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New Residential Development, Hare Road, Great Plumstead - Offsite Highway Improvement Works

Introduction

Pritchard Civil Infrastructure Design Ltd has been instructed to carry out an assessment of the existing public highway issues locally around the proposed residential development along Hare Road, Great Plumstead.

Norfolk County Council Highways (NCC), provided comments (ref:20191938 Dated 23/01/20) which raised several concerns regarding the local highway network. These are:

- 1. Impact of the increase in vehicles trips from the proposed development on the local highway
- 2. Visibility at the junction of Hare Road and Middle Road / Church Road.
- 3. Accident history in the local area.
- 4. Width of Hare Road, along the development frontage, being sub-standard i.e. less than 5.50m in width.

Surveys

A site visit was conducted on 12/02/20 which confirmed the visibility issues and confirmed the current state of works on the "Phase 1" site adjacent to the proposed development along Church Road.

A speed survey was arranged, with the 7-day ATC sensors placed just north of the Hare Road / Middle Road Junction as shown below. The results of the speed survey confirmed that the average 85th percentile speed is broadly in line with the existing 30mph speed limit. A summary of the results has been attached to this report.



Hare Road ATC - Middle Road

A topographical survey was already available however it was extended / updated to include more detail around the junction in question and for the current state of construction of Phase 1.

A Stage 1 Safety Audit (RSA 1) was also instructed, by CJ Safety Audit, to look at the proposed improvement works options.

Engineering Assessment

Based upon the site visit, speed survey, topographical survey and RSA 1 by CJ Safety Audit; two options for improvements works are outlined below.

Option 1

Drawing C100-Bring forward the Giveway line on Hare Road / Middle Road. The max. visibility spay has increased from 21m to 25m. The existing visibility splay is better than currently described by NCC and bringing forward the Giveway line by approx. 1.65m will improve this further. By bringing forward the Giveway line on Hare Road, the Giveway line on Low Road has been adjusted to make sure there is a minimum of a 5.5m wide carriageway.

In terms of additional impact on the road network; NCC highway's own data shows that since the construction of the NDR, traffic flows in the local area have reduced significantly. The addition of 60 vehicle trips from this development and say 60 vehicle trips from the current bungalows under construction would mainly generate traffic flows to the south towards the NDR (say 75%). This would mean that there would be 80 trips to the south and 40 trips to the north per day. Based upon these trip rates, the additional traffic flows would not bring traffic flow numbers back up to the pre-NDR construction figures.

CJ Safety Audit have performed an RSA 1 Audit on this option. The initial design has been updated to reflect the comments on the alignment of the new kerb / Giveway line at the Hare Road / Middle Road



junction after the Giveway line is brought forward. There is still an outstanding issue that the proposed maximum visibility splay is less than the speed limit and it is recommend that traffic calming / speed reduction measures are proposed. Furthermore, CJ Safety Audit have obtained accident for the area that shows that only one junction related accident was recorded in the past 10 years (in icy conditions).

Option 2

Drawing C101-Bring forward the Giveway line on Hare Road / Middle Road. The max. visibility spay has increased from 21m to 25m. A visibility splay of 25m corresponds with a speed limit from Manual for Streets of 20mph. Therefore, it is proposed to introduce a TRO to reduce the speed through part of the village to 20mph. Speed limit signs have been proposed north and south of the development along Middle Road & Church Road. Furthermore, Speed Cushions have been proposed along Middle Road & Church Road to reinforce the 20mph speed limit around the junction in question.

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CJ Safety Audit have performed an RSA 1 Audit on this option. The initial design has been updated to reflect the comments:

- On the alignment of the new kerb / Giveway line at the Hare Road / Middle Road junction after the Giveway line is brought forward.
- Extent of the proposed Traffic Calming Measures
- Design of the speed cushions

Furthermore, CJ Safety Audit have obtained accident for the area that shows that only one junction related accident was recorded in the past 10 years (in icy conditions).

Other Items

Both options will benefit from road widening along Hare Road to give a minimum of 5.50m as shown on Drawing C102.

The NCC Highways officer, Lauren Sadd, was contacted regarding these options for comment prior to submission of the report. However, Lauren confirmed that she was unable to respond officially before the deadline of submission of this report for the Greater Norfolk Local Plan.

Both RSA 1's have been signed off as complete with all comments now satisfied where possible by the drawings provided.



Conclusion

Option 1

Due to the overall reduction in vehicle trips in the area due to the NDR, the accident record and the slight improvement in visibility that is proposed; it is considered that these improvements works will improve the situation compared with the pre- NDR condition. NCC formal comment is required.

Option 2

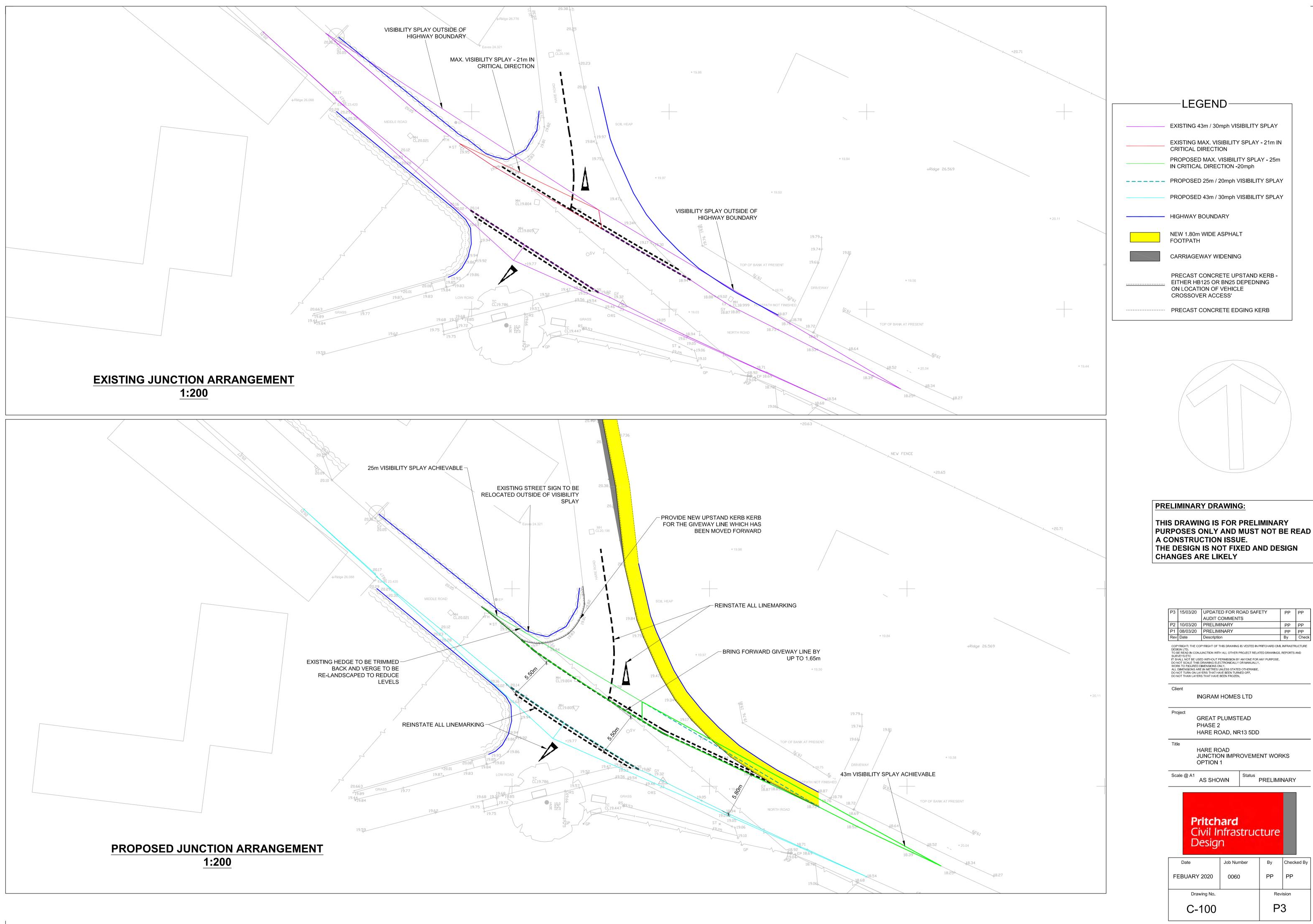
Due to the overall reduction in vehicle trips in the area due to the NDR, the proposed speed limit reduction & traffic calming measures, the accident record and the slight improvement in visibility that is proposed; it is considered that these improvements works will improve the situation compared with the pre- NDR and post development condition to the required safety standard. NCC formal comment is required.

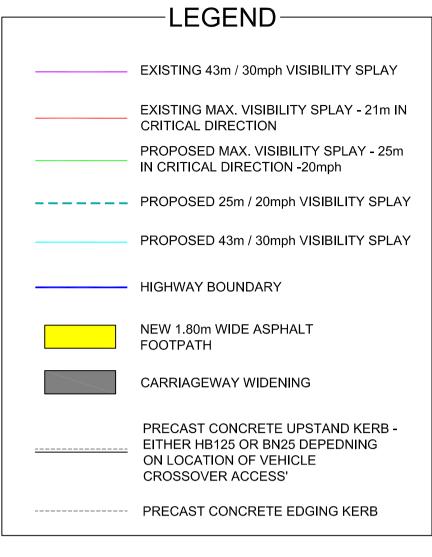
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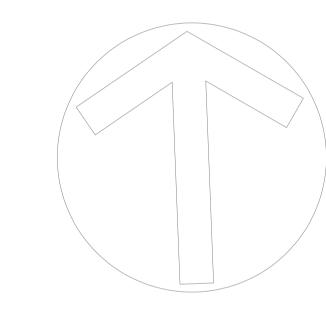
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Attachments:

General Site Photos Topographical Survey Speed Survey Summary Proposed Drawings Stage 1 Safety Audit - CJ Safety Audit







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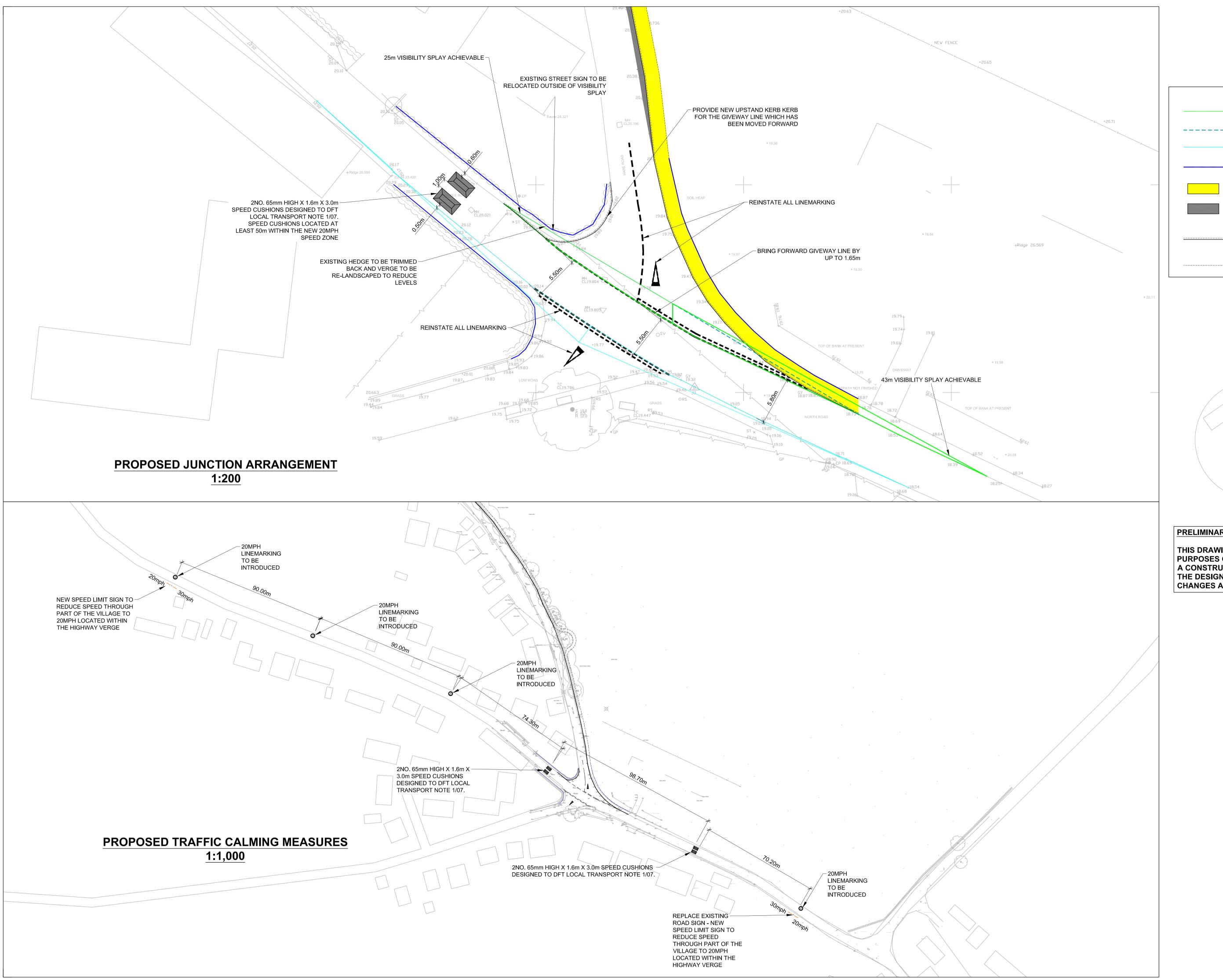
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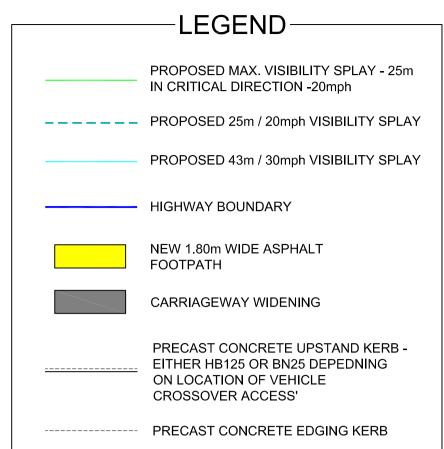
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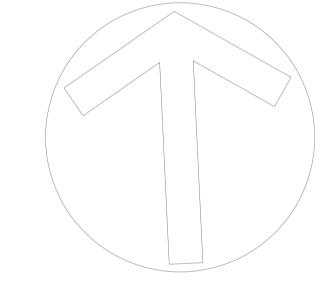
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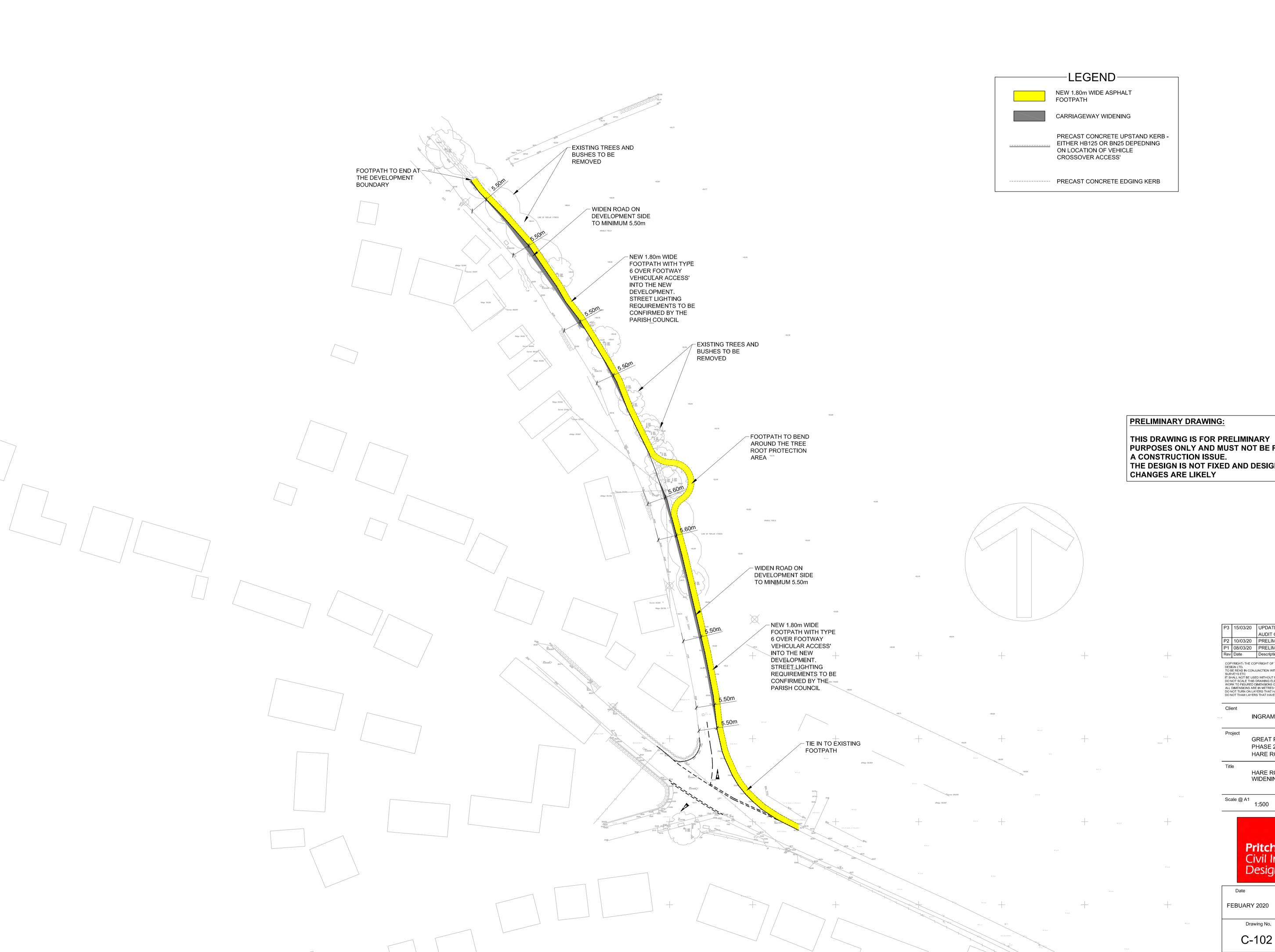
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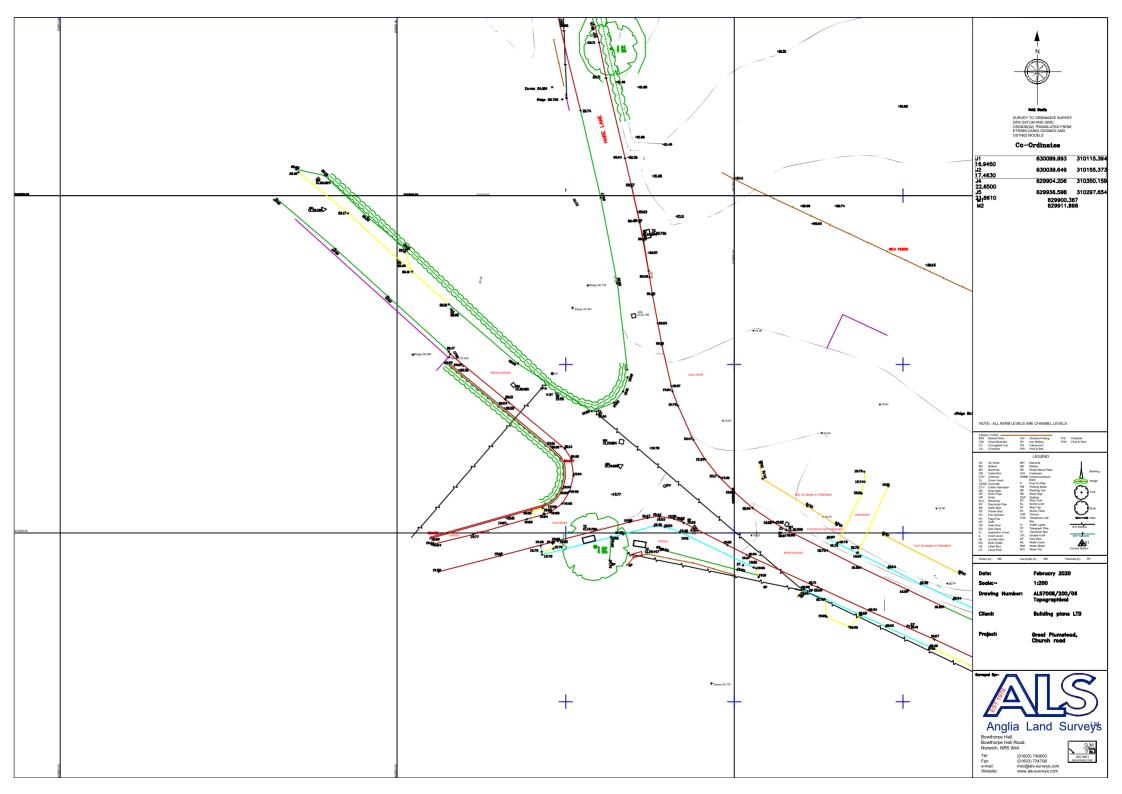
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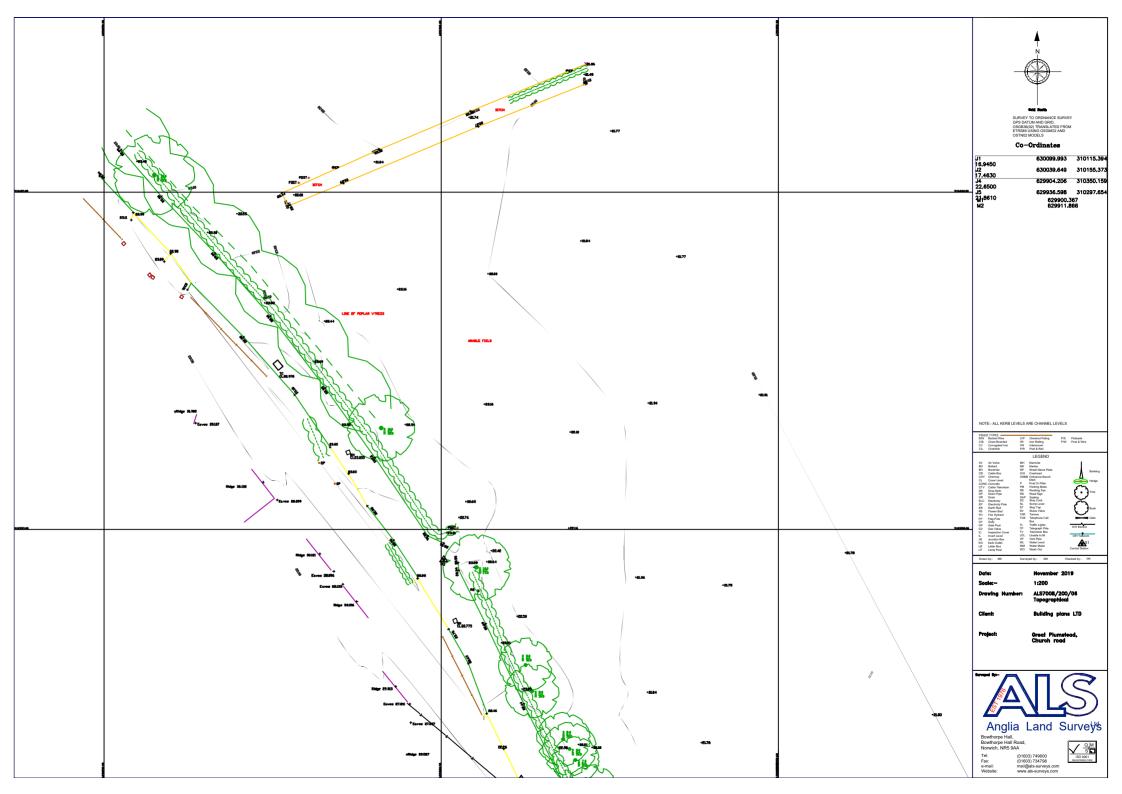
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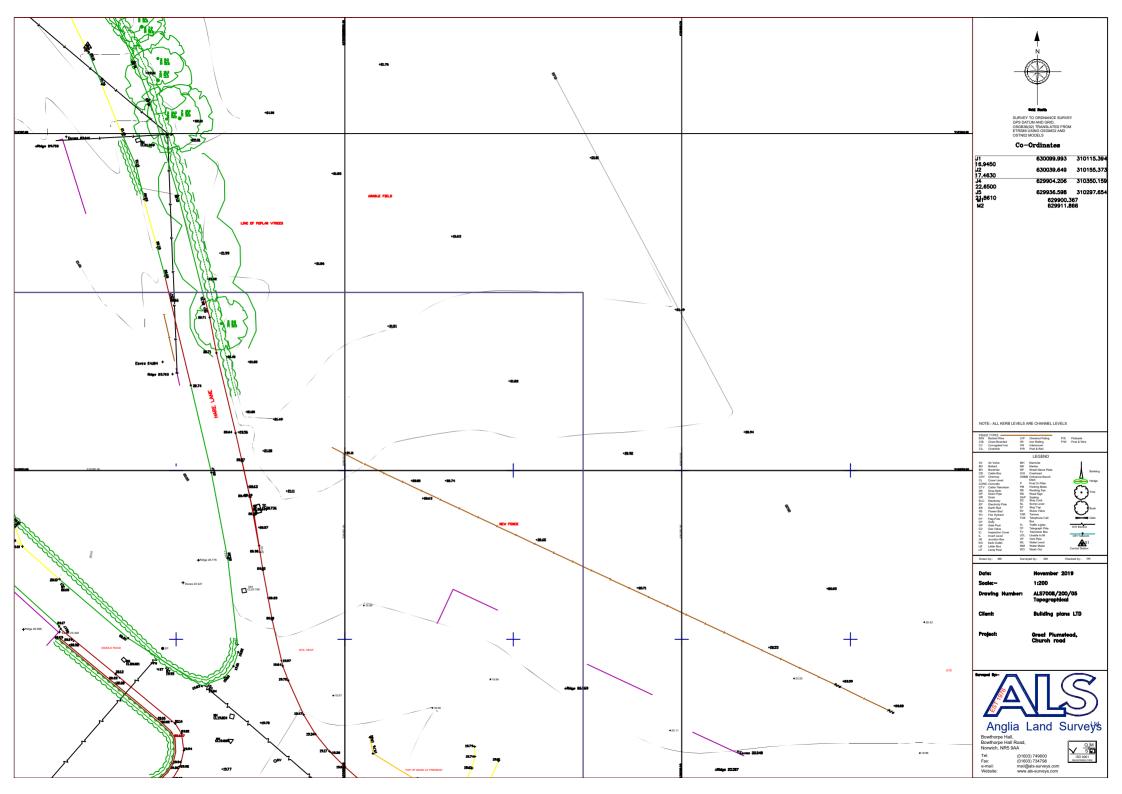
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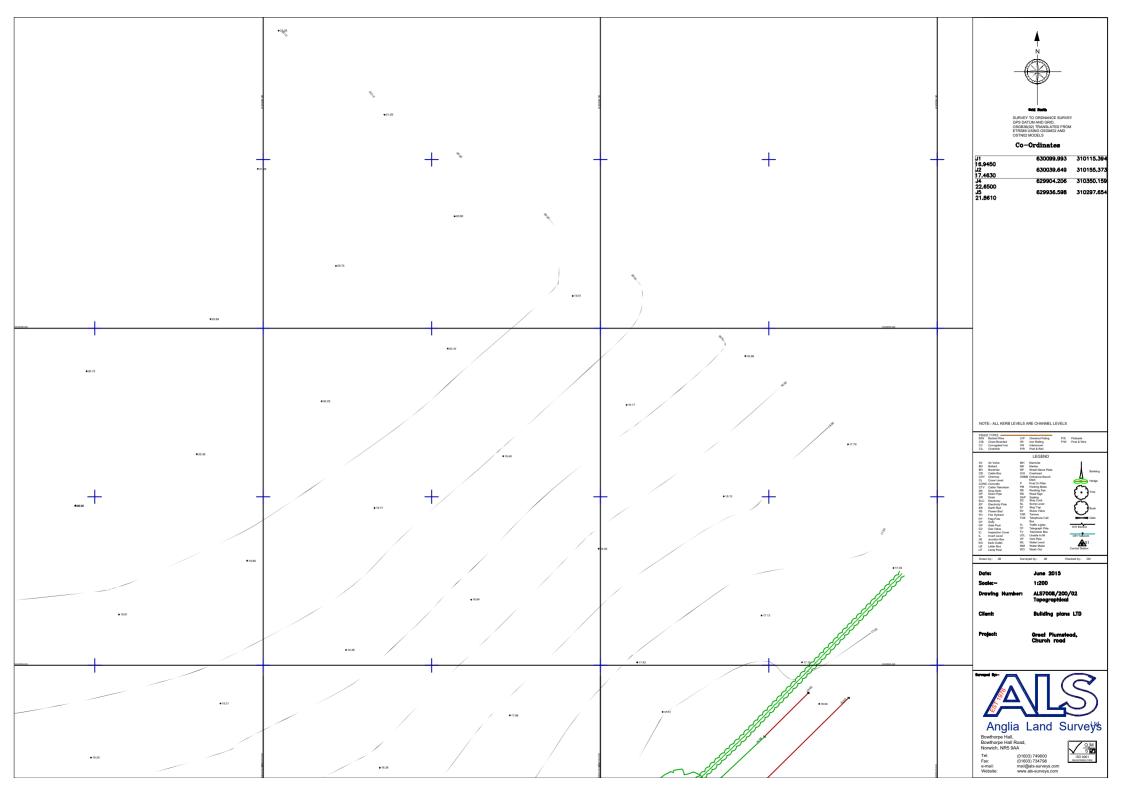
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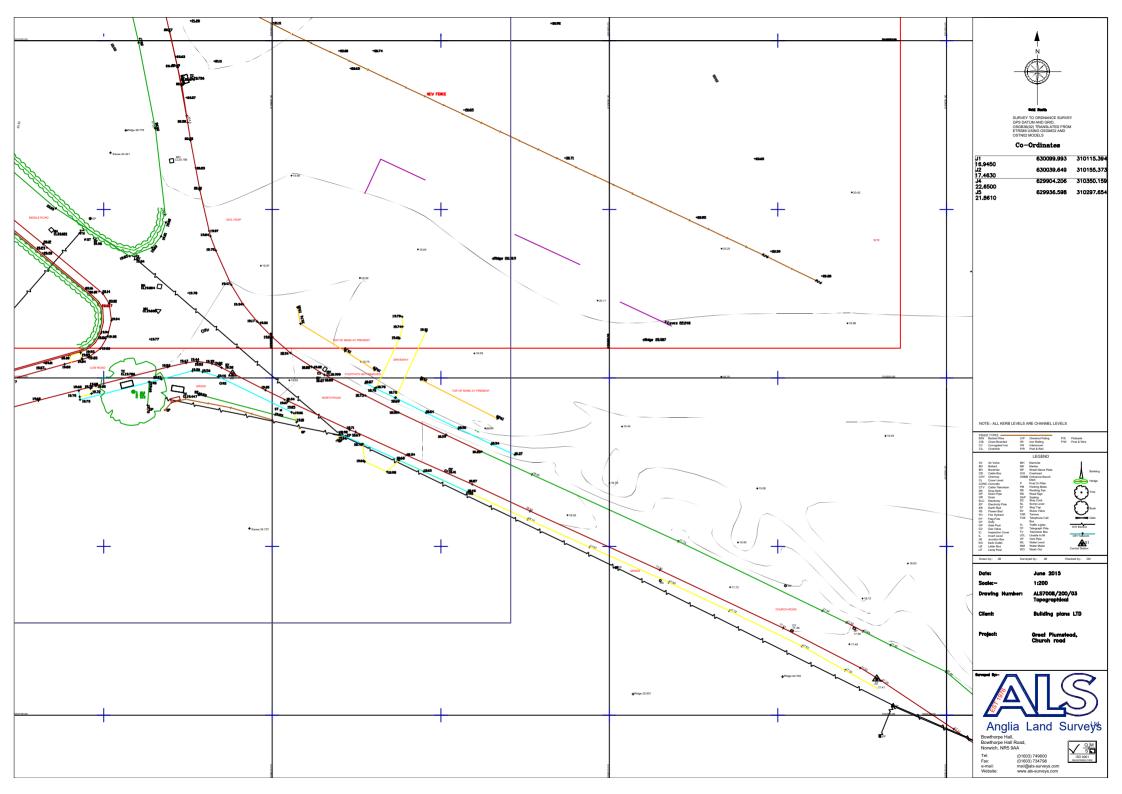
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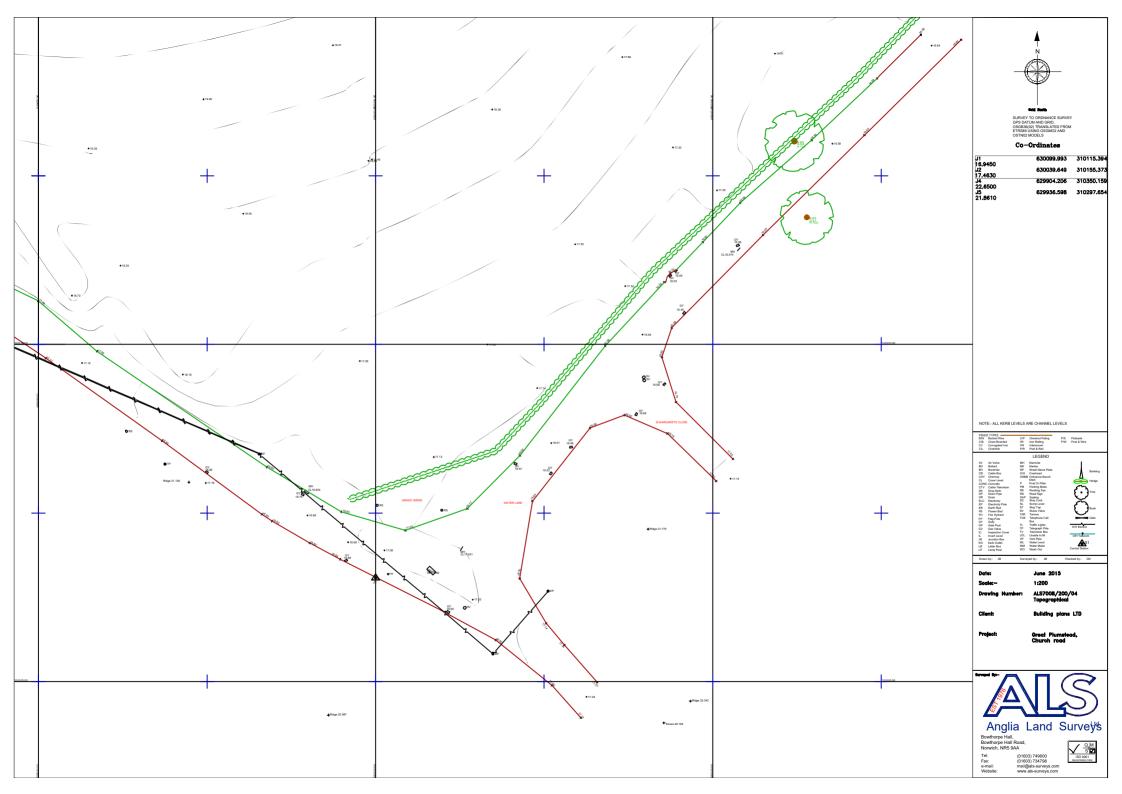


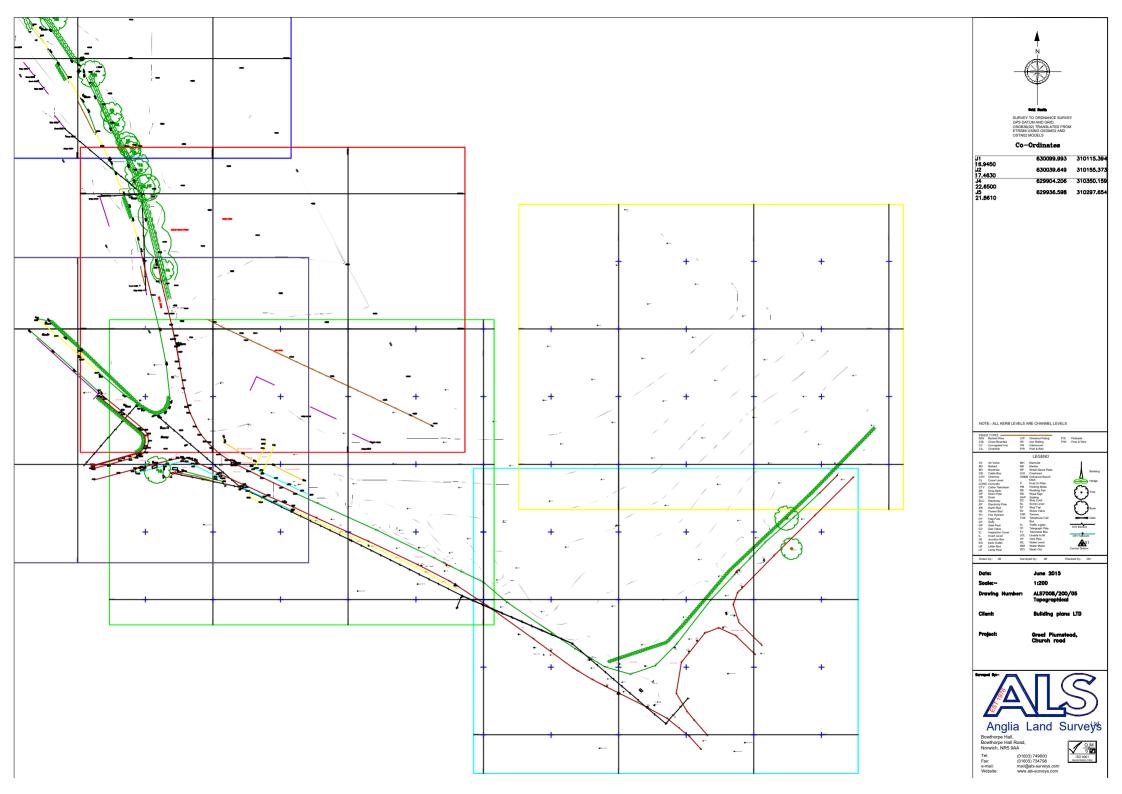








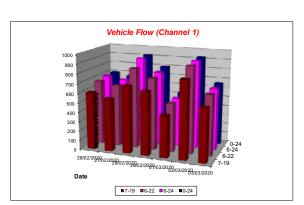




Great Plumstead ATC, Middle Road

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	26/02/2020	27/02/2020	28/02/2020	29/02/2020	01/03/2020	02/03/2020	03/03/2020	1	
Hr Ending	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	5 Day Ave	7 Day Ave
1	1	0	2	4	4	1	3	- 1	2
2	0	2	0	8	5	0	2	1	2
3	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	1
4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
5	0	0	0	6	0	0	2	0	1
6	3	2	3	2	2	5	4	3	3
7	10	9	16	4	8	11	17	13	11
8	30	15	28	13	0	33	27	27	21
9	41	37	71	25	8	73	72	59	47
10	25	33	34	44	20	74	47	43	40
11	24	31	60	59	37	56	42	43	44
12	40	41	44	69	53	63	40	46	50
13	37	42	32	90	41	58	44	43	49
14	37	32	56	64	62	70	27	44	50
15	63	45	46	74	45	77	35	53	55
16	66	51	77	60	45	81	42	63	60
17	70	64	71	58	44	65	50	64	60
18	111	94	104	59	57	89	67	93	83
19	57	64	78	46	24	71	62	66	57
20	37	42	54	47	27	43	26	40	39
21	18	21	43	21	19	26	20	26	24
22	11	26	24	20	16	13	17	18	18
23	14	18	55	16	5	11	10	22	18
24	4	2	17	8	2	3	2	6	5
7-19	601	549	701	661	436	810	555	643	616
6-22	677	647	838	753	506	903	635	740	708
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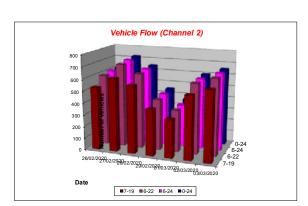
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	26/02/2020	27/02/2020	28/02/2020	29/02/2020	01/03/2020	02/03/2020	03/03/2020	•
Hr Ending	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	
1	-	-	34.7	25.6	25.8	-	28.8	
2	-	28.1		25.0	25.3		27.6	Ī
3	-	-	-	22.8	23.4	-	-	
4	-	-	-	-		-	-	
5	-	-	-	28.0	-	-	26.6	
6	29.2	29.1	27.3	16.9	23.6	28.5	23.2	
7	28.5	29.2	27.3	27.6	26.7	26.8	29.2	Ī
8	26.4	29.7	26.5	26.2		27.0	27.2	
9	27.4	27.3	28.0	26.0	26.1	28.0	27.8	
10	27.9	27.5	28.1	25.7	25.8	26.6	27.9	
11	27.3	28.1	27.0	26.9	25.5	27.5	27.6	Ī
12	28.3	27.1	27.0	26.8	27.2	27.7	28.3	
13	27.2	26.9	27.2	26.4	27.0	28.0	27.9	
14	27.1	27.8	26.8	26.2	26.6	27.2	28.3	
15	27.9	27.5	28.0	26.1	27.4	27.9	26.9	Ī
16	28.0	27.4	27.9	26.5	25.9	27.3	26.7	
17	28.0	27.5	27.8	27.1	26.8	28.0	28.8	Ī
18	27.6	27.4	27.3	26.3	27.0	27.6	27.3	
19	28.5	27.5	27.6	25.2	24.5	27.6	27.0	Ī
20	26.5	28.0	27.7	25.5	27.3	28.2	28.4	
21	26.8	28.2	26.8	26.4	27.1	27.2	27.8	Ī
22	27.8	26.9	28.4	25.3	25.8	27.9	29.1	
23	26.1	27.7	27.8	28.1	27.3	26.7	27.9	
24	23.9	31.9	28.1	27.3	22.4	27.6	24.9	
10-12	27.9	27.5	27.0	26.9	26.6	27.6	27.9	į



	Channel 1 - Southeastbound				85th Percentile			
	26/02/2020	27/02/2020	28/02/2020	29/02/2020	01/03/2020	02/03/2020	03/03/2020	
Hr Ending	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	
1	-	-	38.1	26.8	29.6	-	29.2	
2	-	31.7	-	29.4	30.9	-	27.7	
3	-	-	-	23.6	24.9	-	-	
4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
5	-	-	-	31.4	-	-	30.3	
6	30.1	30.0	30.3	19.8	24.5	31.7	26.7	
7	32.6	32.1	32.1	30.7	30.9	31.4	31.3	
8	30.4	34.1	29.9	30.9	-	30.9	32.1	
9	33.4	32.2	33.2	30.4	30.4	32.8	33.4	
10	33.6	33.1	32.9	32.7	30.7	31.3	32.2	
11	32.0	33.2	31.1	31.9	30.9	31.8	32.6	
12	32.6	33.4	33.0	31.5	31.5	32.7	33.3	
13	32.4	31.5	31.9	31.5	32.8	33.7	32.8	
14	31.8	30.6	32.1	30.7	31.1	33.3	31.6	
15	33.4	32.8	33.0	31.5	33.9	33.3	33.3	
16	32.7	31.2	32.1	31.9	32.2	32.9	31.3	
17	32.8	32.5	32.9	31.6	32.4	33.0	34.6	
18	31.7	31.6	33.1	31.6	31.6	31.9	32.6	
19	31.9	33.2	32.1	30.7	30.7	32.5	32.3	
20	31.7	32.8	32.2	30.8	33.2	32.4	32.2	
21	31.9	33.1	31.5	30.8	34.1	31.5	31.8	
22	32.7	31.5	33.2	30.1	31.3	30.7	32.7	
23	32.8	31.4	32.9	32.4	29.8	32.2	31.5	
24	27.4	32.5	32.9	31.6	-	27.8	30.4	
10-12	32.4	33.4	32.5	31.9	31.2	32.4	33.2	
14-16	33.1	32.4	32.3	31.8	33.0	33.2	32.3	

	Channel 2 - Northwestbound Vehicle Flo								Week
	26/02/2020	27/02/2020	28/02/2020	29/02/2020	01/03/2020	02/03/2020	03/03/2020	1	
Hr Ending	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	5 Day Ave	7 Day Ave
1	0	0	1	0	7	2	2	1	2
2	0	1	0	3	2	0	0	0	- 1
3	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
4	1	0	1	3	1	0	1	1	1
5	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
6	2	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	2
7	16	21	11	5	7	14	8	14	12
8	49	41	65	14	7	39	50	49	38
9	78	80	78	32	16	64	66	73	59
10	47	64	51	42	33	54	61	55	50
11	32	57	56	41	40	43	39	45	44
12	44	41	49	48	41	38	41	43	43
13	25	46	42	35	37	40	38	38	38
14	34	61	53	32	26	50	57	51	45
15	31	58	47	30	48	56	62	51	47
16	40	49	26	32	16	32	49	39	35
17	48	42	38	29	20	39	44	42	37
18	58	47	35	31	24	35	54	46	41
19	42	28	28	22	12	41	25	33	28
20	28	32	25	18	9	24	27	27	23
21	19	14	20	11	12	16	14	17	15
22	5	21	9	6	6	4	6	9	8
23	10	6	11	10	3	4	6	7	7
24	2	5	0	3	1	1	3	2	2
7-19	528	614	568	388	320	531	586	565	505
6-22	596	702	633	428	354	589	641	632	563
6-24	608	713	644	441	358	594	650	642	573

	Channel 2 - Northwestbound				Average Speed	Week	
	26/02/2020	27/02/2020	28/02/2020	29/02/2020	01/03/2020	02/03/2020	03/03/2020
Hr Endina	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
1	- '	- '	29.2	- '	27.7	24.8	29.9
2	-	33.8	-	18.7	22.6	-	-
3	-	23.1	-	-	27.8	24.6	-
4	30.4	-	26.7	27.8	30.0	-	23.0
5	-	28.8	-	31.3	-	-	-
6	26.4	32.3	27.3	33.4	26.2	27.8	22.3
7	30.0	25.3	27.2	27.7	25.4	25.5	28.4
8	27.0	24.4	27.4	27.4	25.3	25.9	25.9
9	25.9	24.1	27.2	28.0	26.4	25.2	26.9
10	25.2	27.0	26.8	27.3	27.8	26.4	25.6
11	24.9	29.4	27.1	28.2	27.4	24.5	25.1
12	23.2	28.5	26.5	26.9	26.7	22.7	22.5
13	21.8	26.7	26.2	29.5	26.7	22.7	25.1
14	24.1	26.2	29.4	29.4	24.4	23.3	27.2
15	23.1	25.7	28.8	28.1	24.3	24.0	25.6
16	22.0	26.9	31.1	26.8	24.3	22.9	26.7
17	23.8	25.4	28.3	26.8	24.1	25.7	24.4
18	25.0	25.2	29.2	26.0	23.8	24.8	26.2
19	23.9	25.7	28.3	25.4	23.7	25.0	28.0
20	24.6	25.9	27.2	24.1	21.9	25.4	30.4
21	25.2	27.3	28.0	23.6	24.6	24.7	27.4
22	21.9	26.2	28.9	27.2	26.4	28.1	27.1
23	27.3	24.7	28.6	25.2	21.3	25.6	29.6
24	29.1	23.9	-	27.7	30.2	29.1	25.7
10-12	23.9	29.1	26.8	27.5	27.0	23.7	23.8
14-16	22.5	26.3	29.6	27.5	24.3	23.6	26.1
0-24	24.7	26.2	27.8	27.2	25.6	24.6	26.1
						Average	26.0



	Channel 2 - Northwestbound			85th Percentile			
Hr Endina	26/02/2020 Wednesday	27/02/2020 Thursday	28/02/2020 Friday	29/02/2020 Saturday	01/03/2020 Sunday	02/03/2020 Monday	03/03/2020 Tuesday
1					28.7	25.1	30.4
2	-	-	-	23.2	22.8	-	
3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	-	-	-	32.1	-	-	-
5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	28.2	36.9	-	-	-	28.6	-
7	33.5	29.5	29.9	31.0	27.2	28.6	31.8
8	29.8	29.1	30.4	30.9	28.0	29.7	29.7
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10	29.6	30.9	29.9	30.6	30.4	29.8	29.2
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13	25.7	29.8	29.3	32.7	30.0	29.0	29.2
14	29.0	30.1	33.9	31.3	28.3	28.5	30.3
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HARE ROAD DEVELOPMENT GREAT PLUMSTEAD, NORFOLK HIGHWAY WORKS (OPTION 1)

STAGE 1 ROAD SAFETY AUDIT

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- 1.6 The auditors have reviewed the 5-year police road accident record (2014-2018) on crashmap.co.uk. During this period there have been two recorded accidents in the vicinity of the scheme:-
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2. Items Raised at Previous Road Safety Audits

The auditors are not aware of any previous audits of these proposals.

3. Items Raised at this Stage 1 Road Safety Audit

General

3.1 No comment

Road Alignment

3.2 No comment

Junctions

3.3 Problem

Location: Hare Rd/Middle Rd/Church Rd junction

Summary: failure-to-give-way collisions

From Hare Road, existing visibility to the right is substandard, although the Auditors note the low accident record suggesting that the risk of injury is low. Despite the scheme offering some improvement to visibility to offset increased traffic from the development, it would remain sub-standard. Recorded approach speeds are slightly in excess of the 30mph speed limit and concerns therefore remain over the potential for failure-to-give-way collisions.

Recommendation

If visibility cannot be improved further, speed reduction measures are recommended on the priority road approach in order to mitigate this risk.

Non-Motorised Users

3.4 No comment

Signing and Lighting

3.5 No comment

4. Audit Team Statement

We certify that this audit has been carried out in accordance with Road Safety Audit Standard GG 119.

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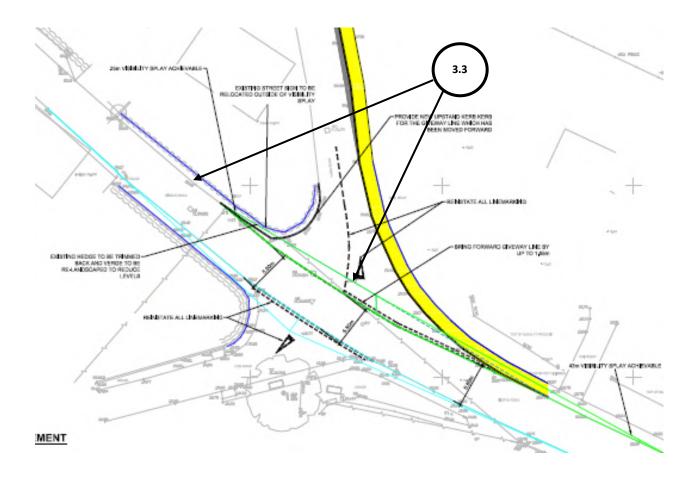
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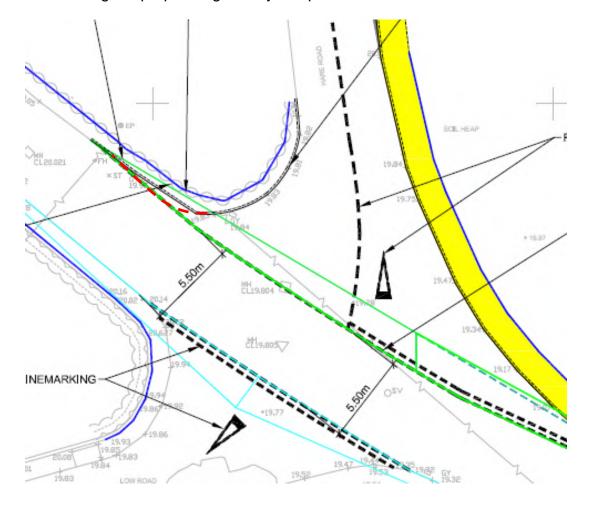
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Location: Church Rd

Summary: loss of control collisions

At the south-eastern end, the Auditors note that proposed speed cushions are located only just within the proposed 20mph limit. This may result in north-westbound drivers meeting these cushions at higher than desirable speed, with risk of loss of control.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the cushions are located approx. 50m within the 20mph limit. It is further recommended that spacing of traffic calming features within the 20mph should be around 100m to reduce the tendency to speed up between them (not all features need be physical - some could be roundel markings).

3.3 Problem

Location: Middle Rd/Church Rd

Summary: head-on/sideswipe collisions

The proposed lateral spacing between the speed cushions raises concern that opposing vehicles attempting to straddle them may conflict, resulting in glancing head-on collisions.

Recommendation

A minimum lateral spacing of 1.0m is recommended between cushions. If this cannot be achieved then full-width round-topped humps may be preferable since HGV/bus flows appear relatively low.

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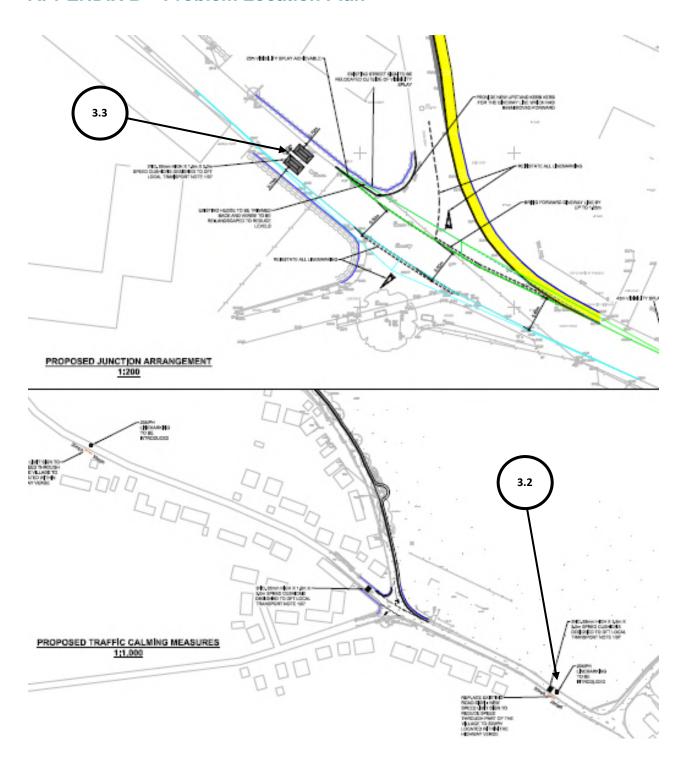
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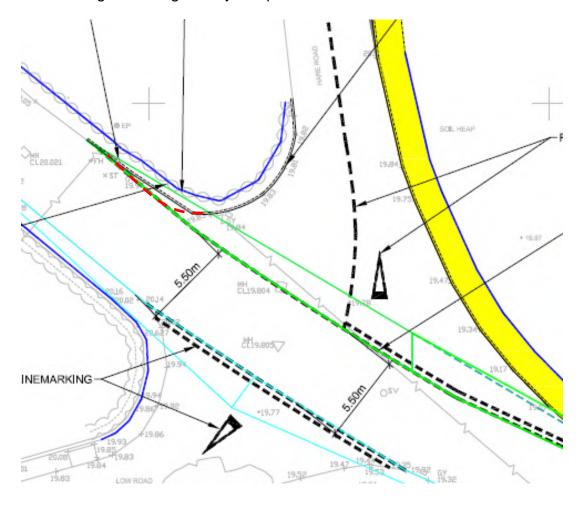
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