

THE LAKES DEVELOPMENT STAGES 2I and 2N Lakes Boulevard, Ellesmere Close Pyes Pa, Tauranga

Geotechnical Completion Report

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1.0 Introduction

This report refers to the site development earthworks completed for Stages 2I and 2N of The Lakes residential subdivision development at Pyes Pa.

The location of these stages of The Lakes development are shown on plans 132631-2IN-RC01 and DP 463737, both prepared by Harrison Grierson Consultants (HG). Copies of these plans are included in Appendix 1 of this report. These plans show the residential development for Stages 2I and 2N to comprise

- 7 residential lots numbered 661 to 667 incl. with frontage to Lakes Boulevard within Stage 2I
- 5 residential lots numbered 751 to 755 incl. with frontage to Lakes Boulevard within Stage 2N
- 16 residential lots numbered 756, 757 and 763 to 776 incl. with frontage to the new road of Ellesmere Close which was constructed as part of the development of Stage 2N
- 7 residential lots numbered 758 to 762 incl. with frontage to the existing formation of Kennedy Road within Stage 2N
- Lot 1061 located on the southern side of Kennedy Road between the intersections of Kennedy Road with Lakes Boulevard to the east and Takitimu Drive to the west. This lot is the site of a recently constructed wastewater transfer pumping station and is defined as Local Purpose Reserve (Drainage).
- Lot 1065 located adjacent to lot 1061 on the southern side of Kennedy Road.

Construction of the roading and reticulation to service these lots has been completed by the developer, The Lakes (2012) Ltd.

Approval for the Lakes Development was initially granted jointly by the Tauranga City Council and Western Bay of Plenty District Council on 24 May 2004 based on subdivision plan 16916 dated 20 April 2004 prepared by S&L Consultants Ltd (S&L). A variation was approved by the Tauranga City Council on 18 September 2007 for the proposed development on the area known as Stage 2 at The Lakes.

Construction of Stages 2I and 2N has been undertaken at two different times. Bulk earthworks were undertaken on all lots by Grasshopper Farms Ltd in 2008 and 2009. These stages of subdivision were then completed during January to April 2013 in accordance with resource consent RC 16807 dated 3 October 2012 issued by Tauranga City Council based on HG scheme plan 132631-2K-RC01 rev 2.

During the second January to April 2013 construction period minor modifications were only undertaken to lots 763 to 766 during the construction of Ellesmere Close.

Condition 12 of the approval required that

The Consent Holder shall provide to the Council a "Geotechnical Completion Report" compiled by a Category 1 Geo-Professional. The report shall

Comply with the Councils IDC QA4 requirements

- Display the position of all designated building platforms and building restriction lines where applicable;
- Provide recommendations for the ongoing development of the lots (i.e. maximum cut/fill heights, management of steep slopes, etc.);
- Confirm earthworks and/or building platforms have been constructed to comply with the New Zealand Building Code requirements;
- Certify that any residential settlement or differential settlement that may still occur shall not exceed the manufacturer's recommendations with respect to the installed underground pipe networks to be vested in Council or exceed accepted design techniques with respect to road settlement or long term deflection, or exceed the settlement limitations as detailed in the New Zealand Building Code.

Pursuant to Section 128 of the Resource Management Act 1991, the Council may review this condition, upon receipt of the "Geotechnical Completion Report", and require a Consent Notice to be registered on the Certificate of Title of any allotments to which the recommendations of the "Geotechnical Completion Report" relate to.

This report has been prepared for the Section 224C Certificate application for DP 463737 and describes the earthworks undertaken in the formation of Stages 2I and 2N and summarises the suitability of the prepared ground in cut and fill for future urban housing development. The report states the relevant standards adopted for the placement of filling to support residential buildings and recommendations for developing future building sites.

2.0 Original Landform and Geology

The landform prior to the commencement of the Lakes development in 2004 comprised:

- Elevated areas along the eastern side as a central plateau described locally as the Te Ranga Tablelands. These areas have been variously used for farming and horticultural cropping. The existing Pyes Pa residential area further to the east had been established on similar level areas of the same elevation.
- Lower lying areas mainly along and adjacent to the Kopurererua Stream to the west and extending eastwards.
- Transitional slopes of varying steepness between the lower lying areas and the elevated central plateau. Re entrant erosion gullies were present on some of these slopes but most were uniform in slope gradient, albeit steep in some locations.

The geological setting for the development area can be derived from the publication:

Occasional Report 22 – Department of Earth Sciences University of Waikato

"Geology of the Tauranga Area" by Briggs et al – 1996

Stages 2I and 2N are located on the transitional and elevated areas within the eastern side of The Lakes development area and the original geology can be described from preconstruction subsoil investigations to comprise

- Taupo volcanic zone tephras comprising Rotoehu ash (light grey sand) overlaid by brown or yellow post Rotoehu ash being coarse grained silts, sandy silts and sands.
 These are collectively referred to as "younger ashes" and overlay
- "Older" ash derivative strongly weathered clay textured tephra beds and palaesols (Hamilton ash) overlaying

- Older terrestrial and estuarine sediments deposits of the Matua subgroup of the Tauranga formation. These may comprise a wide variety of lithologies
- Te Ranga ignimbrite being white-grey pumiceous sands and coarse silts.

3.0 Presubdivision Investigations

Prior to obtaining approval for the original development on 24 May 2004, a comprehensive geotechnical assessment was undertaken by S&L. The subsequent report that accompanied the consent application was titled "Pyes Pa West Urbanisation Development, Geotechnical Assessment Report, reference 16944" and was dated October 2003.

Fifty two machine drilled boreholes and twenty six excavated pits were used to identify the subsoils that are present on the development area.

Additional boreholes were put down during earthworks in 2008 to identify the continuity of the subsoils present in the upper ground and to provide data for stability analyses subsequently undertaken for the design of the slope profiles established by the site earthworks between the upper areas of Stages 2J and 2K and the lower areas within Stages 2I and 2N.

The presubdivision investigations concluded that:

- The soils to be obtained in areas of cut on the higher ground would be suitable for placement as filling to support future houses although some conditioning may be required so that placement would be near optimum moisture contents.
- Areas of higher ground away from the areas of peat and not to be disturbed by construction earthworks would be suitable for the support of future houses in accordance with NZS 3604.
- As the volcanic ash stratigraphy varies in type and relative strength, foundation bearing conditions may vary across building sites formed in areas of cut.
- Similar variations in soil type may be encountered in road subgrades and insitu testing would be required to determine pavement depths applicable to the subgrade conditions present.
- The peat soils can be removed to depths governed by the capability of the earthmoving machinery on the site and the cost effectiveness of removing the peat and undertaking its replacement with filling obtained from elsewhere within the subdivision development area.

4.0 Scope of Subdivision Earthworks

Large scale earthworks were undertaken in the Stage 2I and 2N areas in the 2008-2009 earthworks season by Hick Bros Earthmoving. As shown on 20302-01 in Appendix 1, the site development earthworks in cut removed a substantial volume of soil for placement elsewhere within The Lakes development. In the areas within the Stage 2J development above Stages 2I and 2N the original plateau was reduced in height by up to 8 to 10 m. In order to achieve the regular slope gradients of 1 in 2 that had been determined by analysis to provide adequate stability above Stages 2I and 2N, as shown on 20302-02, cut depths of up to 25 m took place. Significant depths of cut occurred on lot 759 (25 m), and on lots 769 and 770 (16 to 20 m).

As the cut depths range from 0 to 25 m on the Stage 2I and 2N areas, all of the soil types described in 2.0 above are likely to be present at various locations at the finished ground levels on the lots.

Filling was placed at the head of a former gully in 2008 as part of construction of Kennedy Road. This filling extended into lots 760 and 761 as indicated on 20302-01.

Subdivision filling was placed in 2009 within lots 665 to 667 and lots 751 and 766 to depths of up to 1.2 m as shown on 20302-01. This filling was mainly placed to provide cover to the realigned natural gas main which was installed in the reserve area between stages 2I and 2N.

These earthworks were undertaken in compliance with consent 62387 issued by the Bay of Plenty Regional Council.

Following detailed design of the Stage 2N development by HG, additional minor earthworks were undertaken during the construction of the Stage 2N roading and services by Higgins Contractors in the 2012-2013 earthworks season. These earthworks comprised

- (a) A further reduction in ground levels in cut by up to 1.5 m at the rear of lots 770 and 771
- (b) A further reduction in ground levels in cut by up to 0.75 m in lots 768, 769, 773,774 and 775
- (c) A further reduction in cut of up to 1.25 m and down to design road subgrade levels at the cul de sac head of Ellesmere Close
- (d) The construction of retaining walls up to 1.2 m high along the roadside boundaries of lots 769, 770, and 772 to support cut faces.
- (e) The placement of minor depths of additional filling up to 0.75 m deep on lots 755 to 759

The extent of these earthworks is shown on HG drawing 132631-2N-AB220 contained in Appendix 1.

5.0 Earthworks Standards

The performance specification required of the contractors for the earthworks of 2008 and 2013 was based on the guidelines contained in NZS 4431:1989 "Code of Practice for Earthfill for Residential Development". Compliance with the compaction requirements listed below satisfies the standards listed in Section 7 of the NZS 4431.

Air voids percentage (as defined in NZS 4402: Part 1:1980)

- Average value less than 10% (any 10 tests)
- Maximum single value 12%

Undrained shear strength (measured by in situ vane)

- Average value not less than 150kPa (any 10 tests)
- Minimum single value 100kPa

The earthworks were observed by engineering staff from S&L for the work in 2008 and 2009 and from HG in 2012 - 2013. Compaction and strength control testing was undertaken by IANZ accredited Opus International Consultants Ltd and Coffey Geotechnical during the Lakes development, both on site and in their Tauranga laboratories. Tests were undertaken by Coffey in lots 760 and 761 and their test results are listed in Appendix 3. Opus tested filling placed in Lakes Boulevard opposite Stage 2I but no tests were undertaken by Opus in

the shallow filling placed on Stage 2I. For the filling placed in lots 665, 666, 667,751, 756 and 766, S&L undertook tests in the post construction boreholes with a shear vane.

6.0 Recommendations for Development

6.1 Post Constructing Testing

Post construction machine drilled or handaugered boreholes were put down under the management of S&L on each lot at locations shown on drawing 20302-03 in Appendix 1. These boreholes were generally 2.0m deep in accordance with the recommendations in NZS 3604:2011 and were intended to show soil types and continuity and to confirm the ground bearing conditions for shallow building foundations.

As the boreholes were being drilled undrained shear strengths were recorded with a hand held shear vane pushed in advance of the auger. Where sandy soils were encountered, a Scala penetrometer was used to test the relative strengths of the cohesionless soils.

At some post construction borehole positions minor filling is noted on the borelog sheets in areas of cut. It is likely that the soils noted as filling may have either been placed to level areas of cut locally or may have been disturbed as natural soils from the passage of bulk earthmoving equipment. At all of these test positions the minor depths of filling were found to have been compacted to the construction standards listed in 5.0 above.

Summary logs of the soils found in the post construction boreholes are in Appendix 4. The soils found in the boreholes in areas of cut and their strengths determined in the boreholes are summarised in table 1 on page 8. The boreholes indicated the varying soil types that may be present at building foundation levels in the areas of subdivision cut.

In each post investigation borehole the undrained shear strengths in the cohesive soils (clayey silts and silts) were variable but were mainly very high. Where cohesionless soils (sands and silty sands) were present, the Scala penetrometer tests achieved blow counts that averaged 4 or more per 100mm of penetration.

The post construction boreholes showed that perched groundwater levels were present on lots 769 and 770 below 1.5m, while, on other lots, some of the subsoils in the boreholes were noted as being wet or saturated. If groundwater is encountered in excavations or as seepage from cut faces professional, engineering advice should be sought on methods to capture and reticulate away the surplus groundwater through the stormwater reticulation that serves each lot.

6.2 <u>Subdivision Construction Filling</u>

Supervised structural filling, as shown on S&L drawing 20302-01 in Appendix 1, was placed at the time of the bulk earthworks during 2009 and is present on lots 665 to 667, 751, 760, 761, 765 and 766. This filling was placed in accordance with the methods and standards quoted in NZS 4431 and discussed in Section 5.0.

Compaction testing on site confirmed that a high and uniform degree of compaction had been achieved and is therefore suitable for the support of buildings with shallow

surface foundations. Some post construction boreholes that encountered the filling also confirmed this suitability.

During the construction of Stages 2I and 2N in 2013, minor additional filling was placed on lots 755, 766 and 757. This filling is not more than 0.75 m deep as indicated on HG drawing 132631-2N-AB220 in Appendix 1. Testing showed this filling to be of adequate compaction to be suitable for the support of shallow foundations detailed to NZS 3604.

A statement in support of the suitability of the filled areas for the erection of buildings is contained in Appendix 2 of this report in the format of Form G2 of the Council Infrastructure Development Code. This statement meets the requirements of NZS 4431 and therefore the filled ground may be considered as good ground in terms of Section 3.1.3 of NZS 3604:2011.

However, within areas of structural filing on which buildings may be erected, the possibility of variations of soil type and strength may exist away from observation or compaction test locations. The normal inspection of foundation conditions during construction of buildings by competent tradesmen as described in NZS 3604 and/or by building inspectors should therefore be undertaken. If, for any reason, areas of low soil strength are found, professional geotechnical engineering advice should be sought.

<u>Table 1</u>
Summary of Subsoil Types As Determined from Post Construction Boreholes

Lot No.	Depth of Cut (m) average over lot	Soil Type		Shear Strength or Scala Penetrometer
				Range Over Borehole
661	1.0	Adia - Citi		Depth of 2.0m (kPa)
662	1.0	Minor fill over silts, sands		101-162
663	1.0	Minor fill over clayey sandy silts	#	87-200+
664	0	Minor fill over silts and sands	,,	98-149
665	0	Clayey and sandy silts	#	200+
666	0	Fill over clayey silts	#	200+
667	0	Fill over clayey silts Fill to 1.5m	#	200+
007	U	1111 to 1.5111		200+ Scala 13-R/100
751	0	Fill to 1.5m		Socia 6.1/100
752	0-2.0	Minor fill over sands, clayey silts		Scala 6+/100 61-200+
753	2.0	Minor fill over silty sands, sands		Scala 2-7/100
754	2.0	Clayey silts	#	200+
755	3.0	Minor fill over sandy silts, sands		200+ Scala 2-3/100
756	4.0	Minor fill over silty sands	#	Scala 2-11/100
757	7.0	Sands , silts	"	200+ Scala 6-8/100
758	15.0	Sands		Scala 5-8/100
759	20.0-25.0	Minor fill over sands	#	Scala 9-R/100
760	0- 22.0	Minor fill over sands	#	200+ Scala 7-11/100
761	0-9.0	Clayey silts, sands		200+ Scala 5-9/100
762	0-6.0	Minor fill over sands	#	200+
763	2.0	Silty sands		Scala 3-11/100
764	3.0	Sands, silts		Scala 13-R/100
	0-7.0	Silty sands	#	Scala 9-R/100
10.1	0-6.0	Fill to 0.9m over sands		200+ Scala 9-12/100
	6.0	Sands		Scala 4-R/100
768	11.0	Sands	#	Scala 15-R/100

769	13.0	Sands	Scala	6-R/100
770	15.0	Sands	Scala	5-R/100
771	15.0	Sands	Scala	3-9/100
772	12.0	Sands	Scala	6-R/100
773	4.0	Sands #	Scala	2-11100
774	4.0	Sands	Scala	3-5/100
775	4.0	Minor fill over sands	Scala	2-12/100
776	10.0	Sands	Scala	9-R/100

NOTE

based on boreholes 1m deep soil types based on descriptions in Section 2.0 of this report R = refusal at 15+ blows per 100mm

6.3 Areas of Cut

As shown on 20302-01 and described on table 1 and in the borehole logs, the varying depths of cut over most of the Stage 2I and 2N areas have exposed a number of different soil types and strengths immediately below the topsoil overlay. These soils vary from the more friable younger ashes (clayey silts and sandy silts) to the pumiceous sands and silts which are representative of the underlying weathered Te Ranga ignimbrite.

The recorded undrained shear strengths where cohesive soils are present (clayey and sandy silts) indicate that the soils at likely foundation depths in the areas of cut are generally of high strength but the ranges of undrained shear strengths listed on the borehole log sheets and summarised on table 1 indicate that variations in shear strengths may be present vertically and horizontally away from the test positions. Similarly, the Scala penetrometer results in the sands that are likely to be present at and below the foundation levels showed that while these soils may be compact, there are variations in the compaction densities and therefore differing ground bearing capacities would be applicable for the detailing of building foundations.

For all lots located in the areas of cut, the ultimate ground bearing capacity in the limit state may be taken at 300kPa for the detailing of surface foundations and this capacity meets the definition of "good ground' as defined in NZS 3604: 2011.

However, the possibility of variations of soil type and strength or compaction may exist away from observation or post construction borehole locations. If the subsoils at foundation excavation levels are found to be of lower strength or have been disturbed by earthworks machinery during any further site development, foundations detailed in accordance with NZS 3604:2011 may have to be deepened or widened under engineering advice. This may require additional on site testing specific to the building that is to be erected and the calculation of actual ground contact pressures under foundations by a structural engineer. It may be found that the actual ground bearing capacities determined by additional testing are not exceeded for foundations detailed to NZS 3604.

6.4 Land Stability Considerations

To assess the finished profiles that were formed on the steep sloping ground that rose above Stages 2G to the north and 2I and 2N up to the Stage 2J areas to the east, investigation boreholes were put down under the supervision of S & L Consultants Ltd by Perry Drilling Ltd during April 2007. These boreholes supplemented the original subsurface data that was available from machine drilled boreholes in September 2003 on the upper plateau.

The boreholes put down in April 2007 were located at the crests of the original slopes below Stage 2J and at intermediate lifts on the slope faces on the haul tracks for the bulk earthmoving equipment. From this borehole data and the existing slope geometry it was derived, by analysis, that the sloping ground between the upper and lower stages had to be reduced in gradient to not more than 26 degrees (1 on 2) to provide acceptable factors of safety against slope failure. In plotting these slope angles and providing for an intermediate berm for slope maintenance and also as an extension of the cycle and walkway through the subdivision, it was found that the surface ash soils would be removed by the recontouring earthworks leaving the Te Ranga ignimbrite to be mostly exposed on the cut faces.

The stability of the slopes, so formed in cut above Stages 2I and 2N, was discussed in the geotechnical completion report submitted to Council titled "The Lakes Development, Stages 2D, 2F, 2G, 2J, 2K, 2L and 2M inclusive — Report on Earthworks and Recommendations for Development," reference 18264 and dated August 2008. Slope cross 1 described in that report was analysed above Stage 2I. In that analysis the computed factors of safety were

Lower Slope		Upper Slop	е	Total Slope)
Fully Drained	Raised Ru	Fully Drained	Raised Ru	Fully Drained	Raised Ru
1.83	1.43	1.78	1.34	1.94	1.50

These stability factors of safety are in excess of conventionally accepted values.

The slopes that rise above lots 759 to 762 and 767 to 776 are of similar or lesser gradients and therefore these properties below those slopes within Stages 2I and 2N are considered to be unlikely to be the subject of a future natural hazard in the form of erosion or slippage. This degree of stability would be maintained by the Council in their role as the building consent issuing authority and also as the administrators of the reserve area above the lots by ensuring compliance with the recommendations in the geotechnical completion report for Stage 2J that stated that

- the slope faces in the reserve are maintained with a dense grass and plant cover.
- the properties above the slopes are developed so that no surface water flows can occur over the slope faces. Surface water should be collected and be piped to the stormwater outfalls on each lot that were installed as part of the subdivision development
- even though permeable soils may be present, ground soakage is not to be used as a means of disposing of stormwater runoff on the lots above the slopes

On lots 770, 771 and 772 minor earthworks were undertaken at the bases of the slopes during the subdivision construction to increase the near flat areas at the rear of those lots. These earthworks have not steepened or undercut the existing slopes above those lots and therefore the stability of the slopes has not been compromised.

On lots 769, 770 and 772 where retaining walls are present along their road frontages, buildings or any additional filling should not be located within 1.5m of the backs of those walls.

Surface water should be collected and be piped to the stormwater outfalls on each lot that were installed as part of the subdivision development. Even though permeable soils may be present' ground soakage is not to be used as a means of disposing of stormwater runoff on the lots.

7.0 Future Building on Sloping Ground

Sloping ground is present on all lots in Stages 2I and 2N. Level building sites may be developed by cutting and filling as required. Cut batters could expose soils that may be variable. Batters higher than 1.5 m or steeper than 45 degrees should be retained because the exposed soils may be subject to future erosion. Walls of that height require a specific design and approval by way of a building consent. The designer should check the subsoil conditions where vertical poles are to be embedded in drilled holes. It is not appropriate to construct walls that are not more than 1.5 m high when the cut batters that may be subject to future erosion are higher than 1.5 m.

Any filling shall be placed to comply with the definition of good ground in terms of NZS 3604. Such filling is to be placed under professional engineering management. The engineer would advise compaction standards to be adopted based on the soil types to be used as the filling material.

8.0 Lots 1061 and 1065

Lots 1061 and 1065 are located in the Stage 3 development area at The Lakes. Past earthworks in the area of lot 1065 were managed by Coffey Geotechnics NZ Ltd in 2008. At that time the area of lot 1065 was investigated by Coffey on behalf of Powerco who intended to erect a residential building structure in which a transformer was to be housed.

Coffey undertook a number of subsoil investigations on Lot 1065 and the scope of their investigations and conclusions reached were described in their investigation report of 9 December 2008, to Powerco. A copy of that report and attachments is within Appendix 5 of this report.

In their report Coffey advised that

- the subsoils comprised subdivision filling up to 3.0 m deep overlaying natural ground comprising stiff clayey and sandy silts. The filling had been placed under Coffey's management to replace surface peats and other low strength soils
- the risk of liquefaction at the site is low
- induced settlements under the mass of the transformer on a concrete pad would be in the range of 14 to 43 mm
- for the specific design of the transformer pad an ultimate bearing capacity in the limit stage of 150 kPa would be applicable, but for other residential type buildings an ultimate bearing capacity of 300 kPa would be applicable.
- while not stated in the text of the report Coffey showed a building restriction line along the southern and western sides of the lot as shown on their diagram 02 to position any future buildings away from underlying peat that was not removed during the site development earthworks as shown on Coffey drawing 03 in the report. The building restriction line is shown on DP 463737.

From the Coffey report it is reasonable to assume that proposed lot 1065 would be suitable for the support of buildings detailed to NZS 3604:2011 provided that the building restriction line is observed. If the property is to be used for specialist structures outside of the scope of NZS 3604, the Coffey site data should be reviewed by a geotechnical engineer. The engineer may undertake their own additional tests to verify the Coffey data or to address subdivision conditions that are applicable to the support of the intended structure.

A wastewater transfer pumping station has been constructed on lot 1061. Specific investigations were undertaken by Coffey and the results of these investigations were incorporated in the design and subsequent construction of the pump station.

9.0 Topsoil Thicknesses

During the subdivision earthworks areas of cut or fill were initially stripped of topsoil and this was then replaced to target depths of up to 300mm. No guarantee is implied or given that the topsoil on any part of any lot is 300mm deep or less and it is recommended that future owners or builders check topsoil depths when preparing site development plans and cost schedules.

10.0 Professional Opinion

A statement in the format of Councils Infrastructure Development Code (Form G2) that all lots are suitable for building is contained in Appendix 2. This statement is accompanied by Form G3 which summarises the information and recommendations within this report.

In accordance with subdivision consent condition 8, it is recommended that the content of this report is advised to future owners of the 33 lots within Stages 2I and 2N of the development at The Lakes by a consent notice on the certificates of title for all lots.

11.0 Applicability

Recommendations contained in this document are based on data from pre and post subdivision boreholes, observations of soil exposures during earthworks, and the results of tests in filling placed. Inferences about the nature and continuity of subsoils away from these locations are made but cannot be guaranteed.

In all circumstances, if variations in the subsoils occur which differ from those described or are assumed to exist, the site should be inspected by an engineer suitably qualified to make an informed judgement and provide advice on appropriate improvement measures.

This report has been prepared specifically for the proposed subdivision development on Stages 2I and 2N of The Lakes development as shown on DP 462245 and no responsibility is accepted by S & L Consultants Ltd for the use of any part of this report for other development sites without their written approval.

S & L Consultants Ltd

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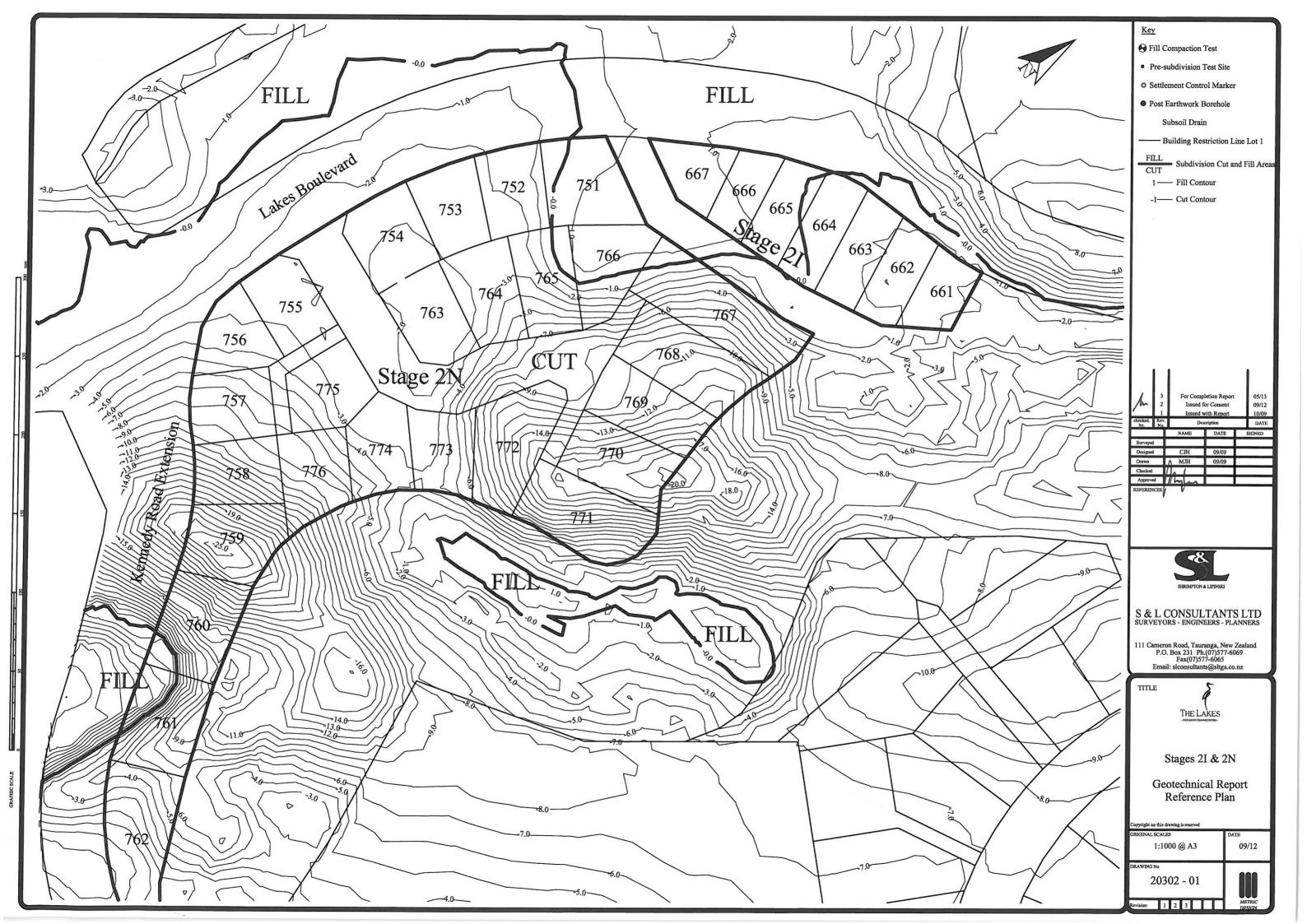
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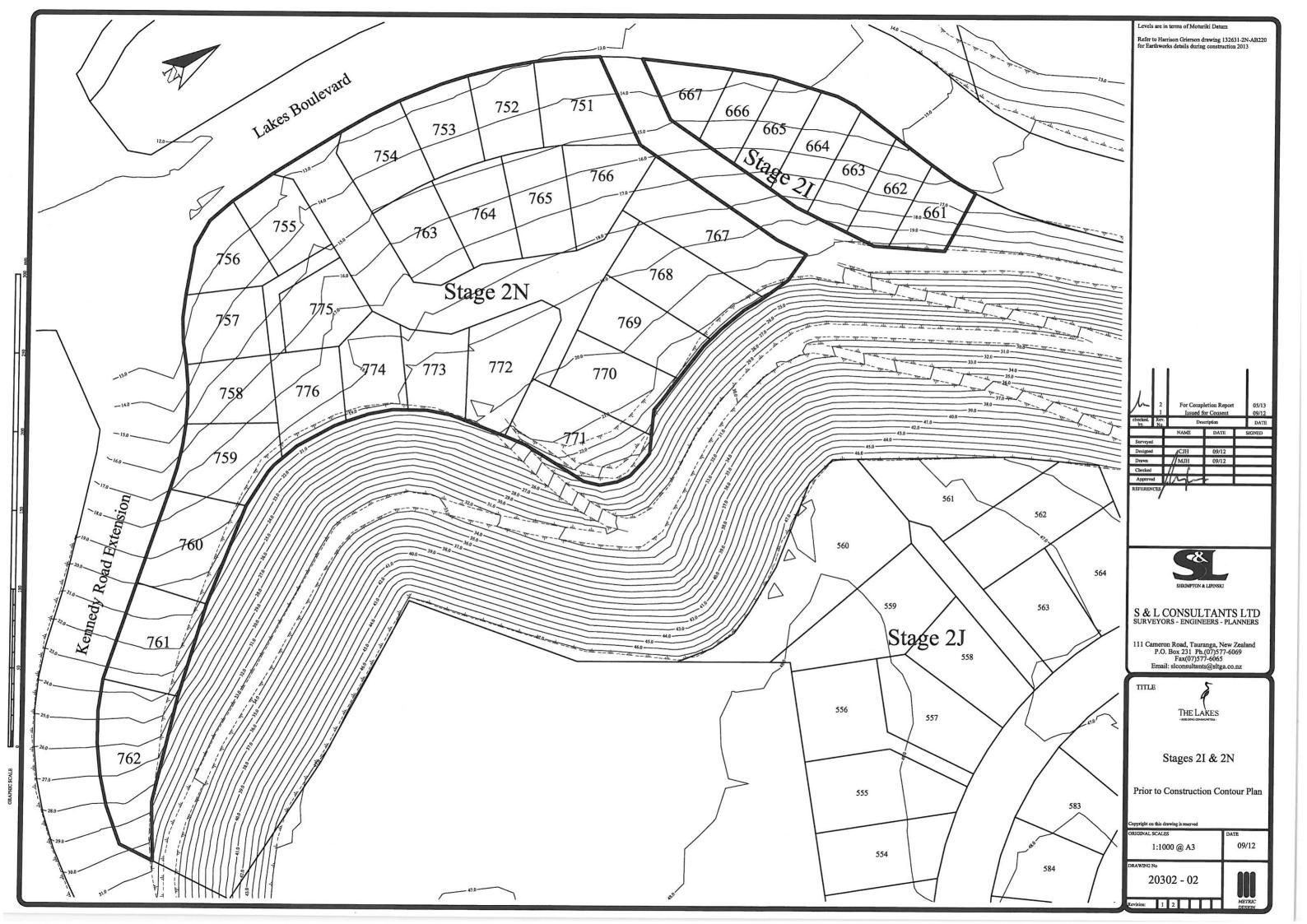
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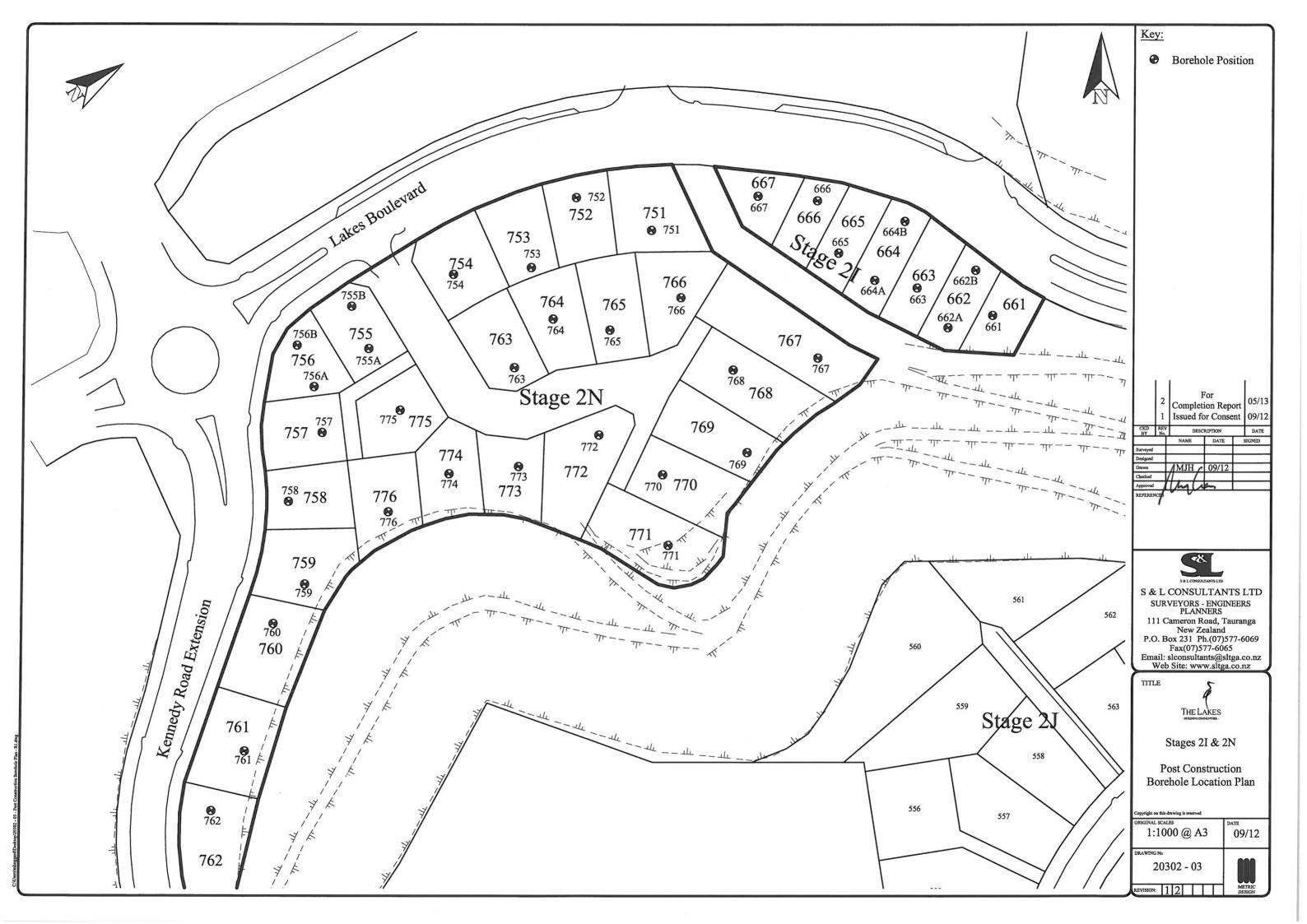
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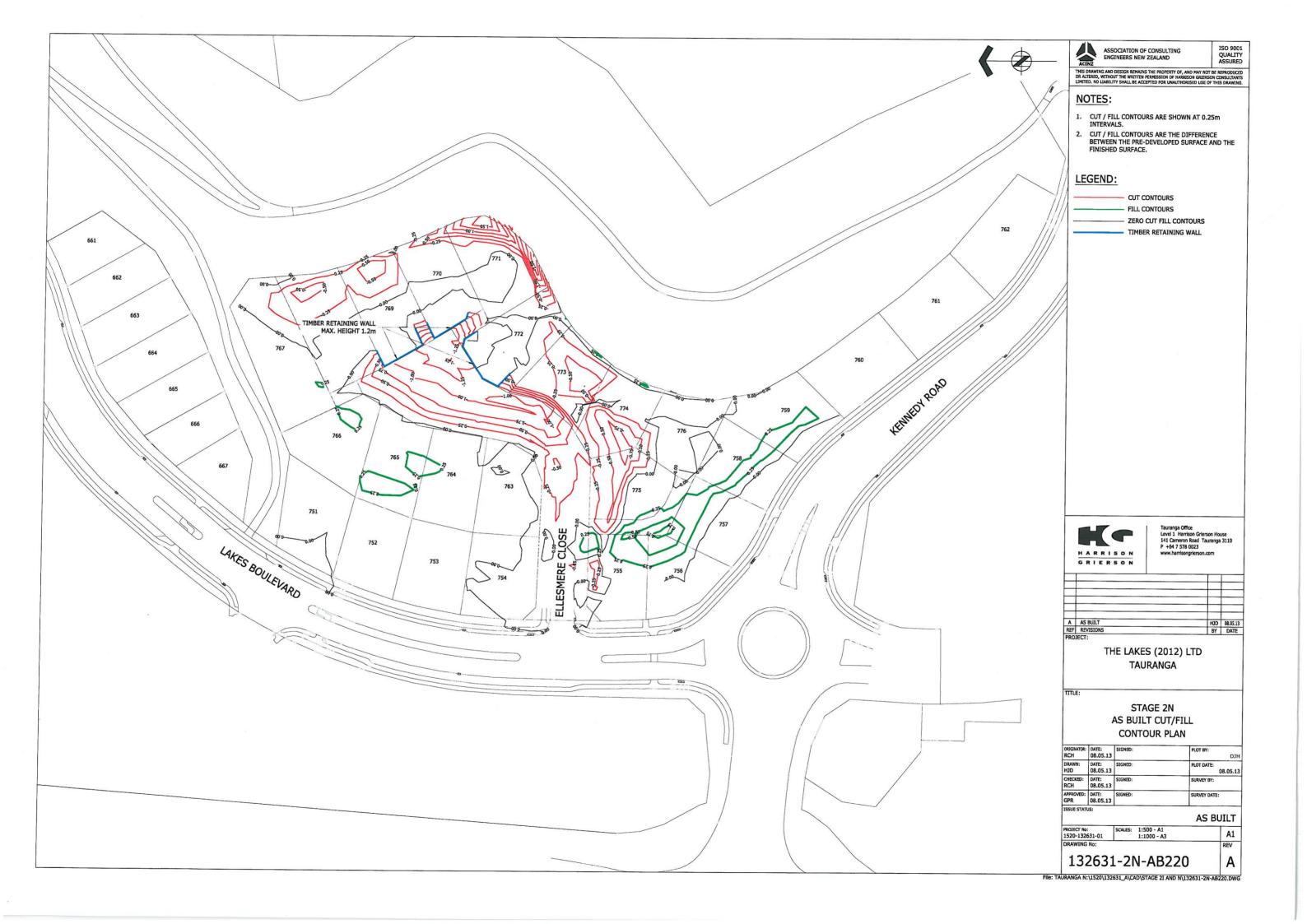
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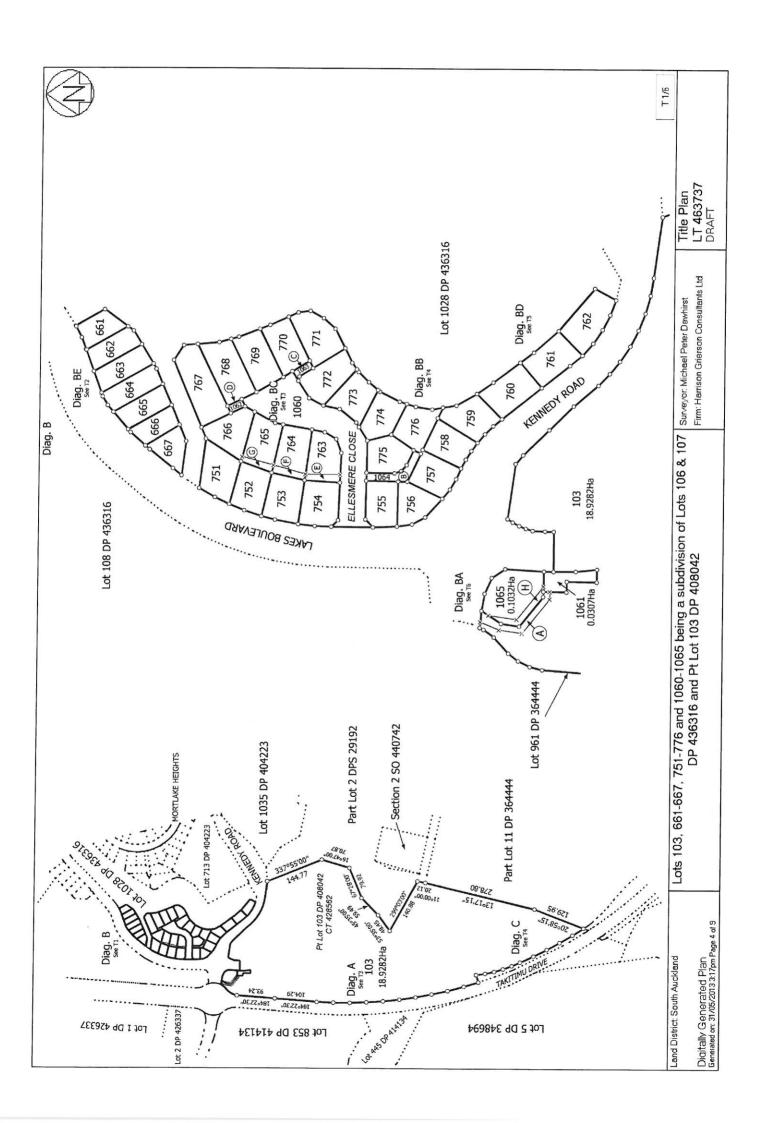


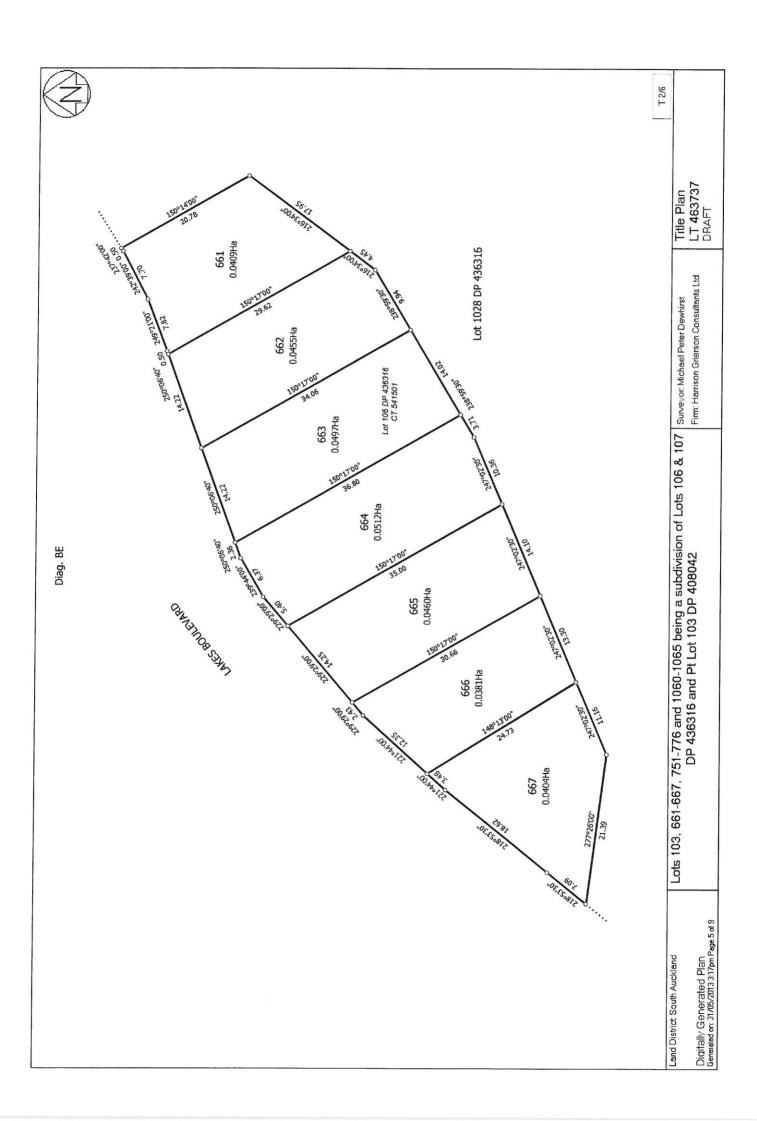


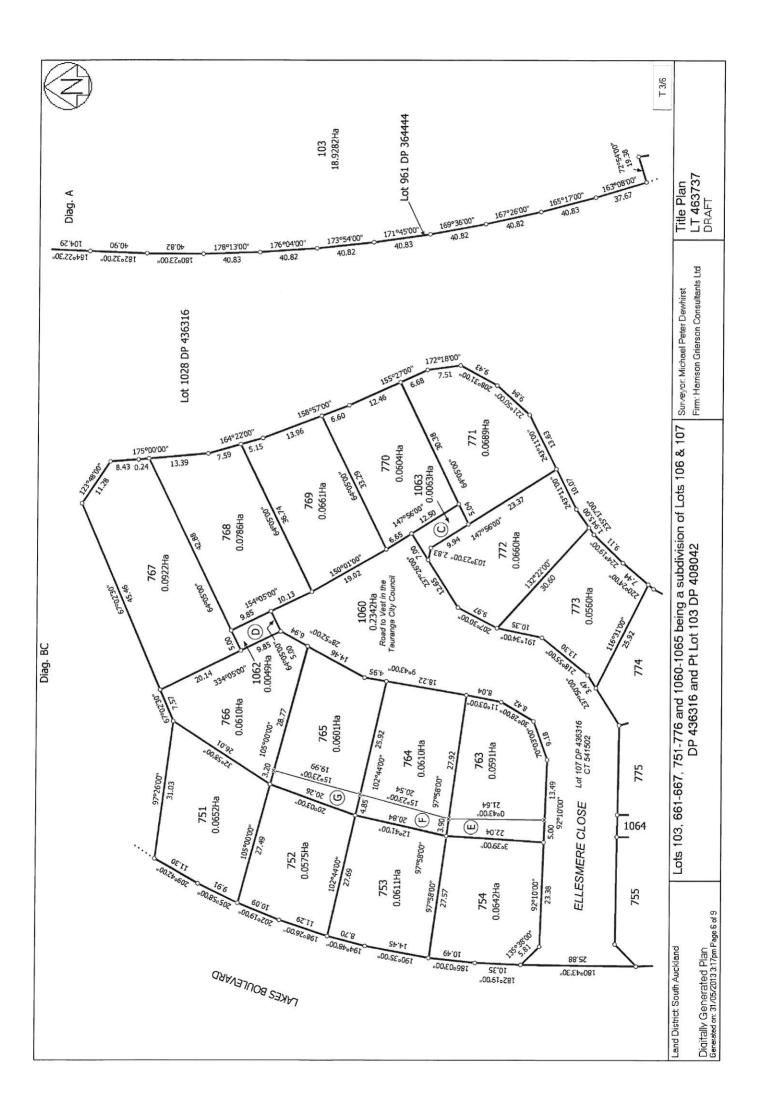


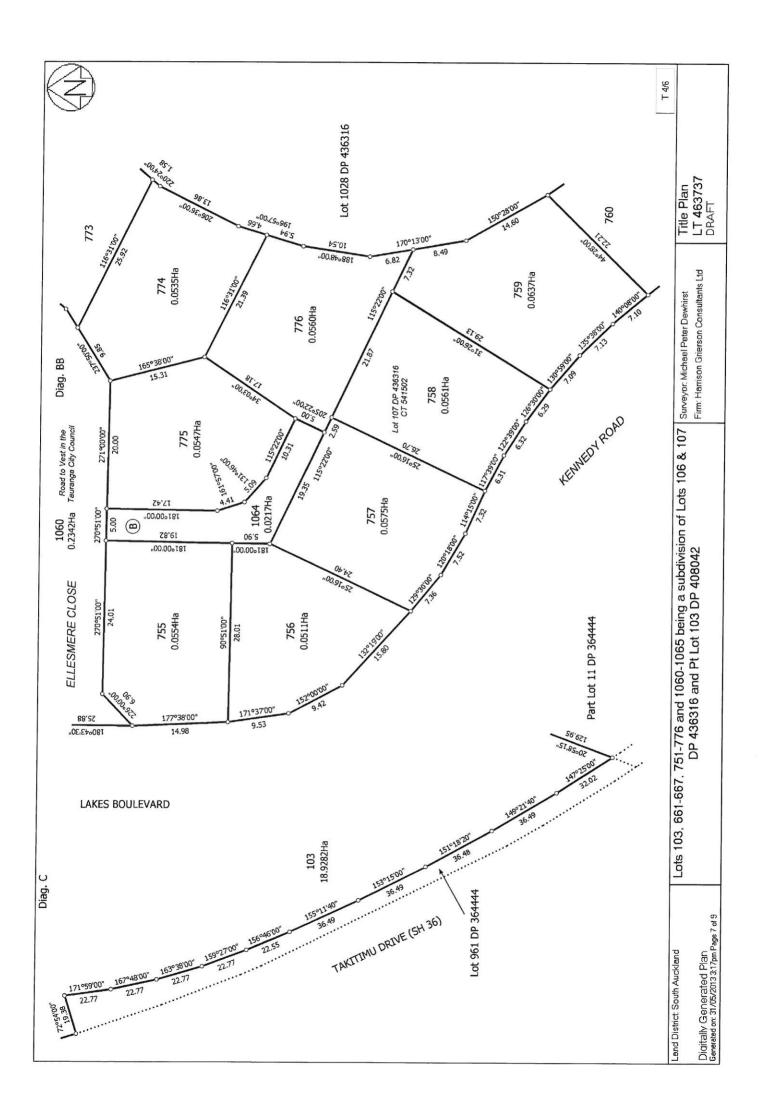


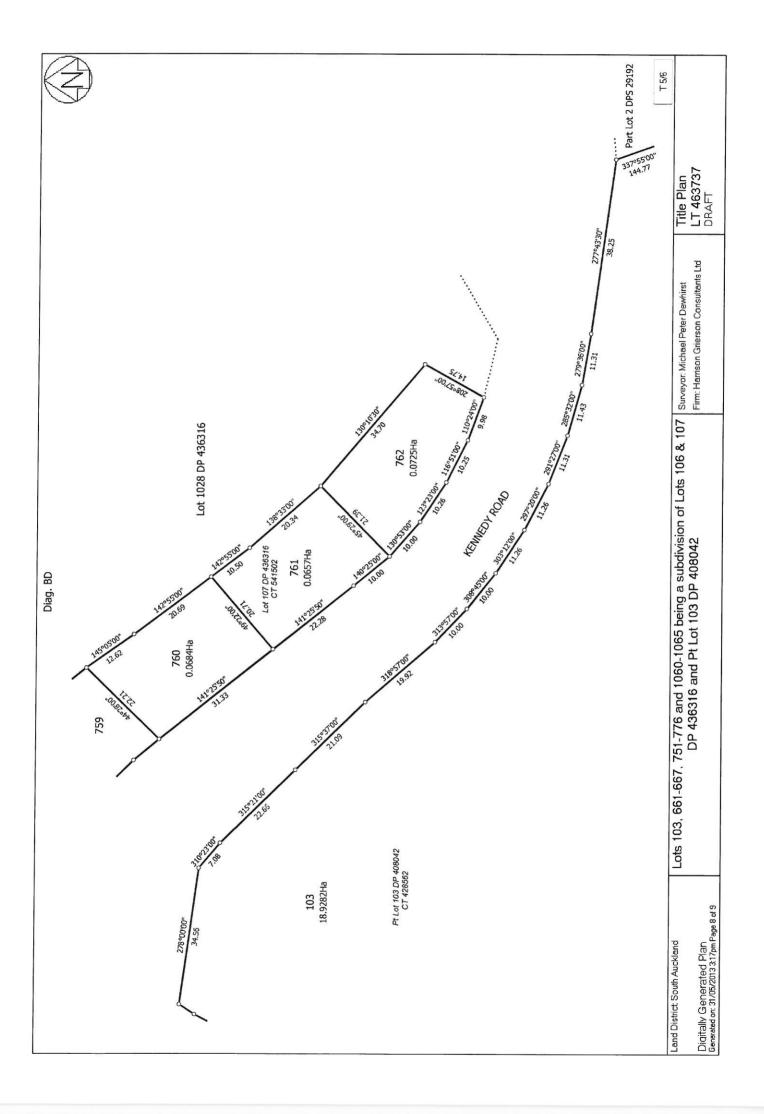


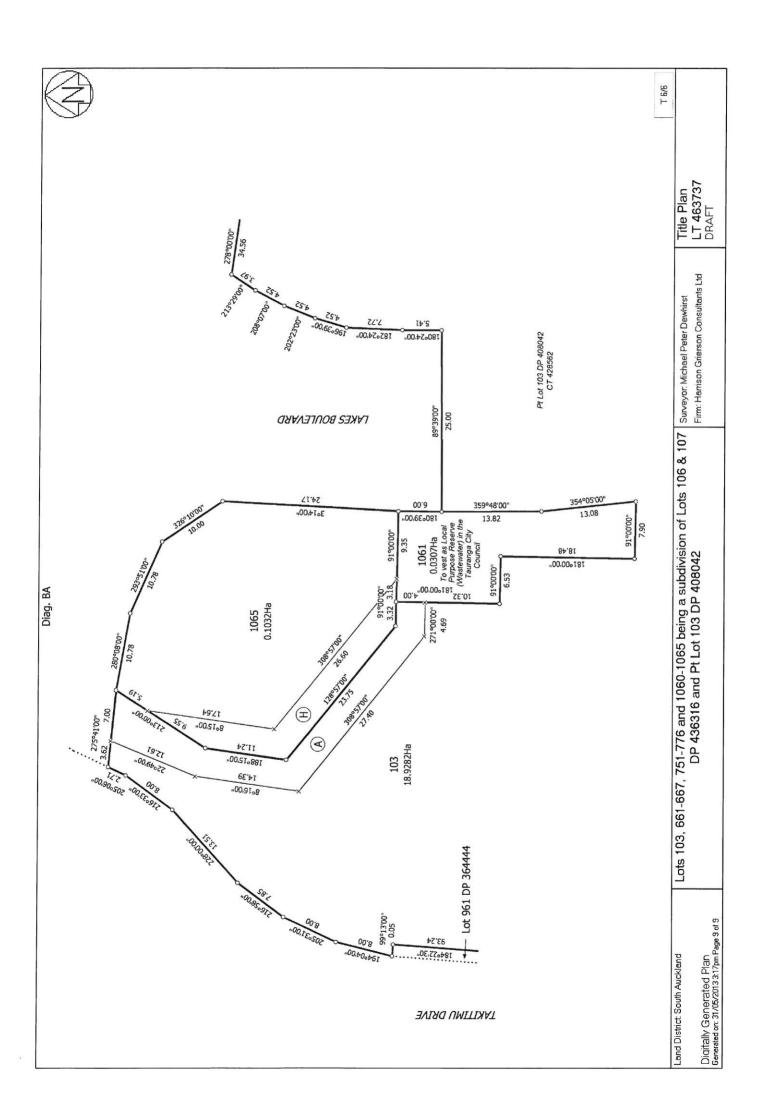












Appendix 2 Certificates

Infrastructure Development Code Form G2 Infrastructure Development Code Form G3

CERTIFICATION

G2

STATEMENT OF PROFESSIONAL OPINION AS TO THE

GEOTECHNICAL SUITABILITY OF LAND FOR BUILDING

	NAME OF SUBDIVISION	The Lakes Stages 2I and 2N
	COUNCIL FILE NUMBER RC No:	16807
	ENGR RESPONSIBLE FOR	M W Hughes
	INVESTIGATION:	
	QUALIFICATIONS:	BE CPEng MIPENZ
1	Michael William Hughes of	S & L Consultants Ltd

Hereby confirm that;

I am a professional person, appropriately qualified with experience in geotechnical engineering to ascertain the suitability of the land for building development and was retained as the Soils Engineer to the above development.

- 1. An appropriate level of site investigation and construction supervision has been carried out under my direction and is described in my development evaluation report dated 16 March 2013.
- 2. In my professional opinion, not to be construed as a guarantee, I consider that;
 - a) The areas shown in my report dated 16 March 2013 of each new allotment are suitable for the erection thereon of the building types appropriate to the zoning of the land, provided that, buildings are set back from easements, slopes or retaining walls as described in my report.
 - b) The earth fills shown on the attached Plans No. 20302-01 and 132631-2N-AB220 have been placed in accordance with the requirements of the Infrastructure Development Code.
 - c) The completed works give due regard to all land slope and foundation stability considerations.
 - d) The filled ground is suitable for the erection thereon of residential buildings not requiring specific design in terms of NZS 3604:2011 and related documents based on data from specific test sites.
 - e) The original ground not affected by filling is suitable for the erection of residential buildings not requiring specific design in terms of NZS 3604:2011 and related documents based on data from specific test sites but ground conditions may vary away from these test sites.
- 3. This professional opinion is furnished to the Council and the owner for their purposes alone, on the express condition that it will not be relieved upon by any other person and does not remove the necessity for normal inspections of foundation conditions at the time of erection for any dwelling.

Signed:

Date: 16 March 2013



PRODUCER STATEMENT SUITABILITY OF LAND FOR BUILDING DEVELOPMENT G2

Version 1 July 2011

SUMMARY OF GEOTECHNICAL DATA/RECOMMENDATIONS FOR INDIVIDUAL LOTS FROM IDC_ G3

Subdivision:

Location:

The Lakes St tages 2I and 2N Lakes Boulevard, Ellesmere Close, Kennedy Road, Pyes Pa

The comments and notations included on this summary sheet are outlined in the support documents.

These shall be read in conjunction with this summary.

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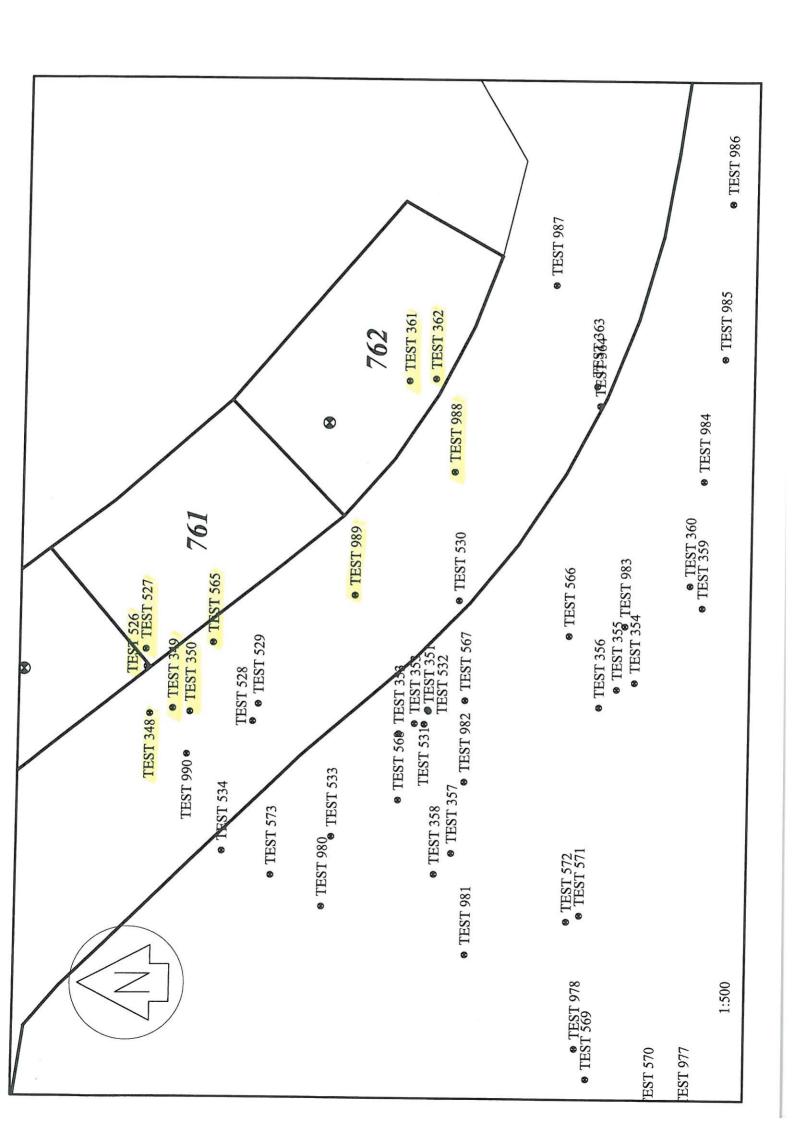


SUMMARY OF GEOTECHNICAL DATA FOR INDIVIDUAL LOTS

INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT CODE

Appendix 3 Test Results

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Appendix 4 Borehole Logs

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Appendix 5 Coffey Geotechnical Report - Lot 1065 (2008)



9 December 2008

Attention: Mr J Kingsford PowerCo PO Box 10-116 Mount Maunganui

Email. jon.kingsford@powerco.co.nz

Dear Jon

RE: Geotechnical Investigation Report for Proposed Substation Kennedy Road, Grasshopper Farms, Tauranga

1 INTRODUCTION AND SCOPE

Further to your instructions and in accordance with our agreed services proposal dated 15 August 2008, we have now completed our investigations into the subsurface conditions at the above site where it is proposed to establish a substation housing electrical equipment and a large transformer.

The scope of this report is specifically limited to the development of geological model for the site to enable an assessment to be made of the ground suitability for the proposed construction including foundation bearing capacity and settlement characteristics.

2 LANDFORM

Prior to recent earthworks development associated with Stage 3 of the Grasshopper Farms residential subdivision, the site was positioned over the toe of a fluvial terrace surface that dipped gently from RL12 metres (Moturiki Datum) at the eastern boundary onto a low-lying valley floor (RL7 metres) at the western boundary. The terrace deposits are typically underlain by firm to stiff in-situ volcanic ash and reworked volcanic sediments (silts and sands) while the valley floor is underlain by weak fibrous peat deposits and recent alluvium.

Earthworks have been completed, which involved the cleaning out of any peat from within the boundaries of the former lower-lying western part of the site and backfilling with engineer certified Filling. The balance of the site was stripped of Topsoil and filled with engineer certified Filling to achieve a finished ground surface elevation at approximately RL11.5 metres (Moturiki Datum). The western edge of the embankment currently sits on or just inside the lot boundary but is to be extended by Grasshopper Farms within the next few months.

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3 DEVELOPMENT PROPOSAL

We understand that the site is to maintain its current level to support the construction of a proposed single level residential type building structure occupying the majority of the building footprint and that the footprint will be confirmed pending receipt of this report.

The building is to house a large transformer weighing 35,300kg sitting on a reinforced concrete foundation measuring 2.5×4.5 metres in area. No other significant heavy structures or unusual loading conditions are proposed to our knowledge.

4 SITE INVESTIGATIONS

The subsurface conditions within the site were investigated by drilling a series of 5 hand auger boreholes in conjunction with in-situ shear vane tests to depths of up to 5 metres below the current ground surface. These tests were following by putting down a series of 8 Cone Penetrometer Tests (CPT's) using a Geoprobe rig supplied by Perry Drilling Limited.

The test locations are presented on the appended site plan and a copy of soil test results together with detailed descriptions and depths of strata encountered are appended.

5 SUBSURFACE MODEL

The geological conditions below the site, as encountered at our borehole and CPT locations and giving consideration to the local geological setting are presented on the appended long section and summarised as follows:

- Filling was encountered at all borehole locations and comprised clean compacted ash and pumice that returned vane shear strengths (corrected) exceeding 150 kPa and thereby meeting the project earthfill specification. CPT cone resistances within the Filling ranged from qc = 1 to 16 MPa and averaging 2 to 4 MPa.
- Four of the boreholes terminated in dense Fill materials at depths of between 1.3 and 2.5 metres.
 Fill depths across the site have therefore been determined from the remaining two boreholes (borehole 05 and 06) and CPT data where they ranged from 0.5 to 3.5 metres (average 2.3 metres). The Fill depth generally increased from east to west.
- As observed in boreholes 05 and 06, the fill was underlain by variable clayey silts (reworked volcanics) with thin organic lenses, which were well consolidated returning vane shear strengths (corrected) of 150 to 180 kPa. CPT data shows that these deposits extend to depths of 6 to 10 metres (average 8 metres) and returned cone resistances of qc = 1 to 2 MPa.
- These were underlain by medium dense to dense sands with cone resistances of 10 to 20 MPa but with inter-bedded 1 to 2 metre thick silt lenses (qc = 1 to 2 MPa) to depths of 20 metres.
- Standing groundwater levels were recorded in the open CPT holes on completion at depths of between 3.6 and 4.7 metres below the current ground surface.

6 EVALUATION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

6.1 Liquefaction

Liquefaction is an occurrence in predominantly loose saturated sandy and low plasticity silty soils that are subject to intense cyclic (earthquake) loading involving the reversal of shear stresses. The process involves the transfer of effective stresses to the pore water resulting in a total loss of strength, recompaction of the soil grains to a more dense state and subsequent strain or settlement as excess pore water pressures are released.

At this site, the weaker reworked volcanics that were encountered below the water table were typically of a cohesive nature such that they would have a low potential to exhibit liquefaction based on grain size criteria. The sand layers that are typically susceptible to the liquefaction process were predominantly medium dense to dense such that they would resist the typical cyclic stress ratios produced during the design 500 year return period earthquake event. Any potentially liquefiable loose sand layers are generally of limited thickness (less than 1 metre).

Based on this and the fact that the site also contains a dense / very stiff crust of unsaturated Filling, any surf manifestations associated with liquefaction of any deeper thin loose soil layers should be minimal and should not warrant further design considerations.

6.2 Fill Induced Settlements

The placement of a compacted fill raft across the site has increased the loading conditions on the underlying natural soils such that they could have exhibited some settlement. The most settlement prone materials were however over-excavated from below the recently constructed fill embankment to expose a relatively stiff subgrade.

Preliminary fill induced settlement predictions were completed based on available CPT information by calculating stress increases below a superimposed 3.5 metre deep embankment load and adopting correlations with soil modulus following the method of Schmertmann.

Settlements predicted by this method ranged from 96 to 209mm, the average value being approximately 150mm.

The embankment has been in place for several months and it is our experience with the bedded fluvial volcanic soils that dissipation of excess pore water pressures occurs rapidly such that t_{90} or the time at which the majority of the settlement has occurred is typically no more than 6 months. We also note that a temporary 2 to 3 metre high stockpile of soil was recently placed across the western part of the site for storage purposes, which would have also had a pre-load effect on the underlying subgrade.

The potential for ongoing fill induced settlements affecting the proposed building construction are therefore considered negligible.

6.3 Foundation Settlement

The proposed 35.3 tonne transformer is to sit on an $11.25 \,\mathrm{m}^2$ pad foundation producing a foundation load of 35.3 kPa. The potential for settlement of this foundation was assessed following the CPT based soil modulus correlation method described above with results summarised as follows:

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Results show that where fill depths exceed 2 metres, predicted settlements range from 14 to 22mm, which are relatively low and expected to be within the structural designers tolerances. Greater settlements of up to 43mm are predicted across the eastern part of the site where fill depths are reduced and therefore positioning of the heavy transformer away from these areas would be advisable to minimise any foundation settlements.

We understand that the remaining building structure will be supported on shallow strip and pad foundations similar to conventional residential buildings. Stress increases associated with foundation loads on these footings should therefore be restricted to the dense / very stiff fill crust such that differential settlements should be negligible.

6.4 Foundation Bearing Capacity

Subject to verification of the structural designers settlement tolerances and assuming that the proposed transformer will be positioned over the deeper stiff crust of engineer certified Filling within the central and western parts of the site, these soils should provide a geotechnical ultimate bearing capacity of 150 kPa for this proposed footing dimension (2.5 x 4.5 metres).

Elsewhere, a geotechnical ultimate bearing capacity of 300 kPa should be available for shallow strip and pad foundations containing a minimum plan dimension of no greater than 500mm.

6.5 Strength Reduction Factor

As required by Section B1/VM1 of the NZ Building Code Handbook, a strength reduction factor of 0.5 or 0.8 must be applied to any recommended ultimate soil capacity in conjunction with its use in factored design load cases for static and earthquake overload conditions respectively.

7 LIMITATION

This report has been prepared solely for the use of our client, Maunsell Limited, their professional advisers and the relevant territorial authorities in relation to the specific project described herein. No liability is accepted in respect of its use for any other purpose or by any other person or entity. All future users of this information should seek professional geotechnical advice to satisfy themselves as to its ongoing suitability for their intended use.

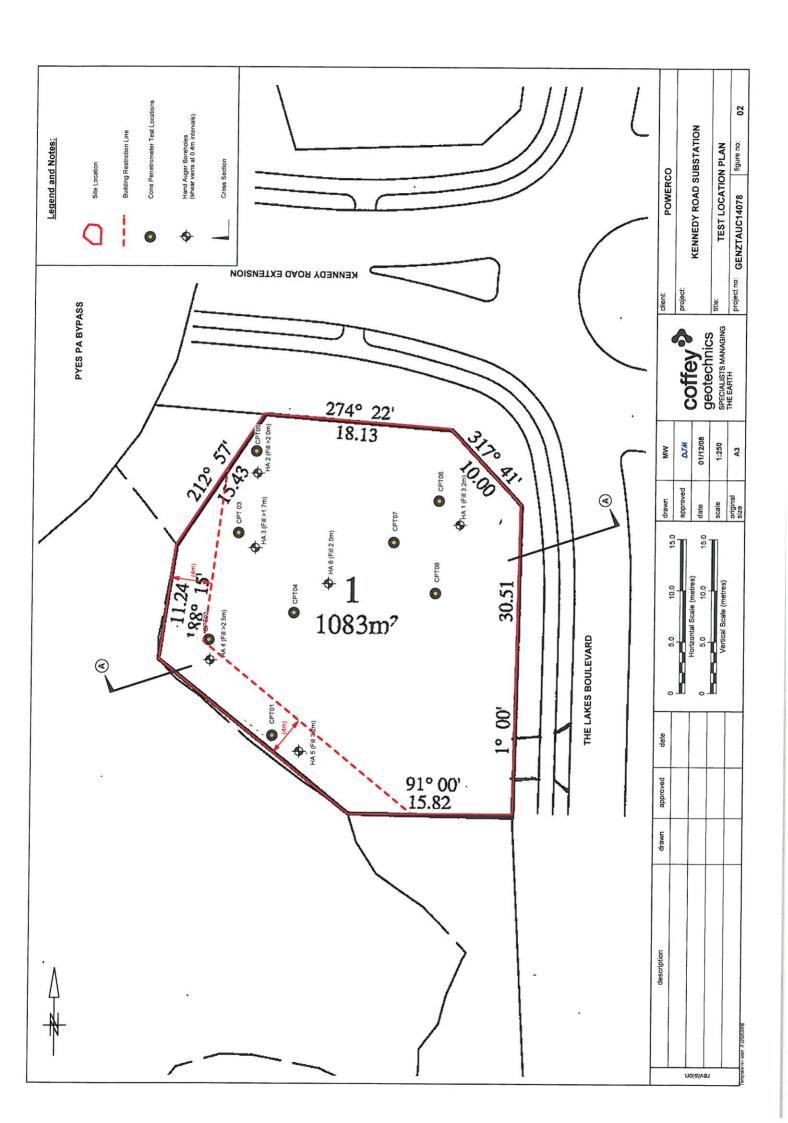
The opinions, recommendations and comments given in this report result from the application of normal methods of site investigation. As factual evidence has been obtained solely from boreholes and CPT's, which by their nature only provide information about a relatively small volume of subsoils, there may be special conditions pertaining to this site which have not been disclosed by the investigation and which have not been taken into account in the report.

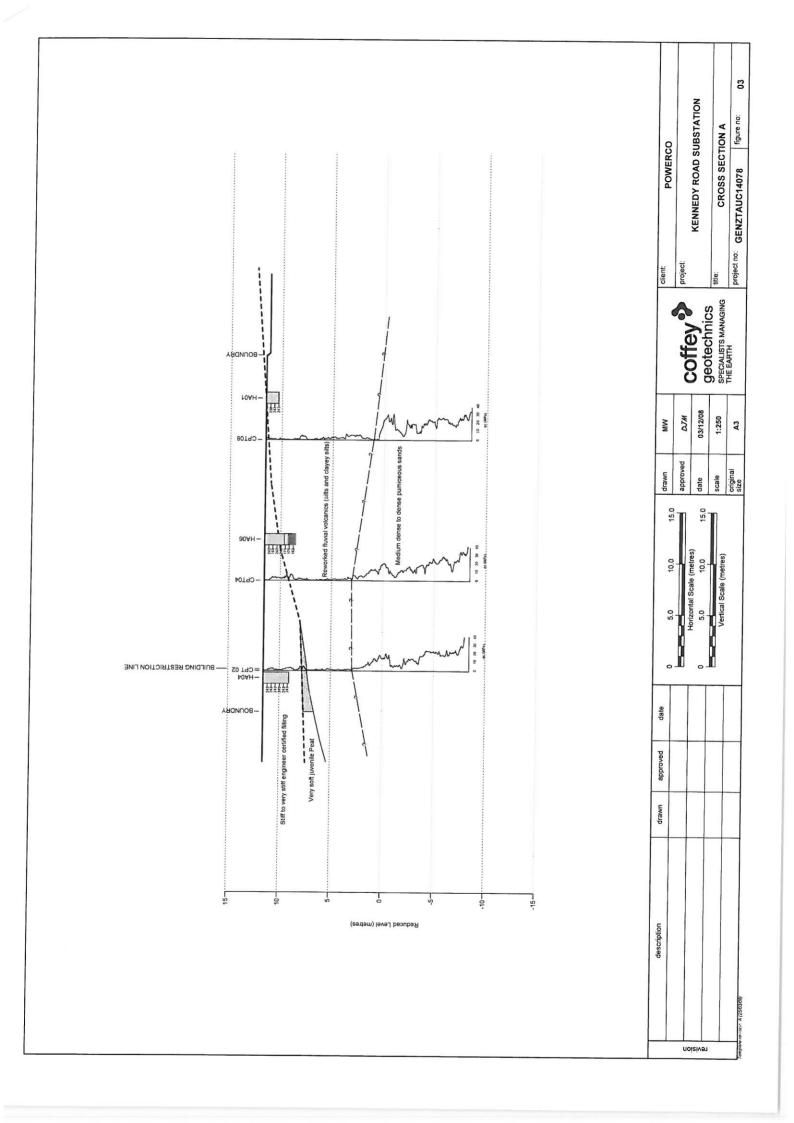
If variations in the subsoils occur from those described or assumed to exist then the matter should be referred back to us immediately.

For and on behalf of Coffey Geotechnics (NZ) Limited

DJ MORTON

Principal Geotechnical Engineer, MIPENZ (Geotechnical), CPEng







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