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## 1 INTRODUCTION

## **APPOINTMENT**

O'Connor Sutton Cronin have been appointed as Civil & Structural Engineers as part of the Architect led design team for the proposed redevelopment of Tallaght Heritage Centre, Tallaght, Dublin 24 for South Dublin County Council.

## SITE LOCATION

The site of the proposed development is located to the east of County Hall in Tallaght. The site is indicated in Figure 1-1 below.

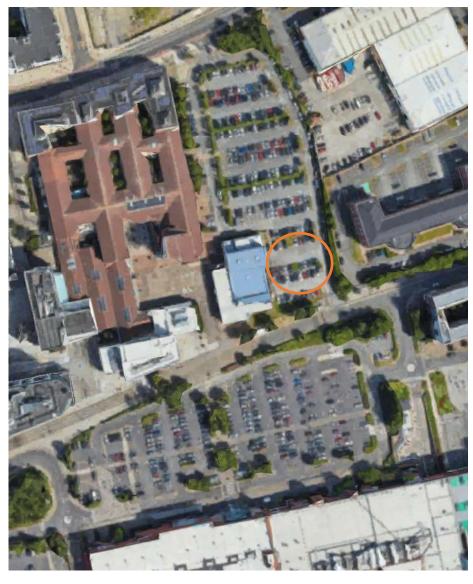


Figure 1-1 Site Location



#### SITE OVERVIEW

The site is located on the carpark premises of County Hall in Tallaght. It is adjacent to the Civic Theatre and is bounded to the northwest by County Hall, to the north an existing carpark to be retained and to the south the site is bounded by a local access road to the carpark. The site is bound by third party offices to the eat. The areas of the proposed development are in the ownership of South Dublin County.

Information taken from the Local Authority Topographical survey drawings as included in Appendix A of this report informs that existing ground of the site falls gradually from North to south with levels of c.98.50-97.12m OD across the site.

### PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

A new Heritage Centre for Tallaght with a gross floor area of c.870m<sup>2</sup>. The development comprises of:

- Construction of a new two-storey structure which will accommodate gallery and exhibition spaces, multi-purpose room, reception, external terrace, and all of the required supporting spaces including storage, welfare facilities, services and bin storage;
- Removal of existing boundary fence, removal existing bottle-bank and bike lockers, removal of 39 no. existing surface car-parking spaces to facilitate development;
- All associated site works to include hard and soft landscaping including courtyard garden, planting, 20
  no of bicycle parking spaces, lighting, signage and all associated site and development works.

The building is proposed to be a 2-storey structure providing gallery spaces over 2 levels with ancillary and support services. Please refer to Figure 1-2 for the proposed ground floor layout together with Figure 1-3 showing a 3-D visualisation.



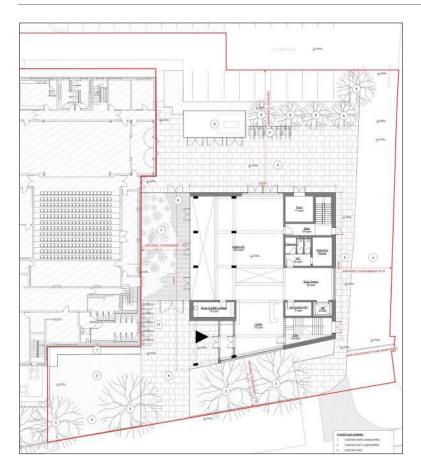


Figure 1-2 Proposed Development



Figure 1-3 Visualisation of Proposed Development



## 2 SCOPE OF REPORT

This report has been prepared to describe the proposed civil engineering aspects of the development and will form part of the planning application documentation. This report has been prepared by reviewing available data from Local Authority records and national bodies, i.e., South Dublin County Council (SDCC), Irish Water as well as the wider design team and client body. The report addresses:

- Storm drainage proposals;
- Foul drainage proposals;
- Potable water supply;
- Traffic & Transportation.

All design and calculations will be in accordance with;

- Local Authority Requirements;
- BS EN 752 Drainage Outside Buildings;
- The Building Regulations Technical Guidance Document Part 'H';
- The Building Regulations Technical Guidance Document Part 'M';
- Recommendations for Site Development works for housing Areas, Dept. of Environment, 1998;
- Design Manual for Urban Roads and Streets (DMURS);
- Traffic Signs Manual;
- DETR Guidance on the use of Tactile Paving Surfaces;
- Greater Dublin Strategic Drainage Study (GDSDS);
- BS EN 12056-2:2000 Gravity drainage systems inside buildings;
- The SuDS Manual (CIRIA C753);
- Irish Water Code of Practice for Water Infrastructure;
- Irish Water Code of Practice for Wastewater Infrastructure;

Other aspects of the site development strategy relating to architectural design, landscaping, mechanical & electrical engineering services, visual quality and planning compliance are covered by other members of the design team.

This report should be read in conjunction with:

- Drawing M1381-OCSC-XX-XX-DR-S-0500 Proposed Storm Drainage Layout
- Drawing M1381-OCSC-XX-XX-DR-S-0501 Proposed Foul Drainage Layout
- Drawing M1381-OCSC-XX-XX-DR-S-0550 Proposed Watermain Layout



## 3 EXISTING SITE SERVICES

## **OVERVIEW**

The proposed site is served by both existing drainage and watermain infrastructure.

A review of local authority records included as Appendix B together with previous utility survey information included in Appendix C has identified separate foul and storm drainage lines to north of the site through the car park and to the south of the site along the interface with the local access road.

The existing services are currently identified to be running across the carpark and therefore would need to be diverted. Further investigative woks are to be undertaken during the detailed design phase of the project to determine the precise alignment of the existing sewers and full detail of the proposed diversions. Please refer to Figure 3-1 below for overlay of proposed building and Utility Survey.



Figure 3-1 Extract of Local Authority Utility Records with Proposed GA overlay

The existing watermain infrastructure in the area includes a 150mm diameter main to the north and the west of the Civic Theatre. This provides a 50mm diameter metered supply to the Civic Theatre at the northeast corner.



## 4 STORM DRAINAGE

#### **DESIGN GUIDELINES OVERVIEW**

Any planning permission sought on the subject lands are required to adhere to the Local Authority requirements *i.e.*, the South Dublin County Council Development Plan and the Greater Dublin Strategic Drainage Study (Dublin City Council, 2005). New development must ensure that a comprehensive Sustainable Drainage System (SuDS), is incorporated into the development. SuDS requires that post development run-off rates be maintained at equivalent, or lower, levels than pre-development levels. Thus, the development must be able to retain, within its boundaries, surface water volumes from extreme rainfall events up to a 1 in 100-year rainfall event, more commonly expressed as a 1.0% AEP (Annual Exceedance Probability), *while also allowing for an additional climate change factor of 20% increase in rainfall intensity* in accordance with the South Dublin County Council Development Plan.

Any new development must also have the physical capacity to retain surface water volumes as directed under the Greater Dublin Strategic Drainage Strategy (GDSDS) and, if necessary, release these attenuated surface water volumes to an outfall at a controlled flow rate, not greater than the greenfield runoff equivalent. A further component of the SuDS protocol is to increase the overall water quality of surface water runoff before it enters a natural watercourse or a public sewer, which ultimately discharges to a water body. This is to ensure the highest possible standard of surface water quality. The surface water strategy for the proposed development is to include a number of Sustainable Drainage Systems, prior to discharging an attenuated flow to the existing storm sewer to be diverted to the eastern boundary of the development site. Development discharge rates are to be restricted to the greenfield runoff equivalent.

SuDS are designed in accordance with best practice and the CIRIA C753, 2015 (The SuDS Manual) guidance material, and SDCC's SuDS Design and Evaluation Guide, 2022. It is proposed to separate the surface water and wastewater drainage networks, which will serve the proposed development, and provide separate connections to the local storm and foul drainage networks.

## SURFACE WATER DEIGN STRATEGY OVERVIEW

The proposed development is to be served by a gravity surface water drainage network with attenuated surface water runoff, generated within the new development site boundary, ultimately discharging to the existing 375mm-diameter storm sewer to be diverted to the east of the development.

Sustainable Drainage Systems are to be provided, wherever practicable, and these are discussed in more detail in the following sections with discharge rates from site being restricted to the greenfield equivalent runoff rate, for design rainfall events up to, and including, the 1% AEP, in accordance with the current South Dublin County Council Development Plan and the GDSDS.



It is also proposed to reduce the overall rainfall runoff volume discharging from site by implementing a series of Sustainable Drainage Systems that will intercept the initial rainfall runoff and allow for infiltration to ground, and / or the re-use of captured rainwater for other purposes, where practicable.

### **EXISTING SITE DRAINAGE**

The existing drainage on site consists of the following:

- 375mm diameter surface water sewer which traverses the site travelling in a north-west to south-east direction-this is required to be diverted;
- 450mm diameter sewer to the southern boundary of the site travelling in a west to east direction.

Please refer to utility survey included in Appendix B for more detail of same.

#### **CLIMATE CHANGE ALLOWANCE**

The proposed surface water network has been designed to allow for an additional 20% increase in rainfall intensity, to allow for Climate Change projections, in accordance with both the SDCC Development Plan and the GDSDS.

All discussion within this report, with regards to surface water network design calculation and results, include for the allowance of an increase of <u>20%</u> in rainfall intensity, as required.

## PROPOSED SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN

The new development's surface water drainage network will comprise a sustainable drainage system that is heavily integrated with the landscape features, wherever practicable. The sustainable drainage systems reduce the runoff volume discharging from site, as well as improving the water quality.

The proposed drainage system will consist of

BIORETENTION SYSTEMS/RAIN GARDENS are shallow landscaped depressions that can reduce rates and volumes and treat pollution through the use of engineered soils and vegetation. They are particularly effective in delivering interception and attenuation and can also provide attractive landscape features that are self-irrigating and fertilising; habitat and biodiversity; and cooling of the local microclimate due to evapotranspiration. The landscaped space between the Civic Theatre and the proposed development is proposed as a rain garden.



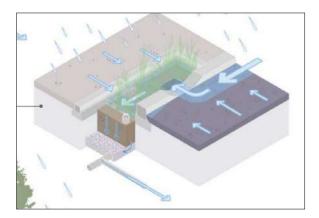


Figure 4-1 Bioretention rain garden-SDCC Sustainable Drainage Explanatory Design & Evaluation guide

• PERVIOUS PAVING and surfaces allow for rainfall runoff to be captured directly by a SuDS structure for interception, treatment, infiltration (where possible) and attenuation. There are several pervious surfaces available but all work by similar practice, with the surface allowing rainfall to pass through, with an open-graded base layer providing both structural strength to the surface, while also allowing for storage within the void content. Filter drains can be provided under the structural layer of the pervious paving, at its low-point, in order to convey excess rainfall volumes and this is proposed for the Heritage Centre site. Attenuation and storage properties of pervious paving structures can be further optimised by providing flow controls, to hold back rainfall runoff and maximise the available storage within the structure.

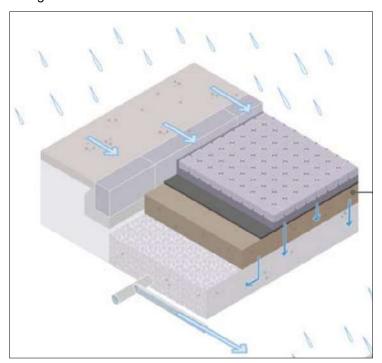


Figure 4-2 Pervious Paving -SDCC Sustainable Drainage Explanatory Design & Evaluation guide

Suds TREE PITS are shallow landscaped depressions that can reduce rates and volumes and treat
pollution through the use of engineered soils and vegetation. They are particularly effective in



delivering interception and attenuation and can also provide attractive landscape features that are self-irrigating and fertilising; habitat and biodiversity; and cooling of the local microclimate due to evapotranspiration. Tree pits are proposed for the landscaped areas to the north and south of the development.

A number of further SuDS measures were reviewed and evaluated for inclusion in the scheme but not brought forward as discussed below:

- Green roofs are roofs or podium decks onto which vegetation is grown, or habitats for wildlife are
  established. There are various types of green roof including extensive and intensive roofs, semiintensive, roof gardens, biodiverse roofs and brown roofs. It is noted that saw tooth nature of the
  proposed roof profile would preclude the use of a green roof system within the development;
- blue roofs hold rainwater runoff on roofs and podium decks and release rainfall slowly through a flow
  control. Green blue roofs are simply green roofs with this addition. It is noted that saw tooth nature of
  the proposed roof profile would preclude the use of a blue roof system within the development.

### PROPOSED SURFACE WATER ATTENUATION STORAGE

The proposed development is to attenuate its own rainfall runoff, prior to discharging to the 375mm diameter sewer diverted to the east of the site. The primary function of the attenuation systems will be to temporarily store excessive rainfall runoff, during significant rainfall events, due to the restricted discharge rates (to greenfield equivalent runoff rates) from the development outfalls.

Attenuation and temporary storage has been strategically distributed across the development site and largely provided as part of the proposed SuDS structures-as discussed above, which comprise:

- Bio-retention / rain garden;
- Pervious paving with filter drain;
- Filter drain;
- SuDS Tree Pits;
- Hydrobrake manhole at head of storage before discharge to main sewer.

An assessment on the total run-off and thus the required attenuation volume has been undertaken. This has been based on the entire site (c.2,410m²) with the contributing areas as listed in indicated in Table 4-1 and indicated in Figure 4-3 over.



Table 4-1 Contributing Areas

	Area (m²)	Contributing Area (m <sup>2</sup> )	Note		
Roof	550	550	Pitched/profiled roof		
Existing Road and Parking	665	0	Drainage not being altered-current arrangements being maintained in place		
Permeable Paving	570	570	Permeable paving taken as hardstanding for attenuation purposes as a worst-case scenario but used as storage volume		
Bin Store	40	40	Taken as fully impermeable		
SuDS Treepits	130	0	Taken as not contributing to run-off and being adopted as a storage medium		
Rain Garden	125	0	Taken as not contributing to run-off and being adopted as a storage medium		
Soft landscaped	330	0	Taken as not contributing to the run-off but also not aiding in attenuation volume		
Total	2410	1160			



Figure 4-3 Image of Contributing Areas



The required attenuation, based on the above contributing areas and an allowable discharge of 2l/s, has been assessed as 35m³-please refer to Appendix D for calculation details.

The potential storage volume available within the development has been assessed. This has been based on an equivalent area of the drainage layer within the permeable paving build-up with 30% voids assumed within a general 300mm stone layer. Thus, this equates to  $0.09 \, \mathrm{m}^3$  storage volume for each  $\mathrm{m}^2$  of permeable paving. The same estimated storage rate has been applied to the rain garden and tree pits-however, the available storage in these areas is likely to be well in excess of this value in practice. It is noted that only elements to the north are included in this estimation as this is the direction in which the roof drainage is being gathered-the permeable paving and soft landscaped areas to the south have not been included within the necessary storage.

Element	Area (m²)	Storage volume provided (m³)
Permeable Paving	430	38.7
Rain garden	125	11.25
Tree-pits	130	11.7
Total		61.65

Thus, the available storage volume through the SuDS measures is significantly in excess of that required to limit run-off to green field rates.

It is noted that the proposed situation is an improvement on the current as the development replaces an existing hard surface carpark with run-off currently unattenuated.

An indicative layout of the storm drainage layout is shown in Figure 4-4 over with a larger scale included as Appendix E. This layout will be developed through detailed design post planning.



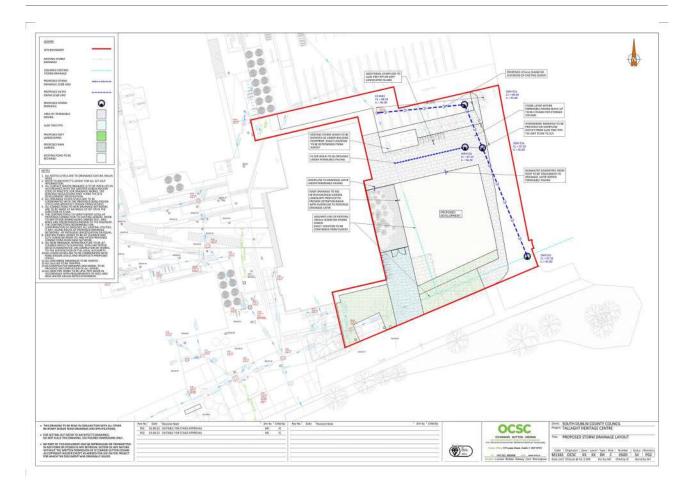


Figure 4-4 Storm Drainage Proposals

## SURFACE WATER IMPACT ASSESSMENT

The design criteria for the drainage system are established in *GDSDS Volume 2*, *Section 6.3.4* and explained further in *GDSDS Volume 2*, *Appendix E*. There are four design criteria, each of which has been considered for the subject site:

- River Water Quality Protection;
- River Regime Protection;
- Level of Service (flooding) for the site and;
- River Flood Protection.

### **CRITERION 1-RIVER WATER QUALITY PROTECTION**

It is proposed that the overall drainage system serving this development will contain a range of surface water treatment methods which will improve the quality of surface water being discharged from the proposed development such as:

Bioretention system to the western edge of the development;



- Intensive landscaping to tree pit areas;
- Interception storage within SuDS measures.

#### **CRITERION 2-RIVER REGIME PROTECTION**

Surface water discharge from the overall development will be restricted to an equivalent runoff rate of 2l/s as per GDSD and SDCC Development Plan. This will be achieved with the provision of a flow control device upstream of the outfall manhole.

## **CRITERION 3-LEVEL OF SERVICE (FLOODING) SITE**

There are 4 sub-criteria for level of service, as set out in the GDSDS-RDP Volume 2, Section 6.3.4 (Table 6.3):

- No flooding on site except where planned (30-year high intensity rainfall event);
- No internal property flooding (100-year high intensity rainfall event);
- No internal property flooding (100-year river event and critical duration for site) and;
- No flood routing off site except where specifically planned, (100-year high intensity rainfall event).

Please refer a site-specific flood risk assessment in the following section.

#### **Sub Criterion 3.1**

The proposed drainage system has been designed to safely convey the run-off for a 30-year return period storm event.

#### **Sub Criterion 3.2**

The proposed drainage system has been designed to safely convey the run-off for a 100-year return period storm event.

#### **Sub Criterion 3.3**

Reference to the flood hazard mapping has identified that the site of the proposed development is not within the predicted 100-year river event of any local water course.

#### **Sub Criterion 3.4**

The drainage system has been designed to meet the requirements of the 100-year return period storm event. Sufficient storage will be provided to prevent flooding in the 100-year return period storm event. The surface water strategy will not provide for off-site overland flow in the 100-year return period storm event.



#### **CRITERION 4-RIVER FLOOD PROTECTION**

In accordance with sub-criterion 4.3, runoff from the site will be limited to the green-field runoff level. By limiting the runoff to this flow rate, the GDSDS-RDP Volume 2, Appendix E Section E2.4 states that this ensures "that sufficient stormwater runoff retention is achieved to protect the river during extreme events". Attenuation storage is provided for the 100-year return period storm event for the SuDS measures adopted. Control of runoff rates will be achieved through the use of a vortex-controlled discharge from the site.

#### FLOOD RISK ASSESSMENT

A Flood Risk Assessment is the identification, quantification and communication of flood risk using the source-pathway-receptor model. It examines the source of flooding and the pathways by which floodwaters might reach receptors, such as people, property and environment to determine the likelihood of them being affected by flooding. It also examines the flood hazards that are likely to arise and the vulnerability of receptors to such hazards. The principles of the source pathway receptor model are outlined in Figure 4-5 below.

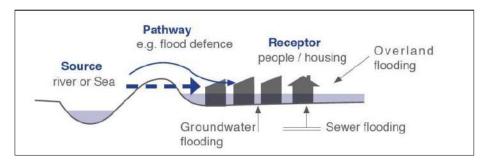


Figure 4-5 Source Pathway Receptor Model

#### **LEVEL OF SERVICE**

The risk of a flood event is a function of the probability of occurrence in any given year. Traditionally, this has been expressed as a return period (e.g., 1-in 100-year return period). However, this has led to misconceptions about the likelihood of repeat occurrences. A less ambiguous expression of probability is the Annual exceedance Probability (AEP), which may be defined as the probability of a flood event being exceeded in any given year. A 1-in-100-year return period flood event is therefore expressed as a 1% AEP flood event. Likewise, a 1-in-100 return year period flood event is expressed as a 100% AEP flood event.

The Greater Dublin Strategic Drainage Study (published by the Local Authorities in the greater Dublin Region) and The Planning System and Flood Risk Management, Guidelines for Planning Authorities set out the best practice standards for flood risk in Ireland. These are summarised in Table 4-2 over.



Table 4-2 Summary of Level of Service-Flooding Source

Use	Flood Source			
	Drainage	River	Tidal/Coastal	
Residential	1% AEP	0.1% AEP	0.1% AEP	
Commercial	1% AEP	1% AEP	0.5% AEP	
Water-compatible	-	>1% AEP	>0.5%AEP	

Both the Greater Dublin Strategic Drainage Study and The Planning System and Flood Risk Management, Guidelines for Planning Authorities require that account be taken of the effects of climate change over the design life of a development, normally 100 years. Flood risk will therefore change over the lifetime of a development. The Flood Risk Assessment therefore considers "present day" flood risk and "future" flood risk.

The proposed development would be classed as Commercial Development and thus requires the level of service to be 1% AEP for drainage, 1% AEP for river flooding and 0.5% AEP for tidal/coastal flooding.

#### **FLOOD RISK & MITIGATION MEASURES**

#### **Fluvial Flooding**

A review of the OPW portals Floodinfo.ie and Floodmaps.ie have been undertaken in reviewing the risk of fluvial flooding at the site of the proposed development. There is no record of flooding at the site and a review of mapping shows the site of the proposed development to be outside of the 1% AEP for fluvial flooding. Please refer to Figure 4-6 below. Thus, it is considered that the risk of fluvial flooding is low.



Figure 4-6 Extract from Floodinfo.ie



#### **Tidal/Coastal Flooding**

The site is located approximately 12km from the sea. Thus, it is considered that the risk of tidal/coastal flooding is low.

#### **Pluvial Flooding**

A review of the OPW website Floodinfo.ie and Floodmaps.ie does not show any records of flood events in the vicinity of the site. Thus, it is considered that the risk of pluvial flooding is low.

## **Groundwater Flooding**

There is no basement structure proposed as part of the development. The proposed ground floor level is generally at or above the existing at grade level on the site. The hard landscaping to the northern section of the development will be required to be profiled so as to discourage run-off from the adjacent traversing the area. Thus, it is considered that the risk of groundwater flooding is low.

#### **CONSULTATION**

There have been preliminary discussions on storm drainage and SuDS proposals to review same at high level. It is envisaged that additional engagement will continue through the planning process and subsequent stages of design development.



## 5 FOUL DRAINAGE

## **OVERVIEW**

It is proposed to separate the wastewater and surface water drainage networks, which will serve the proposed development, and provide separate connections to the local storm and foul drainage networks.

#### **EXISTING FOUL DRAINAGE**

The existing foul drainage infrastructure in the vicinity of the site is discussed in Section 3 of this report. Of primary importance for the proposed development are the two existing sewers crossing the site:

- 150mm diameter foul sewer which traverses the site travelling in a north-west to south-east direction;
- 225mm diameter foul sewer to the southern boundary of the site travelling in a west to east direction.

Both of the existing foul sewers travel under the footprint of the proposed development and thus are required to be diverted to accommodate the development.

#### PROPOSED FOUL DRAINAGE LAYOUT

All proposed wastewater sewer design is to be carried out in accordance with Irish Water's Code of Practice for Wastewater Infrastructure. The wastewater discharge from the proposed building is to connect, via a private outfall chamber, to the public system with location to be agreed with Irish Water.

An initial Pre-Connection Enquiry Form will be submitted to Irish Water for review of planning, to ensure that connection to the public system for the develop is feasible.

An indicative layout of the foul drainage layout is shown in Figure 5-1 below with a larger scale included as Appendix F. This layout will be developed through stage 2 once the information from additional survey works have been collated.





Figure 5-1 Foul Drainage Proposals

## **FOUL FLOW CALCULATIONS**

An assessment on the proposed foul flow generated by the development on the local network has been undertaken. It is noted that the foul flow rates have been based on the rates as reference in Irish Water Code of Practice for Wastewater Infrastructure (Appendix C) to match foul flow daily rates for Office staff to cater for workers in the development and for Toilet Block use to cater for visitors. The estimated foul flow to be generated is indicated in Table 5-1 below.

Table 5-1 Foul Flow Calculations

	Occupancy	Rate	Total	1DWF	6DWF
		(I/day/person)	(l/day)	(I/s)	(I/s)
Staff	3	50	150	0.002	0.012
Visitors	220	10	2200	0.025	0.150
Total	N/A	N/A	2350	0.027	0.162



## **CONSULTATION**

An initial Pre-Connection Enquiry Form will be submitted to Irish Water for review of planning, to ensure that connection to the public system for the develop is feasible. A copy of same is included as Appendix G of this report.



## **6 WATER SUPPLY**

## **WATERMAIN PROPOSALS**

It is proposed that the potable water supply to the building be provided from the 150mm diameter main to the northwest of the site. A 50mmm diameter metred supply is proposed as indicated in Figure 6-1 Proposed Watermain Layout below with larger scale version included as Appendix H of this report.

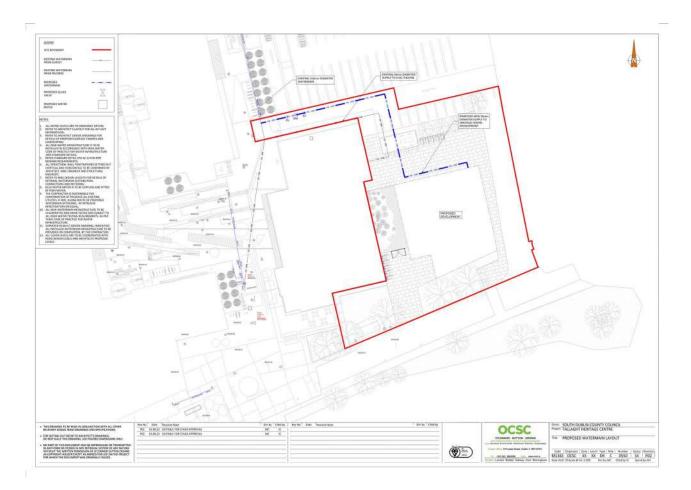


Figure 6-1 Proposed Watermain Layout

All proposed potable water design is to be carried out in accordance with Irish Water's Code of Practice for Water Infrastructure, IW-CDS-5020-03. A review of all existing watermain infrastructure is to be carried out and consultation with both Irish Water and Dublin City Council will be required to determine the best location for connection to the public system. It is envisaged that a new standalone connection/connections to existing public watermain will be provided for the proposed development, at a location to be agreed with Irish Water.

A bulk water meter and associated telemetry system is to be provided at the new connection to the public watermain, at the development entrance. All metering is to be provided in accordance with Irish Water's requirements.



#### WATER DEMAND

An assessment on the proposed water demand of the development on the local network has been undertaken. It is noted that the water demand rates have been based on the rates as reference in Irish Water Code of Practice for Wastewater Infrastructure (Appendix C) to match foul flow daily rates.

Table 6-1 Water Demand

	Occupancy	Rate	Total	Average	Peak
		(I/day/person)	(l/day)	(I/s)	(I/s)
Staff	3	50	150	0.002	0.013
Visitors	220	10	2200	0.025	0.156
Total	N/A	N/A	2350	0.027	0.169

#### WATER SAVING DEVICES

In accordance with best practice, new water saving devices (low water usage appliances and aerated taps etc.) will be fitted into the proposed new buildings on site.

## **CONSULTATION**

An initial Pre-Connection Enquiry Form will be submitted to Irish Water for review of planning, to ensure that connection to the public system for the develop is feasible. A copy of same is included as Appendix H of this report.



## 7 TRAFFIC & TRANSPORATION

## **EXISTING PUBLIC TRANSPORT, CYCLE & PEDESTRIAN FACILITIES**

There are a wide variety of existing public transport, cycle and pedestrian facilities in the vicinity of the proposed development.

#### **RAIL**

The Luas Red Line terminus at Tallaght is located approximately 200m (2 minutes) walk from the development site. The Luas is a semi-segregated light rail tram service which operates at street level but generally receives priority over normal traffic at junctions.

The Red Line provides a regular service between The Point/Connolly Station and Tallaght/Saggart with intermediate stops at key locations including Busáras, Heuston Station, the Red Cow and Citywest. Normal operating hours are from 05:30 – 12:00.

The recently extended Green Line now provides a good degree of connectivity with the Red Line with their respective stops at O'Connell Street and Abbey Street located within very close proximity of one another. The Green Line provides a service between Sandyford and Broombridge with intermediate stops at St. Stephens Green, Westmoreland, Cabra, Phibsborough and Broadstone DIT. Normal operating hours are from 05:30 – 12:00. The complete Luas network including the Luas Cross City can be seen in Figure 7-1 below.

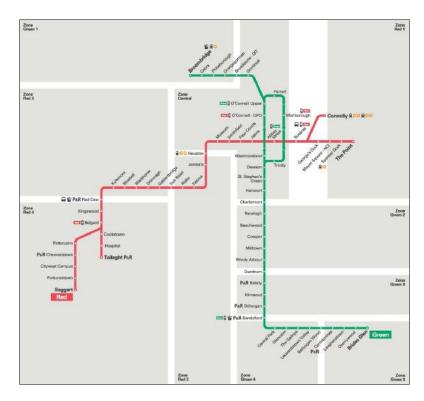


Figure 7-1 LUAS Cross City



The Luas does not run on a fixed timetable however, it operates based on a frequency of service which changes depending on the time of day to adequately cater for demand. The service frequencies for the Luas are detailed following in Figure 7-2 below.



### Figure 7-2 LUAS Timetable

The Luas also provides good connectivity with other rail services including both Intercity, commuter and DART services operating out of Heuston Station and Connolly Station, both of which are directly served by the red line.

#### **BUS**

There are a number of Dublin Bus/Go Ahead stops operating in the local area with the closest stops relative to the development site located on Belgard Square North and Belgard Road. The routes serving within a 10 minute walking distance are detailed in Table 7-1 below.

Table 7-1 Local Dublin Bus/Go Ahead Bus Services

Route	Description
27	Clare Hall – Jobstown
49	Pearse Street – Tallaght (The Square)
54a	Pearse St. – Ellensborough / Kiltipper Way
56a	Ringsend Rd. – Tallaght (The Square)
65	Poolbeg St. – Blessington / Ballymore
75	The Square Tallaght – Dun Laoghaire
76	Chapelizod – Tallaght (The Square)
76a	Blanchardstown Centre – Tallaght (The Square)
W4	The Square-Blanchardstown Shopping Centre

Full details of all Dublin Bus services can be found on www.dublinbus.ie.

Bus Éireann also has a stop on Belgard Square which is served by Route No. 132, operating between Dublin Connolly Station and Bunclody. Busáras is also accessible via the Luas Red Line and provides access to a variety of commuter and intercity services to and from numerous locations across Ireland, as well as a number of locations in Britain. More detailed information on all services is available at www.buseireann.ie.



#### **CYCLE**

The National Transport Authority (NTA) has surveyed the cycle facilities for the Greater Dublin Area (GDA) as part of the *Greater Dublin Area Cycle Network Plan*. An extract from this plan showing the existing facilities in the vicinity of the proposed development is shown in Figure 7-3 below.

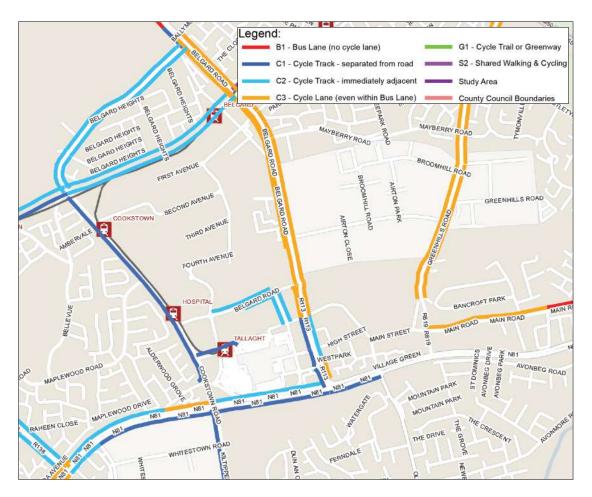


Figure 7-3 Local Cycle Infrastructure

As can be seen there are dedicated facilities on Belgard Road, the N821 and sections of Belgard Square North.

Also of note is the recent dockless bike initiatives that have begun operation. In particular, BleeperBikes has been operating in South Dublin County Council since 2017. Similar to the hugely popular Dublinbikes scheme, the dockless bikes initiative provides an accessible, short term, bike rental scheme across the area which would encourage and facilitate a positive modal shift.

Users of these schemes have access to rental bikes stored on public cycle parking stands and can return them to other approved public locations for a small fee. Such a facility has an additional benefit over the Dublinbikes scheme given the flexibility of not requiring docking stations to be constructed and preventing associated

queues often experienced at pickup when waiting for a bike to become available or when dropping off when waiting for a dock to become available.

There are a number of locations permitted to drop off and collect dockless bikes in Tallaght, including many around Belgard Square within a short walking distance of the development site.

#### **PEDESTRIAN**

With regard to pedestrians, there are well lit, good quality footpaths along all links locally with dedicated pedestrian crossing facilities at all major junctions nearby.

#### **SUMMARY**

Overall, the development site is seen to be well served by a variety of transport options which should facilitate the objective to encourage and promote more sustainable means of transport.

## **FUTURE PUBLIC TRANSPORT, CYCLE & PEDESTRIAN FACILITIES**

There are a number of future improvements to the public transport system and cycle/pedestrian infrastructure which will provide further improvements to the facilities outlined in the previous section. These include proposals set out in the following:

- Greater Dublin Area (GDA) Transport Strategy 2016 2035;
- National Development Plan 2018 2027;
- Greater Dublin Area Cycle Network Plan;
- South Dublin County Council Development Plan 2022 2028.

The key proposals relative to the development site are discussed in more detail in the following paragraphs.

#### **RAIL**

While there are no direct rail infrastructure projects planned for the immediate area, it is noted that the connectivity to other rail service provided by the nearby Luas Red Line, as identified in Figure 7-4 over means the following will be of relevance:

- Metro Link A new, fully segregated light rail service operating between Swords and Dublin City where
  it will utilise an upgraded section of the current Luas Green Line to continue services to Sandyford.
  This will link with the Luas Red Line at O'Connell Street;
- Luas Green Line Extension An extension of the existing Green Line to Finglas and Bray;
- Luas Red Line Extension An extension of the existing Red Line from its terminus at The Point to Poolbeg;
- Luas Lucan Line;
- DART Expansion Programme Including the DART Underground project consisting of an underground link through the city centre expanding DART services to Kildare as well as electrification on parts of the Northern, Kildare and Sligo/Maynooth lines to provide increased services.



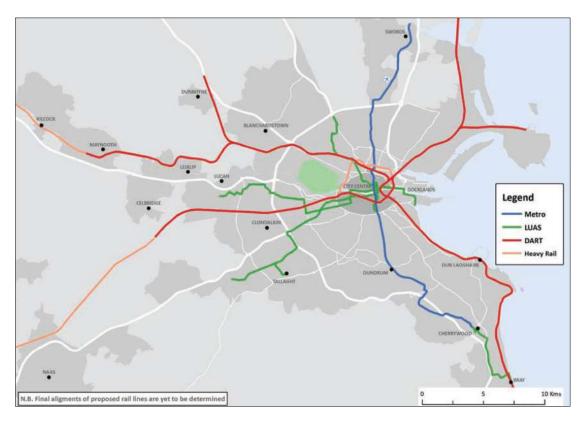


Figure 7-4 NTA Proposed Future Rail Network

These projects, through their connections with the local rail and bus services, will help create a wider, integrated transportation network with increased connectivity and serviceability.

### **BUS**

BusConnects Dublin is a major investment programme to improve public transport within the Greater Dublin Area. It aims to overhaul the current bus system in Dublin through a 10 year programme of integrated actions to deliver a more efficient, reliable and better bus system for more people. This programme includes:

Building a network of new bus corridors to make journey's faster and more reliable;

Re-design of the Dublin area bus network to provide a more efficient network with high frequency spines, new orbital routes and increased bus services.

Full details of the BusConnects programme are available on busconnects.ie.

The BusConnects core bus corridors are indicated in Figure 7-5 over.



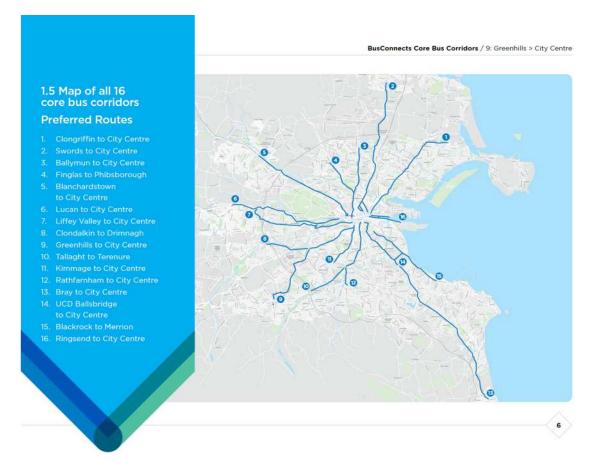


Figure 7-5 BusConnects Core Bus Corridors

Of primary relevance to the proposed Innovation Centre is the proposed Greenhills Core Bus Corridor. This corridor commences on Belgard Square West at the junction with Cookstown Way. From here, the CBC is routed along Belgard Square West and Belgard Square North where it travels close to the southern boundary of the Innovation Centre development before continuing its journey to the city centre. The overall corridor route is approximately 11.6kms with the current journey time of up to 80 minutes estimated to be reduced to 30-40 minutes.

The location of the corridor relative to the proposed development is shown in Figure 7-6 over.

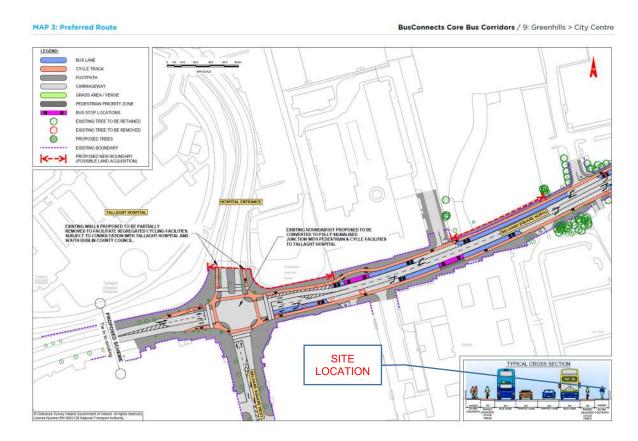


Figure 7-6 BusConnects Infrastructure adjacent to site

### **CYCLE**

The GDA Cycle Network Plan sets out proposals for improvements to the existing cycle network infrastructure locally, as indicated in Figure 7-7 over.

As can be seen it is proposed to have a number of primary, secondary and feeder routes bordering the development site directly and creating a high quality network of cycle routes throughout the local area which will in turn connect to a comprehensive plan for the GDA.

In addition, it is proposed to upgrade the existing cycle track along the site boundary with Belgard Square North to provide a higher quality, segregated cycle facility along this section. This will be further complimented by a toucan crossing to be provided on the northern arm of the Belgard Road/IT Tallaght/Belgard Square North roundabout as well as toucan crossings on each arm of the upgraded Belgard Square North/Belgard Square East junction.

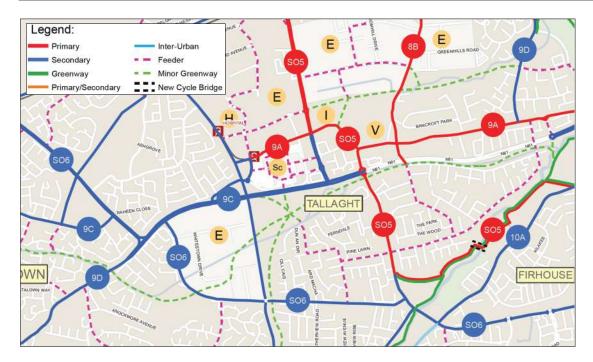


Figure 7-7 Proposed Future Local Cycle Infrastructure

These facilities will also be of significant benefit to pedestrians, providing more priority when crossing key routes in the area.

#### **PEDESTRIAN**

The site is well serviced by local good quality path network. In addition, a Public Realm scheme is currently nearing completion for the public space to the north of the site. This scheme will provide a further linkage for pedestrians to the civic centre of Tallaght and its associated bus and rail infrastructure.

## SERVICING OF PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

Given the location of the proposed development and its proximity to a wide range of transport infrastructure, the provision of carparking already present in the vicinity, there is no parking proposed as part of the development. In addition, it is noted that the proposed development decommissions c.39no. existing parking spaces currently serving the County Hall staff. This will assist in encouraging the use of the variety of alternative sustainable modes of transport serving the area.

Local access for servicing and deliveries to the north of the development is proposed via the existing car park circulation route to allow for deliveries to the proposed development.



#### MOBILITY MANAGEMENT PLAN/TRAVEL PLAN

#### **OBJECTIVES OF TRAVEL PLAN**

The primary goal of Mobility Management/Travel Plan is to facilitate and encourage a positive modal shift at the development towards sustainable modes of transport. Taking this above into account, the design proposals for County Heritage Centre-Tallaght seek:

- To reduce the dependence on the private car as a means of travel;
- To discourage the use of the private car in those circumstances where car use does occur;
- To increase and facilitate the number of people choosing to walk, cycle or travel by public transport to/from the development;
- To work closely with the Local Authority, the National Transport Authority, Irish Rail, Dublin Bus,
   Transport Infrastructure Ireland, Bus Éireann and all other relevant stakeholders in a partnership model to promote an increased uptake in public transport.

In order to achieve the foregoing objectives, the targets set out hereunder are proposed in specific key areas. These targets are based on current information pertaining to existing and proposed infrastructural investment locally. The targets are intended to be preliminary only and will be refined in the light of ongoing experience gained from the implementation of this plan.

#### **PARKING PROVISION**

A key aspect of facilitating travel by car is through the provision of car parking. As a result, it is an objective of this plan to persist in limiting the level of parking available on-site wherever possible. This will also continue to take into consideration the necessary demand so as to prevent overspill parking in nearby areas. It is noted that there are a number of alternative parking options for users or visitors to the Heritage Centre including public car parking facilities.

It is an objective to ensure that sufficient cycle parking is provided to meet demand at the site to ensure cycling is considered a viable option where possible.

#### **CAR TRAVEL & OCCUPANCY**

It is an objective of this plan to minimise the numbers using private cars and in cases where it does occur, to increase the number people travelling as passengers.

## **BUS**

There are currently numerous bus services which serve stops within a 10 minute walk of the development site. It is an objective of this plan to increase awareness of these services and encourage their use as a viable and convenient alternative to private car travel where possible.

It is also an objective to inform of any changes to these services and any new services that come on line.



#### **RAIL**

The nearby Luas service provides direct access to a number of areas across Dublin as well as linking with a variety of other rail services. It is an objective of this plan to increase awareness of existing and future services and encourage their use as a viable, convenient alternative to travel by private car wherever possible. It is also an objective to inform of any changes to these services and any new services that come on line.

#### **CYCLING/WALKING**

The proposed development site is well served by good quality cycle and pedestrian infrastructure, with significant improvements also planned for the future. It is an objective of this plan to promote cycling/walking as viable means of transport and to facilitate their use wherever possible.

#### **Modal Split**

Existing modal split data for the Tallaght area has been obtained from the Census 2022 results. This has been combined with the proposals in relation to car parking, cycle parking, the measures set out in this plan to facilitate positive modal shift and the proposed infrastructural improvements for the local area to develop a series of overall modal split targets for the proposed development, as set out in Table 7-2 following.

Table 7-2 Preliminary Target Modal Split

<u>Mode</u>	Modal Share
On Foot	35%
Bicycle	10%
Public Transport	45%
Car Driver	2%
Car Passenger	8%

It is noted that once the development is occupied, it is proposed to carry out detailed travel surveys after 6 months in order to establish a more detailed picture of travel patterns at the site. This information will then be used to update the above targets accordingly.

#### **SPECIFIC MEASURES**

It is noted that the proposed development will generate trips primarily by visitors with only a very small staff base-estimated to be 3no. total. Thus, the measures proposed will primarily focus on the visitors to the centre. Measures to be adopted will include:

Carparking

There is no carparking proposed as part of the development with the specific goal of encouraging the use of more sustainable modes of transport.



### Cycle Parking

It is noted that bicycle parking is provided as part of the proposed development to encourage the use of same as a means of accessing the site.

### Use of Technology

Technology is to be utilised to inform potential visitors to the Heritage Centre on the wide means of sustainable transport available for accessing the site. This will be through the use of travel information on the website for the Heritage Centre together with links to NTA Journey Planner, Public Transport providers and real time travel information.

## **MONITORING**

A critical part of any MMP is ongoing monitoring. It is proposed that an initial evaluation of the operation of the plan will take place 6 months into its operation. The plan will be appropriately adjusted at that stage based on the results.

The MMP will be monitored and regularly reviewed on a minimum yearly basis with regular travel surveys being carried out. In particular the demand for cycle parking at the site will be closely monitored with a view to increasing the amount as required. In general, the overall plan will be refined based on experience and consultations with the respective stakeholders.



# **8 VERIFICATION**

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# Appendix A TOPO SURVEY INFORMATION





# Appendix B LOCAL AUTHORITY RECORDS



# Irish Water Web Map



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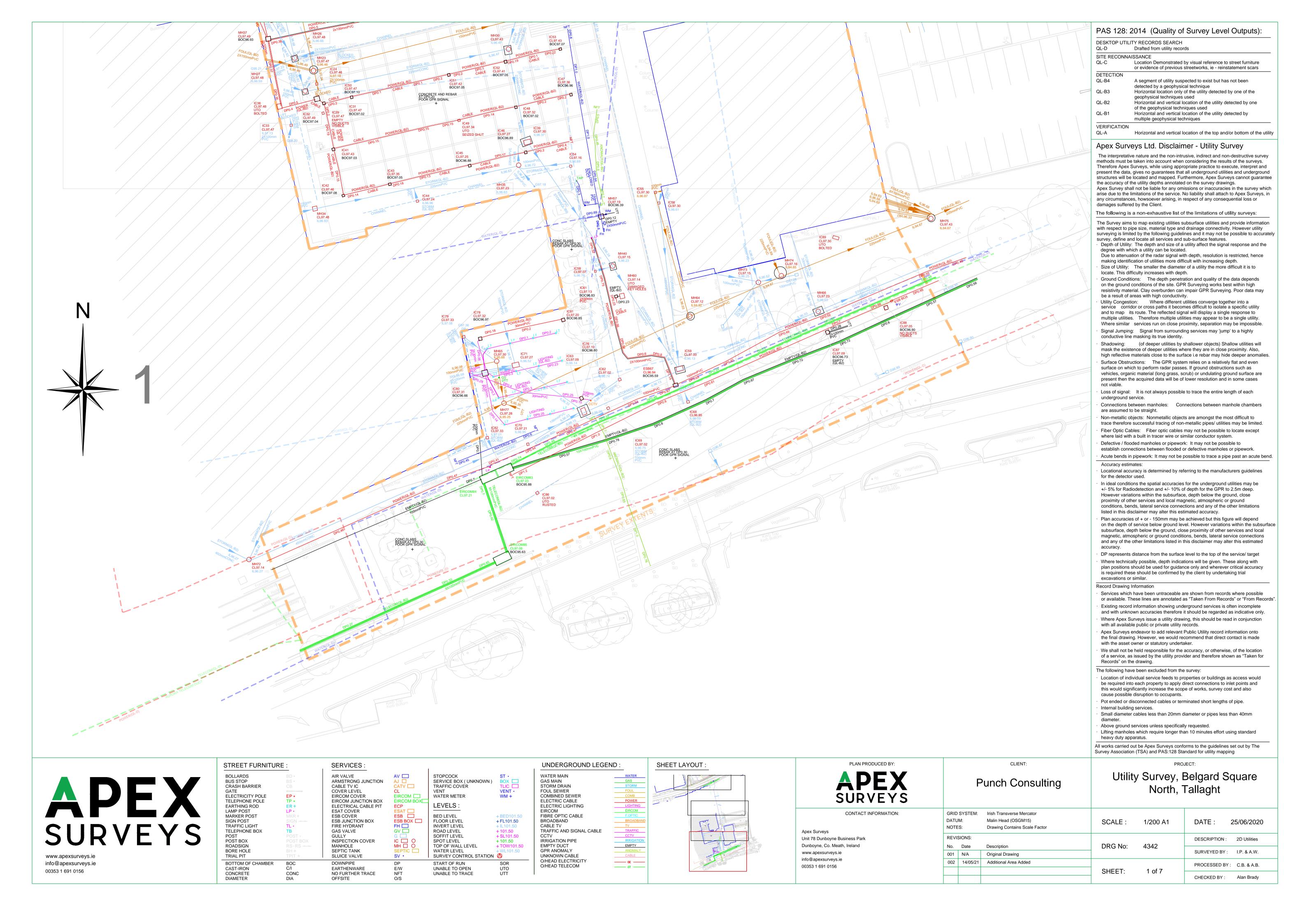
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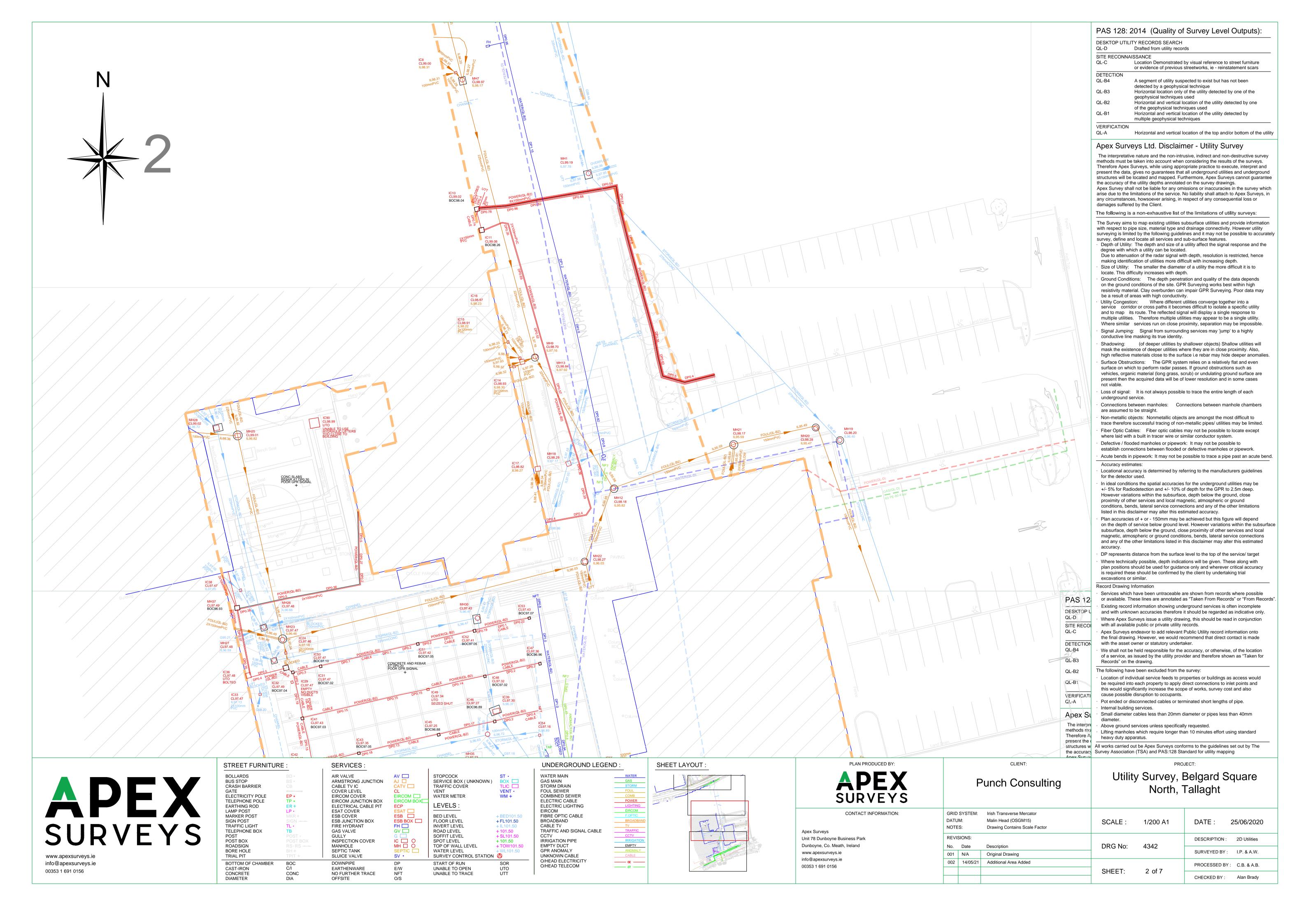
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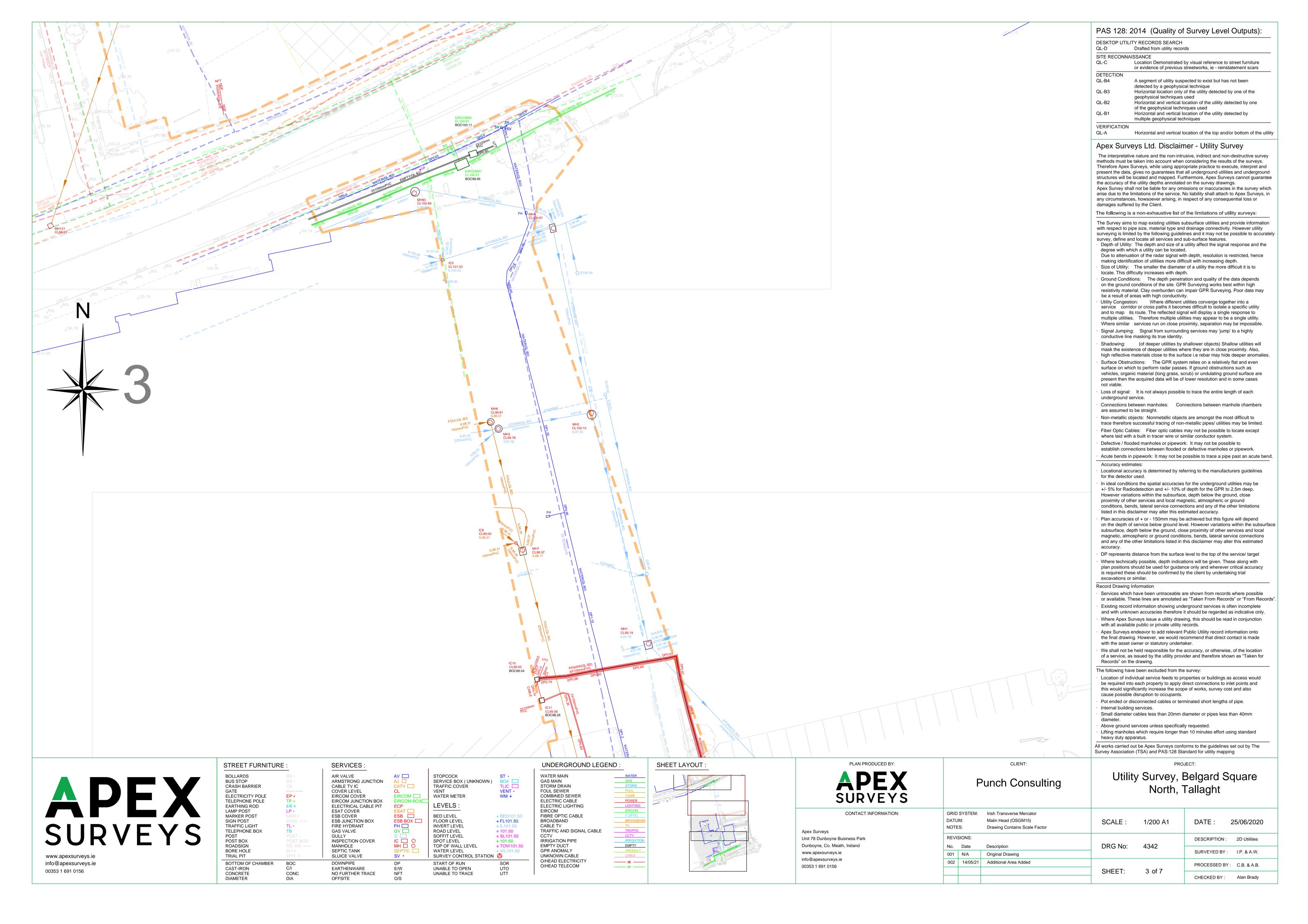


# Appendix C UTILITY SURVEY INFORMATION









# Appendix D ATTENUATION CALCULATIONS



Project: South Dublin Heritage Centre Tallaght

Project No.: M1381

**Calculation:** Attenuation 100-year

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Site Location:	Tallaght		'
Design Storm Return Period:	100 years		
Climate Change Factor:	10 %		
Soil Type:	2		
Total Site Area:	0.18 ha	Excludes existing road	
Roof Area:	0.06 ha	@	100% Impervious
External Hardstand Area:	0.06 ha	@	100% Impervious
Softstand Area:	0.06 ha	@	0% Impervious
Effective Impermeable Area:	0.12 ha		

Allowable Outflow	Calculate	
IH124: QBAR = 0.00108 x AREA <sup>0.89</sup> x S	SAAR <sup>1.17</sup> x SOIL <sup>2.17</sup>	
AREA:	0.00 km <sup>2</sup>	
SAAR:	825 mm	
SOIL:	0.3	
QBAR/ha	2.21 l/s/ha	Give 0.4l/s for site but lowest limit possible is 2l/s
Allowed to Outflow	0.0.1/-	
Allowable Outflow	2.0 l/s	

Storage required =	35 m <sup>3</sup>		
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Duration	Rainfall 100-Year	Rainfall 100-Year with CCF	Intensity	Discharge (Q = 2.71iA)	Proposed Runoff	Contiguous Land Runoff	Total Runoff	Allowable Outflow	Storage Required
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15	20.9	23.0	92.0	29	26	0	26	2	24
30	25.9	28.5	57.0	18	32	0	32	4	29
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120	39.6	43.6	21.8	7	49	0	49	14	35
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240	48.9	53.8	13.4	4	61	0	61	29	32
360	55.4	60.9	10.2	3	69	0	69	43	26
540	62.7	69.0	7.7	2	78	0	78	65	13
720	68.5	75.4	6.3	2	85	0	85	86	-1
1080	77.5	85.3	4.7	1	97	0	97	130	-33
1440	84.6	93.1	3.9	1	105	0	105	173	-67
2880	96.1	105.7	2.2	1	120	0	120	346	-226
4320	106.5	117.2	1.6	1	133	0	133	518	-386
5760	116.2	127.8	1.3	0	145	0	145	691	-546
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17280	178.7	196.6	0.7	0	223	0	223	2074	-1851
23040	205.4	225.9	0.6	0	256	0	256	2765	-2509
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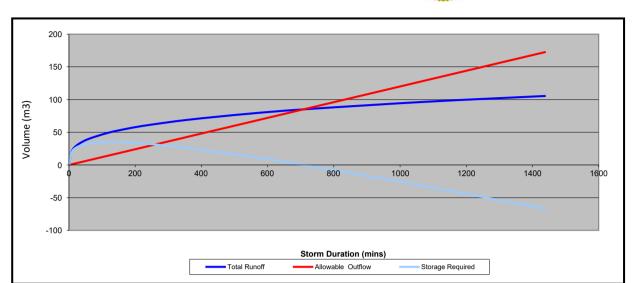
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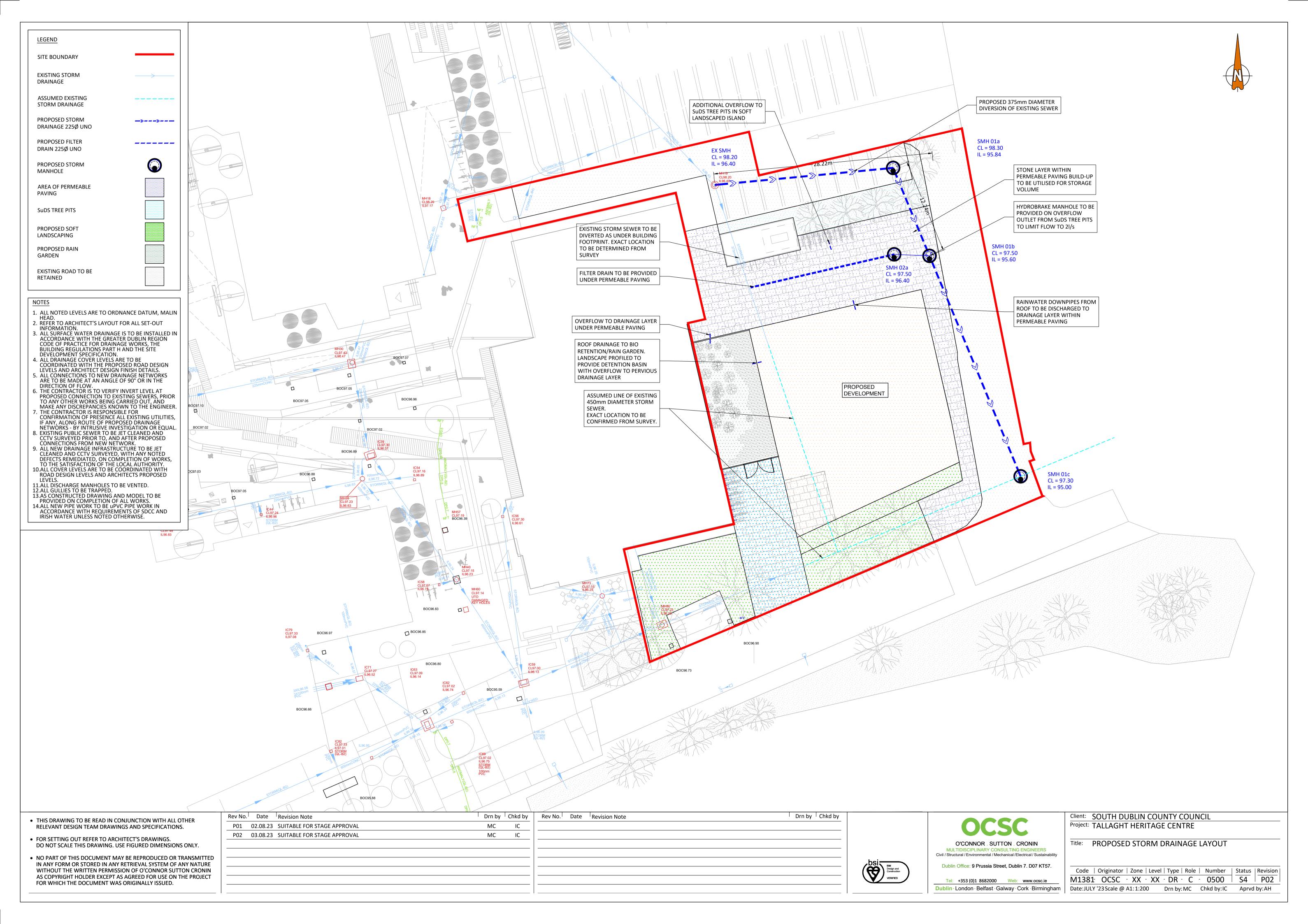






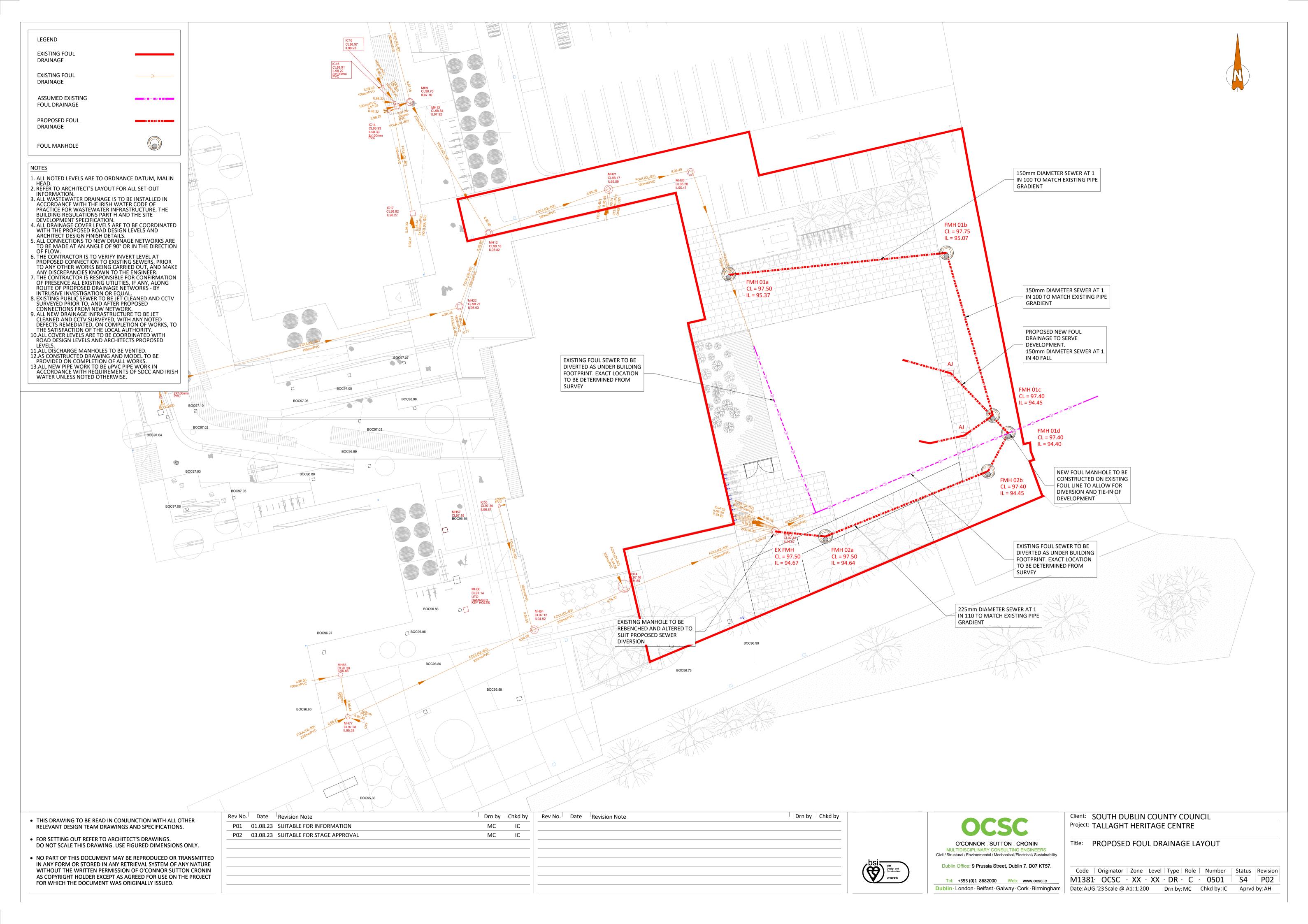
# Appendix E STORM DRAINAGE PROPOSAL





# Appendix F PROPOSED FOUL DRAINAGE LAYOUT





# Appendix G IRISH WATER PRE-CONNECTION ENQUIRY



# **Pre-connection enquiry form**



# Business developments, mixed use developments, housing developments

This form is to be filled out by applicants enquiring about the feasibility of a water and/or wastewater connection to Irish Water infrastructure. If completing this form by hand, please use BLOCK CAPITALS and black ink. Please note that this is a digital PDF form and can be filled in electronically

Please refer to the **Guide to completing the pre-connection enquiry form** on page 14 of this document when completing the form.

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13	*Is there an existing connection to public wate	r mains at the site?	Yes	No
13.1	If yes, is this enquiry for an additional connection	to one already installed?	Yes	No
13.2	If yes, is this enquiry to increase the size of an exi	isting connection?	Yes	No
14	Approximate date water connection is require	d:		
15	*What diameter of water connection is require	ed to service the developm	ent?	mm
16	*Is more than one connection required to the p to service this development?	oublic infrastructure	Yes	No
	If 'Yes', how many?			
17	Please indicate the business water demand (s	hops, offices, schools, hot	els, restaurants, etc.):	
	Post-development peak hour water demand		l/s	
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	Please include calculations on the attached sheet print the water demand profile, please provide all su		oe a daily/weekly/seasor	nal variatior
18	Please indicate the industrial water demand (	industry-specific water re	equirements):	
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19	What is the existing ground level at the prope Head Ordnance Datum?	rty boundary at connection	on point (if known) abo	ove Malin
20	What is the highest finished floor level of the pr	oposed development abov	e Malin Head Ordnanc	e Datum?
21	Is on-site water storage being provided?		Yes	No
	Please include calculations on the attached sheet	provided.		
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Section D | Water connection and demand details

22	Are there fire flow requirements?		Yes No
	Additional fire flow requirements over and above those identified in Q17-18		l/s
	Please include calculations on the attached sheet Fire Authority.	provided, and include confirma	ation of requirements from the
23	Do you propose to supplement your potable wa	ter supply from other sources?	? Yes No
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24	*Is there an existing connection to a public se	wer at the site?	Yes No
24.1	If yes, is this enquiry for an additional connection	to the one already installed?	Yes No
24.2	If yes, is this enquiry to increase the size of an ex	isting connection?	Yes No
25	*Approximate date that wastewater connecti	on is required:	
26	*What diameter of wastewater connection is r	equired to service the develo	pment? mm
27	*Is more than one connection required to the to service this development?	public infrastructure	Yes No No
	If 'Yes', how many?		
28	Please indicate the commercial wastewater hyd	raulic load (shops, offices, sch	ools, hotels, restaurants, etc.):
	Post-development peak discharge		l/s
	Post-development average discharge		l/s
	Please include calculations on the attached sheet	provided.	
29	Please indicate the industrial wastewater hyd	lraulic load (industry-specific	discharge requirements):
	Post-development peak discharge		l/s
	Post-development average discharge		l/s

Please include calculations on the attached sheet provided.

30	Wastewater	organic	load:
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Characteristic	Max concentration (mg/l)	Average concentration (mg/l)	Maximum daily load (kg/day)
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)			
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)			
Suspended solids (SS)			
Total nitrogen (N)			
Total phosphorus (P)			
Other			
Temperature range			
pH range			
If 'Yes', please give reason f	or discharge and comment	on adequacy of SUDS/atten	uation measures proposed.
Please submit detailed calculate with this application  *Do you propose to pump	_	es, peak flows and attenuat	ion volumes  Yes No
If 'Yes', please include justif	ication for your pumped sol	ution with this application.	
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What is the lowest finishe	d floor level on site above	Malin Head Ordnance Dat	um? n
What is the proposed inve	ert level of the pipe exiting	g the property to the publ	ic road?

## Section F | Supporting documentation Please provide the following additional information (all mandatory): Site location map: A site location map to a scale of 1:1000, which clearly identifies the land or structure to which the enquiry relates. The map shall include the following details: i. The scale shall be clearly indicated on the map. ii. The boundaries shall be delineated in red. iii. The site co-ordinates shall be marked on the site location map. Details of planning and development exemptions (if applicable). > Calculations (calculation sheets provided below). Site layout map to a scale of 1:500 showing layout of proposed development, water network and wastewater network layouts, additional water/wastewater infrastructure if proposed, connection points to Irish Water infrastructure. Conceptual design of the connection asset from the proposed development to the existing Irish Water infrastructure, including service conflicts, gradients, pipe sizes and invert levels. Any other information that might help Irish Water assess this pre-connection enquiry. **Section G | Declaration** I/We hereby make this application to Irish Water for a water and/or wastewater connection as detailed on this form. I/We understand that any alterations made to this application must be declared to Irish Water. The details that I/we have given with this application are accurate. I/We have enclosed all the necessary supporting documentation. Any personal data you provide will be stored and processed by Irish Water and may be transferred to third parties for the purposes of the water and/or wastewater connection process. I hereby give consent to Irish Water to store and process my personal data and to transfer my personal data to third parties, if required, for the purposes of the connection process. If you wish to revoke consent at any time or wish to see Irish Water's full Data Protection Notice, please see https://www.water.ie/privacy-notice/ Date: Signature: Your full name (in BLOCK CAPITALS):

Irish Water will carry out a formal assessment based on the information provided on this form.

Any future connection offer made by Irish Water will be based on the information that has been provided here.

Please submit the completed form to **newconnections@water.ie** or alternatively, post to:

Irish Water PO Box 860 South City Delivery Office Cork City Please note that if you are sending us your application form and any associated documentation by email, the maximum file size that we can receive in any one email is 35MB.

## Please note, if mandatory fields are not completed the application will be returned.

Irish Water is subject to the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2014 ("FOIA") and the codes of practice issued under FOIA as may be amended, updated or replaced from time to time. The FOIA enables members of the public to obtain access to records held by public bodies subject to certain exemptions such as where the requested records may not be released, for example to protect another individual's privacy rights or to protect commercially sensitive information. Please clearly label any document or part thereof which contains commercially sensitive information. Irish Water accepts no responsibility for any loss or damage arising as a result of its processing of freedom of information requests.

# **Calculations** Water demand

On-site storage			
Fire flow requirements			

Foul wastewater discharge			

riow balancing and pumping		

## Guide to completing the pre-connection enquiry form

This form should be completed by applicants enquiring about the feasibility of a water and/or wastewater connection to Irish Water infrastructure.

The Irish Water Codes of Practice are available at **www.water.ie** for reference.

## **Section A | Applicant Details**

- **Question 1:** This question requires the applicant or company enquiring about the feasibility of a connection to identify themselves, their postal address, and to provide their contact details.
- **Question 2:** If the applicant has employed a consulting engineer or an agent to manage the enquiry on their behalf, the agent's address and contact details should be recorded here.
- **Question 3:** Please indicate whether it is the applicant or the agent who should receive future correspondence in relation to the enquiry.

## **Section B** | **Site details**

- **Question 4:** This is the address of the site requiring the water/wastewater service connection and for which this enquiry is being made.
- **Question 5:** Please provide the Irish Grid co-ordinates of the proposed site. Irish grid positions on maps are expressed in two dimensions as Eastings (E or X) and Northings (N or Y) relative to an origin. You will find these coordinates on your Ordnance Survey map which is required to be submitted with an application.
- **Question 6:** Please identify the Local Authority that is or will be dealing with your planning application, for example Cork City Council.
- **Question 7:** Please indicate if planning permission has been granted for this application, and if so, please provide the planning permission reference number.
- **Question 8:** Please indicate if this development is affiliated with a government body/agency, and if so, specify

## Section C | Development details

- **Question 9:** Please specify the number of different property/premises types by filling in the tables provided.
- **Question 9.1:** Please provide additional details if your proposed business use are in the Food Processing, Industrial unit/ Manufacturing, Sports Facility or Other Categories.
- **Question 9.2:** Please indicate the maximum expected occupancy in numbers of people according to the proposed development you selected.
- **Question 10:** Please indicate the approximate commencement date of works on the development.
- **Question 11:** Please indicate if a phased building approach is to be adopted when developing the site. If so, please provide details of the phase master-plan and the proposed variation in water demand/wastewater discharge as a result of the phasing of the development.
- **Question 12:** Please indicate the type of connection required by ticking the appropriate box and proceed to complete the appropriate section or sections.

## Section D | Water connection and demand details

- **Question 13:** Please indicate if a water connection already exists for this site.
- **Question 13.1:** Please indicate if this enquiry concerns an additional connection to one already installed on the site.
- **Question 13.2:** Please indicate if you are proposing to upgrade the water connection to facilitate an increase in water demand. Irish Water will determine what impact this will have on our infrastructure.
- **Question 14:** Please indicate the approximate date that the proposed connection to the water infrastructure will be required.
- **Question 15:** Please indicate what diameter of water connection is required to service this development.

- **Question 16:** Please indicate if more than one connection is required to service this development. Please note that the connection size provided may be used to determine the connection charge.
- **Question 17:** If this connection enquiry concerns a business premises, please provide calculations for the water demand and include your calculations on the calculation sheet provided. Business premises include shops, offices, hotels, schools, etc. Demand rates (peak and average) are site specific. Average demand is the total daily volume divided by a 24-hour time period and expressed in litres per second (l/s). For design purposes, please refer to the Irish Water Codes of Practice for Water Infrastructure.
- **Question 18:** If this connection enquiry is for an industrial premises, please calculate the water demand and include your calculations on the calculation sheet provided. Demand rates (peak and average) are site specific. Average demand is the total daily volume divided by a 24-hour time period and expressed in litres per second (l/s). The peak demand for sizing of the pipe network will be as per the specific business production requirements. For design purposes, please refer to the Irish Water Codes of Practice for Water Infrastructure.
- **Question 19:** Please specify the ground level at the location where connection to the public water mains will be made. This is required in order to determine if there is sufficient pressure in the existing water infrastructure to serve your proposed development. Levels should be quoted in metres relative to Malin Head Ordnance Datum.
- **Question 20:** Please specify the highest finished floor level on site. This is required in order to determine if there is sufficient pressure in the existing water infrastructure to serve your proposed development. Levels should be quoted in metres relative to Malin Head Ordnance Datum.
- **Question 21:** If storage is required, water storage capacity of 24-hour water demand must usually be provided at the proposed site. In some cases, 24-hour storage capacity may not be required, for example 24-hour storage for a domestic house would be provided in an attic storage tank. Please calculate the 24-hour water storage requirements and include your calculations on the attached sheet provided. Please also confirm that on-site storage is being provided by ticking the appropriate box.
- Question 22: The water supply system shall be designed and constructed to reliably convey the water flows that are required of the development including fire flow requirements by the Fire Authority. The Fire Authority will provide the requirement for fire flow rates that the water supply system will have to carry. Please note that while flows in excess of your required demand may be achieved in the Irish Water network and could be utilised in the event of a fire, Irish Water cannot guarantee a flow rate to meet your fire flow requirement. To guarantee a flow to meet the Fire Authority requirements, you should provide adequate fire storage capacity within your development. Please include your calculations on the attached sheet provided, and further provide confirmation of the Fire Authority requirements.
- **Question 23:** Please identify proposed additional water supply sources, that is, do you intend to connect to the public water mains or the public mains and supplement from other sources? If supplementing public water supply with a supply from another source, please provide details as to how the potable water supply is to be protected from cross contamination at the premises.

## **Section E** | Wastewater connection and discharge details

- **Question 24:** Please indicate if a wastewater connection to a public sewer already exists for this site.
- Question 24.1: Please indicate if this enquiry relates to an additional wastewater connection to one already installed.
- **Question 24.2:** Please indicate if you are proposing to upgrade the wastewater connection to facilitate an increased discharge. Irish Water will determine what impact this will have on our infrastructure.
- **Question 25:** Please specify the approximate date that the proposed connection to the wastewater infrastructure will be required.
- **Question 26:** Please indicate what diameter of wastewater connection is required to service this development.
- **Question 27:** Please indicate if more than one connection is required to service this development. Please indicate number required.
- **Question 28:** If this enquiry relates to a business premises, please provide calculations for the wastewater discharge and include your calculations on the attached sheet provided. Business premises include shops, offices, hotels, schools, etc. Discharge rates (peak and average) are site specific. Average discharge is the total daily volume divided by a 24-hour time period and expressed in litres per second (l/s). For design purposes, please refer to the Irish Water Codes of Practice for Wastewater Infrastructure.

- **Question 29:** If this enquiry relates to an industrial premises, please provide calculations for the wastewater discharge and include your calculations on the calculation sheet provided. Discharge rates (peak and average) are site specific. Average discharge is the total daily volume divided by a 24-hour time period and expressed in litres per second (l/s). The peak discharge for sizing of the pipe network will be as per the specific business production requirements. For design purposes, please refer to the Irish Water Codes of Practice for Wastewater Infrastructure.
- Question 30: Please specify the maximum and average concentrations and the maximum daily load of each of the wastewater characteristics listed in the wastewater organic load table (if not domestic effluent), and also specify if any other significant concentrations are expected in the effluent. Please complete the table and provide additional supporting documentation if relevant. Note that the concentration shall be in mg/l and the load shall be in kg/day. Note that for business premises (shops, offices, schools, hotels, etc.) for which only domestic effluent will be discharged (excluding discharge from canteens/ restaurants which would require a Trade Effluent Discharge licence), there is no need to complete this question.
- Question 31: In exceptional circumstances, such as brownfield sites, where the only practical outlet for storm/ surface water is to a combined sewer, Irish Water will consider permitting a restricted attenuated flow to the combined sewer. Storm/surface water will only be accepted from brownfield sites that already have a storm/surface water connection to a combined sewer and the applicant must demonstrate how the storm/surface water flow from the proposed site is minimised using sustainable urban drainage system (SUDS). This type of connection will only be considered on a case by case basis. Please advise if the proposed development intends discharging surface water to the combined wastewater collection system.
- **Question 32:** Please specify if the development needs to pump its wastewater discharge to gain access to Irish Water infrastructure.
- **Question 33:** Please specify the ground level at the location where connection to the public sewer will be made. This is required to determine if the development can be connected to the public sewer via gravity discharge. Levels should be quoted in metres relative to Malin Head Ordnance Datum.
- **Question 34:** Please specify the lowest floor level of the proposed development. This is required in order to determine if the development can be connected to the public sewer via gravity discharge. Levels should be quoted in metres relative to Malin Head Ordnance Datum.
- **Question 35:** Please specify the proposed invert level of the pipe exiting the property to the public road.

### Section F | Supporting documentation

Please provide additional information as listed.

## **Section G | Declaration**

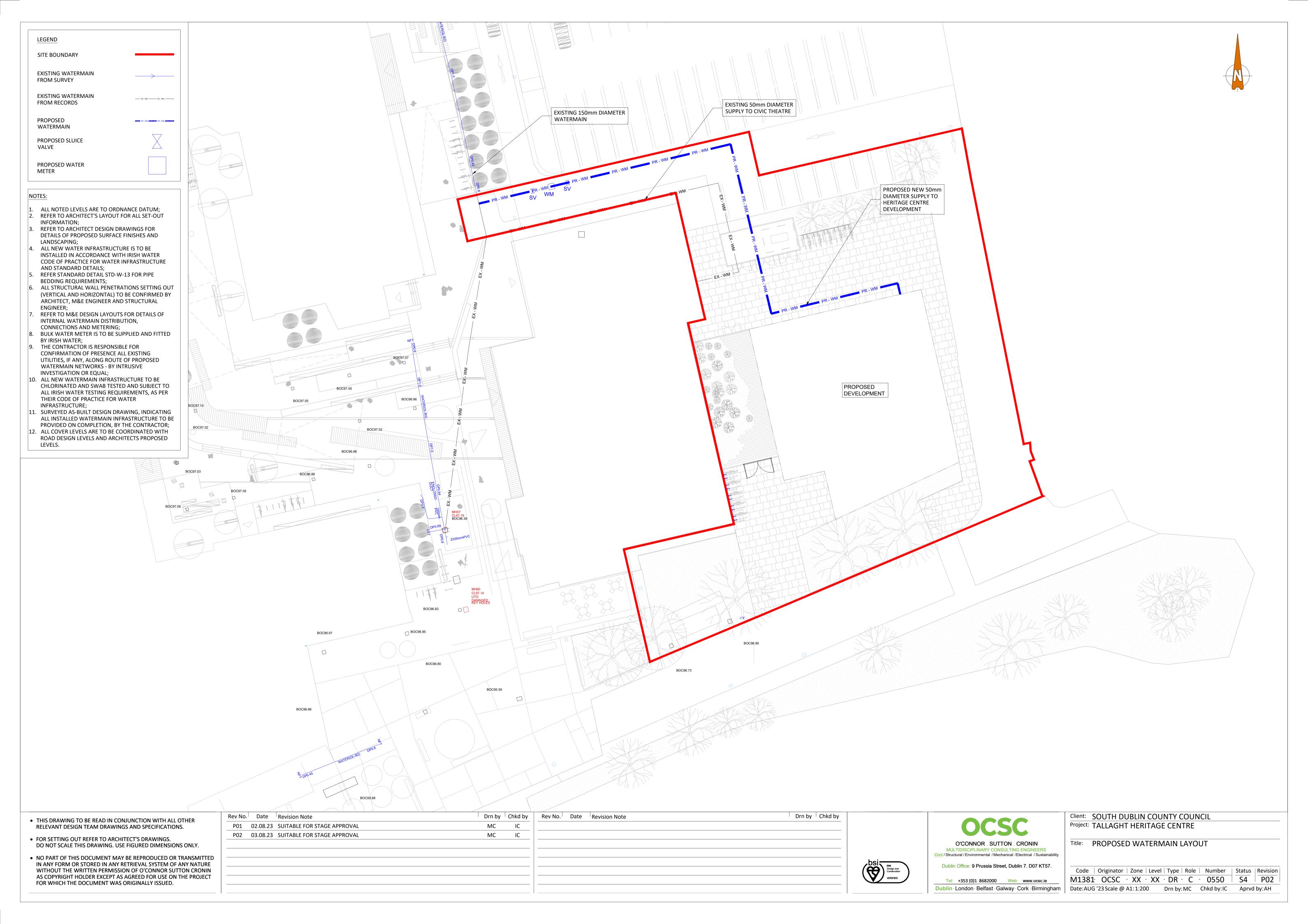
Please review the declaration, sign, and return the completed application form to Irish Water by email or by post using the contact details provided in Section G.

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# Appendix H PROPOSED WATERMAIN LAYOUT







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