk of flooding from Main Rivers and the sea. An extract of this mapping is included for reference as Figure 4.1.
- 4.4 The site is shown to be wholly within Flood Zone 1 (Low Probability). Flood Zone 1 is defined in the NPPF as land having less than a 0.1% annual probability of river or sea flooding.
- 4.5 A review of historic flood mapping the Environment Agency (EA) shows there are no recorded instances of flooding from fluvial sources near to the site, however, this does not mean that no flooding has occurred around the site in the past.

Figure 4.1 Risk of Flooding from Rivers and Seas



4.6 As such, the site is considered at low risk of flooding from fluvial sources.

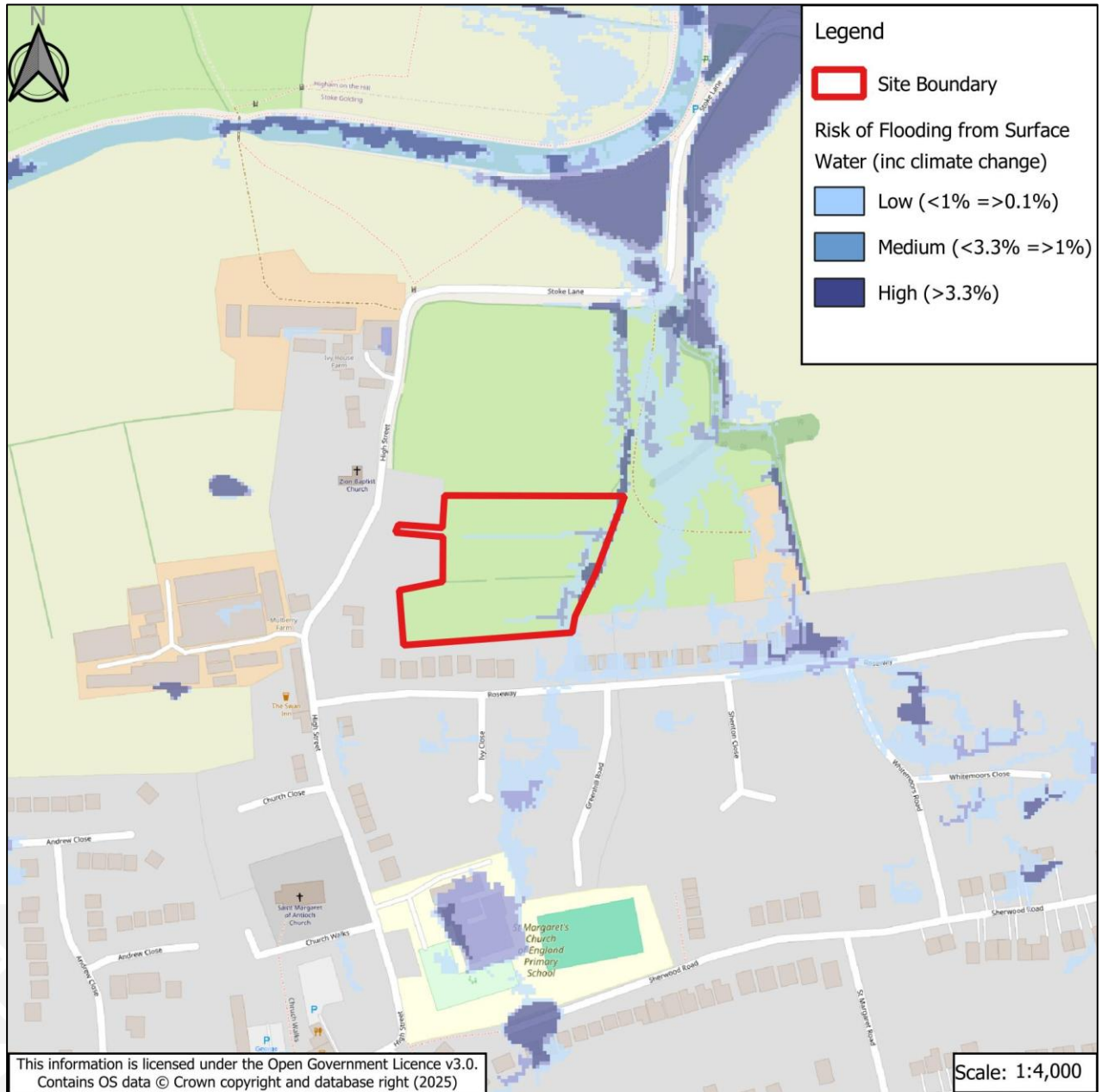
Risk of Flooding from Surface Water

4.7 The risk of flooding from surface water has been mapped by the EA on a strategic scale to understand areas that may be susceptible to ponding or routing of surface water during periods of extreme rainfall. An extract of this mapping including a 2050s epoch climate change uplift is included as Figure 4.2.

4.8 The mapping shows most of the site to be at a very low risk of flooding from surface water, with a small area of low-high risk found along the eastern boundary.

- 4.9 This area of high risk to the east also is indicated to extend northwards beyond the site boundary towards Stoke Lane and the Ashby-de-la-Zouch Canal which indicates an existing surface water flow path or on-site ditch flowing south to north.

Figure 4.2 Risk of Flooding from Surface Water



- 4.10 Since the vast majority of the site is at very low risk of surface water flooding, the risk of flooding from surface water is considered low.

Sewers

- 4.11 Flooding from sewers typically results from the network capacity being exceeded or because of blockage to key elements. Flooding usually occurs by way of surcharging manholes, gullies, or other features that allow water from the sewers to reach the surface, resulting in overland flows that can affect nearby properties.

- 4.12 Sewer Asset Plans from Severn Trent Water, included as **Appendix D**, shows a foul sewer within the site boundary and a combined sewer junction north of the site boundary which receives foul and surface water drainage from Stoke Golding from the south.
- 4.13 Elevations on site and the surrounding area, suggest any potential surcharged flows from the combined sewer to the north would be encouraged, with topography, to the south, away from the site.
- 4.14 Asset records do not show private sewers and Severn Trent Water are unable to rule out the existence of a private network within the site boundary.
- 4.15 Given the above, the site is at low risk of flooding from sewers.

Canals

- 4.16 The Ashby-de-la-Zouch Canal is approximately 180m north of the site. However, due to the intervening topography as the canal is substantially downhill from the site, the risk of flooding from this source is negligible.

Reservoirs

- 4.17 The EA has produced strategic scale mapping showing the potential risk of flooding from the failure of large waterbodies and reservoirs, if the relevant impounding structure were to fail.
- 4.18 The mapping confirms the site is far removed from the extent of any modelled flooding from such sources. Furthermore, a review of OS mapping does not identify any other reservoirs or waterbodies nearby to the site that could pose a risk of flooding.
- 4.19 Therefore, the risk of flooding from reservoirs and large waterbodies is low.

5.0 FLOOD RISK MITIGATION

Vulnerability Classification of Proposed Development

- 5.1 The National Planning Practice Guidance: Flood Zone and Flood Risk Tables provide information on the vulnerability classification of various developments. The proposed residential development end use of this site falls in the 'more vulnerable' classification. A comparison of the 'more vulnerable' use within the development proposals in Flood Zone 1, suggests development proposals are acceptable and in accordance with the NPPF, as shown in Table 5.1.

Table 5.1: Flood Risk Vulnerability and Flood Zone 'Compatibility' from Flood Risk and Coastal Change – Planning Practice Guidance.

Flood Risk Vulnerability Classification		Water Compatible	Essential Infrastructure	Less Vulnerable	More Vulnerable	Highly Vulnerable
Flood Zone	Zone 1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Zone 2	✓	✓	✓	✓	Exception Test Required
	Zone 3a	✓	Exception Test Required	✓	Exception Test Required	x
	Zone 3b 'Functional Floodplain'	✓	Exception Test Required	x	x	x

Key: ✓ Development is appropriate x Development should not be permitted

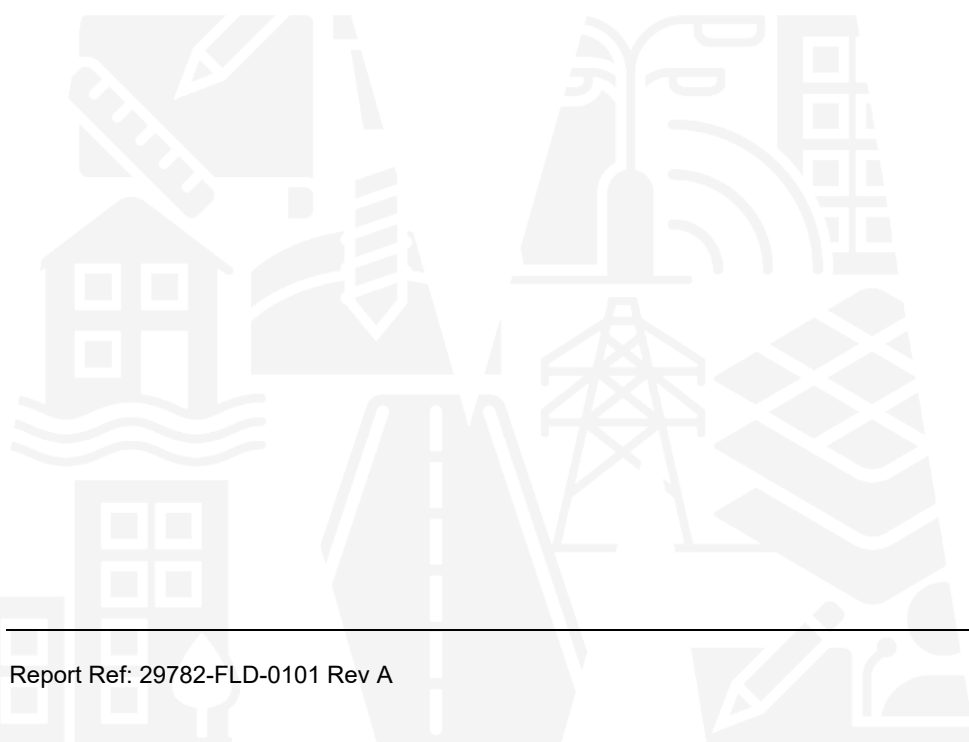
Sequential Arrangement

- 5.2 All types of development are considered acceptable uses within Flood Zone 1 (Low Probability) in line with the Sequential Test guidance included within the NPPF and PPG.
- 5.3 The site is inherently sequentially preferable due to its location in Flood Zone 1 and concluded to be at low risk of all other sources, and therefore passes the requirements of the Sequential Test.
- 5.4 Whilst areas at low risk of surface water flooding are likely to be resolved as part of initial groundworks and surface water that falls directly from the site is to be attenuated within the sites positively drained system, the presence of an existing flow path may require further arrangements to pass the sequential test.

Development Levels

- 5.5 It is recommended that appropriate design of external levels and their relation to building thresholds considers the residual risk from groundwater and overland flows.
- 5.6 Finished floor levels should be designed so there is a nominal threshold above surrounding ground levels, in accordance with the relevant building regulations, and external levels should be designed so any surface flows shed away from buildings and towards positively drained areas.

- 5.7 As an existing surface water flow path is shown on site the surface water flood risk mapping and due to the use classification of development, to mitigate against this source of flood risk it is recommended that any proposed dwellings situated in areas of high to medium surface water flood risk have finished floor levels raised 300mm above that of the estimated flood level. If certainty about the estimated flood level cannot be discerned, then raising finished floor levels 600mm may be appropriate.
- 5.8 If not feasible to raise finished floor levels, then it may be appropriate to propose flood resilience or resistance measures installed to appropriate standards and codes of practice.



6.0 SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

Context

- 6.1 This section of the report will focus on the surface water management strategy for the site. It will set out the principles of the proposed drainage strategy and demonstrate how the local and national guidance has been considered. This will include justification of; specific surface water discharge rates, the volume of attenuation required and sustainable drainage systems to be included.

Sources of Information

- 6.2 A review of relevant information and guidance from a range of sources has been undertaken and includes the following key documents;
- National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF), February 2025
 - National Standards for Sustainable Drainage Systems (SuDS) - July 2025
 - Water UK, Sewage Sector Guidance, October 2019
 - CIRIA, C753 The SuDS Manual, 2015
 - HM Government, The Buildings Regulations 2010, Drainage and Water Disposal (Part H), 2015
 - Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council 'The Good Design Guide' Supplementary Planning Document, February 2020
- 6.3 The NPPF specified that surface water arising from a developed site should, as far as is practicable, be managed in a sustainable manner to mimic the surface water flows arising from the site prior to the proposed development.
- 6.4 Opportunities to reduce the flood risk to the site itself and elsewhere, taking climate change into account, should be investigated. The drainage proposals within this strategy have been prepared to meet planning policy requirements.
- 6.5 In their role as Lead Local Flood Authority (LLFA), Leicestershire County Council (LCC) has prepared a supplementary planning guidance document titled 'Lead Local Flood Authority Statutory Consultation Checklist.' This section of the report has aligned with these requirements to prepare the necessary information.

Surface Water Outfall

- 6.6 Prevailing Surface water arising from developed sites should, as far as practical, be managed in a sustainable manner to mimic the surface water flows arising from the undeveloped site. When considering the surface water discharge the SuDS hierarchy needs to be adhered to. The SuDS hierarchy states that runoff from the development shall be discharged to the following final destinations, to the maximum extent practicable, in accordance with the below hierarchy:

- Priority 1: Collected for non-potable use.
- Priority 2: Infiltrated to ground.
- Priority 3: Discharged to an above ground surface water body.
- Priority 4: Discharged to a surface water sewer, or another piped surface water drainage system.
- Priority 5: Discharged to a combined sewer.

Priority 1: Collected for non-potable use

- 6.7 Consideration should be given to the implementation of rainwater harvesting systems including but not limited to; water butts or green planters to ensure water re-use. The first 5mm of rainfall will be collected via rainwater harvesting techniques. However, given the scale of development, and attenuation requirements calculated, it is, at this stage, not considered feasible to have collection of rainwater for non-potable uses to provide a wholesale means of surface water runoff attenuation within the site boundary. As such, an alternative method of disposal should be investigated.

Priority 2: Infiltrated to the ground

- 6.8 The site is underlain by of clay and silt with superficial deposits of Bosworth Clay Member. This suggests a limited potential for infiltration due to the generally impermeable nature of clay.
- 6.9 The site is also shown to be wholly underlain by a superficial geology comprising Gunthorpe Member - Mudstone. This suggests a limited potential for infiltration due to containing subordinate layers of clays and silts.
- 6.10 The actual ground conditions and how the sub-strata perform in infiltration is to be confirmed with on-site soil and soakage testing at a later date.
- 6.11 Based on the available geographical and hydrological information, it is assumed that infiltration will be unfeasible at this development.

Priority 3: Discharged to an above ground surface water body

- 6.12 According to the EA Main River map, no main rivers exist within the vicinity of the site.
- 6.13 There is an existing surface water flow path that abuts the eastern site boundary and from review of the existing topography and sewer maps looks to be fed by surface water sewers in Stoke Golding to the south. This would indicate a ditch flowing south to north however heavy vegetation means this was not able to be wholly surveyed.
- 6.14 An on-site investigation has determined the depth and profile of the ditch within the proposed outfall location and confirmed it has connectivity to a wider watercourse network, with the ditch continuing northwards towards Stoke Road. On-site levels provide the necessary cover to connect the positively drained system.

Priority 4: Discharged to a surface water sewer, or another piped surface water drainage system

- 6.15 There are no existing surface water sewers within the site as upstream surface water sewers subsequently discharge into combined sewer networks.

Priority 5: Discharged to a combined sewer

- 6.16 Combined sewers are shown directly to the north and are feasible to connect to. Notwithstanding this, a more appropriate receptor has been identified within the drainage hierarchy to connect to.

Land Use

- 6.17 Table 6.1 below summarises the existing and proposed land uses for the site. The site currently comprises open green space, with this being used to inform the existing land use. The proposed land use has been calculated using the proposed layout, which is also included as **Appendix B**.

Table 6.1: Land Use Summary

Land Use Type	Existing Site Areas		Proposed Site Areas	
	ha	%	ha	%
Impermeable Areas	0.00	0	0.46	58
Green Landscape / Permeable Areas	0.79	100	0.34	42
Total	0.79	100	0.79	100

Urban Creep Allowances

- 6.18 Urban Creep in the conversion of permeable surfaces to impermeable ones over time, e.g., extensions to existing buildings. It has been shown that, over the lifetime of development, urban creep can increase impermeable areas by as much as 10%. An allowance of 10% for increases in the impermeable area due to urban creep over the lifetime of the development will be included within the drainage calculations. The impermeable area is therefore adjusted to 0.504ha.

Climate Change Allowances

- 6.19 The influence of climate change on rivers and watercourses is likely to increase the frequency and likelihood of flood events across the UK. When considering surface water runoff from the site, the increase in peak rainfall intensity varies over the lifetime of the development.
- 6.20 When residential developments with a lifetime beyond the 2070s are proposed, the Flood Risk Assessments: Climate Change Allowances Guidance requires the use of the Upper End allowance for the 2070s epoch (2061 to 2125). This means a climate change uplift of 40% is to be applied to any calculations.
- 6.21 Table 6.2 below, provides an extract of the climate change allowances from the Flood Risk Assessments: Climate Change Allowances Guidance.

Table 6.2: Peak Rainfall Intensity Allowances from the Flood Risk Assessments: Climate Change Allowances Guidance

	Total potential change anticipated for the '2050s' (2022 to 2060)		Total potential change anticipated for the '2070s' (2061 to 2125)	
Annual Exceedance Probability	Central	Upper End	Central	Upper End
3.3% AEP	20	35	25	35
1% AEP	20	40	25	40

Discharge Rate

- 6.22 In its current form, the site is considered undeveloped. The greenfield QBAR was calculated using the FEH module within Causeway Flow. For an impermeable area plus urban creep of 0.504ha, the QBAR greenfield rate has been calculated as 0.2l/s.
- 6.23 However, as this rate is low, the discharge rate has been increased to 2.0l/s in line with Leicestershire County Council guidance to decrease the risk of blockage.

Drainage Strategy

- 6.24 The overall drainage strategy has been based on the land use table, discharge rates and the current concept masterplan presented in Appendix B. In accordance with the National SuDS Standards, the strategy involves conveying surface water flows to attenuation features across the site before discharging to the on-site ditch at the western site boundary.
- 6.25 Surface water flows for an impermeable area plus urban creep of 0.504ha will be conveyed to the proposed geocellular tank and attenuation basin on site. A total storage volume of 358.22m³ is required within the geocellular tank and attenuation basin to allow surface water to discharge at 2.0l/s into the ditch and cater for all events up to and including the 1%AEP40CC.
- 6.26 The geocellular tank is proposed under a private driveway and parking bays and provides a storage volume of 200.66m³ to cater up to and including the 1%AEP40CC.
- 6.27 The attenuation basin is at the sites northeast corner at the bottom of the positively drained system and a storage volume of 159.8m³ is required in to allow surface water to discharge at 2.0l/s into the proposed off-site sewer and cater for all events up to and including the 1%AEP40CC. The basin has been designed to accommodate a 1:3 gradient for the internal slopes and additional topography is to be determined to calculate the requirements for the outer batter slopes in the detailed design stage.
- 6.28 Additional drainage features are included as part of the proposed development in the form of permeable paving in private driveways to provide extra storage and provide a first treatment stage for any runoff. The storage provided by permeable paving has been excluded from storage calculations at this stage.

6.29 The calculations for the proposed design can be seen in **Appendix F**, and a drainage strategy based on the principles above is shown in drawing 29782_02_010_01a in **Appendix G**.

Applicable SuDS Techniques

6.30 The National Standards for Sustainable Drainage Systems that deals with SuDS cover a whole range of sustainable approaches to surface water drainage management including:

- source control measures including rainwater recycling and drainage;
- filter strips and swales, which are vegetated features that hold and drain water downhill mimicking natural drainage patterns;
- filter drains and porous pavements to allow rainwater and run-off to infiltrate into permeable material below ground and provide storage if needed; and
- basins and ponds to hold excess water after rain and allow controlled discharge that avoids flooding.

6.31 Each of the five SuDS considerations listed above is discussed below in Table 6.4, with reference to their suitability for the proposed development.

Table 6.4: Suitability of SuDS techniques

	COMPONENT	SUITABILITY	REASON
Source Control	Rainwater Harvesting	Yes	Water butts could be used to store run-off from roofs before discharge into the drainage system. Any storage is not to be included in calculations.
	Bio-retention Systems/ Rain Gardens	No	More appropriate SuDS features can be accommodated within the development and are preferred.
	Permeable Paving	Yes	Permeable paving is suitable for the proposed development within private parking bays.
Proprietary Systems	Proprietary bio-retention systems	No	More appropriate SuDS features can be accommodated within the development and are preferred.
Infiltration	Infiltration trenches/ Soakaways	No	Infiltration is unlikely to be feasible.
Filtration	Open Swales, Filter Strips/ Drains	No	Placement of proposed dwellings mean a conveyance swale is unfeasible.
Retention/ Detention	Detention Basin, Attenuation Pond/ Tanks	Yes	The proposed geocellular tank and attenuation basin will provide surface water storage before discharging from the site.

Surface Water Quality

6.32 The CIRIA SuDS Manual C753, indicates the minimum treatment indices appropriate for contributing pollution hazards for different land use classifications. To deliver adequate treatment, the selected SuDS

components should have a total pollution mitigation index (for each contaminant) that equals or exceeds the pollution hazard index.

- 6.33 When using more than one SuDS component in series the mitigation indices are multiplied by a factor of 0.5. This is to account for the reduced performance of secondary or tertiary components associated with the already reduced inflow concentrations. The SuDS Mitigation Index from the additional components will be added together up to a maximum value of 0.95, regardless of the number of components in series.
- 6.34 Surface water runoff from residential roofs will have a very low pollution hazard level, whilst the residential parking areas will have a low pollution hazards index.
- 6.35 The pollution hazard indices, mitigation indices of each SuDS component and the accompanying calculations are provided in Table 6.5.

Table 6.5: SuDS Mitigation Indices (from CIRIA SuDS Manual)

SuDS Component	Mitigation Indices		
	<i>Total Suspended Solids</i>	<i>Metal</i>	<i>Hydrocarbons</i>
Residential Roofs	0.2	0.2	0.05
Residential Parking Areas and Low Traffic Roads	0.5	0.4	0.4
Permeable Paving	0.7	0.6	0.7
Attenuation Basin	0.5	0.5	0.6
SuDS Mitigation Index	0.95	0.85	0.95
Mitigation Requirement Met?	Yes	Yes	Yes

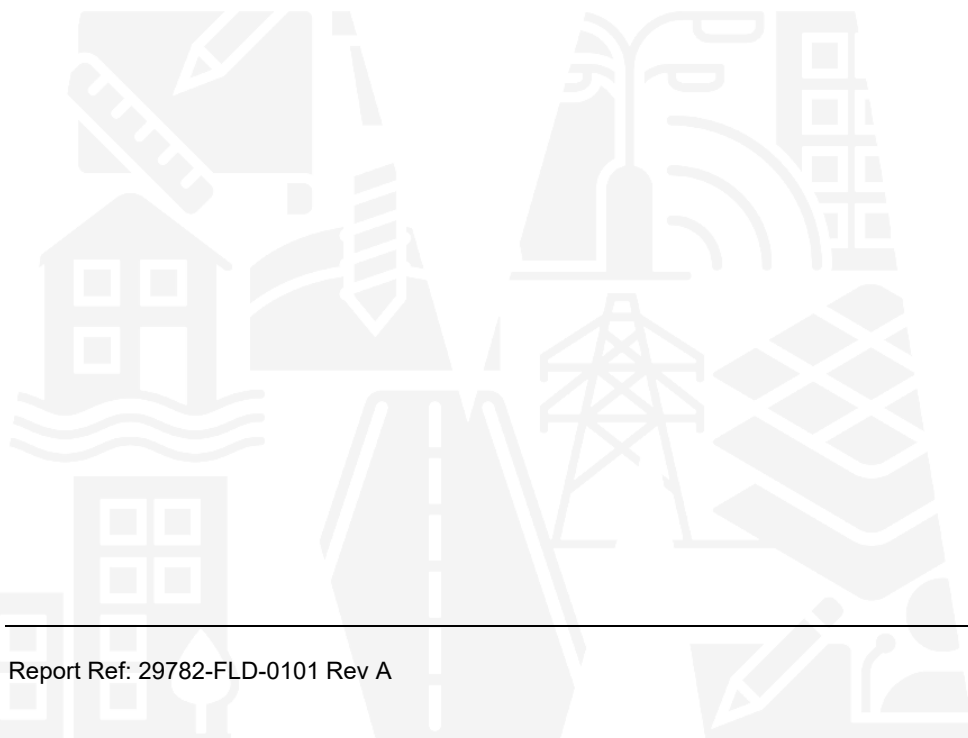
- 6.36 For the very low to low pollution hazard levels generated at the site, the proposed permeable paving and attenuation basins would provide sufficient treatment in accordance with the Simple Index Approach.

Exceedance and Flow Routing

- 6.37 The risk of overland flooding from adjacent land to dwellings is very low. The design of levels and features on the site will follow best practice by ensuring any overland flow on the site is routed safely away from dwellings and to areas of lowest risk on site. Any surcharging and subsequent flooding of sewers on or in the vicinity of the site will also be mitigated by the flood routing described above. As such the risk of flooding on site from exceedance events and flood flow routes is very low.

Maintenance and Management

- 6.38 An integrated approach to the maintenance and management of SuDS systems is a requirement of the NPPF and by the Flood & Water Management Act 2010. The aim of a maintenance and management plan is to ensure that there is a clear understanding of drainage responsibilities and that a maintenance regime is implemented for all new drainage systems for the lifetime of the development, so they can continue to function as required.
- 6.39 Surface water systems will be offered to Severn Trent Water for adoption.
- 6.40 All private drainage systems will be maintained by individual occupiers and landowners, or an appointed management company.
- 6.41 A proposed maintenance schedule that breaks down the maintenance requirements of the various proposed assets can be found in Appendix I and is in accordance with CIRIA C753 SuDS Manual guidance.



7.0 FOUL WATER DRAINAGE

- 7.1 According to The Building Regulations (2010), foul water drainage from new developments should be discharged into the following in order of priority:
- A public sewer, or;
 - A private sewer communicating with a public sewer, or;
 - A septic tank which has an appropriate form of secondary treatment, or;
 - A cesspool.
- 7.2 Sewer records have been obtained from Severn Trent Water (see **Appendix D**). The sewer records show the presence of a foul water sewer of 225mm within the site adjacent to the proposed site access. There is also a 225mm diameter combined water sewer running through the adjacent field immediately north of the site.
- 7.3 Severn Trent Water has confirmed that a proposed connection into the on-site foul sewer via Manhole 8403 is acceptable in a developer enquiry response. Severn Trent Water are statutorily obligated to accept foul flows from the development with the benefit of planning consent. The STW foul developer enquiry can be found in **Appendix E**.
- 7.4 Due to on-site levels a pumping station and subsequent rising main will be required to achieve a connection to the sewer with a new chamber. The rising main terminates and a gravity fed connection is shown to discharge into the existing sewer.
- 7.5 All foul water assets are to be offered to Severn Trent Water for adoption under an agreement under S104 of the Water Industry Act 1991.
- 7.6 The proposed foul water drainage options can be seen on drawing 29782_02_010_01a in **Appendix G**. Full details of the design, including the pumping station, will be confirmed at the detailed design stage.

8.0 CONCLUSIONS

8.1 MEC has been commissioned by A.R. Cartwright Construction Ltd to undertake a Flood Risk Assessment for a proposed residential development at Land off High Street, Stoke Golding. This assessment has been undertaken to ascertain the constraints of the development to the site and to assess the impact of the design, with respect to flood risk.

- The Flood Map for Planning shows the site is located within Flood Zone 1, which is defined as land with a 0.1% annual probability of flooding from rivers or the sea.
- The Environment Agency Risk of Flooding from Surface Water Map indicates that the majority of the site is at very low risk of surface water flooding. There is a vein of medium and high risk demonstrating an existing flow path at the site's eastern extent.
- To mitigate against surface water flood risk, it is recommended that any proposed dwellings situated in areas of high to medium surface water flood risk have finished floor levels raised 300mm above that of the estimated flood level. If certainty about the estimated flood level cannot be discerned, then raising finished floor levels 600mm may be appropriate.
- The site is at low risk of flooding from all other sources.
- Existing runoff conditions have been calculated using the FEH module within Flow Causeway. For an impermeable area plus urban creep of 0.504ha, the QBAR Greenfield Rate has been calculated as 0.2/s.
- In accordance with the National SuDS Standards, the strategy involves conveying surface water flows to a geocellular tank and attenuation basin before discharging to the on-site watercourse.
- In total a storage volume of 358.22m³ would be required within the attenuation to accommodate the 1%AEP40CC storm event.
- Additional drainage features such as permeable paving will be used across the site and will provide extra storage on-site. Permeable paving will act as a first treatment stage for any run-off and will ensure adequate surface water treatment is provided. These features have been excluded from calculations at this stage.
- It is proposed that foul water from the development will connect into the existing foul water systems within the site and this has been accepted by Severn Trent Water in a Developer Enquiry response.

8.2 With the above measures in place, the development of the site is unlikely to create any flood risk issues to the wider area.



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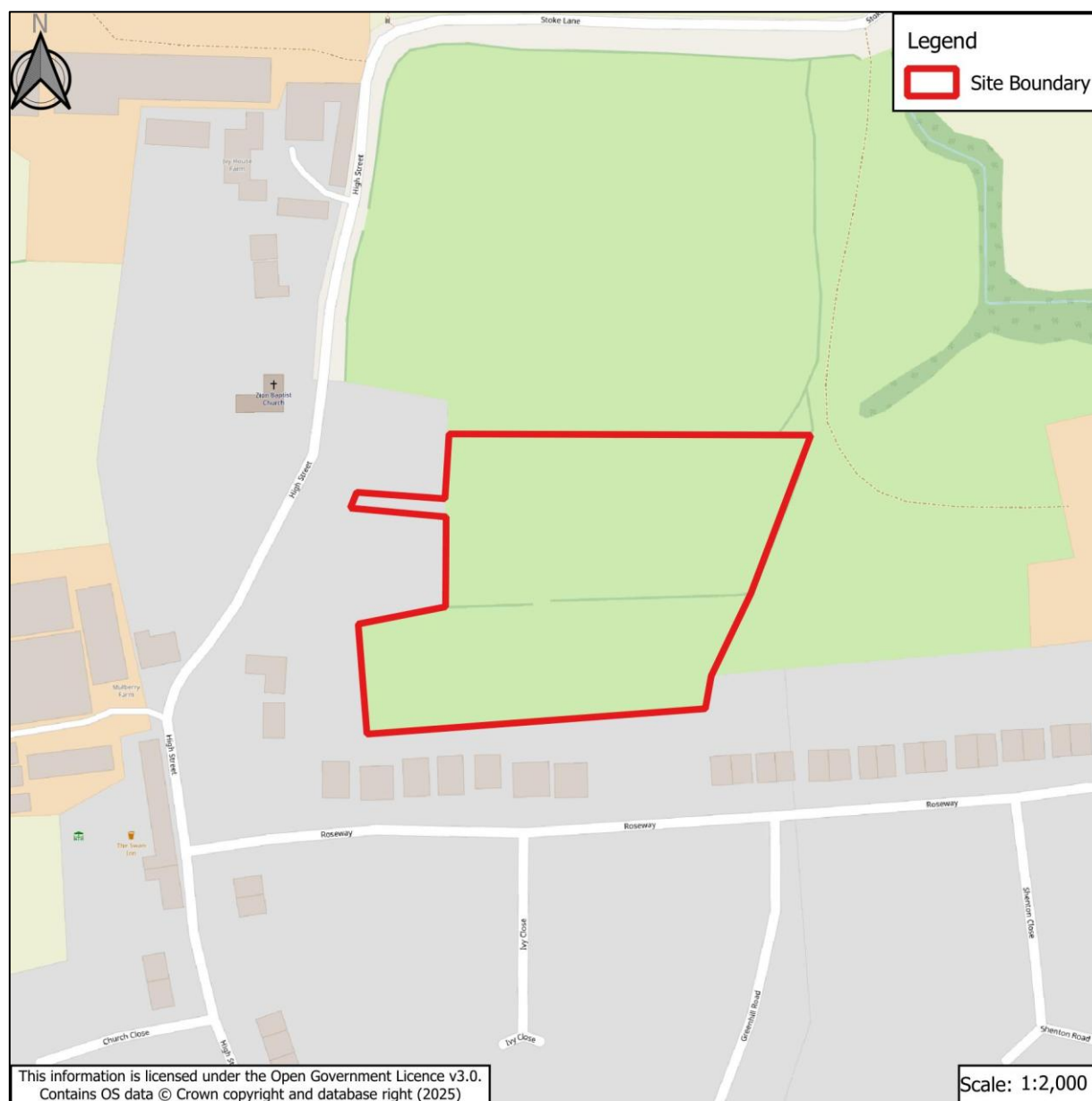
SITE LOCATION PLAN

Project: Stoke Golding, Hinckley

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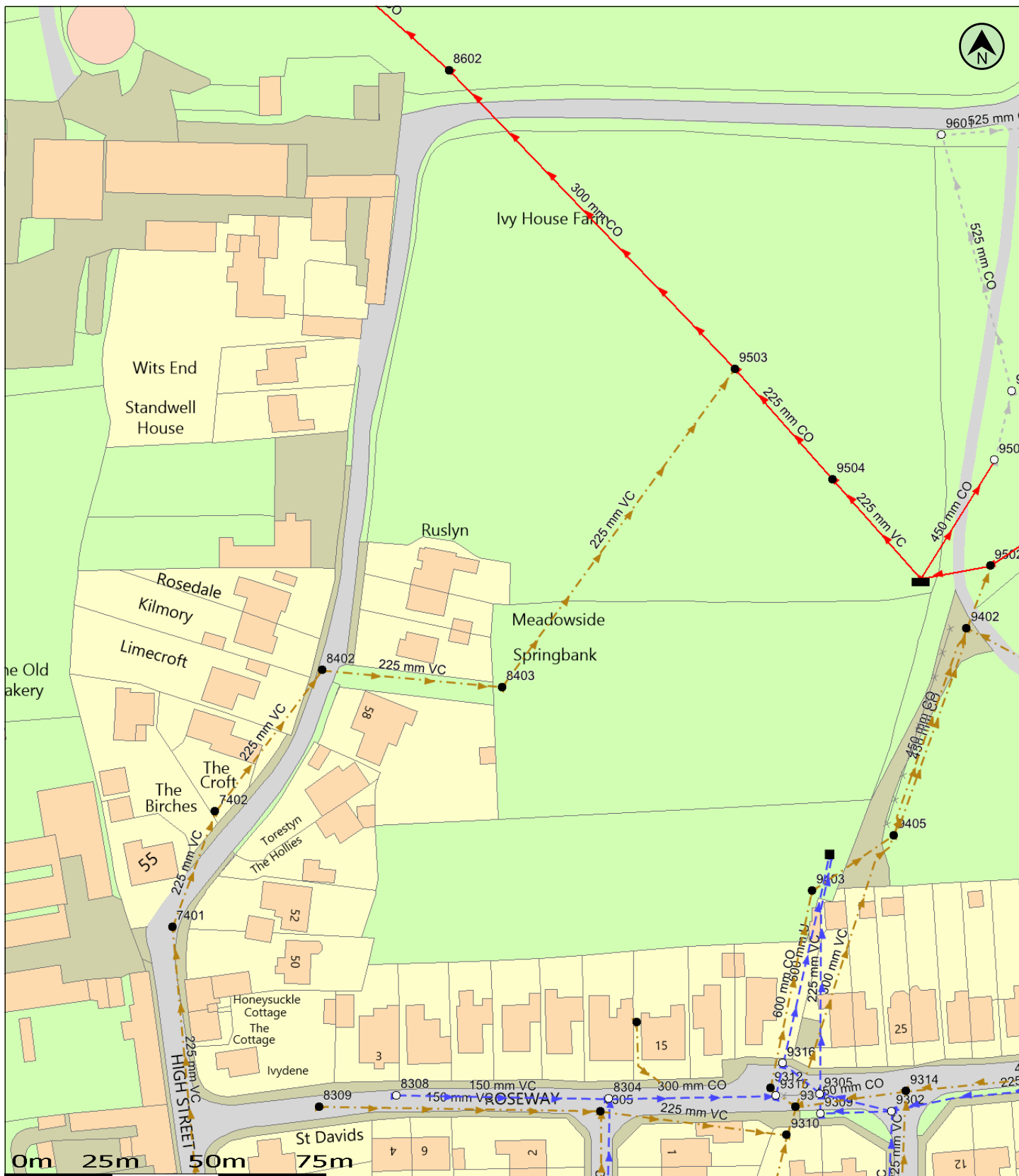


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Public Foul Gravity/Lateral Drain	Highway Drain	Manhole Foul
Public Combined Gravity/Lateral Drain	Overflow Pipe	Manhole Surface
Public Surface Water Gravity/Lateral Drain	Disposal Pipe	Abandoned Pipe
Pressure Foul	Culverted Water Course	Chamber
Pressure Combined	Pumping Station	
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GENERAL CONDITIONS AND PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN WHEN CARRYING OUT WORK ADJACENT TO SEVERN TRENT WATER'S APPARATUS

Please ensure that a copy of these conditions is passed to your representative and/or your contractor on site. If any damage is caused to Severn Trent Water Limited (STW) apparatus (defined below), the person, contractor or subcontractor responsible must inform STW immediately on:

0800 783 4444 (24 hours)

- a) These general conditions and precautions apply to the public sewerage, water distribution and cables in ducts including (but not limited to) sewers which are the subject of an Agreement under Section 104 of the Water Industry Act 1991(a legal agreement between a developer and STW, where a developer agrees to build sewers to an agreed standard, which STW will then adopt); mains installed in accordance with an agreement for the self-construction of water mains entered into with STW and the assets described at condition b) of these general conditions and precautions. Such apparatus is referred to as "STW Apparatus" in these general conditions and precautions.
- b) Please be aware that due to The Private Sewers Transfer Regulations June 2011, the number of public sewers has increased, but many of these are not shown on the public sewer record. However, some idea of their positions may be obtained from the position of inspection covers and their existence must be anticipated.
- c) On request, STW will issue a copy of the plan showing the approximate locations of STW Apparatus although in certain instances a charge will be made. The position of private drains, private sewers and water service pipes to properties are not normally shown but their presence must be anticipated. This plan and the information supplied with it is furnished as a general guide only and STW does not guarantee its accuracy.
- d) STW does not update these plans on a regular basis. Therefore the position and depth of STW Apparatus may change and this plan is issued subject to any such change. Before any works are carried out, you should confirm whether any changes to the plan have been made since it was issued.
- e) The plan must not be relied upon in the event of excavations or other works in the vicinity of STW Apparatus. It is your responsibility to ascertain the precise location of any STW Apparatus prior to undertaking any development or other works (including but not limited to excavations).
- f) No person or company shall be relieved from liability for loss and/or damage caused to STW Apparatus by reason of the actual position and/or depths of STW Apparatus being different from those shown on the plan.

In order to achieve safe working conditions adjacent to any STW Apparatus the following should be observed:

1. All STW Apparatus should be located by hand digging prior to the use of mechanical excavators.
2. All information set out in any plans received from us, or given by our staff at the site of the works, about the position and depth of the mains, is approximate. Every possible precaution should be taken to avoid damage to STW Apparatus. You or your contractor must ensure the safety of STW Apparatus and will be responsible for the cost of repairing any loss and/or damage caused (including without limitation replacement parts).
3. Water mains are normally laid at a depth of 900mm. No records are kept of customer service pipes which are normally laid at a depth of 750mm; but some idea of their positions may be obtained from the position of stop tap covers and their existence must be anticipated.
4. During construction work, where heavy plant will cross the line of STW Apparatus, specific crossing points must be agreed with STW and suitably reinforced where required. These crossing points should be clearly marked and crossing of the line of STW Apparatus at other locations must be prevented.
5. Where it is proposed to carry out piling or boring within 20 metres of any STW Apparatus, STW should be consulted to enable any affected STW Apparatus to be surveyed prior to the works commencing.
6. Where excavation of trenches adjacent to any STW Apparatus affects its support, the STW Apparatus must be supported to the satisfaction of STW. Water mains and some sewers are pressurised and can fail if excavation removes support to thrust blocks to bends and other fittings.
7. Where a trench is excavated crossing or parallel to the line of any STW Apparatus, the backfill should be adequately compacted to prevent any settlement which could subsequently cause damage to the STW Apparatus. In special cases, it may be necessary to provide permanent support to STW Apparatus which has been exposed over a length of the

excavation before backfilling and reinstatement is carried out. There should be no concrete backfill in contact with the STW Apparatus.

8. No other apparatus should be laid along the line of STW Apparatus irrespective of clearance. Above ground apparatus must not be located within a minimum of 3 metres either side of the centre line of STW Apparatus for smaller sized pipes and 6 metres either side for larger sized pipes without prior approval. No manhole or chamber shall be built over or around any STW Apparatus.

9. A minimum radial clearance of 300 millimetres should be allowed between any plant or equipment being installed and existing STW Apparatus. We reserve the right to increase this distance where strategic assets are affected.

10. Where any STW Apparatus coated with a special wrapping is damaged, even to a minor extent, STW must be notified and the trench left open until the damage has been inspected and the necessary repairs have been carried out. In the case of any material damage to any STW Apparatus causing leakage, weakening of the mechanical strength of the pipe or corrosion-protection damage, the necessary remedial work will be recharged to you.

11. It may be necessary to adjust the finished level of any surface boxes which may fall within your proposed construction. Please ensure that these are not damaged, buried or otherwise rendered inaccessible as a result of the works and that all stop taps, valves, hydrants, etc. remain accessible and operable. Minor reduction in existing levels may result in conflict with STW Apparatus such as valve spindles or tops of hydrants housed under the surface boxes. Checks should be made during site investigations to ascertain the level of such STW Apparatus in order to determine any necessary alterations in advance of the works.

12. With regard to any proposed resurfacing works, you are required to contact STW on the number given above to arrange a site inspection to establish the condition of any STW Apparatus in the nature of surface boxes or manhole covers and frames affected by the works. STW will then advise on any measures to be taken, in the event of this a proportionate charge will be made.

13. You are advised that STW will not agree to either the erection of posts, directly over or within 1.0 metre of valves and hydrants,

14. No explosives are to be used in the vicinity of any STW Apparatus without prior consultation with STW.

TREE PLANTING RESTRICTIONS

There are many problems with the location of trees adjacent to sewers, water mains and other STW Apparatus and these can lead to the loss of trees and hence amenity to the area which many people may have become used to. It is best if the problem is not created in the first place. Set out below are the recommendations for tree planting in close proximity to public sewers, water mains and other STW Apparatus.

15. Please ensure that, in relation to STW Apparatus, the mature root systems and canopies of any tree planted do not and will not encroach within the recommended distances specified in the notes below.

16. Both Poplar and Willow trees have extensive root systems and should not be planted within 12 metres of a sewer, water main or other STW Apparatus.

17. The following trees and those of similar size, be they deciduous or evergreen, should not be planted within 6 metres of a sewer, water main or other STW Apparatus. E.g. Ash, Beech, Birch, most Conifers, Elm, Horse Chestnut, Lime, Oak, Sycamore, Apple and Pear. Asset Protection Statements Updated May 2014

18. STW personnel require a clear path to conduct surveys etc. No shrubs or bushes should be planted within 2 metre of the centre line of a sewer, water main or other STW Apparatus.

19. In certain circumstances, both STW and landowners may wish to plant shrubs/bushes in close proximity to a sewer, water main or other STW Apparatus for screening purposes. The following are shallow rooting and are suitable for this purpose: Blackthorn, Broom, Cotoneaster, Elder, Hazel, Laurel, Privet, Quickthorn, Snowberry, and most ornamental flowering shrubs.



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Contact No: 07970198053

Your ref:
Reference: 1153909

16th July 2025

Dear Emma

**Proposed Development: Land at High Street, Stoke Golding, Nuneaton, CV13 6HG
(X – 439874, Y – 297436)**

I refer to your 'Development Enquiry Request' for the development of 19 new dwellings at the above named site. Please find enclosed the sewer records that are included in the fee together with the Supplementary Guidance Notes which refer to surface water disposal from development sites.

Public Sewers in Site – Required Protection

Due to a change in legislation on 1 October 2011, there may be former private sewers on the site which have transferred to the responsibility of Severn Trent Water Ltd, which are not shown on the statutory sewer records but are located within your client's land. These sewers would also have protective strips that we will not allow to be built over. If such sewers are identified to be present on the site, please contact us for further guidance.

Please be advised, the records show that there is 225mm diameter public foul sewer and a 225mm diameter public surface water sewer located within the site boundary, which require a 6-metre protective strip (3 metres on either side) from any new buildings. There is also a 600mm diameter public foul sewer, 600mm diameter public surface water sewer located within the site, these require a 10 metre protective strip (5 metres on either side) from any new buildings.

Foul Water Drainage

I can confirm we would not have any objections to the anticipated additional foul flows of approximately 0.30 litres/second 2xDWF for a gravity connection to the receiving 225mm diameter public foul sewer located within your site, as this will not have an adverse impact

on the network. Alternatively, a connection to the 225mm diameter public combined water sewer to manhole 9504 would also be acceptable.

Therefore, a connection to the public sewer (direct or indirect) is acceptable subject to a formal Section 106 sewer connection approval (see later.)

Surface Water Drainage

If following testing, it is demonstrated that soakaways would not be possible on the site; satisfactory evidence will need to be submitted from the SI consultant (**extract or a supplementary letter**).

If soakaways are not possible, there appears to be an outfall to a ditch located within the site you would need to investigate for the disposal of the surface water run-off, at a rate of 5 litres /second /hectare (greenfield rate). This would satisfy SGN1 (enclosed), in accordance with Leicestershire Council SUDS Policy as the Lead Local Flood Authority (LLFA) for the area and statutory consultee in the planning process. Please see the guidance notes attached for further information.

Subject to flows being agreed with the Lead Local Flood Authority.

New Connections

For any new connections (including the re-use of existing connections) to the public sewerage system, the developer will need to submit Section 106 application forms. Our New Connections department are responsible for handling all such enquiries and applications. To contact them for an application form and associated guidance notes please call 0800 7076600 or you can download them from our website www.stwater.co.uk.

Please quote ref: 1153909 in any future correspondence (including e-mails) with STW Limited. Please note that 'Development Enquiry' responses are only valid for 6 months from the date of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "J Bullock".

Jasveer Bullock (Mrs)
Network Solutions - Developer Services



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DESIGN CALCULATIONS FRONT SHEET

SCHEME	Stoke Golding, Hinckley
CLIENT	A.R. Cartwright Construction Ltd
ASPECTS OF SCHEME TO BE DESIGNED	Surface Water and Foul Sewer Design Surface water attenuation design and simulation results for the 50%AEP, 3.3%AEP35CC, and 1%AEP40CC event for the development site.
CODES OF PRACTICE, DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS & BRITISH STANDARDS	- Design and analysis of urban storm drainage. Wallingford Procedure Vol.1 - Sustainable Drainage Systems- Non-Statutory technical standards for Sustainable drainage systems- 2015 - The SuDS Manual – CIRIA C753
NOTES	Proposed runoff conditions have been calculated using FEH to calculate the Greenfield Discharge rate for the impermeable area of 0.504ha, the QBAR Greenfield rate has been calculated at 0.2l/s. This has been uplifted to discharge at 2l/s to reduce risk of system blockage. The strategy involves conveying surface water flows through a series of permeable paving, geo-cellular tank and an attenuation basin before discharging into a proposed off site sewer. The calculations for the attenuation basin and tank have been carried out using Flow Causeway.

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**Design Settings**

Rainfall Methodology	FEH-22	Minimum Velocity (m/s)	1.00
Return Period (years)	100	Connection Type	Level Soffits
Additional Flow (%)	0	Minimum Backdrop Height (m)	0.200
CV	1.000	Preferred Cover Depth (m)	1.200
Time of Entry (mins)	5.00	Include Intermediate Ground	✓
Maximum Time of Concentration (mins)	30.00	Enforce best practice design rules	✓
Maximum Rainfall (mm/hr)	50.0		

Adoptable Manhole Type

Max Width (mm)	Diameter (mm)	Max Width (mm)	Diameter (mm)
374	1200	749	1500
499	1350	900	1800

>900 Link+900 mm

Max Depth (m)	Diameter (mm)	Max Depth (m)	Diameter (mm)
1.500	1050	99.999	1200

Circular Default Sewer Type Link Type

Shape	Circular	Auto Increment (mm)	75
Barrels	1	Follow Ground	x

Available Diameters (mm)

100 | 150

Links

Name	US Node	DS Node	Length (m)	ks (mm) / n	US IL (m)	DS IL (m)	Fall (m)	Slope (1:X)	Dia (mm)	T of C (mins)	Rain (mm/hr)
1.000	1	2	35.317	0.600	94.844	94.774	0.070	504.5	750	5.48	50.0
2.000	9	10	17.832	0.600	98.490	96.727	1.763	10.1	225	5.07	50.0
2.001	10	2	8.455	0.600	96.727	95.299	1.428	5.9	225	5.10	50.0
1.001	2	3	11.130	0.600	94.774	94.752	0.022	505.9	750	5.63	50.0
1.002	3	4	47.012	0.600	94.752	94.658	0.094	500.1	750	6.25	50.0
1.003	4	5	10.429	0.600	94.658	94.637	0.021	496.6	750	6.39	50.0
1.004	5	6	13.842	0.600	94.637	94.609	0.028	494.4	750	6.58	50.0
1.005	6	7	6.190	0.600	94.609	94.597	0.012	515.8	750	6.66	50.0
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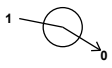
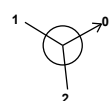
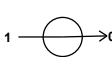
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1.000	1.239	547.3	15.2	3.248	3.150	0.084	0.0	85	0.556
2.000	4.138	164.5	15.2	1.200	2.148	0.084	0.0	46	2.617
2.001	5.412	215.2	30.4	2.148	3.150	0.168	0.0	57	3.852
1.001	1.237	546.5	60.7	3.150	2.098	0.336	0.0	167	0.828
1.002	1.244	549.7	75.9	2.098	0.692	0.420	0.0	186	0.886
1.003	1.249	551.6	91.1	0.692	0.763	0.504	0.0	204	0.934
1.004	1.252	552.9	91.1	0.763	0.791	0.504	0.0	204	0.936
1.005	1.225	541.2	91.1	0.791	0.940	0.504	0.0	206	0.921
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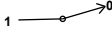
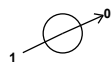
Link	Length (m)	Slope (1:X)	Dia (mm)	Link Type	US CL (m)	US IL (m)	US Depth (m)	DS CL (m)	DS IL (m)	DS Depth (m)
1.000	35.317	504.5	750	Circular_Default Sewer Type	98.842	94.844	3.248	98.674	94.774	3.150
2.000	17.832	10.1	225	Circular_Default Sewer Type	99.915	98.490	1.200	99.100	96.727	2.148
2.001	8.455	5.9	225	Circular_Default Sewer Type	99.100	96.727	2.148	98.674	95.299	3.150
1.001	11.130	505.9	750	Circular_Default Sewer Type	98.674	94.774	3.150	97.600	94.752	2.098
1.002	47.012	500.1	750	Circular_Default Sewer Type	97.600	94.752	2.098	96.100	94.658	0.692
1.003	10.429	496.6	750	Circular_Default Sewer Type	96.100	94.658	0.692	96.150	94.637	0.763
1.004	13.842	494.4	750	Circular_Default Sewer Type	96.150	94.637	0.763	96.150	94.609	0.791
1.005	6.190	515.8	750	Circular_Default Sewer Type	96.150	94.609	0.791	96.287	94.597	0.940
1.006	6.119	165.4	225	Circular_Default Sewer Type	96.287	94.597	1.465	95.150	94.560	0.365

Link	US Node	Dia (mm)	Node Type	MH Type	DS Node	Dia (mm)	Node Type	MH Type
1.000	1	1800	Manhole	Adoptable	2	1800	Manhole	Adoptable
2.000	9	1350	Manhole	Adoptable	10	1200	Manhole	Adoptable
2.001	10	1200	Manhole	Adoptable	2	1800	Manhole	Adoptable
1.001	2	1800	Manhole	Adoptable	3	1800	Manhole	Adoptable
1.002	3	1800	Manhole	Adoptable	4	1800	Manhole	Adoptable
1.003	4	1800	Manhole	Adoptable	5		Junction	
1.004	5		Junction		6		Junction	
1.005	6		Junction		7	3000	Manhole	Adoptable
1.006	7	3000	Manhole	Adoptable	8	1200	Manhole	Adoptable

Manhole Schedule

Node	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	CL (m)	Depth (m)	Dia (mm)	Connections	Link	IL (m)	Dia (mm)
1	439868.995	297439.027	98.842	3.998	1800				
						0	1.000	94.844	750
9	439840.387	297481.999	99.915	1.425	1350				
						0	2.000	98.490	225
10	439857.881	297478.544	99.100	2.373	1200				
						1	2.000	96.727	225
						0	2.001	96.727	225
2	439865.091	297474.128	98.674	3.900	1800				
						1	2.001	95.299	225
						2	1.000	94.774	750
						0	1.001	94.774	750
3	439874.826	297479.522	97.600	2.848	1800				
						1	1.001	94.752	750
						0	1.002	94.752	750
4	439921.838	297479.533	96.100	1.442	1800				
						1	1.002	94.658	750
						0	1.003	94.658	750

Manhole Schedule

Node	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	CL (m)	Depth (m)	Dia (mm)	Connections	Link	IL (m)	Dia (mm)
5	439932.264	297479.784	96.150	1.513		1 	1.003	94.637	750
						0	1.004	94.637	750
6	439945.546	297483.681	96.150	1.541		1 	1.004	94.609	750
						0	1.005	94.609	750
7	439951.118	297486.377	96.287	1.690	3000	1 	1.005	94.597	750
						0	1.006	94.597	225
8	439956.171	297488.627	95.150	0.590	1200	1 	1.006	94.560	225

Simulation Settings

Rainfall Methodology	FEH-22	Analysis Speed	Detailed	Additional Storage (m³/ha)	0.0
Summer CV	1.000	Skip Steady State	✓	Check Discharge Rate(s)	x
Winter CV	1.000	Drain Down Time (mins)	240	Check Discharge Volume	x

Storm Durations

15	30	60	120	180	240	360	480	600	720	960	1440
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Return Period (years)	Climate Change (CC %)	Additional Area (A %)	Additional Flow (Q %)
2	0	0	0
30	0	0	0
30	30	0	0
100	0	0	0
100	40	0	0

Node 7 Online Hydro-Brake® Control

Flap Valve	x	Objective	(HE) Minimise upstream storage
Replaces Downstream Link	✓	Sump Available	✓
Invert Level (m)	94.597	Product Number	CTL-SHE-0063-2000-1300-2000
Design Depth (m)	1.300	Min Outlet Diameter (m)	0.075
Design Flow (l/s)	2.0	Min Node Diameter (mm)	1200

Node 6 Depth/Area Storage Structure

Base Inf Coefficient (m/hr)	0.00000	Safety Factor	2.0	Invert Level (m)	94.609
Side Inf Coefficient (m/hr)	0.00000	Porosity	1.00	Time to half empty (mins)	

Depth (m)	Area (m²)	Inf Area (m²)	Depth (m)	Area (m²)	Inf Area (m²)	Depth (m)	Area (m²)	Inf Area (m²)
0.000	45.0	0.0	1.250	213.0	0.0	1.550	269.0	0.0

Node 1 Depth/Area Storage Structure

Base Inf Coefficient (m/hr)	0.00000	Safety Factor	2.0	Invert Level (m)	94.844
Side Inf Coefficient (m/hr)	0.00000	Porosity	1.00	Time to half empty (mins)	

Depth (m)	Area (m ²)	Inf Area (m ²)	Depth (m)	Area (m ²)	Inf Area (m ²)	Depth (m)	Area (m ²)	Inf Area (m ²)
0.000	247.5	0.0	0.800	247.5	0.0	0.801	0.0	0.0

Results for 2 year Critical Storm Duration. Lowest mass balance: 91.25%

Node Event	US Node	Peak (mins)	Level (m)	Depth (m)	Inflow (l/s)	Node Vol (m³)	Flood (m³)	Status
480 minute winter	1	456	95.023	0.179	7.1	44.7058	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	9	10	98.535	0.045	14.8	0.0650	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	10	10	96.788	0.061	29.5	0.0685	0.0000	OK
480 minute winter	2	456	95.023	0.249	6.0	0.6332	0.0000	OK
480 minute winter	3	456	95.023	0.271	7.0	0.6891	0.0000	OK
480 minute winter	4	456	95.023	0.365	7.8	0.9284	0.0000	OK
480 minute winter	5	456	95.023	0.386	6.8	0.0000	0.0000	OK
480 minute winter	6	456	95.023	0.414	6.3	30.1254	0.0000	OK
480 minute winter	7	456	95.023	0.426	2.1	3.0098	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	8	1	94.560	0.000	1.7	0.0000	0.0000	OK

Link Event (Upstream Depth)	US Node	Link	DS Node	Outflow (l/s)	Velocity (m/s)	Flow/Cap	Link Vol (m³)	Discharge Vol (m³)
480 minute winter	1	1.000	2	-5.1	-0.167	-0.009	3.6690	
15 minute summer	9	2.000	10	14.8	2.075	0.090	0.1275	
15 minute summer	10	2.001	2	29.5	3.622	0.137	0.0688	
480 minute winter	2	1.001	3	5.3	0.344	0.010	1.5062	
480 minute winter	3	1.002	4	6.1	0.269	0.011	8.3587	
480 minute winter	4	1.003	5	6.8	0.306	0.012	2.2974	
480 minute winter	5	1.004	6	6.3	0.457	0.011	3.3026	
480 minute winter	6	1.005	7	2.1	0.215	0.004	1.5691	
480 minute winter	7	Hydro-Brake®	8	1.7				64.7

Results for 30 year Critical Storm Duration. Lowest mass balance: 91.25%

Node Event	US Node	Peak (mins)	Level (m)	Depth (m)	Inflow (l/s)	Node Vol (m³)	Flood (m³)	Status
600 minute winter	1	600	95.294	0.450	10.1	112.6187	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	9	10	98.562	0.072	36.5	0.1025	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	10	10	96.830	0.103	72.9	0.1161	0.0000	OK
600 minute winter	2	600	95.294	0.520	9.6	1.3244	0.0000	OK
600 minute winter	3	600	95.294	0.542	5.4	1.3804	0.0000	OK
600 minute winter	4	600	95.294	0.636	7.6	1.6196	0.0000	OK
600 minute winter	5	600	95.294	0.657	6.6	0.0000	0.0000	OK
600 minute winter	6	600	95.294	0.685	6.3	62.4107	0.0000	OK
600 minute winter	7	600	95.294	0.697	2.0	4.9299	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	8	1	94.560	0.000	1.7	0.0000	0.0000	OK

Link Event (Upstream Depth)	US Node	Link	DS Node	Outflow (l/s)	Velocity (m/s)	Flow/Cap	Link Vol (m³)	Discharge Vol (m³)
600 minute winter	1	1.000	2	-6.9	-0.161	-0.013	10.6332	
15 minute summer	9	2.000	10	36.4	2.567	0.221	0.2540	
15 minute summer	10	2.001	2	72.7	4.499	0.338	0.1366	
600 minute winter	2	1.001	3	4.1	0.312	0.008	3.7124	
600 minute winter	3	1.002	4	4.8	0.296	0.009	17.3786	
600 minute winter	4	1.003	5	6.6	0.339	0.012	4.2103	
600 minute winter	5	1.004	6	6.3	0.529	0.011	5.7514	
600 minute winter	6	1.005	7	2.0	0.103	0.004	2.6264	
600 minute winter	7	Hydro-Brake®	8	1.7				72.5

Results for 30 year +30% CC Critical Storm Duration. Lowest mass balance: 91.25%

Node Event	US Node	Peak (mins)	Level (m)	Depth (m)	Inflow (l/s)	Node Vol (m³)	Flood (m³)	Status
600 minute winter	1	600	95.473	0.629	13.3	157.2701	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	9	10	98.572	0.082	47.4	0.1176	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	10	10	96.849	0.122	94.7	0.1378	0.0000	OK
600 minute winter	2	600	95.473	0.699	12.6	1.7789	0.0000	OK
600 minute winter	3	600	95.473	0.721	6.8	1.8349	0.0000	OK
600 minute winter	4	600	95.473	0.815	9.8	2.0741	0.0000	SURCHARGED
600 minute winter	5	600	95.473	0.836	8.6	0.0000	0.0000	SURCHARGED
600 minute winter	6	600	95.473	0.864	8.2	89.0392	0.0000	SURCHARGED
600 minute winter	7	600	95.473	0.876	2.0	6.1922	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	8	1	94.560	0.000	1.7	0.0000	0.0000	OK

Link Event (Upstream Depth)	US Node	Link	DS Node	Outflow (l/s)	Velocity (m/s)	Flow/Cap	Link Vol (m³)	Discharge Vol (m³)
600 minute winter	1	1.000	2	-9.1	-0.148	-0.017	14.5081	
15 minute summer	9	2.000	10	47.3	2.705	0.287	0.3124	
15 minute summer	10	2.001	2	94.4	4.751	0.439	0.1679	
600 minute winter	2	1.001	3	3.8	0.308	0.007	4.7965	
600 minute winter	3	1.002	4	5.6	0.310	0.010	20.5617	
600 minute winter	4	1.003	5	8.6	0.352	0.016	4.5900	
600 minute winter	5	1.004	6	8.2	0.509	0.015	6.0922	
600 minute winter	6	1.005	7	2.0	0.328	0.004	2.7243	
600 minute winter	7	Hydro-Brake®	8	1.7				77.4

Results for 100 year Critical Storm Duration. Lowest mass balance: 91.25%

Node Event	US Node	Peak (mins)	Level (m)	Depth (m)	Inflow (l/s)	Node Vol (m³)	Flood (m³)	Status
720 minute winter	1	705	95.429	0.585	10.9	146.2988	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	9	10	98.570	0.080	45.5	0.1151	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	10	10	96.846	0.118	90.9	0.1340	0.0000	OK
720 minute winter	2	705	95.429	0.655	10.5	1.6672	0.0000	OK
720 minute winter	3	705	95.429	0.677	5.8	1.7232	0.0000	OK
720 minute winter	4	705	95.429	0.771	8.3	1.9624	0.0000	SURCHARGED
720 minute winter	5	705	95.429	0.792	7.3	0.0000	0.0000	SURCHARGED
720 minute winter	6	705	95.429	0.820	6.9	82.0990	0.0000	SURCHARGED
720 minute winter	7	705	95.429	0.832	2.0	5.8820	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	8	1	94.560	0.000	1.7	0.0000	0.0000	OK

Link Event (Upstream Depth)	US Node	Link	DS Node	Outflow (l/s)	Velocity (m/s)	Flow/Cap	Link Vol (m³)	Discharge Vol (m³)
720 minute winter	1	1.000	2	-7.4	-0.136	-0.014	13.7122	
15 minute summer	9	2.000	10	45.4	2.685	0.276	0.3023	
15 minute summer	10	2.001	2	90.6	4.713	0.421	0.1626	
720 minute winter	2	1.001	3	3.6	0.294	0.007	4.5986	
720 minute winter	3	1.002	4	4.8	0.298	0.009	20.1802	
720 minute winter	4	1.003	5	7.3	0.339	0.013	4.5900	
720 minute winter	5	1.004	6	6.9	0.506	0.013	6.0922	
720 minute winter	6	1.005	7	2.0	0.110	0.004	2.7243	
720 minute winter	7	Hydro-Brake®	8	1.7				87.0

Results for 100 year +40% CC Critical Storm Duration. Lowest mass balance: 91.25%

Node Event	US Node	Peak (mins)	Level (m)	Depth (m)	Inflow (l/s)	Node Vol (m³)	Flood (m³)	Status
960 minute winter	1	945	95.841	0.997	11.7	200.6608	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	9	10	98.587	0.097	63.7	0.1382	0.0000	OK
15 minute summer	10	10	96.878	0.151	127.2	0.1708	0.0000	OK
960 minute winter	2	945	95.841	1.067	11.4	2.7158	0.0000	SURCHARGED
960 minute winter	3	945	95.841	1.089	8.9	2.7720	0.0000	SURCHARGED
960 minute winter	4	945	95.841	1.183	12.0	3.0120	0.0000	FLOOD RISK
960 minute winter	5	945	95.842	1.205	10.5	0.0000	0.0000	SURCHARGED
960 minute winter	6	945	95.842	1.233	10.0	157.5623	0.0000	SURCHARGED
960 minute winter	7	945	95.842	1.245	2.8	8.7980	0.0000	SURCHARGED
15 minute summer	8	1	94.560	0.000	1.7	0.0000	0.0000	OK

Link Event (Upstream Depth)	US Node	Link	DS Node	Outflow (l/s)	Velocity (m/s)	Flow/Cap	Link Vol (m³)	Discharge Vol (m³)
960 minute winter	1	1.000	2	-7.9	0.086	-0.014	15.5437	
15 minute summer	9	2.000	10	63.6	2.842	0.386	0.3976	
15 minute summer	10	2.001	2	126.8	5.010	0.589	0.2137	
960 minute winter	2	1.001	3	7.6	0.293	0.014	4.8985	
960 minute winter	3	1.002	4	10.7	0.299	0.019	20.6910	
960 minute winter	4	1.003	5	10.5	0.336	0.019	4.5900	
960 minute winter	5	1.004	6	10.0	0.506	0.018	6.0922	
960 minute winter	6	1.005	7	2.8	0.108	0.005	2.7243	
960 minute winter	7	Hydro-Brake®	8	2.0				121.1

Design Settings

Frequency of use (kDU)	1.00	Minimum Velocity (m/s)	0.75
Flow per dwelling per day (l/day)	4000	Connection Type	Level Soffits
Domestic Flow (l/s/ha)	0.0	Minimum Backdrop Height (m)	0.200
Industrial Flow (l/s/ha)	0.0	Preferred Cover Depth (m)	1.200
Additional Flow (%)	0	Include Intermediate Ground	✓

Nodes

Name	Dwellings	Cover Level (m)	Diameter (mm)	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	Depth (m)
1	13	98.712	1200	439870.745	297440.645	3.312
2	0	98.586	1200	439866.767	297472.641	3.427
3	0	98.000	1200	439874.563	297477.213	3.210
4	6	96.400	1200	439912.155	297477.656	2.300
5		96.300	1200	439912.038	297483.474	2.243

Links

Name	US Node	DS Node	Length (m)	ks (mm) / n	US IL (m)	DS IL (m)	Fall (m)	Slope (1:X)	Dia (mm)
1.000	1	2	32.242	1.500	95.400	95.159	0.241	134.0	150
1.001	2	3	9.038	1.500	95.159	94.790	0.369	24.5	150
1.002	3	4	37.595	1.500	94.790	94.100	0.690	54.5	150
1.003	4	5	5.819	1.500	94.100	94.057	0.043	134.0	150

Name	Pro Vel @ 1/3 Q (m/s)	Vel (m/s)	Cap (l/s)	Flow (l/s)	US Depth (m)	DS Depth (m)	Σ Area (ha)	Σ Dwellings (ha)	Σ Units (ha)	Σ Add Inflow (ha)	Pro Depth (mm)	Pro Velocity (m/s)
1.000	0.264	0.756	13.4	0.6	3.162	3.277	0.000	13	0.0	0.0	22	0.375
1.001	0.479	1.775	31.4	0.6	3.277	3.060	0.000	13	0.0	0.0	15	0.682
1.002	0.363	1.188	21.0	0.6	3.060	2.150	0.000	13	0.0	0.0	18	0.515
1.003	0.297	0.756	13.4	0.9	2.150	2.093	0.000	19	0.0	0.0	26	0.419

Pipeline Schedule

Link	Length (m)	Slope (1:X)	Dia (mm)	Link Type	US CL (m)	US IL (m)	US Depth (m)	DS CL (m)	DS IL (m)	DS Depth (m)
1.000	32.242	134.0	150	Circular_Default Sewer Type	98.712	95.400	3.162	98.586	95.159	3.277
1.001	9.038	24.5	150	Circular_Default Sewer Type	98.586	95.159	3.277	98.000	94.790	3.060
1.002	37.595	54.5	150	Circular_Default Sewer Type	98.000	94.790	3.060	96.400	94.100	2.150
1.003	5.819	134.0	150	Circular_Default Sewer Type	96.400	94.100	2.150	96.300	94.057	2.093

Link	US Node	Dia (mm)	Node Type	MH Type	DS Node	Dia (mm)	Node Type	MH Type
1.000	1	1200	Manhole	Adoptable	2	1200	Manhole	Adoptable
1.001	2	1200	Manhole	Adoptable	3	1200	Manhole	Adoptable
1.002	3	1200	Manhole	Adoptable	4	1200	Manhole	Adoptable
1.003	4	1200	Manhole	Adoptable	5	1200	Manhole	Adoptable

Manhole Schedule

Node	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	CL (m)	Depth (m)	Dia (mm)	Connections	Link	IL (m)	Dia (mm)
1	439870.745	297440.645	98.712	3.312	1200				
						0	1.000	95.400	150
2	439866.767	297472.641	98.586	3.427	1200		1	1.000	95.159
						0	1.001	95.159	150

Manhole Schedule

Node	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	CL (m)	Depth (m)	Dia (mm)	Connections	Link	IL (m)	Dia (mm)	
3	439874.563	297477.213	98.000	3.210	1200		1	1.001	94.790	150
4	439912.155	297477.656	96.400	2.300	1200		0	1.002	94.790	150
						1	1.002	94.100	150	
5	439912.038	297483.474	96.300	2.243	1200		0	1.003	94.100	150
						1	1.003	94.057	150	

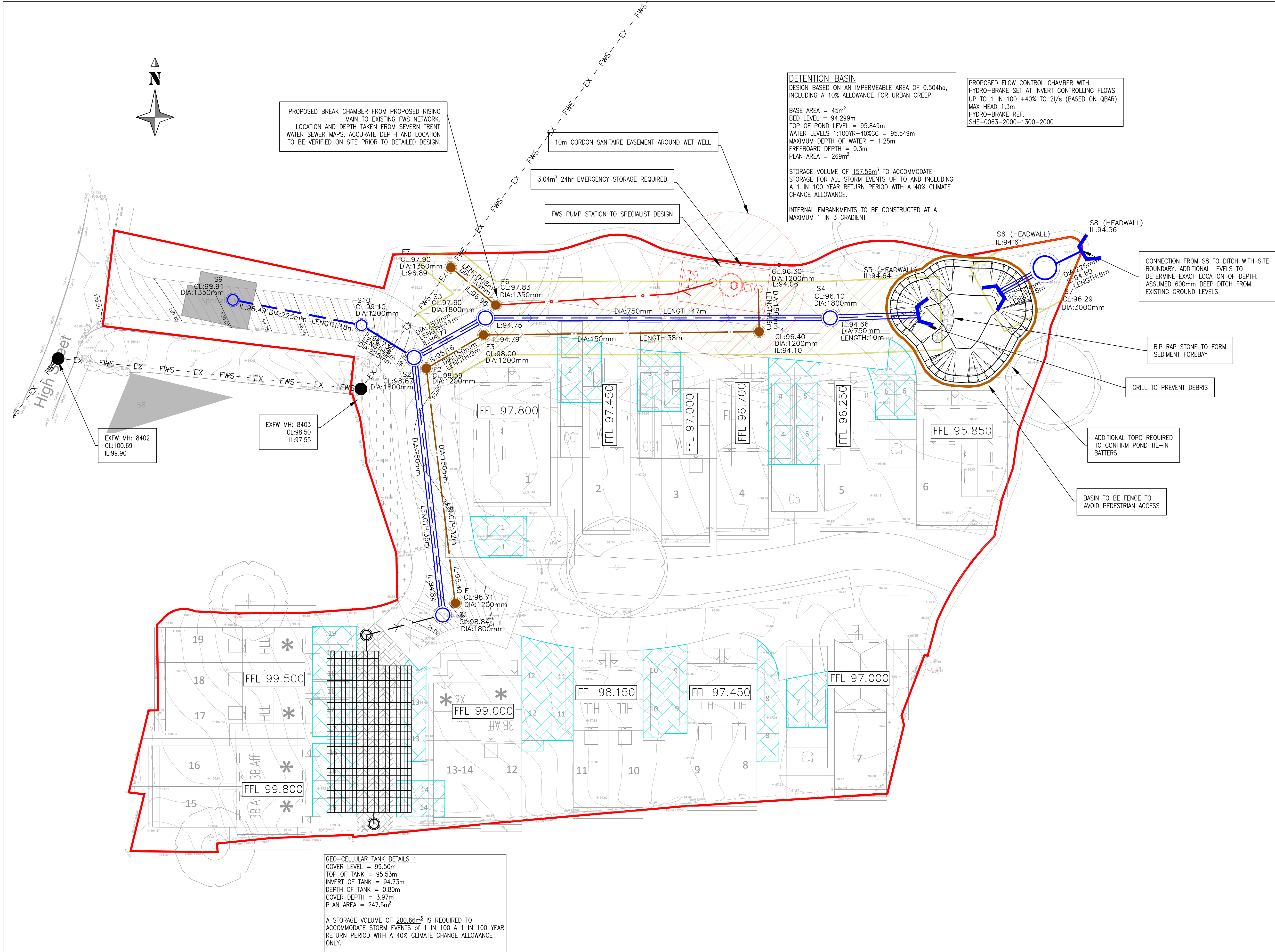


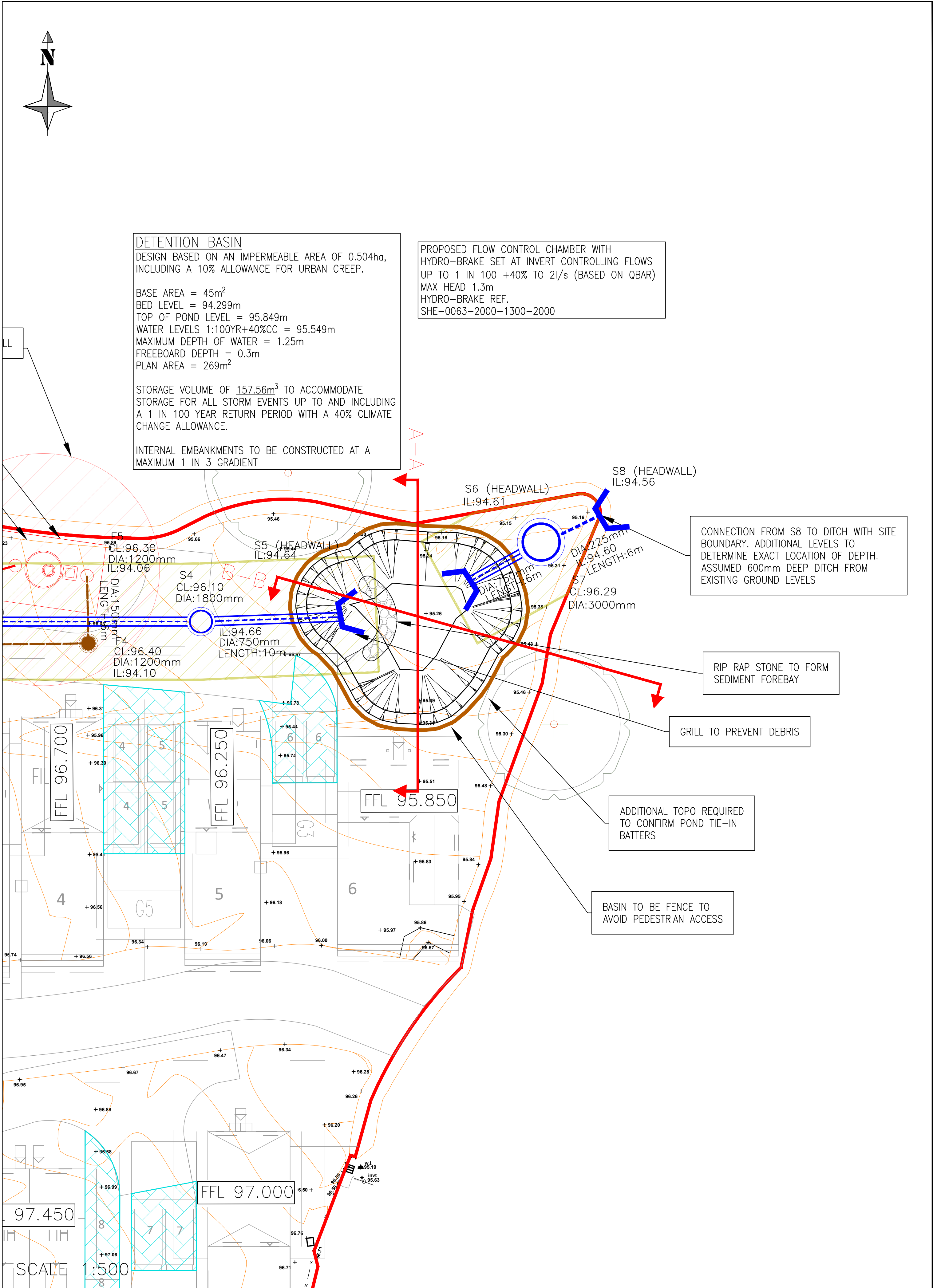
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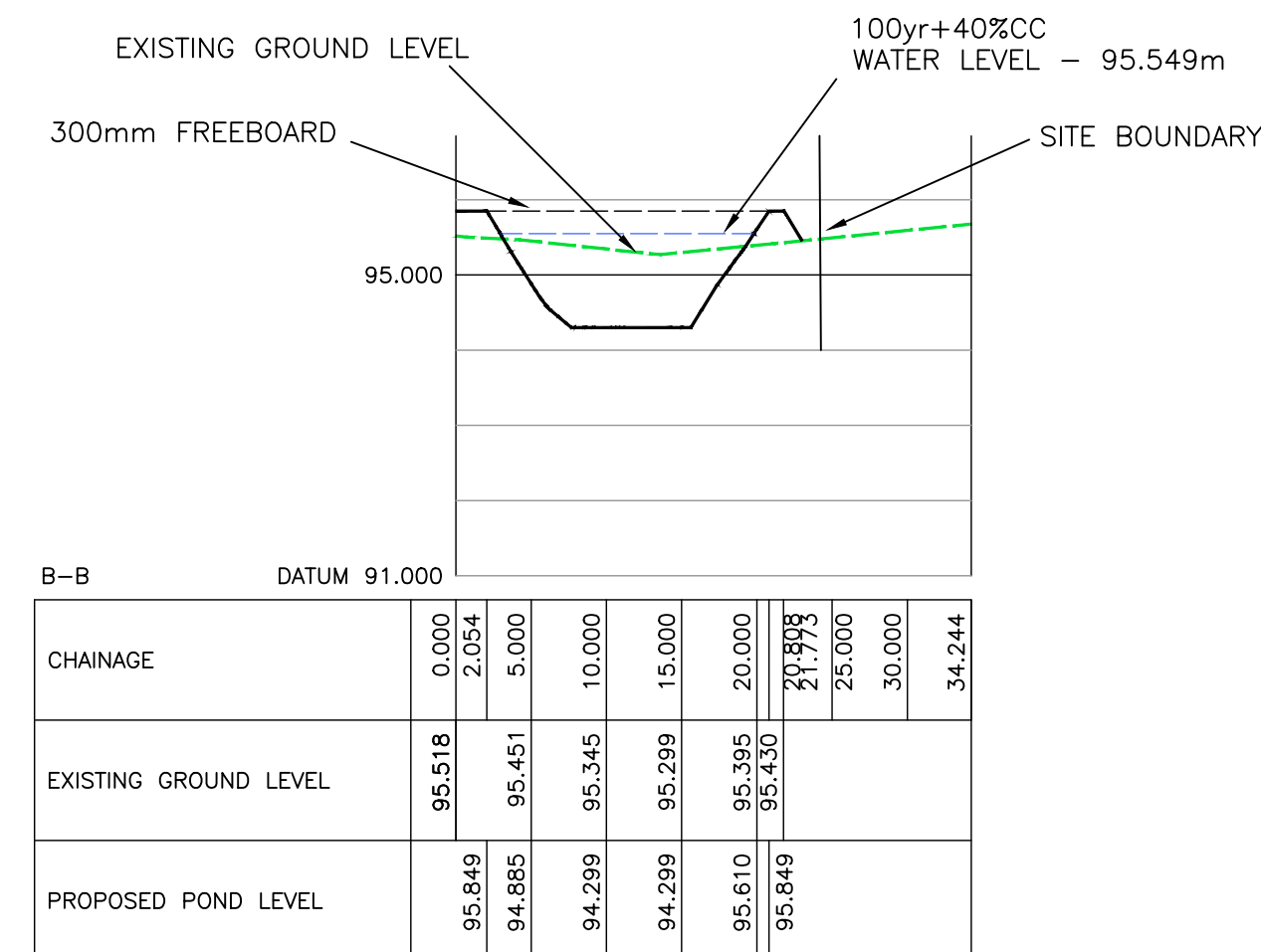
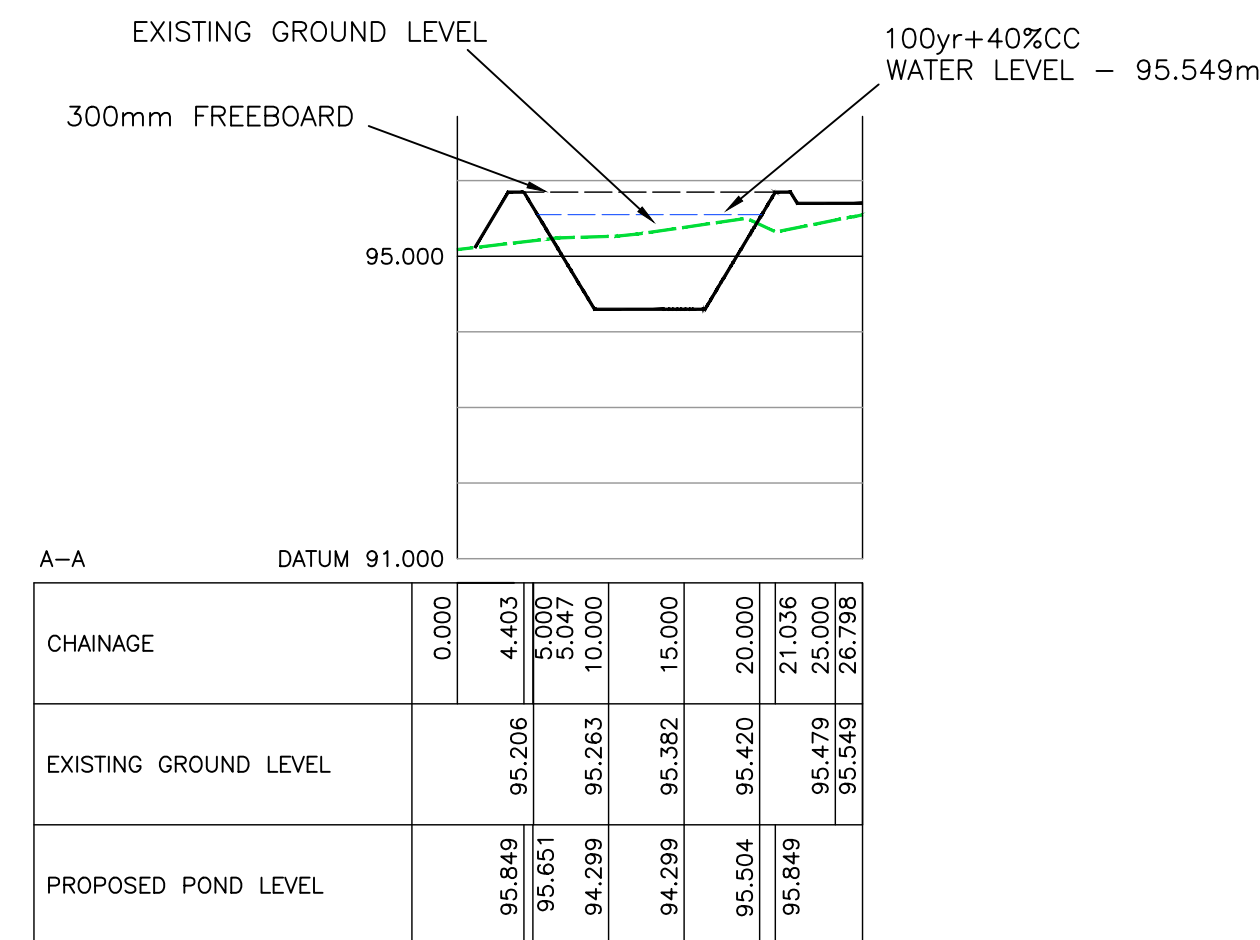


APPENDIX G





SCALE H-1:500 V-1:100



- NOTES:
- DO NOT SCALE THIS DRAWING.
 - THIS DRAWING IS TO BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH ALL OTHER RELEVANT ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS AND SPECIALIST DESIGN DRAWINGS AND DETAILS.
 - ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN METRES UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE. ALL LEVELS ARE IN METRES UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
 - ANY DISCREPANCIES NOTED ON SITE ARE TO BE REPORTED TO THE ENGINEER IMMEDIATELY.
 - THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CHECK ALL TIE-INS FOR LINE AND LEVEL WITH EXISTING BEFORE COMMENCING ANY WORKS. THE ENGINEER SHALL BE NOTIFIED IMMEDIATELY IN WRITING, SHOULD ANY ERRORS BE FOUND.
 - IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR TO LOCATE ANY SERVICE APPARATUS IN THE VICINITY OF THE WORKS. THE CLIENT WILL ACCEPT NO CLAIMS WHATSOEVER IN RESPECT OF ANY LOSSES OR DAMAGE CAUSED IN RESPECT OF SUCH APPARATUS, HOWEVER CAUSED.
 - IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR TO EXECUTE THE WORKS AT ALL TIMES IN STRICT ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE HEALTH AND SAFETY AT WORK ACT 1974, AND THE C.D.M. REGULATIONS 2015. THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE DEEMED TO HAVE ALLOWED FOR FULL COMPLIANCE, WITHIN HIS RATES.
 - THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING THAT ALL WORKS ARE TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE ENGINEER, AND SHALL BE DEEMED TO HAVE INCLUDED WITHIN HIS RATES FOR ANY NECESSARY TESTING.
 - IT SHOULD BE NOTED INFORMATION SHOWN MAY INCLUDE DATA PROVIDED BY THIRD PARTIES.
 - ALL DIMENSIONS SHOULD BE CHECKED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.
- DESIGN PARAMETERS:
- DETAILS SHOWN ARE PRELIMINARY ONLY AND SUBJECT TO DETAILED DESIGN.
 - SWS DRAINAGE HAS BEEN DESIGNED UP TO AND INCLUDING 100YR + 40% CC EVENT BASED ON FEH DATA.
 - 10% URBAN CREEP HAS BEEN ALLOWED FOR.
 - DISCHARGE FLOW RESTRICTED TO BETTERMENT OF QBAR GREENFIELD RUN OFF RATE. SUBJECT TO LLFA APPROVAL.
 - CONFIRMATION OF OUTFALL POSITIONS REQUIRED TO DETERMINED SUITABILITY.
 - SUBJECT TO LLFA AND HIGHWAY AUTHORITY APPROVAL.
 - ALL PROPOSED FOUL DRAINAGE LAD ABOVE STORM SEWERS TO BE WRAPPED IN GEO-TEXTILE MEMBRANE.
 - DEEP DRAINAGE CONNECTIONS TO BE REVIEWED.

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MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT

A proposed maintenance plan is shown in the table below and breaks down the maintenance requirements of the various proposed assets in accordance with the CIRIA C753 SuDS Manual guidance.

Table 1.1: Proposed Maintenance Regime

Drainage Asset	Responsible Organisation	Maintenance Work	Frequency
Pipework / Manholes	Severn Trent Water	Inspect pipework and clear blockages	Annually or after severe storms.
		Inspect manholes and clear blockages	
		Repair any defects in the network	
		Inspect flow control, ensure operating freely and pivoting bypass door and penstock valve operating correctly	
Headwalls	Severn Trent Water	Inspect the structure and remove any debris/litter on the structure.	Annually or after severe storms
		Replace malfunctioning parts or structures	As required
Catchpits	Management Company	Inspect structure and remove any debris/litter on structure	Annually or after severe storms
		Replace malfunctioning parts or structures	As required
Gullies	Highway Authority	Inspect structure and remove any debris/litter on structure	Annually or after severe storms
		Replace malfunctioning parts or structures	As required
Foul Pumping Station	Severn Trent Water	Inspect wet well, kiosk and valve chamber	Annually or after severe storms
		Inspect structure and remove any debris from the wet well	
		Replace malfunctioning parts or structures	As required
Flow Control Chamber	Severn Trent Water	Inspect structure and remove excessive silt build-up	Monthly during construction and then annually or after severe storms
		Inspect pipework and manholes also clear blockages	Annually or after severe storms
		Inspect manholes and clear blockages	
		Inspect flow control, ensure operating freely and pivoting bypass door and penstock valve operating correctly	
		Replace malfunctioning parts or structures	
		Inspect for evidence of poor operation	6 monthly
		Inspect sediment accumulation rates and establish appropriate removal frequencies	
		Test control structure to ensure operating as per original design	5 yearly



Permeable Pavements	Management Company	Brushing and vacuuming (standard cosmetic sweep over the whole surface)	Once a year after autumn leaf fall, or reduced frequency as required, based on site-specific observations of clogging of manufacturer's recommendations.
		Stabilise and mow contributing and adjacent areas	As required
		Removal of weeds or management using glyphosate applied directly into the weeds by an applicator rather than sweeping	
		Remediate any landscaping which, through vegetation maintenance of soil slip, has been raised to within 50 mm of the level of the paving	
		Remedial work to any depressions, rutting and cracked or broken blocks considered detrimental to the structural performance or a hazard to users and replace lost jointing material	
		Rehabilitation of surface and upper substructure by remedial sweeping	Every 10 to 15 years or as required
		Initial inspection	Monthly for 3 months after installation
		Inspect for evidence of poor operation and/or weed growth – if required, take remedial action	3 monthly, 48 hours after large storms in first 6 months
		Inspect silt accumulation rates and establish appropriate brushing frequencies	Annually
		Monitor inspection chambers	
Attenuation/Detention Basin	Management Company	Remove litter and debris	Monthly
		Cut grass – for spillways and access routes	
		Cut grass – meadow grass in and around the basin	
		Manage other vegetation and remove nuisance plants	
		Inspect inlets, outlets and overflows for blockages, and clean if required	
		Inspect banksides, structures for silt accumulation. Establish appropriate silt removal frequencies	
		Check any penstocks and other mechanical devices	Annually
		Tidy all dead growth before the start of the growing season	
		Remove the sediment from inlets, outlets and forebay	
		Manage wetland plants in outlet pool – where provided	



Attenuation/Geocellular Tank	Management Company	Inspect and identify any areas that are not operating correctly. If required, take remedial action	Monthly for 3 months then annually
		Remove debris from the catchment surface (where it may cause risks to performance)	Monthly
		For systems where rainfall infiltrates into the tank from above, check the surface of the filter for blockages by sediment, algae or other matter; remove and replace surface infiltration medium as necessary	Annually
		Remove the sediment from pre-treatment structures and/or internal forebays	
		Repair/rehabilitate inlets, outlets, overflows and vents	As required
		Inspect/check all inlets, outlets, vents and overflows to ensure that they are in good condition and operating as designed	Annually
		Survey inside of the tank for sediment build-up and remove if necessary	Every 5 years or as required



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APPENDIX I

Stoke Golding, Hinckley
Our Ref: 29782-GEO-0401
Soakaway Feasibility Technical Note
April 2026

Introduction

MEC Consulting Group Ltd (MEC) has been commissioned by A. R. Cartwright Construction Ltd (hereafter referred to as 'the Client') to undertake an assessment on the feasibility for soakaway drainage for a proposed residential development at Stoke Golding, Hinckley (hereafter referred to as 'the Site'). A site location plan is provided in **Appendix A**.

The purpose of this technical note is to provide a desk-based assessment of the anticipated ground conditions at the site, and the corresponding properties relating to the suitability for soakaway drainage.

It is understood that the proposed development will comprise up to 19 residential dwellings with associated gardens and soft landscaping, parking and road infrastructure. A proposed site layout plan is presented as Drawing No. 25-31-SK01-C in **Appendix B**.

Sources of Information

The following sources of information have been referenced to inform the contents of this technical note:

- British Geological Survey (BGS) online GeoIndex and borehole logs;
- National Library of Scotland Maps (www.nls.co.uk);
- Environment Agency website (www.environment-agency.gov.uk);
- MAGIC maps (www.magic.defra.gov.uk); and
- Google Earth Imagery.

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Site Setting

The site comprises two undeveloped grassed fields separated by hedgerow in the north of the village of Stoke Golding, Leicestershire, and covers an approximate area of 0.84ha. Access is via a track off High Street to the west. Topographically the site slopes gently down from south-west to the north-east by the order of 4-5m. Residential properties are adjacent to the western and southern boundaries, and undeveloped land is located to the north and east.

Historical mapping indicates the site has comprised undeveloped land since the late 19th Century. A pond was mapped in the east; however, by the mid-20th Century this had either dried up or been infilled.

Geology, Hydrogeology, Hydrology

British Geological Survey (BGS) mapping indicates that most of the site is underlain by superficial deposits of the Bosworth Clay Member, comprising clay and silt, with alluvial deposits mapped in the east, comprising clay, silt, sand and gravel. The Wigston Sand and Gravel Member is mapped close to the western boundary and along the access road, and deposits may encroach further onto site.

The superficial deposits are underlain by bedrock of the Gunthorpe Member, comprising mudstone.

The Environment Agency (EA) classifies the alluvial deposits and the Wigston Sand and Gravel Member as Secondary A aquifers and the Bosworth Clay Member as a Secondary undifferentiated aquifer. The Gunthorpe Member is classified as a Secondary B aquifer.

The nearest surface water feature to the site is the Ashby-de-la-Zouch Canal, located 180m to the north at its nearest point.

Soakaway Feasibility

The available geological mapping indicates that the ground conditions across the site are likely to be predominantly cohesive, limiting the potential for soil infiltration. The alluvial deposits may contain granular fractions; however, this stratum can be heterogeneous and often water bearing.

A limited thickness of granular soils associated with the Wigston Sand and Gravel Member may be encountered in the west. The west is topographically higher than the east/north-east of site, and it is unlikely that soakaways will be sited there due to the requirement for uphill pumping.

Based on the available information for the site it is assessed that a conventional soakaway drainage solution will not be feasible, and an alternative strategy will be required.

REGISTRATION OF AMENDMENTS

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Appendices

- A. Site Location Plan
- B. Proposed Site Layout Plan

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APPENDIX J

Application address Land To Rear Of Springbank, High Street, Stoke Golding, Nuneaton, Leicestershire CV13 6HF		Planning ref.	25/01004/FUL
		Our ref.	2025/1004/04/F
Description Demolition of existing dwelling and erection of 19 dwellings, formation of access and associated works.		Consultation date	31/10/2025
		Response date	21/11/2025
Planning officer	Ashleigh Gade	Reviewing officer	Rob Ryan-Matthews
Application type	Full	Extension requested	☐
Refer to standing advice ☐	Conditions ☐	Further consultation required ☒	Concerns ☐

Consultation checklist

No.	Description	Check
1	Location plan	☒
2	Proposed layout plan	☐
3	Evidence that the site can be drained	☐
4	Topographic and ground investigation details	☐
5	The total impermeable area pre and post development	☒
6	All potential flood risk sources have been identified and assessed	☒
7	Existing and proposed peak discharge rates	☒
8	Consideration of sustainable drainage systems	☒
9	Attenuation volume calculations	☒
10	Consideration of the maintenance and management of all drainage elements	☐

LLFA Key Observations and Advice

Leicestershire County Council as Lead Local Flood Authority (LLFA) notes that the 0.5ha greenfield site is located within Flood Zone 1 being at low risk of fluvial flooding and a low risk of surface water flooding. The proposals seek to discharge at 2l/s (a practical minimum rate) via pervious paving, a tank and an open attenuation feature, to an adopted combined sewer within the site.

It is noted that the proposals are for full planning approval which will set the layout of the site.

The applicant has completed engagement with Severn Trent Water (STW), however there appears to be an anomaly on the submitted STW plans with a surface water sewer ending in the south-east corner of the site with no apparent outfall. Furthermore, the layout of the combined system to the north appears to be incorrectly mapped. The submitted flood risk assessment suggests there may be a ditch along the east boundary, however the applicant believes that if there is a ditch, there is likely no downstream connectivity. On the basis that the STW show surface water sewers which likely connect to this ditch, it is assumed that there is downstream connectivity. The applicant must fully investigate this ditch and determine downstream connectivity prior to any support being given for a combined connection being forthcoming.

As such, there is potential for an unmapped ditch or sewer connection from the existing surface water sewer to a wider ditch network or to the combined system. If this is the case, then development as shown will be encroaching on the easement required for this asset/watercourse. Due to the upstream surface water flows and in line with LCCs culverting policy, any ditch must be retained with suitable easement provided for maintenance by the land owner.

The survey does appear to confirm the presence of a surface water outfall pipe on the east boundary, potentially to the existing ditch. There are significant areas of dense growth on-site limiting a full survey. The LLFA is concerned that additional surface water features are being obscured by this across the middle of the site, and along the east side where there is a depression which could be part of an existing pond which could be fed by a ditch or a spring. Surface water maps appear to support this assumption.

The proposed basin is located in close proximity to a proposed property. With side slopes proposed at 1 in 3, the LLFA has concerns for public safety and maintenance in this area.

As the proposals are fixing the layout and potentially seeking to connect to a combined sewer (least preferable option), infiltration testing should be undertaken. This should be to BRE Digest 365 (or similar approved). The LLFA is able to condition this, but any use of infiltration as a result of positive results may impact on the proposed layout, invalidating any approved layout. The applicant should therefore be confident that infiltration will not be viable if opting to forego testing at this stage.

Assuming a connection to the ditch is demonstrated to not be viable (on agreement with the LLFA), with the proposals connecting to a combined sewer, there is concern in relation to surcharging of the basin with combined sewage.

The applicant does not appear to have adequately quantified flood risk from groundwater or springs on site despite reference to a low risk of groundwater flooding in the FRA. The applicant should investigate the potential of there being an active spring on-site. Where such a feature is found, mitigation of this would be required.

The applicant has indicated that pervious paving will be utilised within the site as an additional form of source control SuDS.

Leicestershire County Council as Lead Local Flood Authority (LLFA) advises the Local Planning Authority (LPA) that the application documents as submitted are insufficient for the LLFA to provide a substantive response at this stage. In order to provide a substantive response, the following information is required:

- The applicant should re-consult with STW to clarify the adopted sewer arrangement in proximity to the site and fully investigate the existing ditch on the east boundary.
 - Where a ditch is confirmed along the east boundary, the applicant must seek to use this as a surface water receptor for the site.
 - Additional survey of the site to determine any additional surface water features obscured by the dense overgrowth.
 - Assessment of groundwater/spring activity on site. Where found, appropriate mitigation provided.
 - Provide a cross section of the proposed basin and evidence that suitable space is allowed for maintenance access by the third-party contractor.
 - Details on how safety concerns around the proposed basin will be mitigated.
 - Amend layout to allow for a suitable easement to any surface water drainage assets located along the east boundary of the site.
 - Infiltration testing (this can be conditioned).
 - Where a surface water connection to the combined system is deemed necessary, surcharging of the downstream combined system needs to be considered within calculations along with a mechanism to reduce the risk of backflows into the site.
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Advice to the Local Planning Authority

1. Standing Advice – National Planning Policy Framework

When determining planning applications, the local planning authority should ensure flood risk is not increased elsewhere and only consider development appropriate in areas at risk of flooding where informed by a site-specific Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) confirming it will not put the users of the development at risk. Where an FRA is applicable this should be undertaken in accordance with the requirements of the National Planning Policy Framework and accompanying Planning Practice Guidance.

2. Standing Advice – Consent

Where there are any works proposed as part of an application which are likely to affect flows in an ordinary watercourse or ditch, the applicant will require consent under Section 23 of the Land Drainage Act 1991. This is in addition to any planning permission that may be granted. Guidance on this process and a sample application form can be found via the following website: <http://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/flood-risk-management>

Applicants are advised to refer to Leicestershire County Council's culverting policy contained within the Local Flood Risk Management Strategy Appendix document, available at the above link. No development should take place within 5 metres of any watercourse or ditch without first contacting the County Council for advice.

This consent does not consider local watercourse bylaws. It is the responsibility of the applicant to check if the local borough or district council has their own bylaws which the proposals will also need to consider.

3. Standing Advice – Maintenance

Note that it is the responsibility of the Local Planning Authority under the DEFRA/DCLG legislation (April 2015) to ensure that a system to facilitate the future maintenance of SuDS features can be managed and maintained in perpetuity before commencement of the works.

4. Standing Advice – Minor works

If a proposed building/wall or other construction appears to sit astride an indicated surface water flow route, the new build may deflect floodwater onto another person's property or raise flood levels by a significant amount locally. In these circumstances, the planning officer should contact the County Council to discuss whether consultation is necessary in that particular case.

5. Standing Advice – Ground floor levels

For developments in Flood Zone 2 or in 1:100 year Updated Flood Map for Surface Water outline, ground floor levels to be set at a minimum of whichever is higher;

- 300mm above the general ground level of the site OR
- 600mm above the Flood Zone 2 water level.
- Basement rooms to have unimpeded access internally to an upper level

In order to deliver safe development we advise that single storey buildings or ground floor subdivisions with no access to higher floors, should have access to a refuge set above the 1 in 1000 annual probability (0.1%) in any year flood level including an allowance for climate change.

6. Standing Advice – Greenfield Development Runoff

For greenfield sites, the peak runoff rate from the development to any drain, sewer or surface water body for the 1 in 1 year rainfall event and the 1 in 100 year rainfall event should never exceed the peak greenfield runoff rate for the same event.

The runoff volume from the development in the 1 in 100 year, 6 hour rainfall event should not exceed the greenfield runoff volume for the same event. Where an increase in discharge volume is unavoidable, the proposals should discharge at QBar or provide alternative mitigation in line with CIRIA C753.

7. Standing Advice – Drainage and waste disposal

Where a drainage or waste disposal system is to be constructed or altered that is not proposed to be adopted by either the WASC (Water and Sewerage Company) or the County Council as highway authority then the system should be constructed in accordance with Part H of Building Regulations 2010.

8. Standing Advice – Ditches

Where a drainage ditch adjoins or flows through a development, provision should be made such that the ditch can be made throughout the life of the development. The ownership and responsibility for maintenance of the ditch should also be clearly identified and conveyed to the relevant parties.

9. Standing Advice – External surfaces

To prevent an increase in the discharge rate or volume due to development of external surfaces, permeable surface material should be utilised where possible, without an impermeable lining unless required to prevent mobilisation of contaminants or groundwater flooding.

Additional information and guidance is available here:

<https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/environment-and-planning/flooding-and-drainage/>

Note: Response provided by the Lead Local Flood Authority under the delegated authority of the Director of Environment and Transport.



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