

MEMO

RESPONSE ON ENGINEERING MATTERS - MINUTE 5 SHELLY BAY

TO Egmont Dixon DATE 30 July 2019

PROJECT NAME Shelly Bay ENVELOPE REF 1098-01

ATTENTION Will Dorset/ Earl Hope-Pearson FROM Alan Blyde

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Dear Will

Please find our itemised response to the engineering matters/ queries posed within Minute 5 from the Commissioners. We have included the full wording of the Commissioners query from Minute 5 and then provided a response below that.

Section 42A Report - Objectives and Policies of the District Plan

Request 1 - To be answered by Wellington City Council

Public Infrastructure Upgrade Works

The Commissioners require clarification from the Applicant on the extent of public infrastructure upgrade works required to be done as part of, or prior to, development of the Shelly Bay site.

Specifically, we need to understand:

The consenting regime for required improvements on Shelly Bay Road in particular, necessitating works in the Coastal Marine Area such as earthworks, seawalls and reclamation to widen the road and provide additional lane capacity and recreational car parking etc as recommended in the Section 42A Report.

It is noted that the section 42A Report, in section 6.0, makes reference to Wellington Regional Council consents, in the context of not supporting a deferral to deal with those consents under section 91 of the RMA.

The Commissioners do not wish to defer consideration of the application but wish to more fully understand the scope and extent of the required works, and we may need to also consider the implications for the consent holder of a condition requiring these significant upgrade works to be implemented prior to development occurring on the site.

At what stage(s) of the development is it intended that the various upgrades to public roading beyond the site, public gravity stormwater networks, public gravity wastewater will be implemented.

The Commissioners may need to consider whether a 'condition precedent' for some or all of these works may be required, or whether conditions can be framed for each stage of the project as demand for those services increases.

Request 2:

That the Applicant respond to the above matters relating to public infrastructure upgrade works and the consenting framework for regional consents in particular.

Response:

With respect to proposed upgrade and improvement works to Shelly Bay Road, we have referred to the traffic engineer's report titled Transportation Assessment Report Shelly Bay Masterplan, dated 18 April 2019, prepared by Stantec.

Section 7.1 of the Stantec report details improvements to the intersection of Shelly Bay Road with Miramar Avenue which should be considered. The recommended improvements are detailed on Drawing No: 13725W1A entitled Indicative Design For Intersection Improvement, from Appendix B of the Stantec report. An image taken from the plan is included in Figure 1 below for ease.



Figure 1 – Image taken from Stantec Drawing No: 13725W1A – Indicative Design For Intersection Improvement (Ref: Stantec Transportation Assessment Report Shelly Bay Masterplan, 18 April 2019)

The proposed improvements include a widened central median and right-hand turning lane on Miramar Ave. The wider central median is considered to provide protection for right-hand turners from Shelly Bay onto Miramar Ave. An additional improvement will be the inclusion of a short left-hand turning lane for vehicles exiting Shelly Bay Rd towards Miramar township.

The intersection improvements recommended by Stantec as described above are proposed to be completed prior to the completion and occupation of any new commercial or residential units at Shelly Bay development.

Section 7.4 of the Stantec report describes Shelly Bay Road improvement works for the section of road from the Miramar Ave intersection up to the Shelly Bay development area. The Stantec report references an earlier report entitled Shelly Bay, Wellington Servicing Feasibility dated 1 September 2016, prepared by Calibre Consulting. The Stantec report references earlier conclusions by Calibre, that some widening along the route to provide a 1.0-1.5m wide pedestrian and cycle path alongside a 6m wide carriageway "can be achieved that will, whilst not fully adhering to the Council's Code of Practice, serve to adequately accommodate the development proposal demands. This assessment was subsequently accepted by Council and it is understood that a commitment has since been made (by Council) for these works to be undertaken."

Based on the commentary by Stantec and earlier assessment and conclusions of Calibre, as well as Council's acceptance of these, we have prepared drawings showing the 6m wide carriageway along with a pedestrian path of at least 1m wide at pinch points but generally 1.5m wide, overlaid over aerial photo and council GIS location of existing road carriageway. The drawings (included here as Attachment 1) replicate earlier hand marked-up annotated plans prepared by Calibre and included within the aforementioned 2016 Calibre Servicing Feasibility Report.



I have walked along the entire Shelly Bay Road route between Miramar Avenue intersection and the Shelly Bay development area to confirm that the recommended 6m wide carriageway and 1.0-1.5m wide path can be accommodated. I am satisfied that a road carriageway and path of these dimensions can be constructed without the need to undertake any construction works within the CMA and without the need for building any additional sea walls or retaining structures on the seaward side of Shelly Bay Road.

I identified a number of pinch points where achieving a minimum 1.0m wide path would require a maximum of 0.5m of realignment of road carriageway and carriageway widening towards the land side of Shelly Bay Road. In all cases this localised realignment and/ or road widening could be readily accommodated within the usable land space available without the need for retaining or significant excavation. The indicative plans in Attachment 1 identify the pinch point areas.

Detailed plans of the 6m carriageway (showing centreline and edge lines painted white) as well as the proposed 1.0-1.5m path would be provided at Engineering Approval stage. The final surface formation of the path would be agreed with Council at this time also. We understand that discussions to date indicate this would be a crushed gravel/chip path. No kerb line is proposed to allow stormwater to continue to shed off the existing roadway as sheet flow.

The Shelly Bay Road improvements to provide a 6.0m wide carriageway and a 1.0-1.5m wide pedestrian/ cycle path are proposed to be completed prior to the completion and occupation of any new commercial or residential units at Shelly Bay development.

The proposed 3 waters infrastructure (stormwater, wastewater and water) as well as utility services (power and comms) to serve the development is shown on the previously submitted engineering plans, included here as Attachment 2. It is expected that services installation would be constructed in a staged fashion to suit the progress of individual building development, and that this detail would be confirmed with council at the time of applying for Subdivision Consents and Engineering Approval, however to provide a level of certainty, we are instructed to confirm the following general minimum level of servicing which will be provided at 3 distinct phases. For clarity, we also include the previously discussed roading improvement works in the summary below:

Phase 1 - Prior to completion and occupation of any new commercial or residential units

Intersection improvement works at Shelly Bay Road/Miramar Avenue - As proposed (refer Figure 1 above)

Shelly Bay Road improvements to achieve 6m carriageway and 1.0-1.5m path (refer Attachment 1)

Main spine of proposed public wastewater/ stormwater and water supply fronting the proposed development at Shelly Bay (refer Attachment 2)

Connection of new public water supply at Shelly Bay to connect to existing network at Mt Crawford (this may include the construction of a temporary or permanent water reservoir to replace the redundant Shelly Bay Reservoir depending on Wellington Water programme – to be agreed at Engineering Approval stage).

Power and comms supply upgrades to Shelly Bay

Phase 2 -After completion and occupation of the 120th new commercial or residential units

Construction of the new wastewater pump station at Shelly Bay to replace the existing pump station (NB the existing pump station is assumed to be able to serve more than 120 units, based on previously serving a Defence Force Base with over 600 people. Any maintenance work will be carried out as required while the existing pump station is operational).

Construction of a new or re-lined wastewater rising main from Shelly Bay to the approved connection point to replace the existing rising main (NB the existing rising main is assumed to be able to serve more than 120 units. Any maintenance work will be undertaken as required while the existing rising main is operational.)

Phase 3 -After completion and occupation of the 150th new commercial or residential units

Any remaining public realm works: North and South Bay carparks; Village Green; and public toilets



Minimum Building Level

The Commissioners have not seen detailed information on how the proposed minimum floor level has been determined. The Commissioners note that some of the proposed buildings and dwellings may be exposed to inundation from extreme sea level conditions resulting from extreme tides occurring during storm surge, waves and wave runup conditions. In addition, the allowance for sea level rise and free board to these storm situations, to determine the appropriate minimum building level are not clear.

Request 3:

That the Applicant provides an assessment of an appropriate minimum floor level for both habitable buildings and non-habitable buildings on the site. The assessment should show the separate allowances to be added to the level datum for maximum probable high tide, storm surge, wave height, wave runup, future sea level rise and free board.

Response:

We have consulted with Wellington City Council, Wellington Water and Greater Wellington Regional Council to determine appropriate levels of freeboard for flood risk and for appropriate levels of protection against coastal inundation.

Wellington City Council have provided a draft proposed condition (No: 7) of consent which stipulates:

Minimum Floor Levels

Any new residential building constructed on the site must have a minimum floor level of 2.09m RL (New Zealand Vertical Datum 2016) or 2.5m RL (WCC New City Datum).

In addition to complying with the above, Wellington Water provide the following guidance for designing in recognition of sea level rise

Table 4.4 – Design Sea Levels Allowing for Climate Change

	Wellington Harbour ²	Porirua Harbour
Mean high water springs (MSL)*	0.921	0.916
+ Projected sea level rise (m)	1.0	1.0
+ Barometric allowance (m)	0.25	0.25
= Design sea level (MSL)	2.17	2.17

(NB: Above levels are in terms of Wellington Vertical Datum 1953)

And guidance on setting freeboard levels as below

4.2.9 Freeboard

Unless Wellington Water has undertaken a formal assessment of an appropriate freeboard allowance based on sensitivity testing in a validated hydraulic model, habitable building floors shall have a freeboard of 500 mm above the surface water of the secondary level of protection event. Commercial and industrial buildings shall have a freeboard of 300mm and all other building freeboards shall be 200 mm.

The minimum freeboard shall be measured from the top of the peak water level resulting from the design storm event, to the building platform level or underside of the floor joists or structural concrete slab of the building.

For open channels and streams, a minimum freeboard of 500 mm shall be adopted for the primary level of protection flow.



Based on the above, we recommend setting floor levels for new habitable buildings on site above the Wellington Harbour Design sea level (MSL) of RL 2.17, with an additional 500mm freeboard which therefore gives minimum design finished floor levels for new habitable buildings of <u>FFL 2.67</u>. This would therefore achieve compliance with the proposed condition set by Wellington City Council.

Attachment 3 of this memo provides details of the proposed design levels for all proposed buildings within the Shelly Bay Development.

The minimum **non-habitable** floor level set for new structures is generally RL 3.05.

The minimum **habitable** floor level for new structures is generally RL 3.6

The only variances to the above are SBW B3, B4 & B5 which have a floor level of RL 2.85 for **non-habitable** retail floor spaces and SBW B6 & B9 which have a floor level of RL 2.65 for **non-habitable** retail floor spaces. As these floor spaces are non-habitable, they are all in compliance with the requirements stated above

The other variances are for SBW B7 and SBW B8 which have floor levels of RL 2.65 and RL 2.20 respectively. It should be noted the reason for this is the buildings are existing and cannot be feasibly lifted. It should also be noted that the existing buildings are still elevated above the proposed required minimum level to be set by Wellington City Council of RL 2.09 and above the Design Sea Level (MSL) of RL 2.17 which has a 1.0m freeboard allowance for projected sea level rise and a 0.25m freeboard for barometric allowance (water level rise from changes in pressure).

Based on the above we can conclude that all proposed buildings have significant freeboard allowance designed for floor levels above Design Sea Level (MSL). Only existing buildings which are unable to be altered do not have similar freeboard but are still elevated above the WCC MFL and the Wellington Water MSL.

Section 42A Report - Recommended Conditions

Request 4 - To be answered by the Applicant and Wellington City Council.

I trust the above provides a suitable response to Request 2 and Request 3 of the Commissioner's Minute No 5.

Regards

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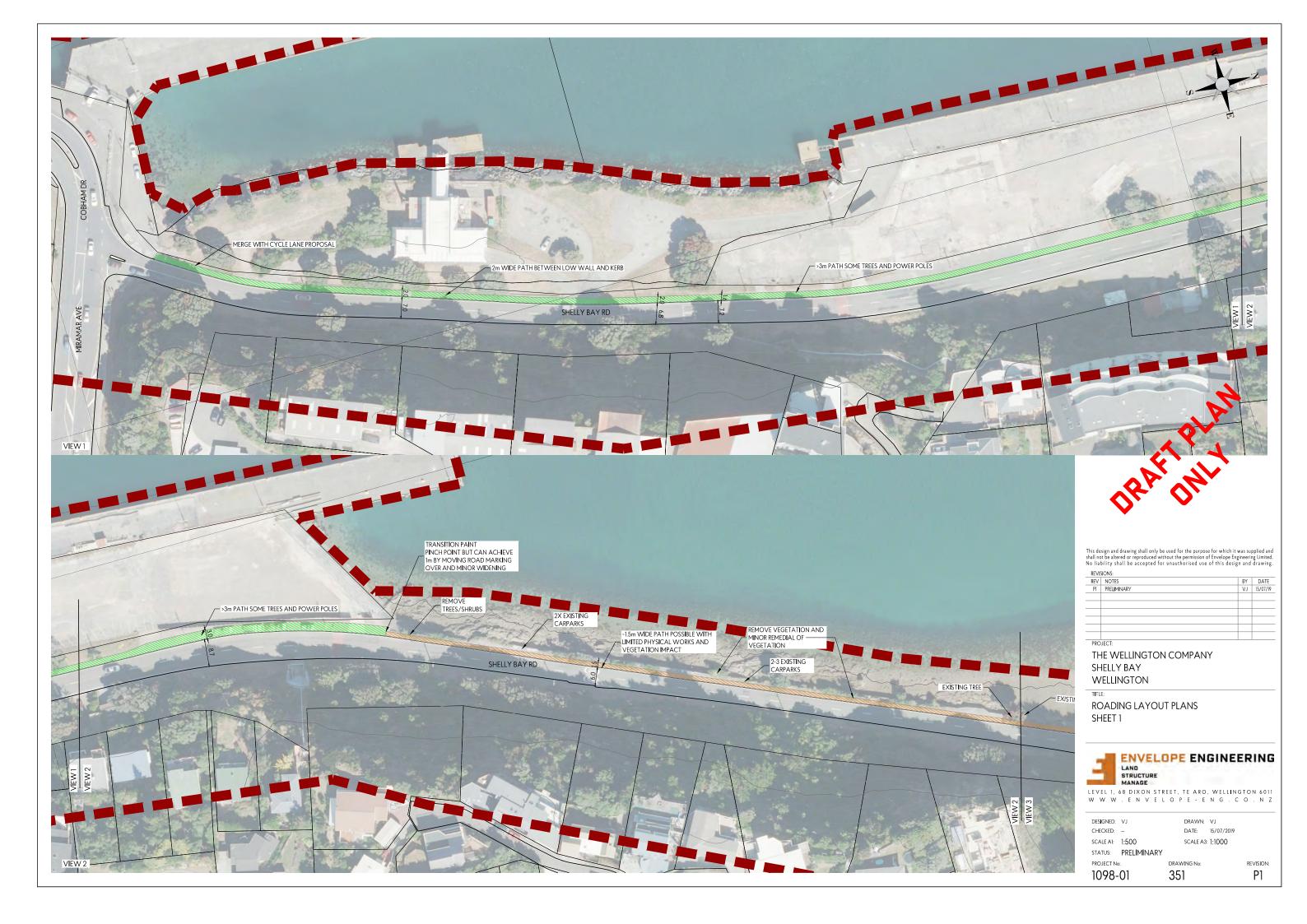
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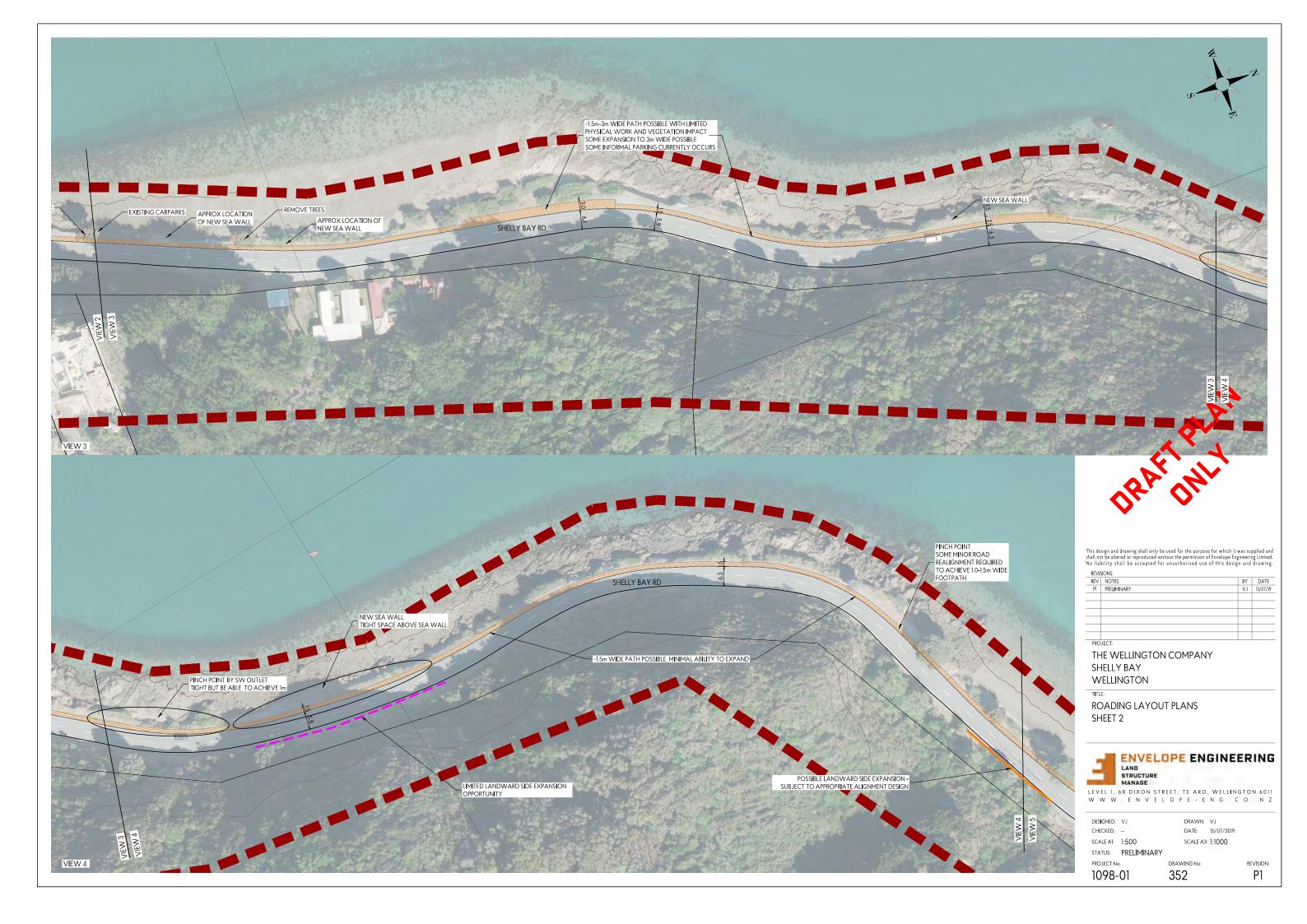


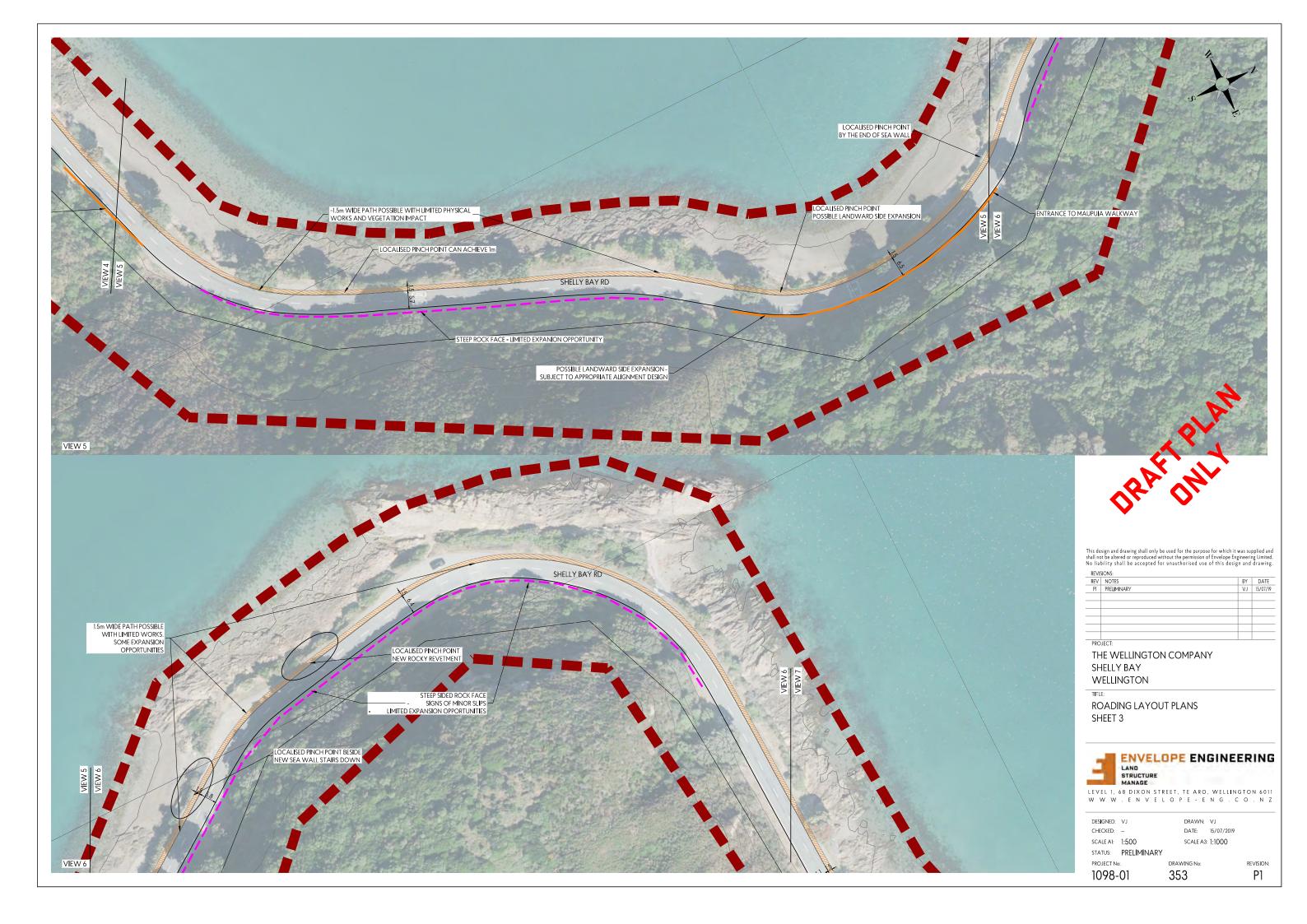
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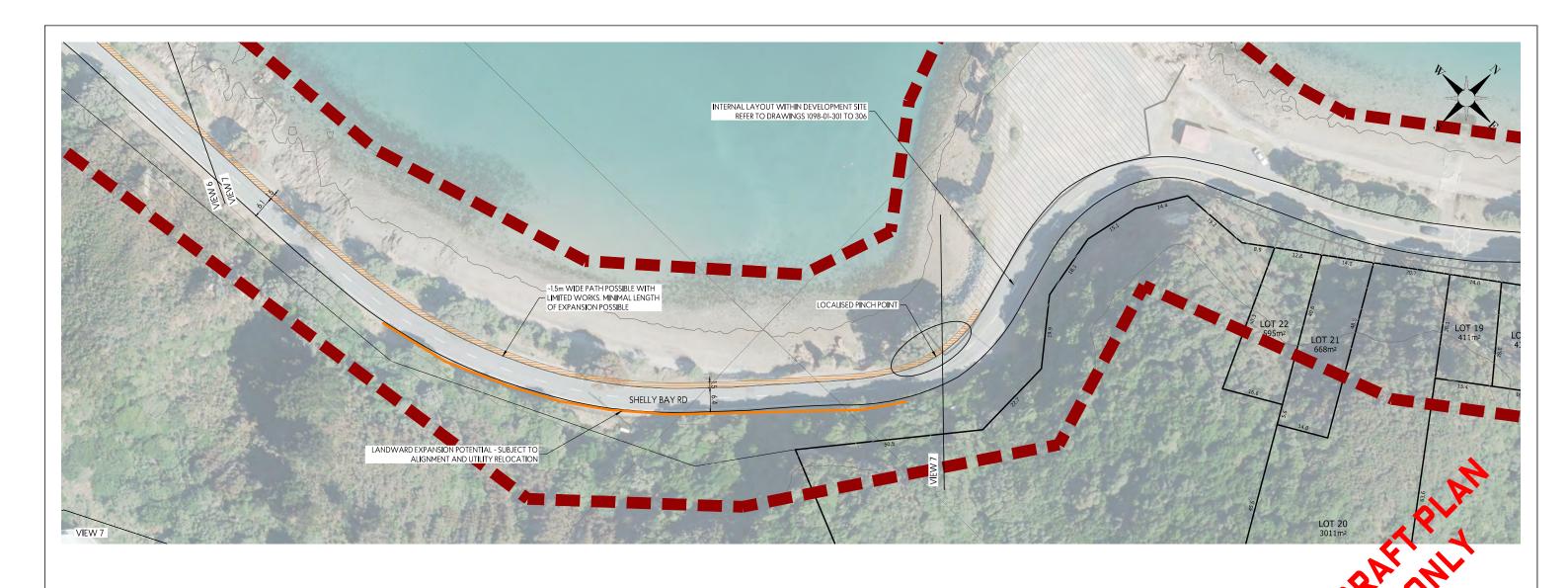
Shelly Bay Road plans











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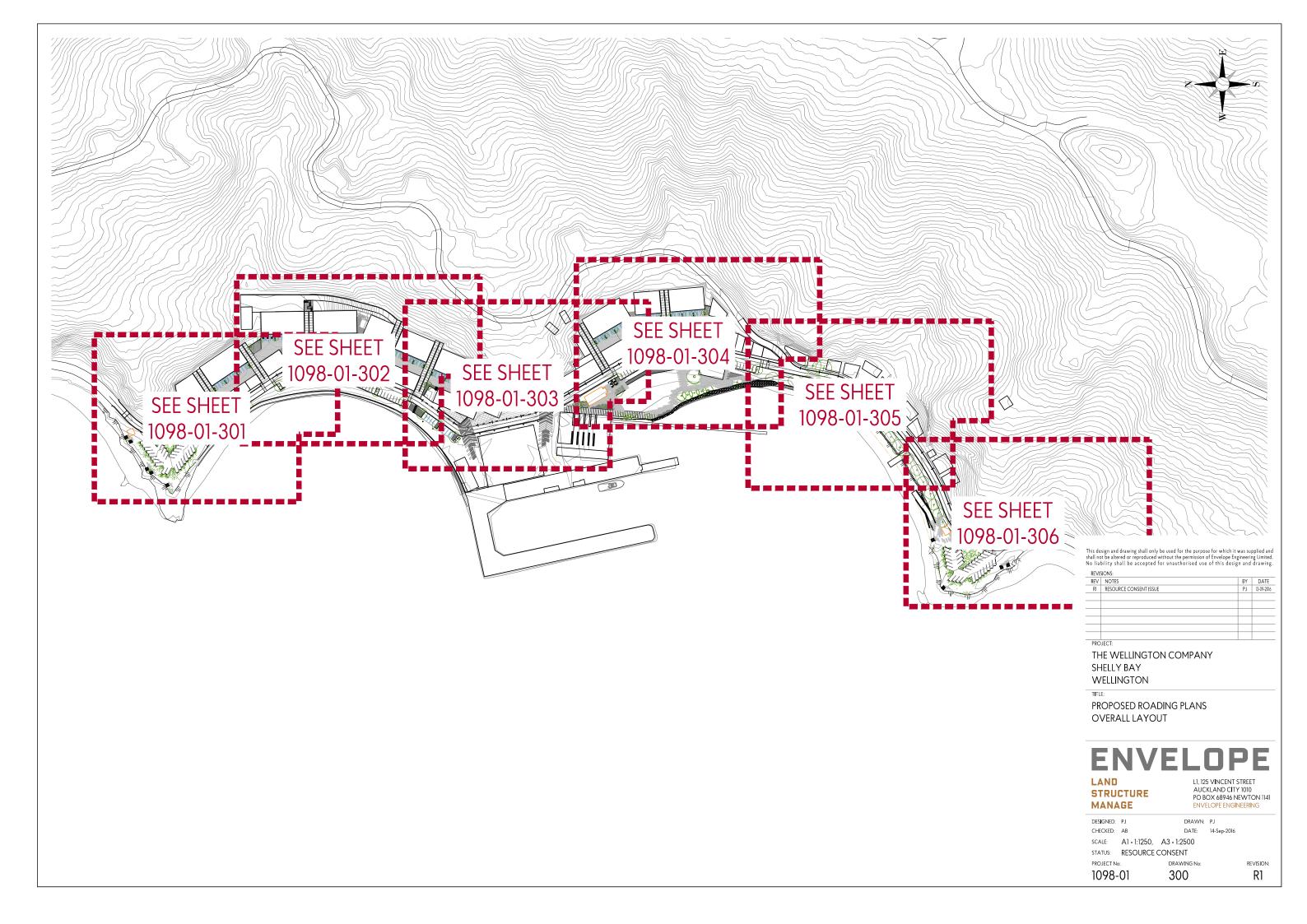
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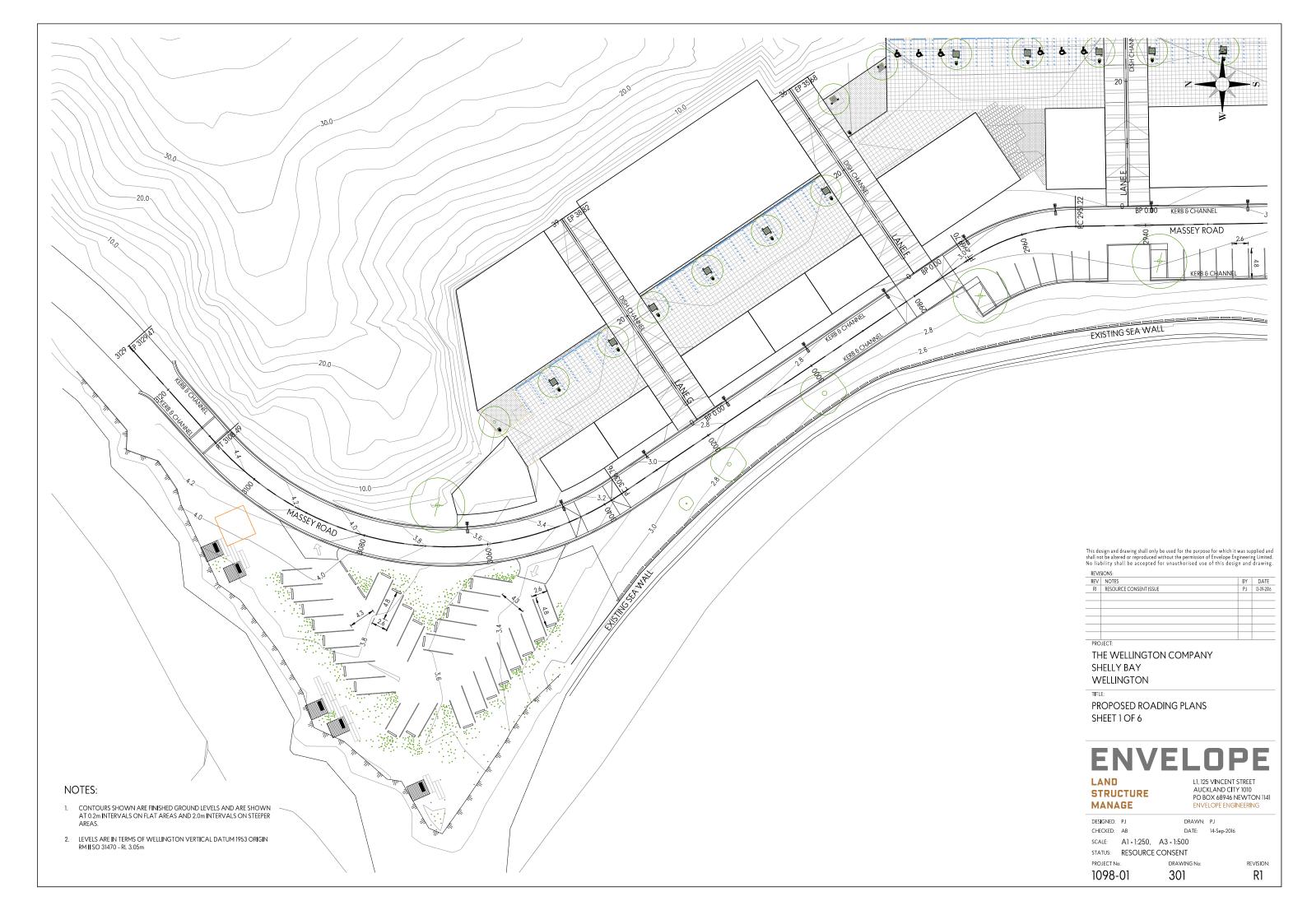
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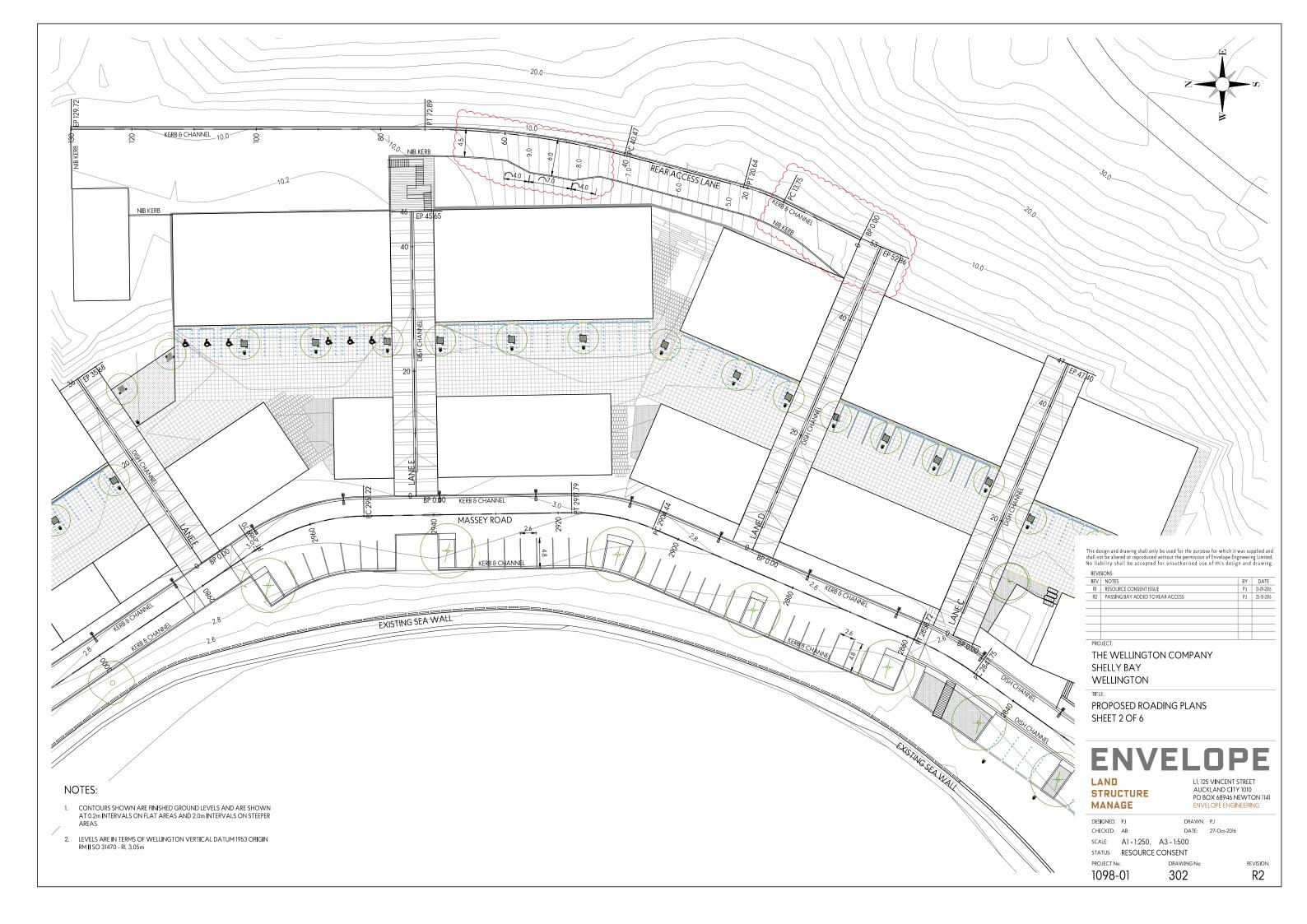
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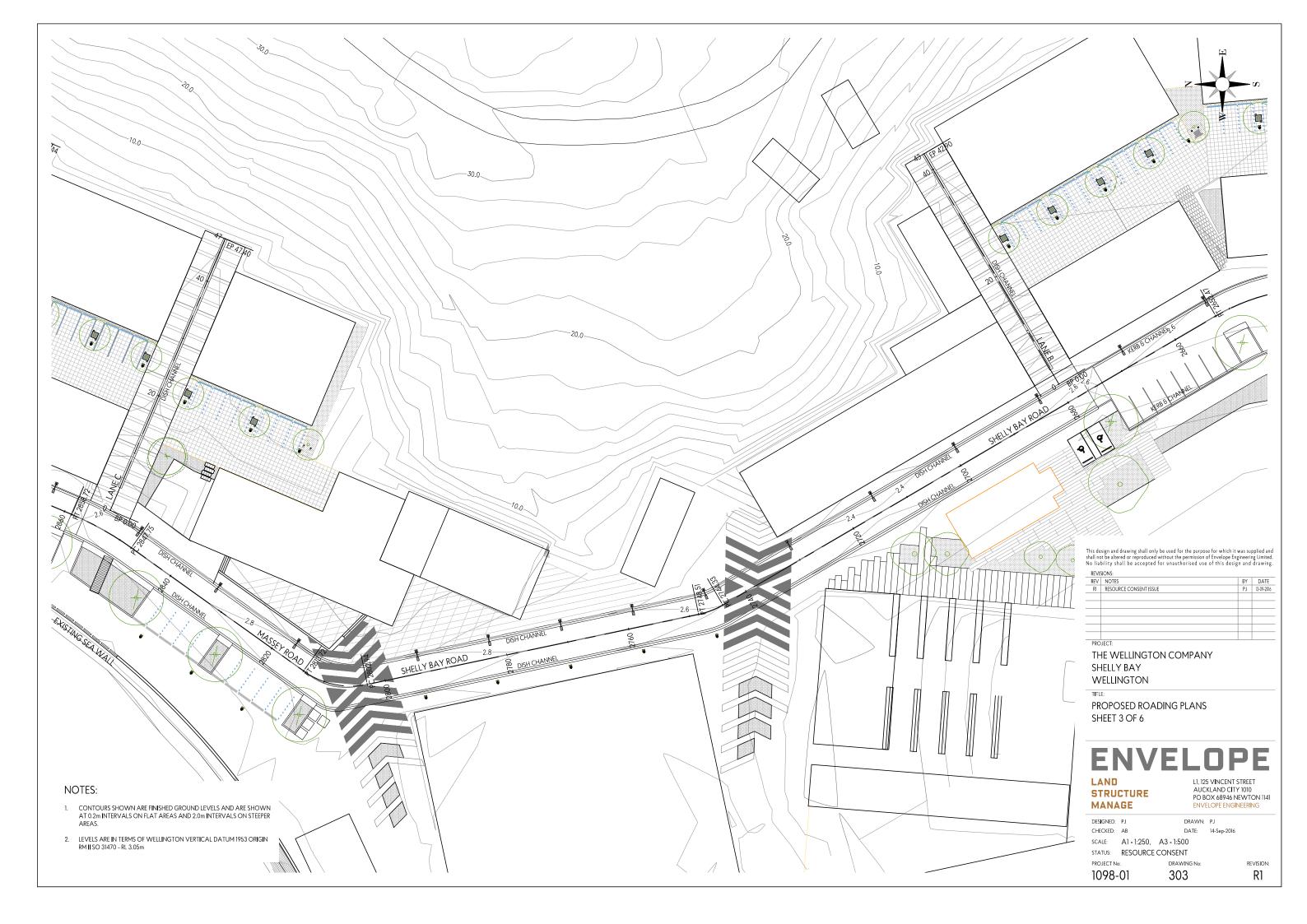
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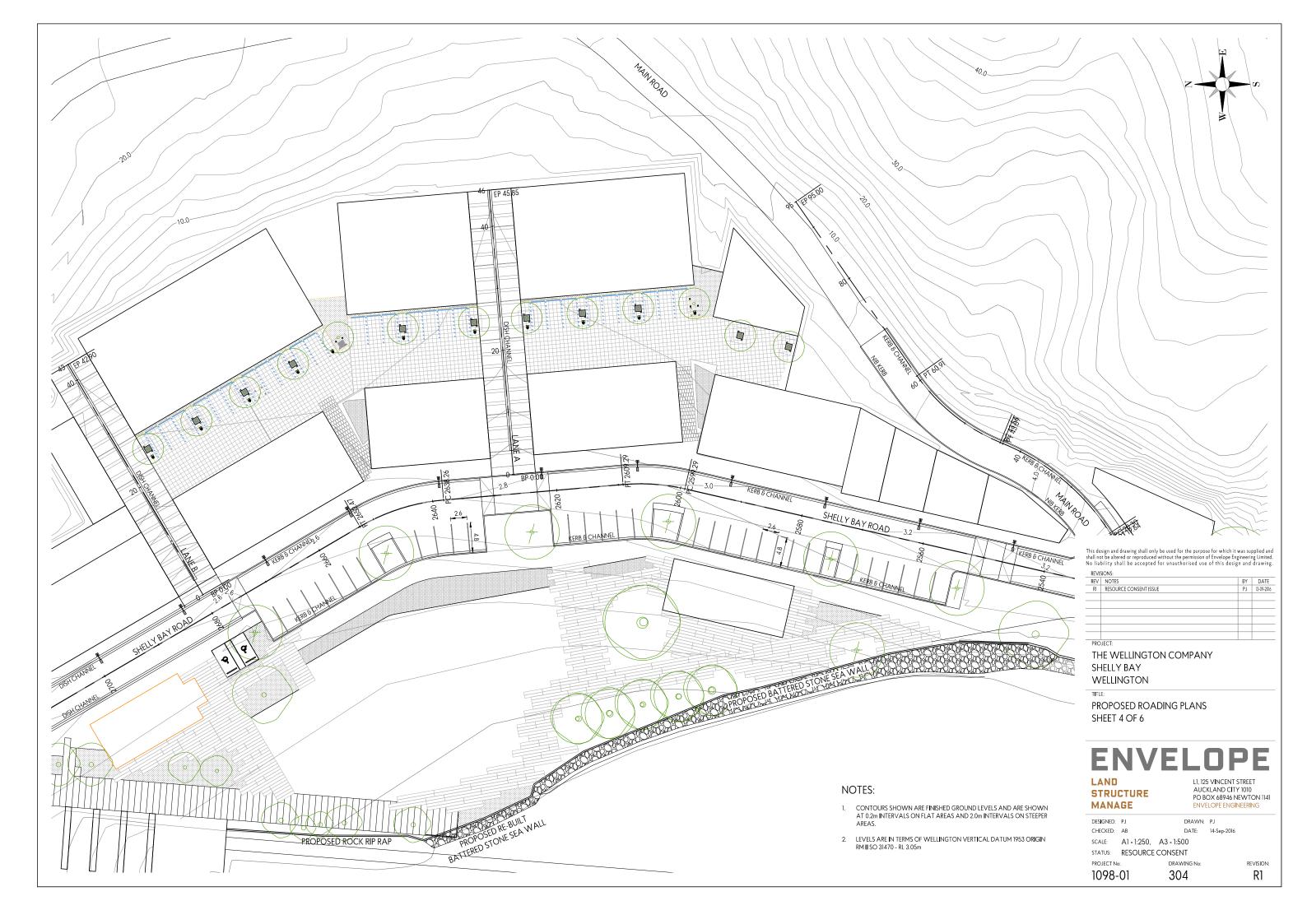




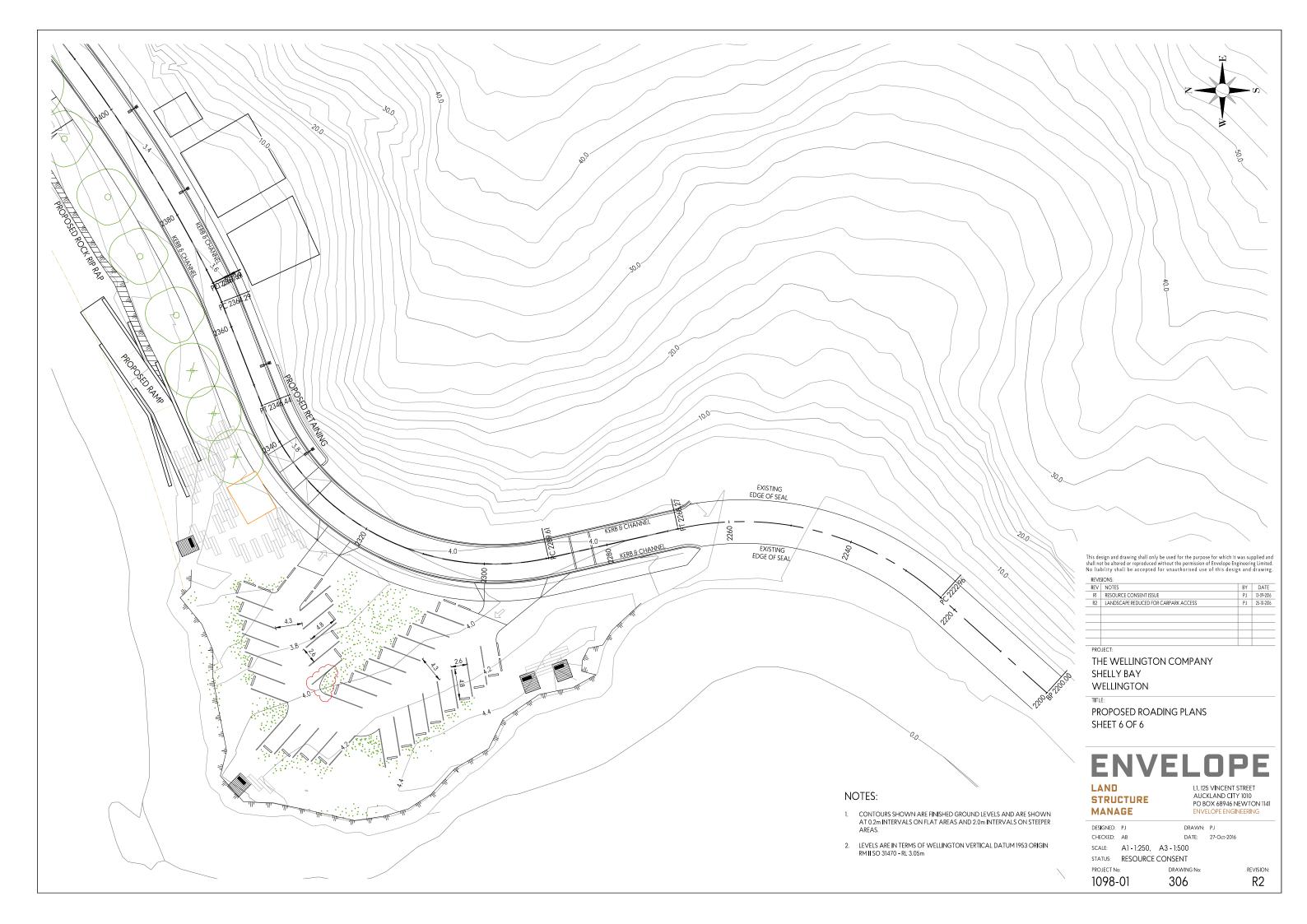






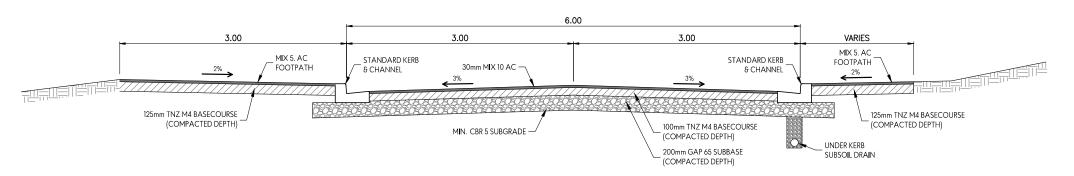




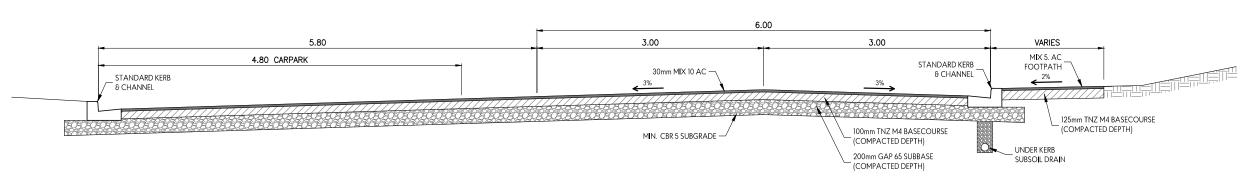


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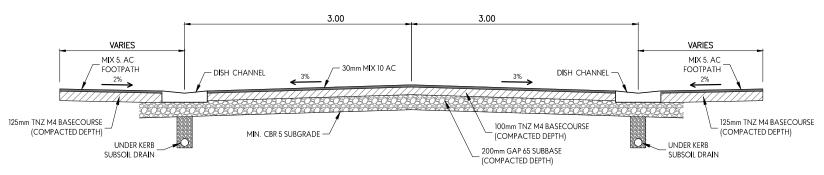
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TYPICAL ROAD CROSS-SECTION ROAD 1 - SHELLY BAY ROAD WITH CARPARKING



TYPICAL ROAD CROSS-SECTION ROAD 1 - SHELLY BAY ROAD CH 2676.3m to 2856.9m

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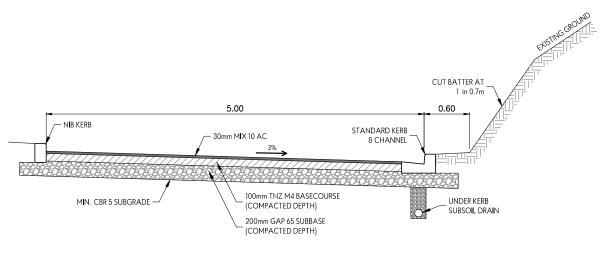
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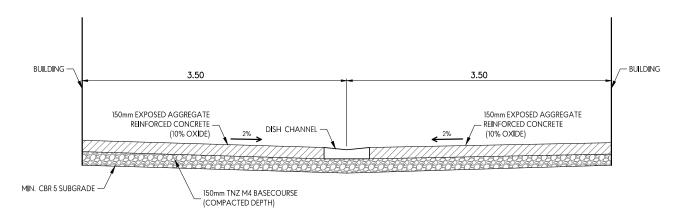
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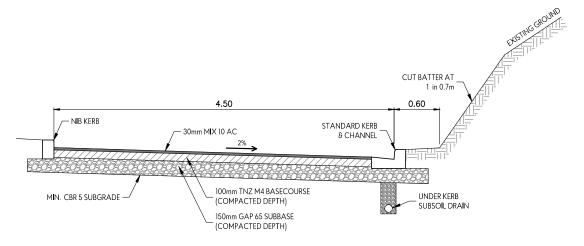
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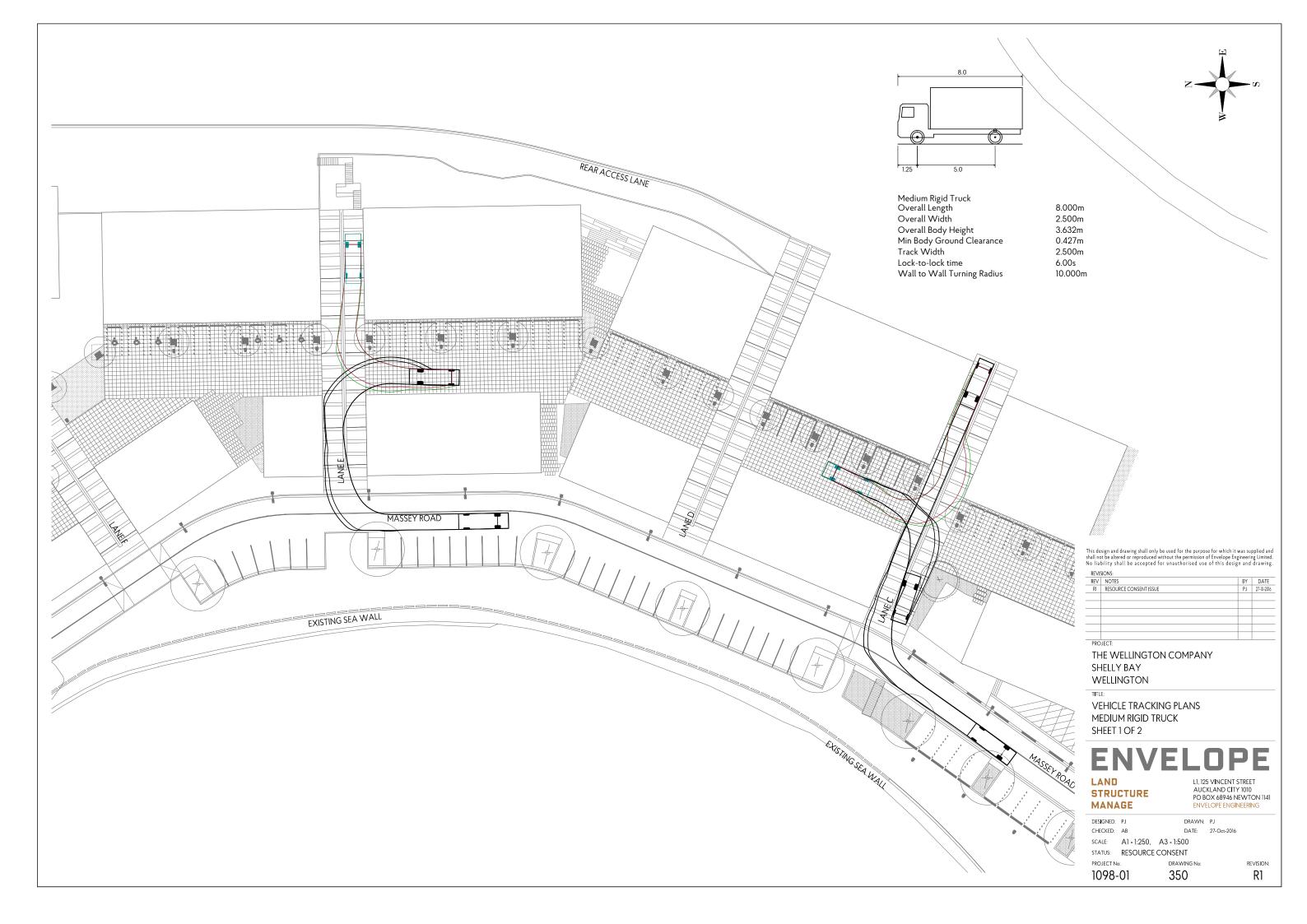
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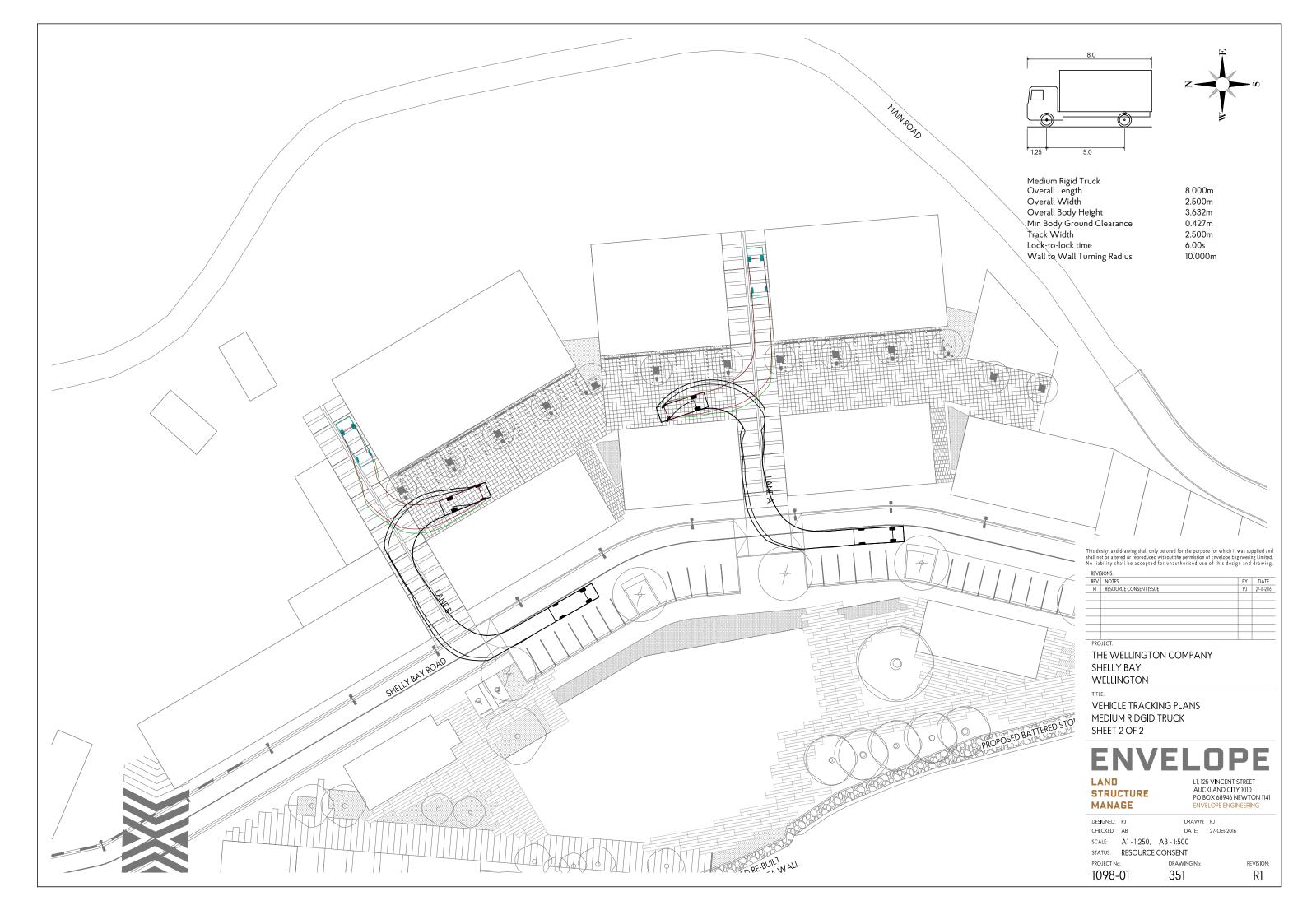
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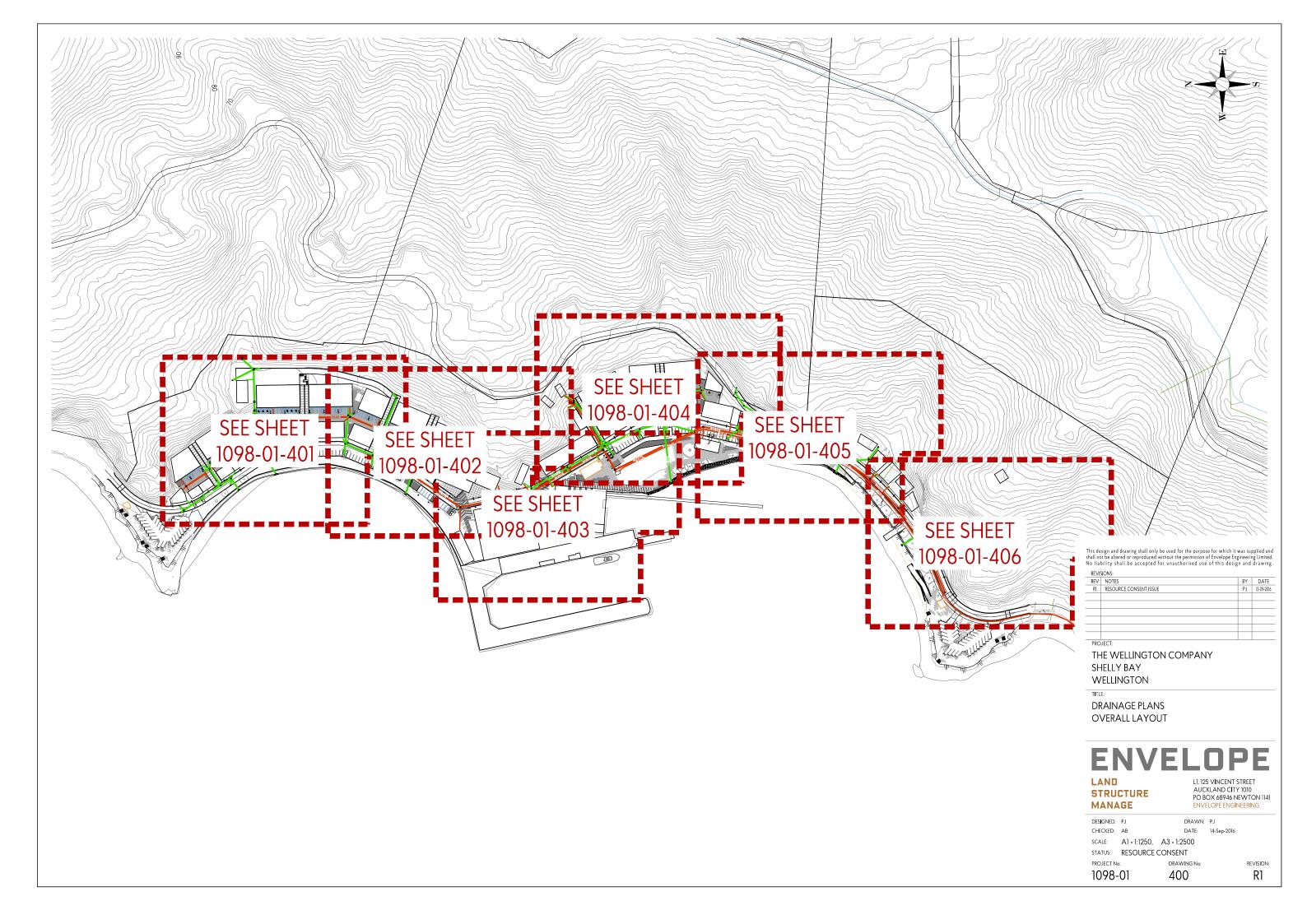
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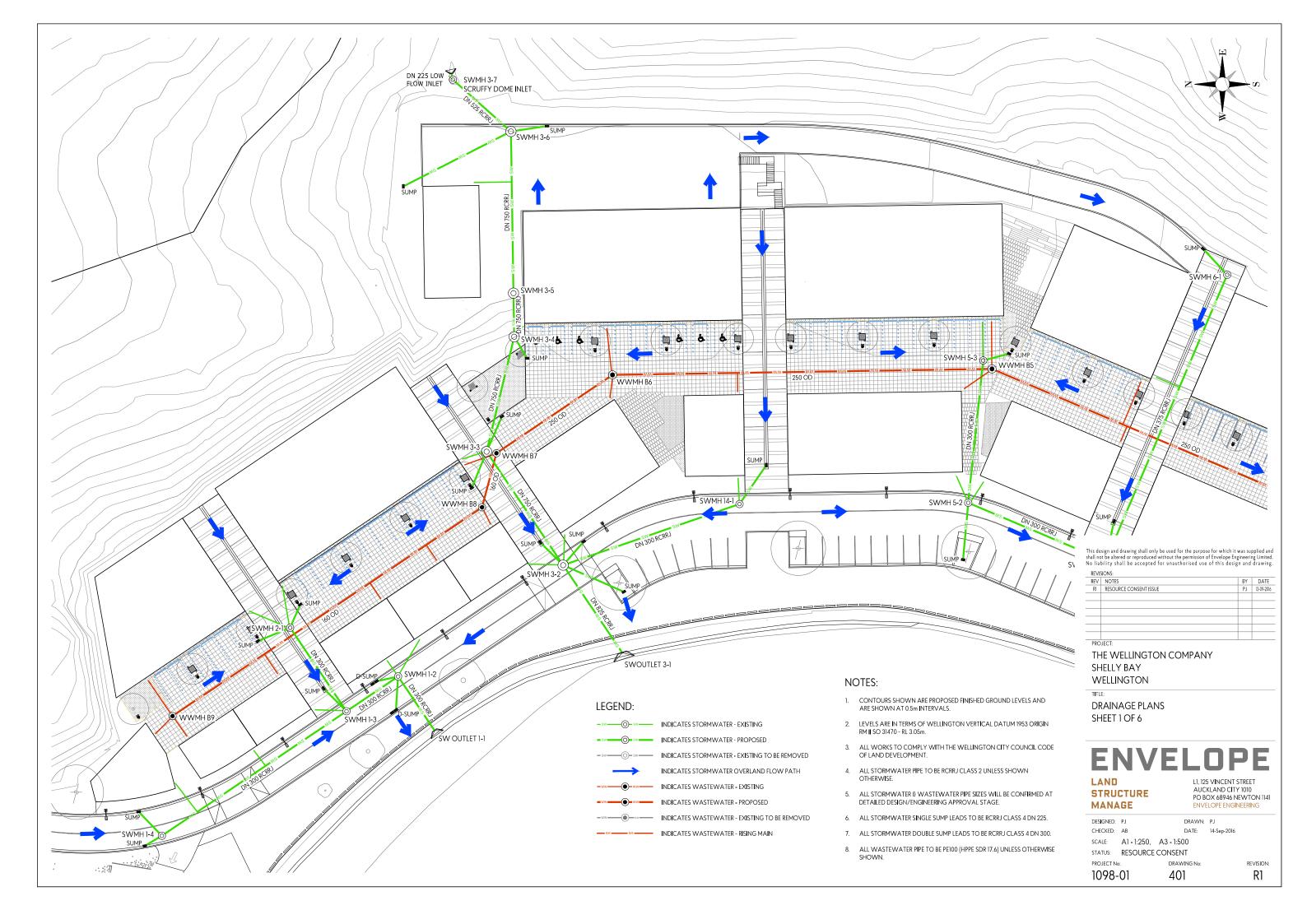
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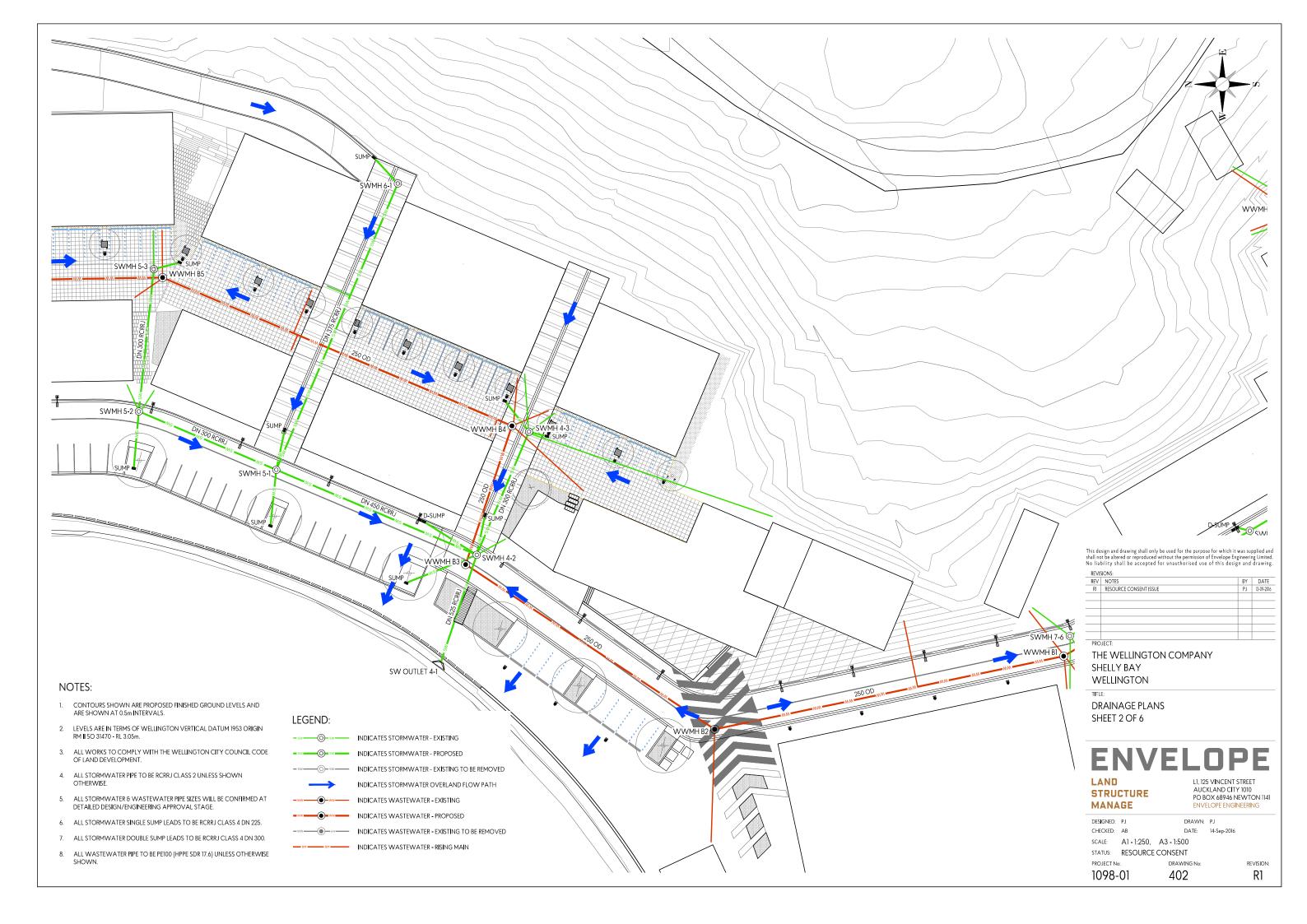
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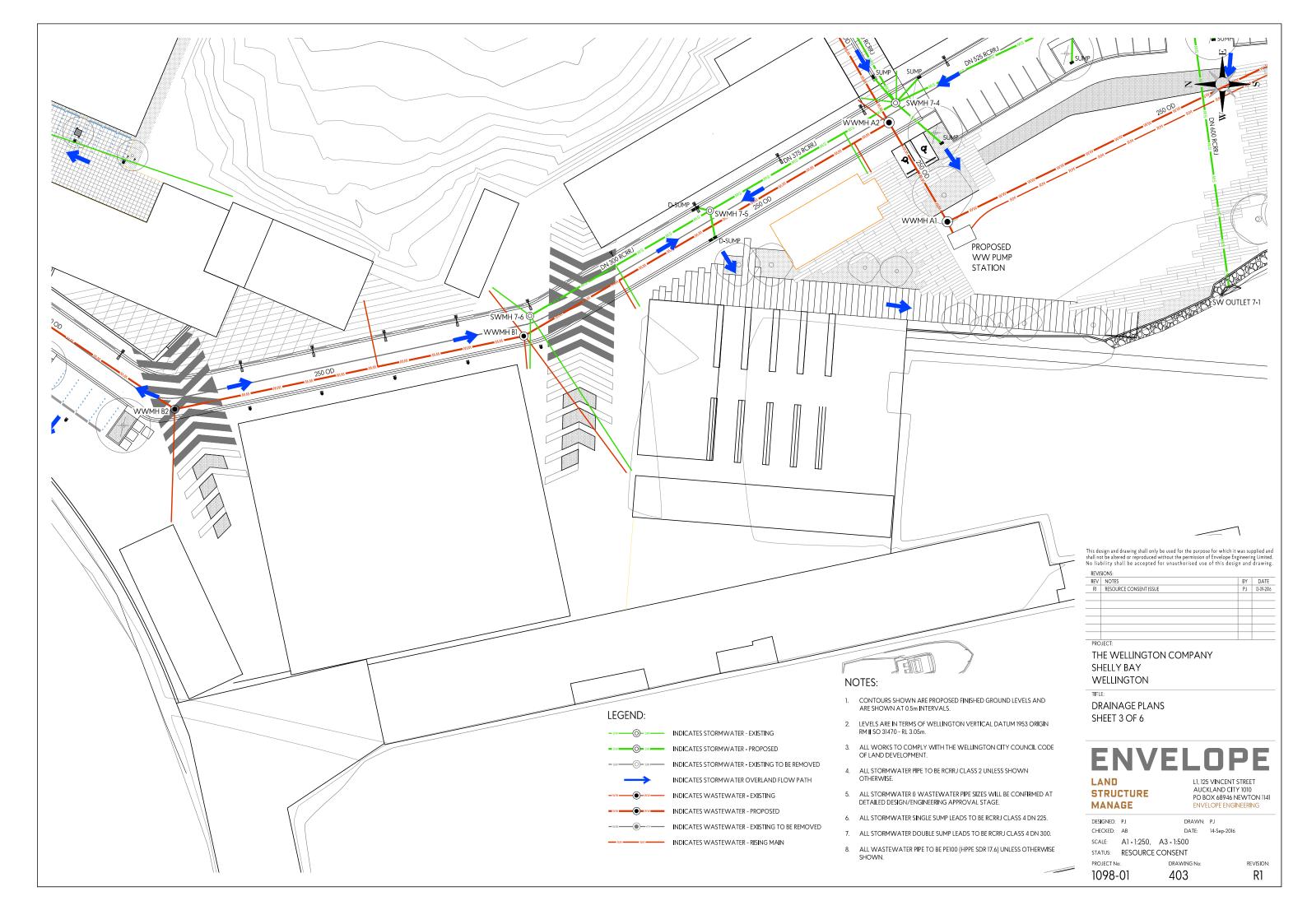


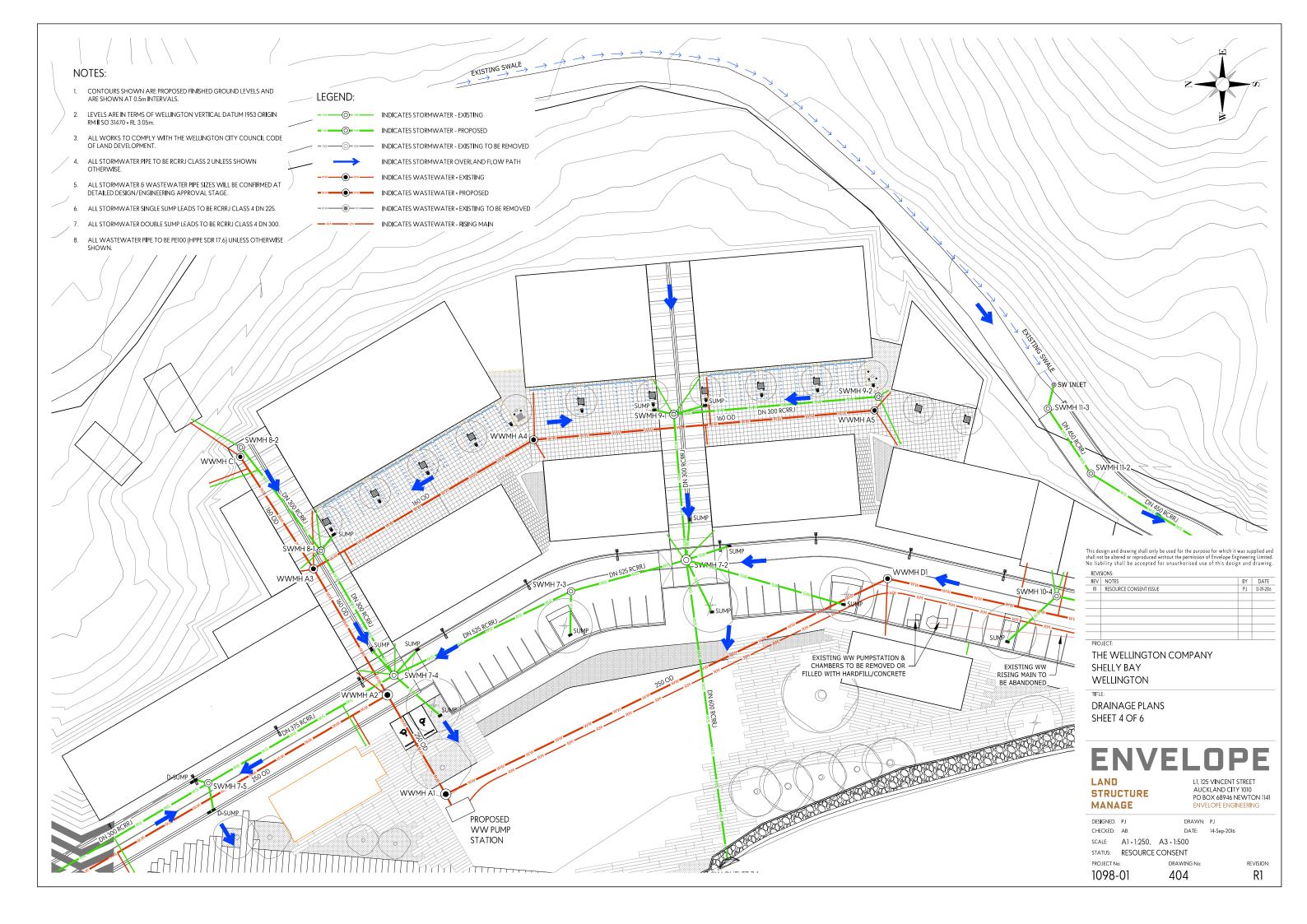


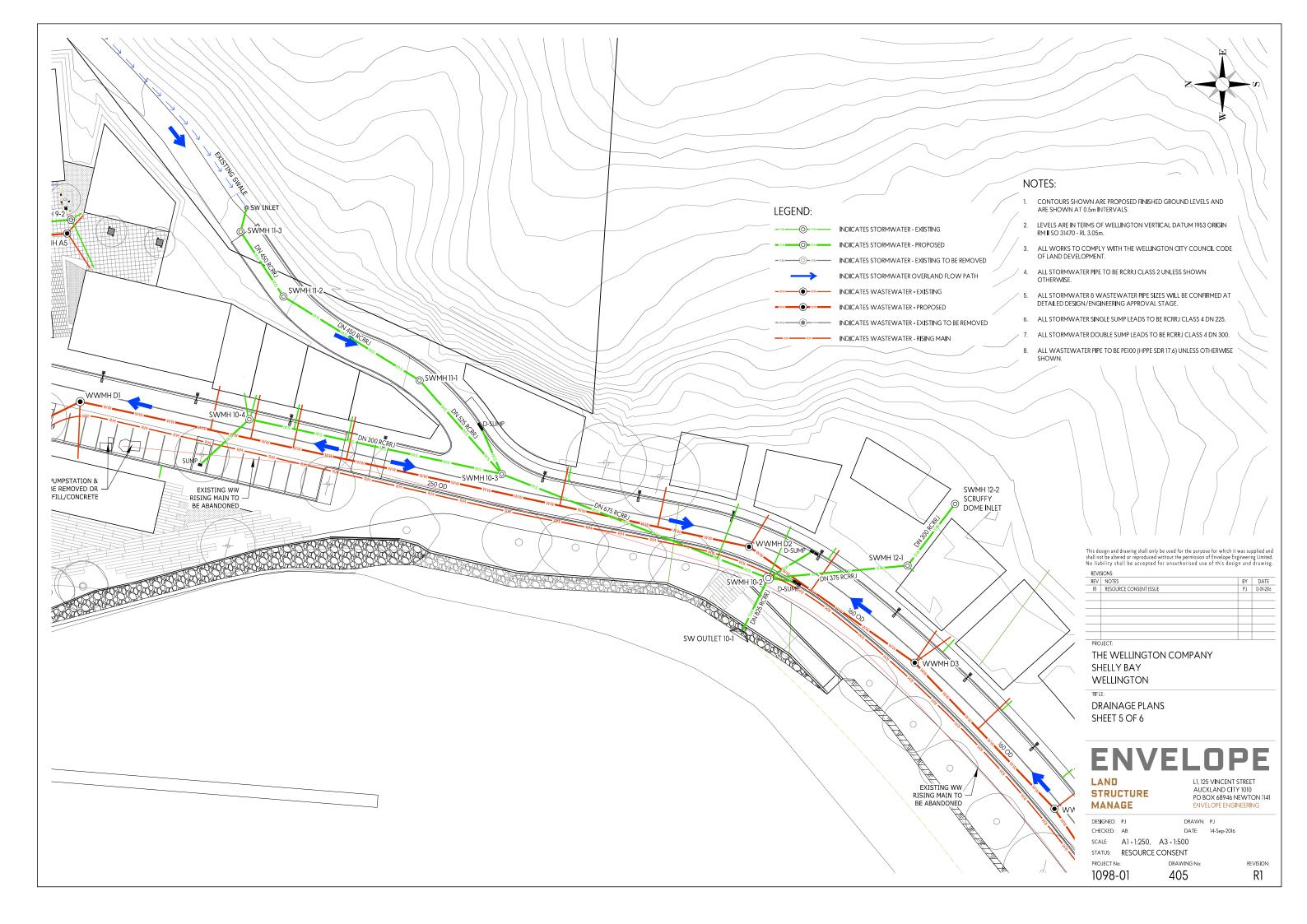


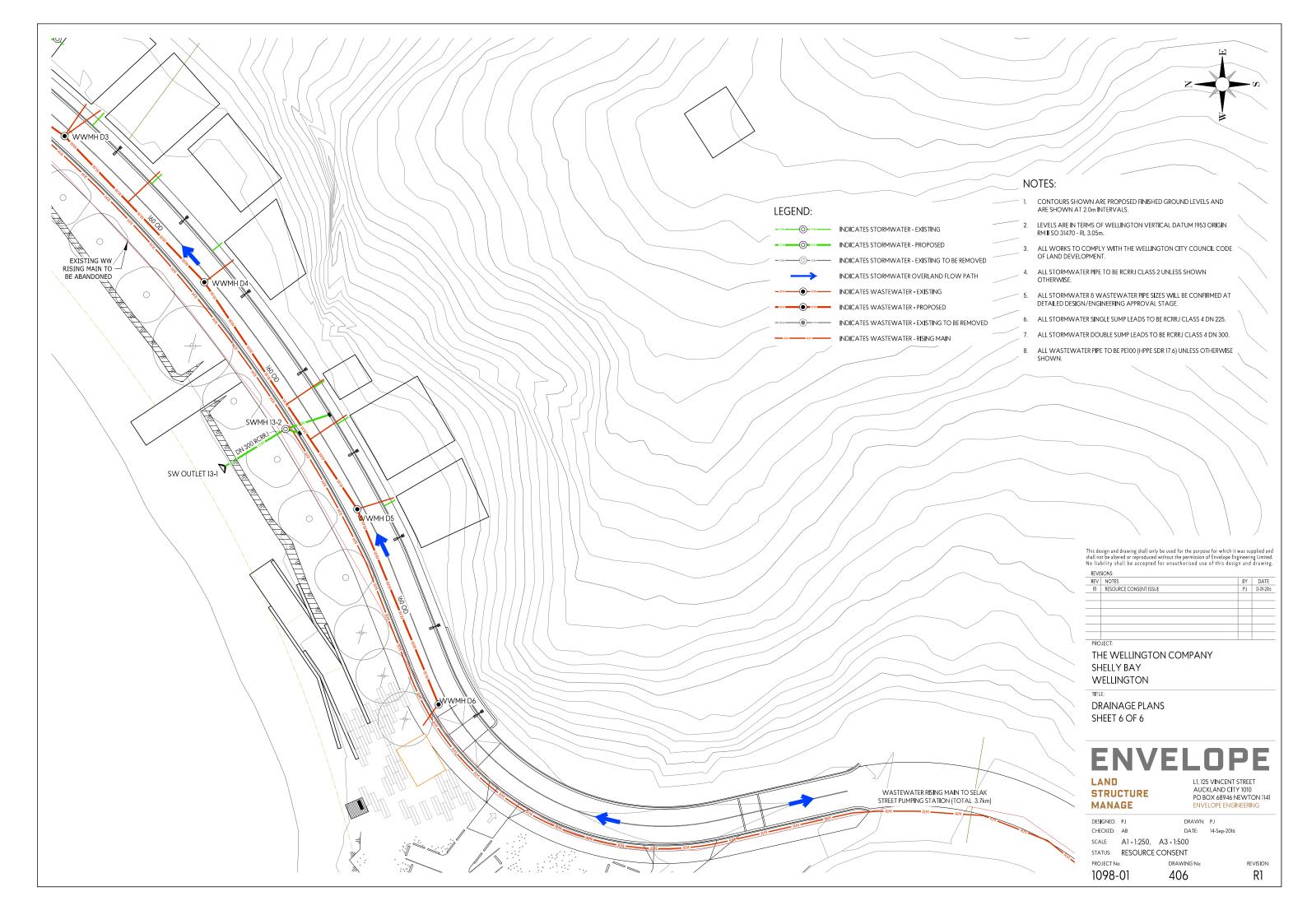


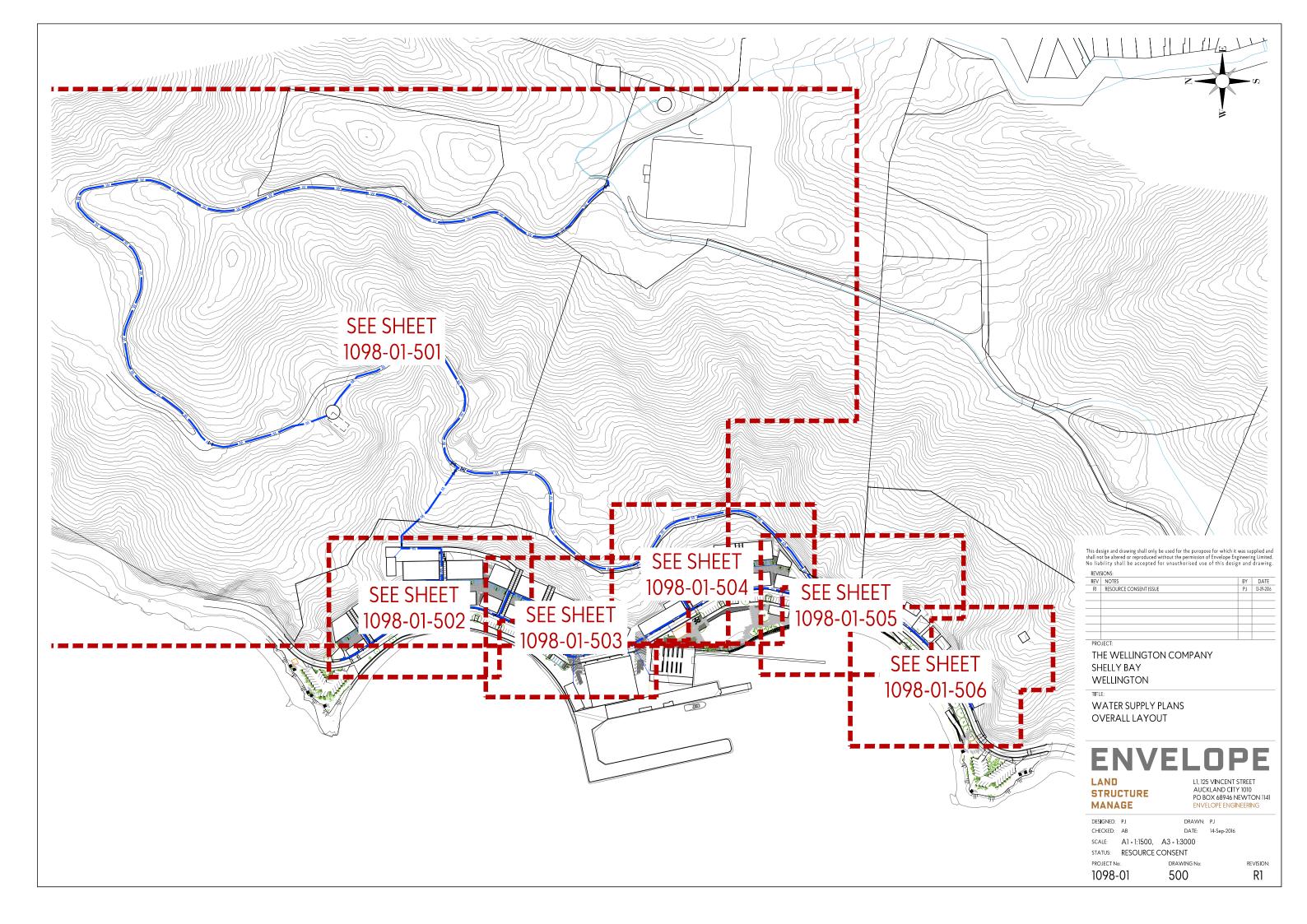


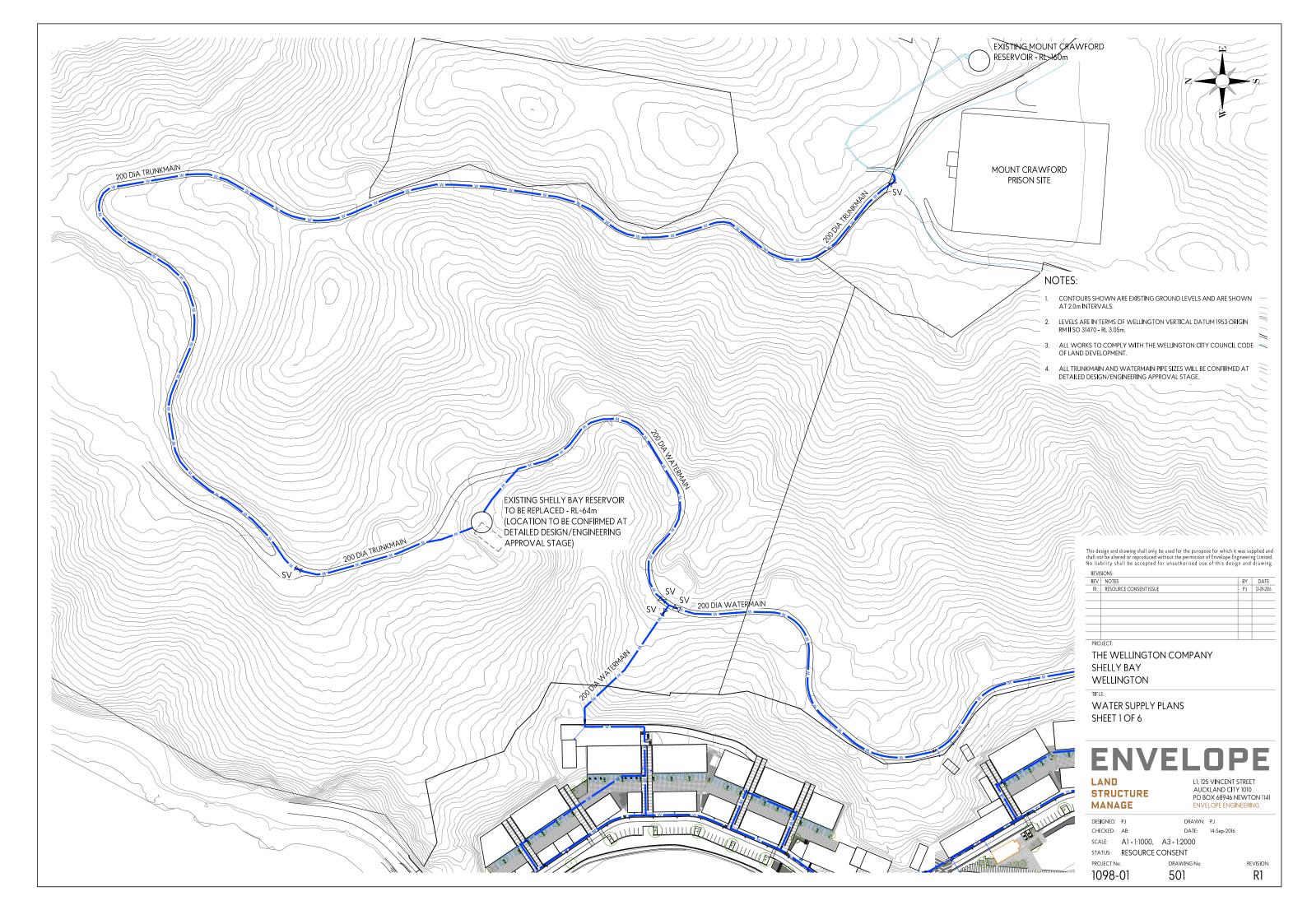


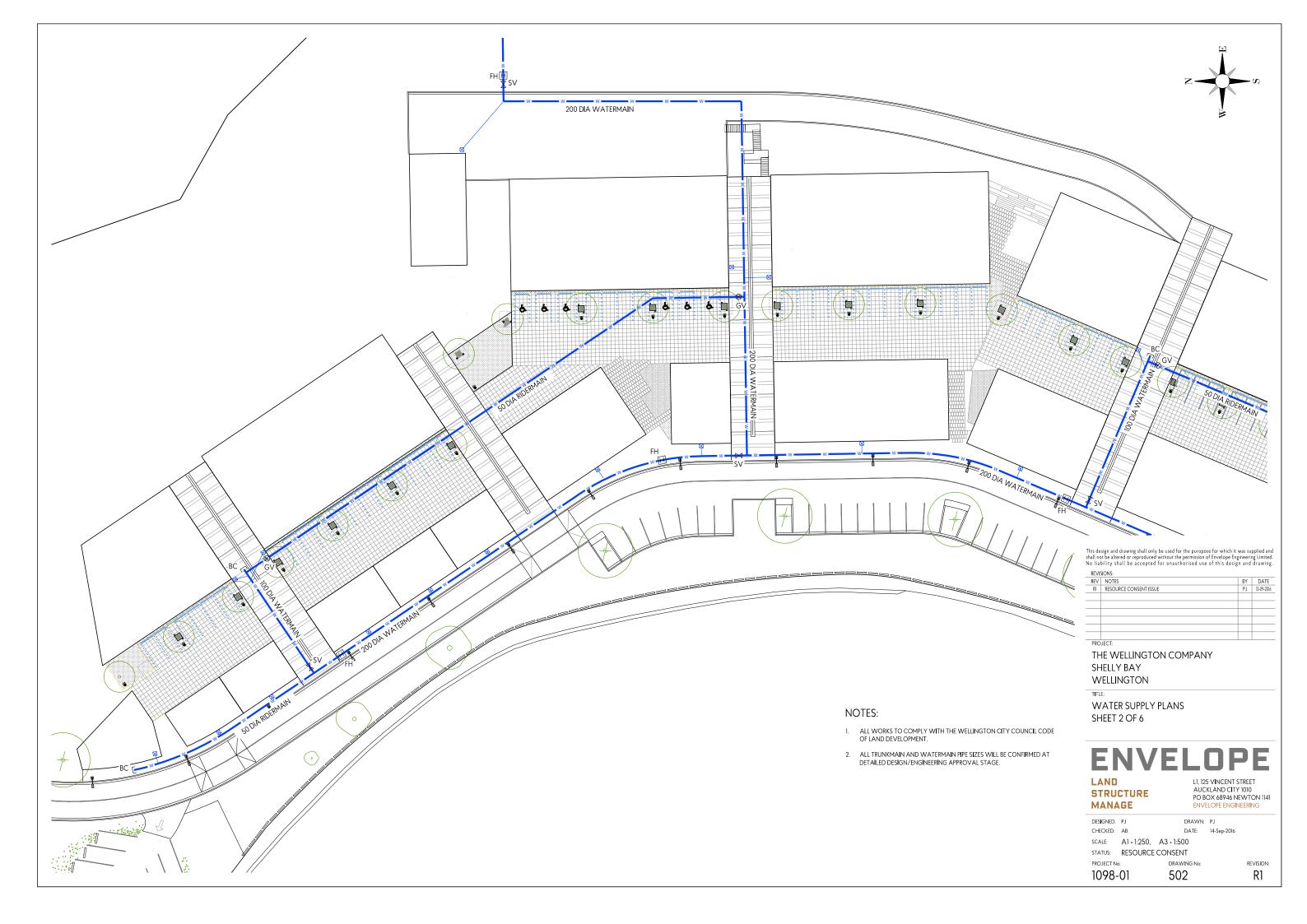


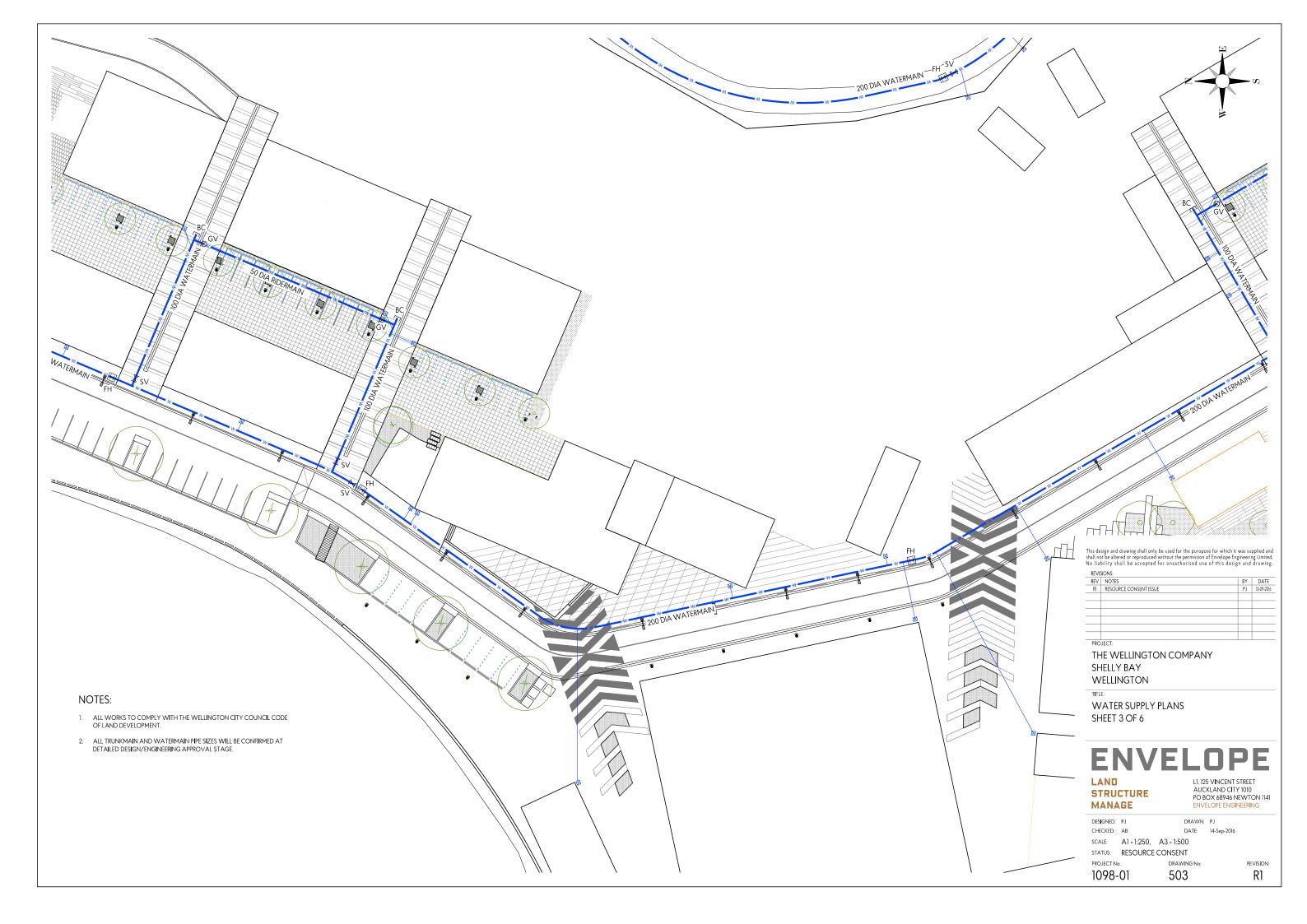


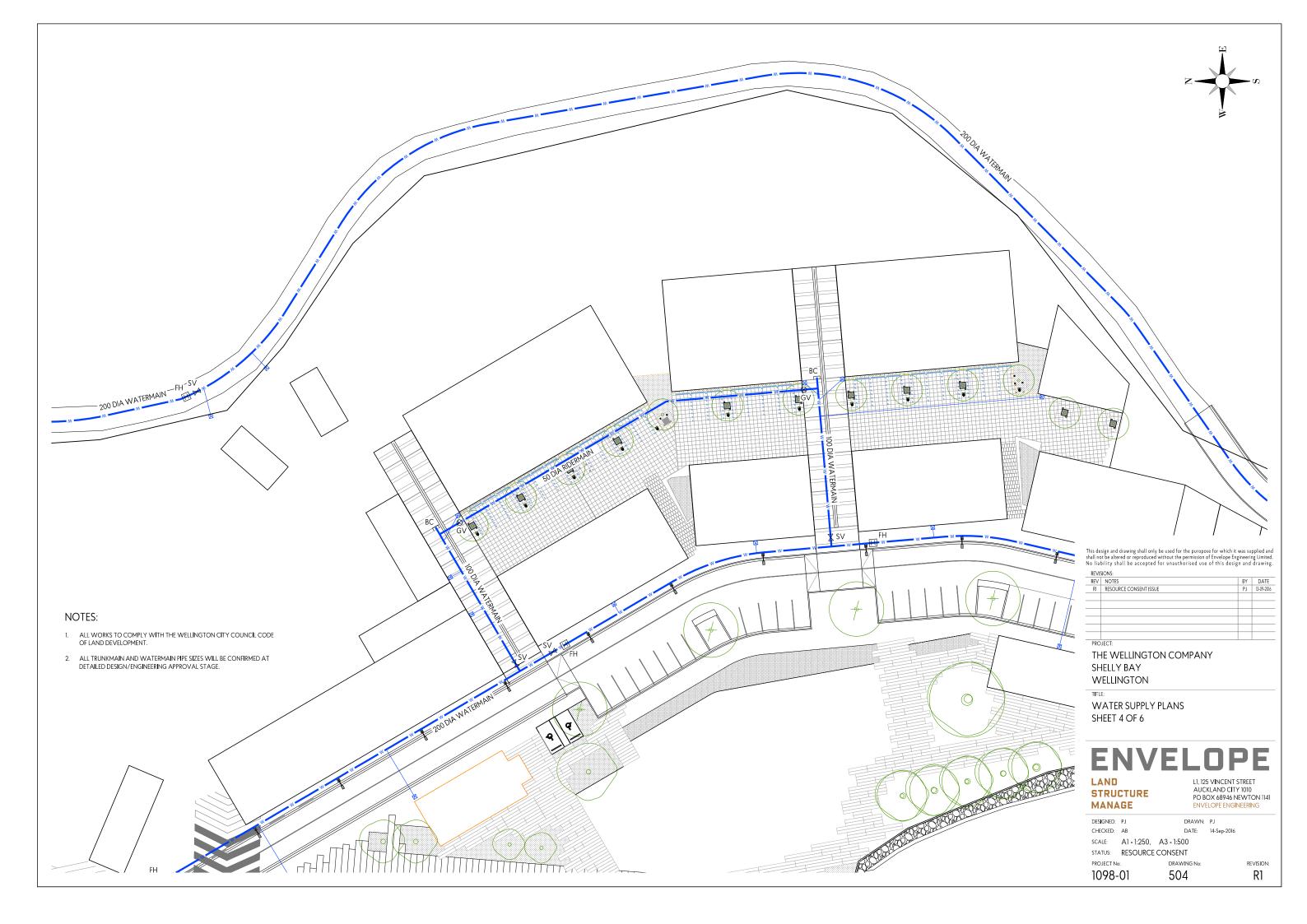


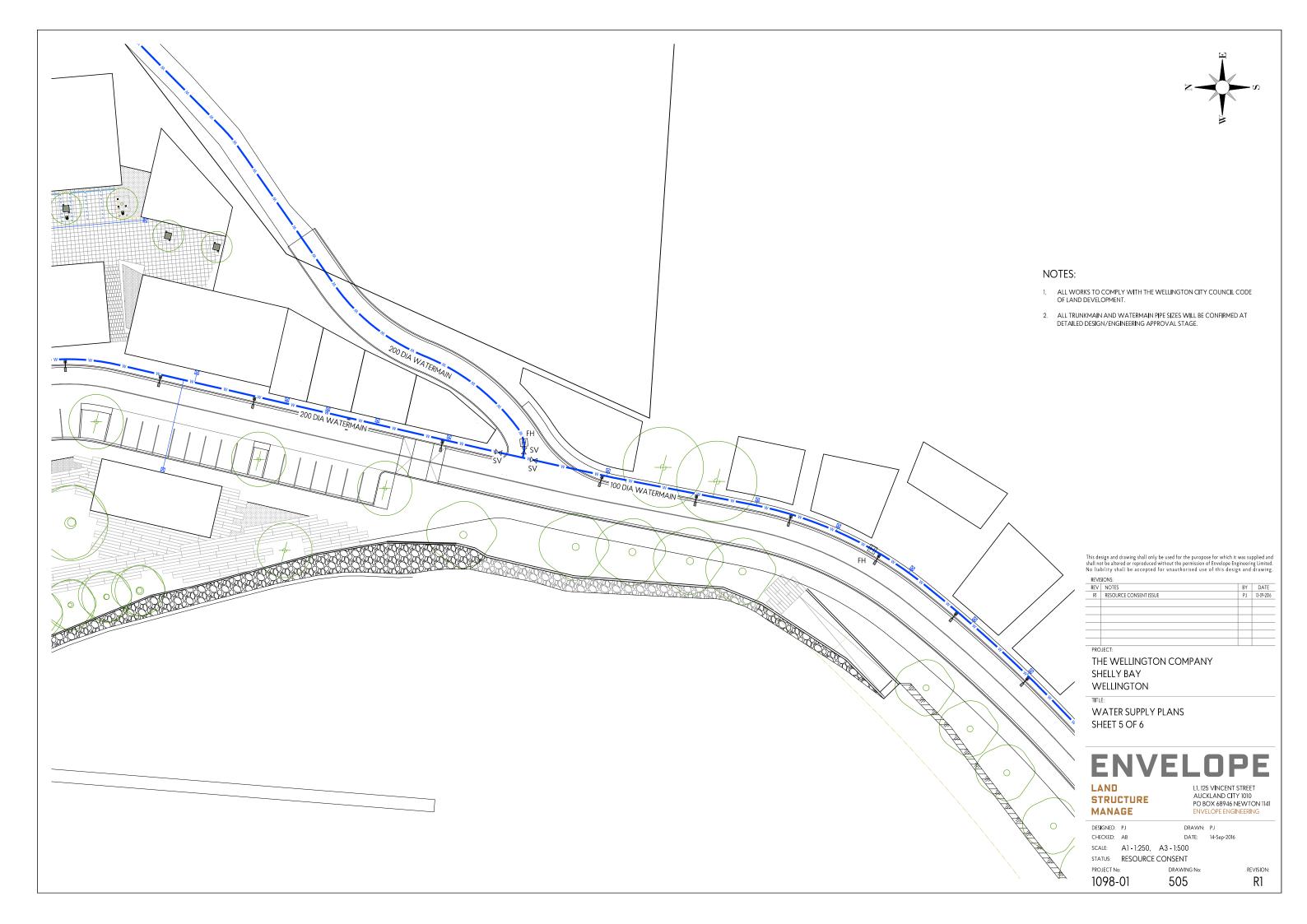




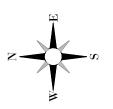














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Table of Proposed Floor Levels



existing ground and proposed floor RLs

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dwelling type		NB H1	SBW H1	SBW H2	SB H1	SB H2	SB H3	SB H4	SB H5	SB H6
		detached house	detached house	detached house	detached house					
existing ground RL	m AMSL	3.50	16.00	16.00	4.50	4.50	4.90	4.90	4.90	4.00
	m AMSL	3.00	n/a	n/a	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
proposed footpath min. RL										
proposed non habitable room min. RL	m AMSL	3.05	16.00	16.00	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05
proposed habitable room min. RL	m AMSL	3.60	16.00	16.00	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60
dwelling type		NB A1	NB A2	NB A3	NB A4	NB A5/6	NB A7	SBW A1	SB A1/2	SB A3
		apartment	apartment	apartment	apartment	apartment	apartment	apartment	apartment	apartment
aviation and and DI	48461	2.20	2.20	10.70	2.00	2.40	2.00	2.40	2.40	2.40
existing ground RL	m AMSL	3.30	3.30	10.70	3.00	3.10	3.00	3.10	3.40	3.40
proposed footpath min. RL	m AMSL	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
proposed non habitable room min. RL	m AMSL	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05
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existing ground RL	m AMSL	3.30	3.20	3.10	2.90	3.00	2.80	2.90	2.90	
proposed footpath min. RL	m AMSL	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	
proposed non habitable room min. RL	m AMSL	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05	
proposed habitable room min. RL	m AMSL	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	
building type		SBW B2	SBW B3	SBW B4	SBW B5	SBW B6	SBW B9			
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existing ground RL										
proposed footpath min. RL	m AMSL	3.00	2.80	2.80	2.80	2.60 (as existing)	2.60 (as existing)			
proposed retail min. RL	m AMSL	3.05	2.85	2.85	2.85	2.65	2.65			
proposed habitable room min. RL	m AMSL	3.60	n/a	8.85	n/a	n/a	8.65			
building type		SBW B1	SBW B7	SBW B8	SBW B10	SB B1				
		historic character								
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proposed habitable room min. RL	m AMSL	3.60	2.65	2.20	3.60	3.60				

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