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1.0 INTRODUCTION

Section 53(2) of the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 enables the Expert Consenting Panel to invite written comments on the application from specified persons and groups.

This memorandum has been prepared in response to the technical specialist memorandums issued by Auckland Council as part of their assessment of the Milldale Fast-Track Application. It specifically addresses the matters raised by Council and provides clarification, additional assessment, and updates where required.

In particular, this memo provides response to the following:

- Annexure 9: Geotechnical
- Memorandum of Planning Matters for Auckland Council (29 July 2025)

Since the initial lodgement of the Substantive Application with the Environmental Protection Authority (EPA), there has been ongoing engagement between the Applicant's expert team and Auckland Council specialists through meetings, design workshops, and site discussions.

The following tables in **Sections 2.0 to 4.0** inclusive address geotechnical comments provided by Auckland Council in response to the Milldale Fast Track application for Stages 10 to 13, Stage 4C, and proposed Wastewater Treatment Plant, which are summarised in Annexure 9. Comments below should be read as an addendum to the following previously submitted reports:

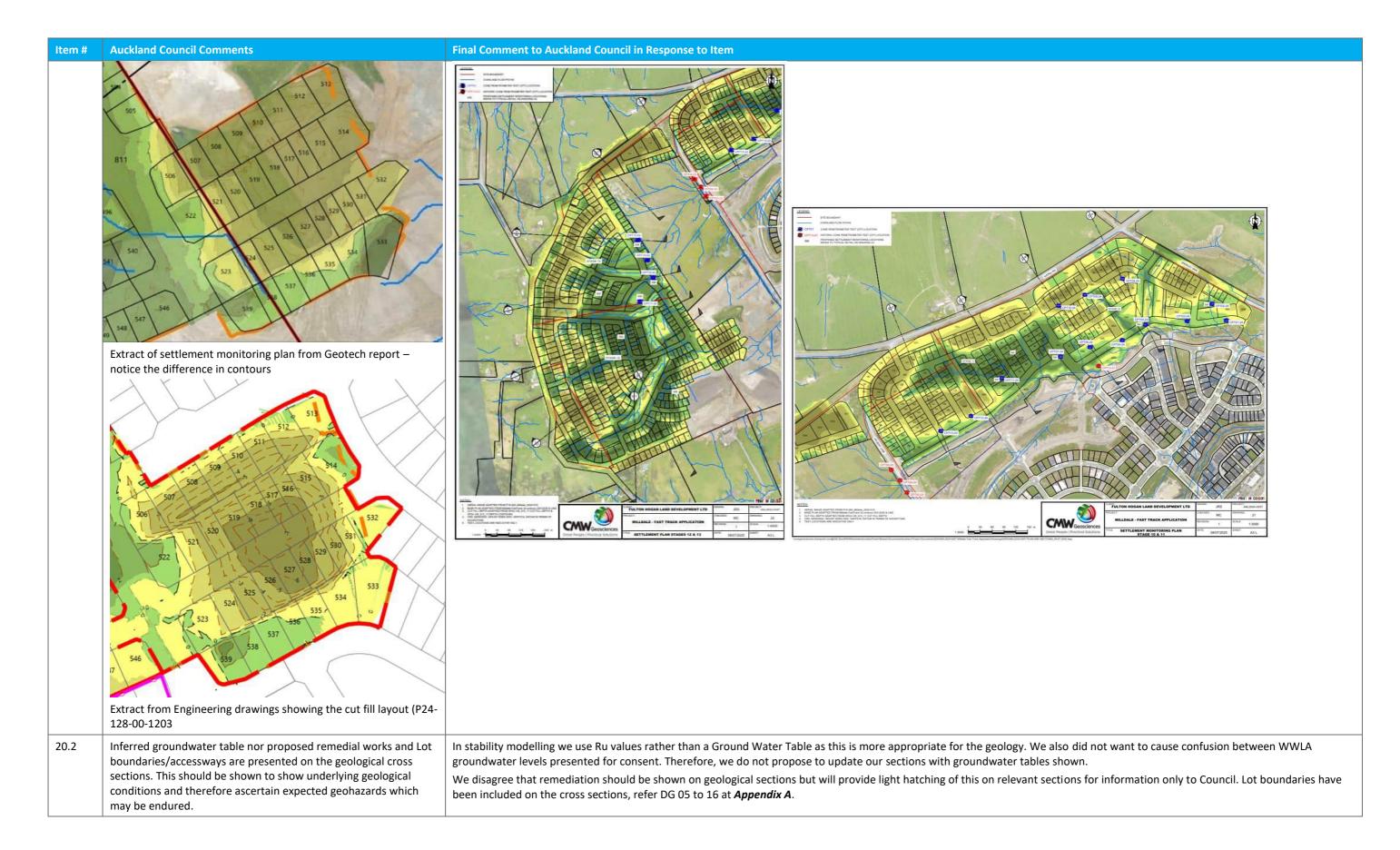
- CMW Geosciences' Milldale Fast Track Geotechnical Investigation Report (GIR) referenced AKL2024-0257AB, Rev 3, dated 24 March 2025
- CMW Geosciences' Milldale Stage 4C Geotechnical Assessment Report (GAR) referenced AKL2024-0257AD, Rev 1, dated 20 February 2025
- CMW Geosciences' Milldale WWTP Geotechnical Investigation Report (GIR) referenced AKL2024-0185AC, Rev 1, dated 26 February 2025

The table in **Section 5.0** responds to comments made in relation to the proposed Consent Conditions.

2.0 STAGES 10 TO 13

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20.1	 Time to achieve estimated t90 settlement not stated, though this is partially addressed in the settlement memo where it stated previous stages observed time to t90 around 9 months to 1 year. We suggest that this be confirmed to aid in managing and controlling the effects of earthworks causing subsidence/instability onsite and ensure safe building platforms are achieved before 224(c) is issued following objectives and policies under E38 subdivision. We are agreeable that a settlement monitoring plan is required. Note that the earthworks plan relied upon for the settlement 	 The timing between earthworks and civil works and therefore 224c typically exceeds 12 months at Milldale. We note earthworks are typically carried out across numerous stages, in most cases 1-2 years prior to civil works being undertaken. Settlement monitoring plans target critical areas (i.e. soft natural ground and deepest fills), and we generally observe the majority of settlement occurring prior to civil works commencing. Timeframes are based on previous monitoring observed over the last 7 years of the development – we believe that settlement data provides a much better estimate of timeframes than site investigation estimates (i.e. based on correlations in CPTs etc). The Settlement Monitoring Plans have been updated and are at <i>Appendix A</i>. (AKL2024-0257 DG21-22, Rev 1, 8/07/2025, shown below).
	monitoring plan in the Geotechnical Report does not align with the plan supplied by Milldale (drawings: P24-128-00-1202-EW and P24-128-00-1203-EW), a finalised settlement monitoring plan should be submitted.	







20.3

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Item # Auckland Council Comments

There are cut works proposed at the boundary of Stage 10-13, in which it does not seem to have commented on how the boundary stability will be achieved, this includes new retaining extending from Stage 13 connects to another retaining wall east of Stage 13 (Wall 22). This is necessary to assess against E12.6.2(2) and E12.8.2(1)(c). We suggest preliminary recommendations or



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Typically at Milldale, earthworks / retaining walls are constructed beyond stage boundaries where practical to avoid temporary works situations and where construction makes sense. In the event this does not occur, the following typical measures have been used at Milldale to control temporary stability. We typically would note these as part of the building consent design report for walls.

- Leaving cut retaining wall locations at an appropriate temporary batter angle (typically shallower than 1V:3H)
- Overfilling in areas of future fill retaining walls, batters at 1V:3H

There is discrepancy in the retaining wall plan where Woods Development does not show the full extent of the retaining wall in the Stage 10-11 works area where CMW considered it to be necessary and have modelled this in their slope stability outputs.

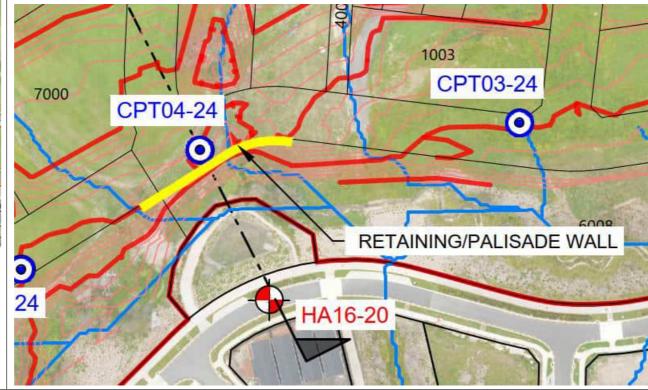


Site plan from geotechnical report

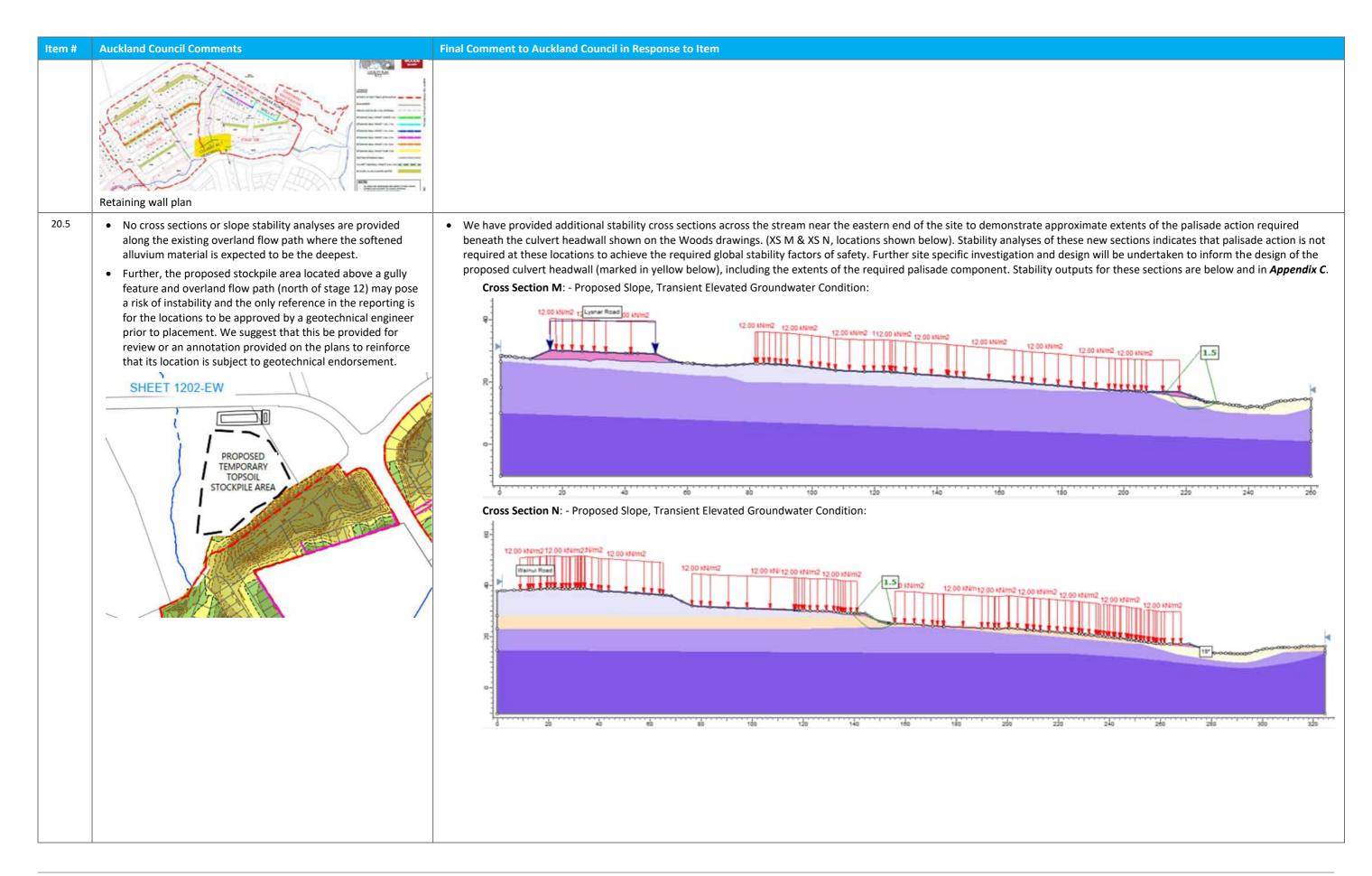
The CMW Remediation Plan, Stage 10 & 11 (DG 17) has been amended (ref. AKL2024-0257 DG17, Rev 1, shown below) so that the retaining wall shown is the same as that indicated on the Woods Retaining Wall Plan.

The palisade wall location is based on the location of the retaining wall (culvert headwall) in Woods design, we have just noted that this retaining wall will require deeper piles due to global slope instability issues.

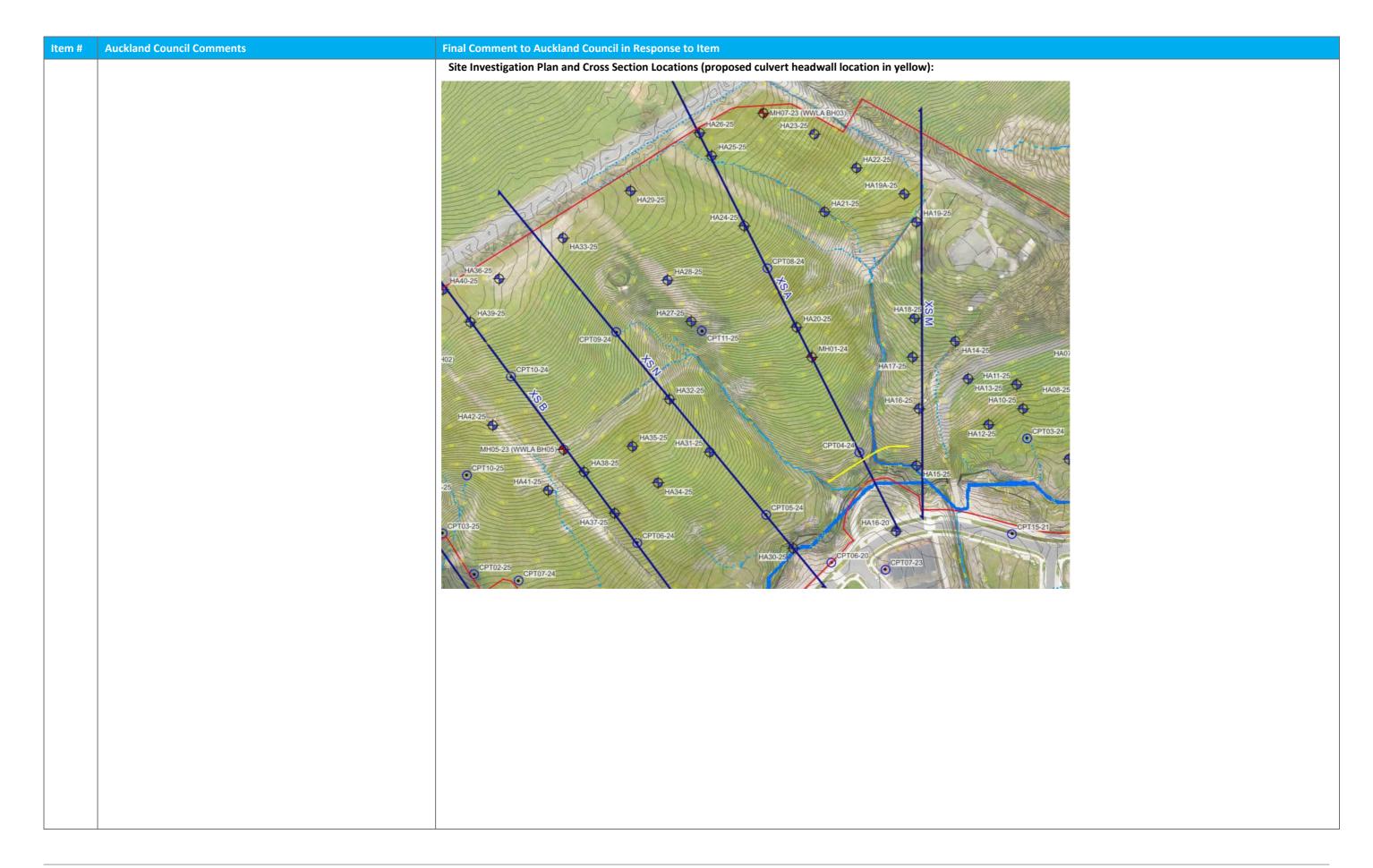
Further discussion on this wall is in comment 20.5. The plan is included in Appendix A.













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		Annotation re topsoil stockpile area being subject to approval by Geotechnical Engineer has been included on plans, as shown below. The updated Woods plan (P24-128-00-1202-EW-CUT FILL PLAN) is at Appendix A. Hosting Standard AND BEDGON (COURTE, CITIE URGS B. BARBOSSING) PROPOSED TRANSPORMER TOPSOIL TO GROTIL-GRADE B. BARBOSSING) TO GROTIL-GRADE B. BARBOSSING
20.6	With respect to the Earthworks Specification, it is stated that the reinforced slopes and retaining structures are excluded from this specification as it would be covered by Building Consent and specific structural specification. But there are still earthworks components for those works and it is not stated if that would be covered by the Structural specification as well.	The earthworks components of these structures will be referenced to the Earthworks Specification and any additional specification requirements will be in the design reports and drawings of specific structures. The specification specifically notes that reinforced earth slopes greater than 30 degrees are excluded; we do not have slopes greater than this in these stages of the development.
20.7	Table 4: Soil Fill Testing Requirements of the Earthworks Specification deviates from the minimum testing requirements recommended by NZS4431:2022, particularly the 'field water content and density' for all three types of soil fill and 'shear strength' for the fine grained and intermediate grained fill. Of note, while NZS4431 has acknowledged that the geotechnical designer can modify to suit project-specific requirements, evidence should be provided to demonstrate that the amended requirements will result in the same or better engineered fill. No evidence has been supplied to address this.	Density testing in site won fills is extremely difficult due to variability in natural soils and we do not believe that this would result in better engineered fill (MDD could change lower or higher in any given test). In terms of shear strength, we refer to NZS3604 requiring 300kPa geotechnical ultimate bearing capacity and also NZS 4431:2022 referring to plate load tests of the same bearing capacity. We note that this is approximately equal to a vane shear strength of 60kPa. Therefore, 140kPa is still well beyond the requirements here, and would result in the same engineered fill for this purpose.
20.8	Table outlining investigations in Section 5.1 references TP01-24 – TP32-24 however Appendix 2A Geotechnical Report Part 4 appears to omit TP04-24.	Test pit TP04 was not excavated (due to temporary stockpile construction in this location).
20.9	We note that Section 5.2 reports laboratory testing is still pending results that was tested for this stage of the investigation. These should be updated when available.	Section 5.2 of the GIR can now be updated as below. Test reports are included at <i>Appendix B</i> .

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		Laboratory To	esting								
		Test ID/ Loca	tion Type of Test	Test Method	Depth (m bgl)	Results					
		MH04-24	Direct Shear Test (Shear Box) 3-Point Peak	BGL In-House Test Method #1	3.7 – 3.85	Φ' = 30° C' = 39kPa					
		MH04-24	Direct Shear Test (Shear Box) 3-Point Peak	BGL In-House Test Method #1	10.75 – 10.9	Φ' = 27° C' = 51kPa					
		MH04-24	Direct Shear Test (Shear Box) 3-Point Peak	BGL In-House Test Method #1	17.85 – 18.0	Not tested – sample fractured					
		MH05-24	Direct Shear Test (Shear Box) 3-Point Peak	BGL In-House Test Method #1	10.25 – 10.5	Φ' = 15° C' = 88kPa					
		MH10-24	Direct Shear Test (Shear Box) 3-Point Peak	BGL In-House Test Method #1	6.45 – 6.7	Φ' = 14° C' = 44kPa					
		MH11-24	Direct Shear Test (Shear Box) 3-Point Peak	BGL In-House Test Method #1	5.4 – 5.65	Φ' = 28° C' = 66kPa					
		MH13-24	Direct Shear Test (Shear Box) 3-Point Peak	BGL In-House Test Method #1	11.8 – 12.0	Φ' = 26° C' = 125kPa					
		MH13-24	Direct Shear Test (Shear Box) 3-Point Peak	BGL In-House Test Method #1	14.6 – 14.85	Φ' = 18° C' = 57kPa					
		MH14-24	Direct Shear Test (Shear Box) 3-Point Peak	BGL In-House Test Method #1	14.1 – 14.3	Φ' = 28° C' = 84kPa					
0.10	We note that the design parameters presented in the Slope stability assessment appears to omit the previously identified		sented in the slope stability assessment of were indiscernible at the scale of the sec								
	softened base contact within the Mahurangi Limestone and the transitional Mahurangi Limestone referenced in Section 7.3 of			Geotechnical Design Parame	eters						

transitional Mahurangi Limestone referenced in Section 7.3 of the geotechnical reporting. This should be justified.

Unit Description $\gamma (kN/m^2)$ $c^*(kPa)$ $\varphi^*(deg)$ $S_n(kPa)$ Engineered Fill (proposed) 18 8 28 100 17 5 26 Tauranga Group Alluvium (Stream) 60 17 8 26 80 18 5 28 60 18 8 12 95 21 20 28 S-N Function* 18 8 21 55 21 20 28 S-N Function* 19 10 40

Geotechnical Design Parameters											
Unit Description	γ (kN/m³)	c´ (kPa)	φ´ (deg)	Su (kPa)							
Engineered Fill (proposed)	18	8	28	100							
Tauranga Group Alluvium (Stream)	17	5	26	60							
Tauranga Group Alluvium (Ridge)	17	8	26	80							
Residual Northland Allochthon	18	5	28	60							
Transitional Hukerenui Mudstone	18	8	12	95							
Hukerenui Mudstone	21	20	28	S-N Function*							
Transitional Undifferentiated Mangakahia	18	8	21	55							

Section 2 of slope stability assessment



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		l Design Parame			1		28	S-N Function*				
Unit Description Proposed Engineered Fill	Strength Range Vane Shear Strength		c (kPa)	ф* (deg)	5 _v (kPa)		Mahurangi Limestone - softened base contact	18	5	26	50	
Tauranga Group Alluvium (St	>110kPa	18	5	26	60		Transitional Mahurangi Limestone	19	3	40	-	
Tauranga Group Alluvium (Ri	COT N value 1	17	8	26	80		Mahurangi Limestone	19	10	40	-	
Residual Northland Allochtho	Soils VSS 40 to >200kPa	18	5	28	60		Notes: γ = soil unit weight (conservative value determined from	n CPT correlatio	ns / typical pu	lished values	for similar soil types)	
Transitional Undifferentiated Mangakahia Complex	VSS 70 to >200kPa SPT N values 3 - 39	18	8	21	55*		c' = effective cohesion (conservative industry accepted ϕ ' = effective friction angle (conservative industry accepted ϕ)	value)			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
Undifferentiated Mangakahia	SPT N values 40+	21	20	28	150**		S _u = undrained shear strength					
Transitional Hukerenui Muds	SPT N values 12	18	8	12	95		S-N Function* = Shear / Normal Function (Applied for Se	eismic Cases bas	ed on shear b	ox results)		
Hukerenui Mudstone	SPT N values 30+	21	20	28	150**					_		
Mahurangi Limestone - softer contact	d base	18	5	26	50	The affected sections G and J w below.	hich contain Mahurangi Limestone have been updated to i	nclude the Ma	hurangi Lime	estone Trans	ition Zone and Soften	ned Base Contact, as show
Transitional Mahurangi Limes	ne VSS >200kPa	19	3	40			Slope, Normal Groundwater Condition:					12.00 kN/m2 12.00 kN/m2 12.00 i9Um2
Mahurangi Limestone	SPT N values 40+	19	10	40			<u>,</u> ,				-	12.00 90/m2
12.00 kN/m2 12.00												
						Cross Section J: - Remediated S	lope, Normal Groundwater Condition:					
12.00 MNIm2 12.00												



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		Material Name	Color	Unit Weight (kN/m3)	Strength Type	Cohesion (kPa)	Phi (°)	Water Surface	Ru Value	
		Residual Northland Allocthon		18	Mohr- Coulomb	5	28	None	0.2	
		Tauranga Group Alluvium (Stream)		17	Mohr- Coulomb	5	26	None	0.2	
		Transitional Hukerenui Mudstone		18	Mohr- Coulomb	8	12	None	0.05	
		Hukerenui Mudstone		21	Mohr- Coulomb	20	28	None	0	
		Transitional Undifferentiated Mangakahia		18	Mohr- Coulomb	8	21	None	0.05	
		Undifferentiated Mangakahia Rock Mass		21	Mohr- Coulomb	20	28	None	0	
		Mahurangi Limestone softened base contact		18	Mohr- Coulomb	5	26	None	0.2	
		Transitional Mahurangi Limestone		19	Mohr- Coulomb	3	40	None	0	
		Mahurangi Limestone		19	Mohr- Coulomb	10	40	None	0	
		Proposed Engineered Fill		18	Mohr- Coulomb	8	28	None	0	
		Shear Key		18	Mohr- Coulomb	8	28	None	0	
		Buttress Fill		18	Mohr- Coulomb	8	28	None	0	
20.11	Appendix F, Figure 3 of the slope stability assessment omits		essme	ent – these p	ages have	e been up	odate	d and an	-	returned for each case were still acceptable. On review, an error was noted in the sections included d and are included in <i>Appendix C</i> . Minimum factors of safety in the remediated sections still meet
20.12	remediation outputs for Section A, which was identified as requiring remediation 'retaining wall with palisade action' in Section 5. Adopted parameters for the modelled retaining structures on	Section A-A This has been output aga	in wi	SITE BO	12.00 kWm2	12.	TO WY			
Adopted parameters for the modelled retaining structures on the SLIDE outputs not shown e.g., Section A – Proposed with remediation (Retaining Walls), Section K- Proposed with Remediation (Shear Key and Retaining Wall). This has been output again with the minimum pile shear strength parameters to achieve the global stability factor of safety requirements. We note that this wall wis specific design. Pile parameters for Sections A and K are shown below. Updated outputs are in Appendix C. Section A: Support Name Color Type Force Application Spacing Mode Pile Shear Strength Pile Shear Strength parameters to achieve the global stability factor of safety requirements. We note that this wall wis specific design. Pile parameters for Sections A and K are shown below. Updated outputs are in Appendix C. Section A:								outputs are in <i>Appendix C</i> .		
		Retaining Wall Pile/Micro	(M	ctive	m) 2 Sh	near	50		ndicula pile	ar



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		Section K:								
		Support Name	Color	Туре	Force Application	Out-Of- Plane Spacing (m)	Failure Mode	Pile Shear Strength (kN)	Force Orientation	
		Palisade Wall (Retaining Wall) A		Pile/ Micro Pile	Active (Method A)	1	Shear	90	Perpendicular to pile	
20.13	It is noted that restrictions are expected to be applied above and below the reinforced earth batters (from Section 8), an indicative plan should be provided to show the locations of development restriction zones as this may impact Lot placement and development yield.									ges during construction. The developer is well versed in these limitations given the history of ompletion Report (GCR) and applied as covenants on the record of title plans for each lot.
20.14	Reinforced slopes shown in the Milldale plans (e.g., P24-128-00-0013-SU) are not clearly shown in the remedial slope stability analyses e.g., Cross Section A and B etc. Are reinforced slopes still required in these areas or just drainage? We also note that Sections A and B has been excluded from drawing 25 by CMW for reinforced earth batter slopes. This creates inconsistency, may alter the ground profile and development restriction zones.	include a drain Where further reinforcing) an	RED FAL BUTTHEEP PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY WORTH WORTH AND ASSET AND ASSET AS	anket a diation osed. S TO BE CONSTRUCT STO BE CONSTRUCT STORY STORY	S Shown in D is required to ections A & E GROTTPE INSCRIPTION A & E GROTTPE INSCRIPTION A & ECONOMINATE A BECOMBANY 2.3 ECONOMINATE A BECOMBAN	OG 25. Di address B do not re VERTICAL SPRIA B INI 15 65 FERFORATED HIGHWAY AT PROPOGERS STREAMS.	global sta	PRELAM PRODUCTION OF THE BLOWN FOR OCCUPANT AND	ARANY FILL BUTTRESS WIDTHS AND AT TYZE PRACELE TO BLOPE FACE) THE STATE OF THE STAT	the toe of the slope) and buttress fills (beyond the minimum 4m fill width required for the geogrid the are not listed in the tables provided in DG 25. DG 25 shown below for reference.



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		The CMW Underfill Drain Plan – Stage 10 & 11 (DG 19) has been updated to include the RE slope drains in Stage 10, shown below, and included in Appendix A. LEGEND. SITE BOUNDARY ORIGINAL GROUND CONTOUR (MAJOR) ORIGINAL GROUND CONTOUR (MINOR) OVERLAND FLOW PATHS UNDERFILL DRAINS RE SLOPE DRAINS
20.15	(Comment to DE) Considerations should be made to the potential migration of streams over the 100 year period for assessment under E36.9(2). Noting that streams can meander and therefore encroach on building platforms/access ways.	Council has indicated this is an internal comment for the development engineer in Council, not for CMW to respond to.
20.16	Key concern: Additional characterisation of geohazards required to inform consent sought including settlement monitoring of filling works and slope stability analyses (comment 5, 10, 12 and 14) would be required to inform on E12, E36 and E38 assessment.	Further site investigation and modelling has been undertaken to inform extents and design of the palisade wall required in Stage 10 (Item 20.5). Additionally, further explanation of expected settlement timeframes (Item 20.1), and laboratory testing undertaken which informed parameter selection (Item 20.9) has been provided. Clarification has been provided of the stability analyses undertaken (Items 20.5, 20.10, 20.12 & 20.14)

3.0 STAGE 4C

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20.17	The related documents in Section 4 of the report were not	The documents listed in Section 4 of the Stage 4C Geotechnical Assessment Report (listed below) have been provided for review.					
20.17	provided for review in this submission. There is no specific geotechnical site investigation provided for the site. The geotechnical model was based on existing site investigation data on the subject and adjacent sites. This poses a few risks: • Section 5 of the report refers to data presented in Geotechnical Investigation Reports for Stage 2, 3 and 4. These reports were not submitted as part of this consent for review. • Of the investigation shown on the site plan for the Stage 4C area, there are only 3 test pits that allows the visualisation of the subsurface material, which are concentrated at the northwest extent of the site. The rest of the investigation	Report Geotechnical Investigation Report – Stages 2 & 3 Stability Assessment Settlement Assessment Liquefaction Assessment Earthfill Completion Report – Earthworks 2 & 2A Geotechnical Investigation Report – Earthworks 3A Earthfills Completion Report – Earthworks 3A Geotechnical Investigation Report – Subdivision Stage 4	Reference and/or Comments AKL2017_0069AC Rev.3, dated 18/09/2017 Appendix D to report AKL2017_0069AC Rev.3 Appendix E to report AKL2017_0069AC Rev.3 Appendix F to report AKL2017_0069AC Rev.3 AKL2017_0069BY Rev.0, dated 4/11/2019 AKL2019-0081AD Rev.1, dated 20/11/2019 AKL2019-0161CI Rev.0, dated 5/04/2022 AKL2019-0238AD Rev.0, dated 3/08/2020				
	 consists of CPT only. There is also a lack of investigation at the northern portion of the site. No representative geological cross sections were provided. 		AKL2019-0161DJ Rev.1, dated 12/05/2023 Report, referenced AKL2019-0238AH, Rev 0, dated 13/03/2025 has been provided. monitored by CMW across Stage 4C under previous consents, certified in the relevant completion reports;				



Item # Auckland Council Comments • It was not stated how the groundwater levels across the site were inferred.

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- Earthfill Completion Report Earthworks 2 & 2A, referenced AKL2017_0069BY Rev.0, dated 4/11/2019,
- Earthfills Completion Report Earthworks 3A, referenced AKL2019-0161Cl Rev.0, dated 5/04/2022.

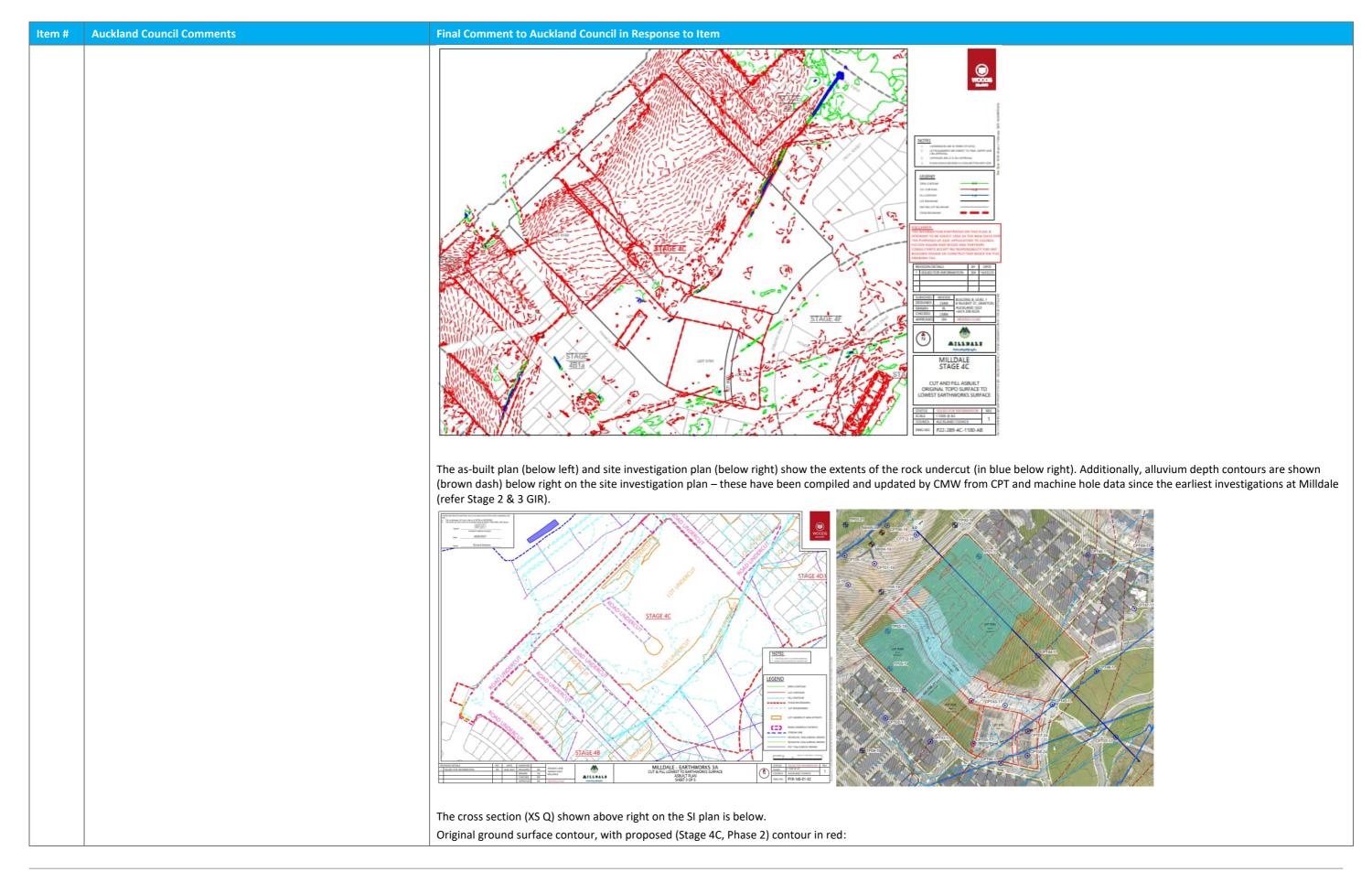
These works included the placement of engineered filling across the lower portion of the slope, and cutting of the upper portion, including the ridgeline. Where Northland Allochthon rock mass or transitional materials were encountered, this was undercut by a minimum depth of 0.85m and replaced with engineered filling.

The image below shows the original Stage 4C contour, with the ridgeline evident (labelled - R -) in the upper part of the site. The heavy dashed red line downslope / south of the dwelling in the central part of the site indicates the upslope / northern limit of the Earthworks 2 fills. As-built plans of these fills are appended to the Earthfill Completion Report – Earthworks 2 & 2A, referenced AKL2017_0069BY Rev.0, dated 4/11/2019).

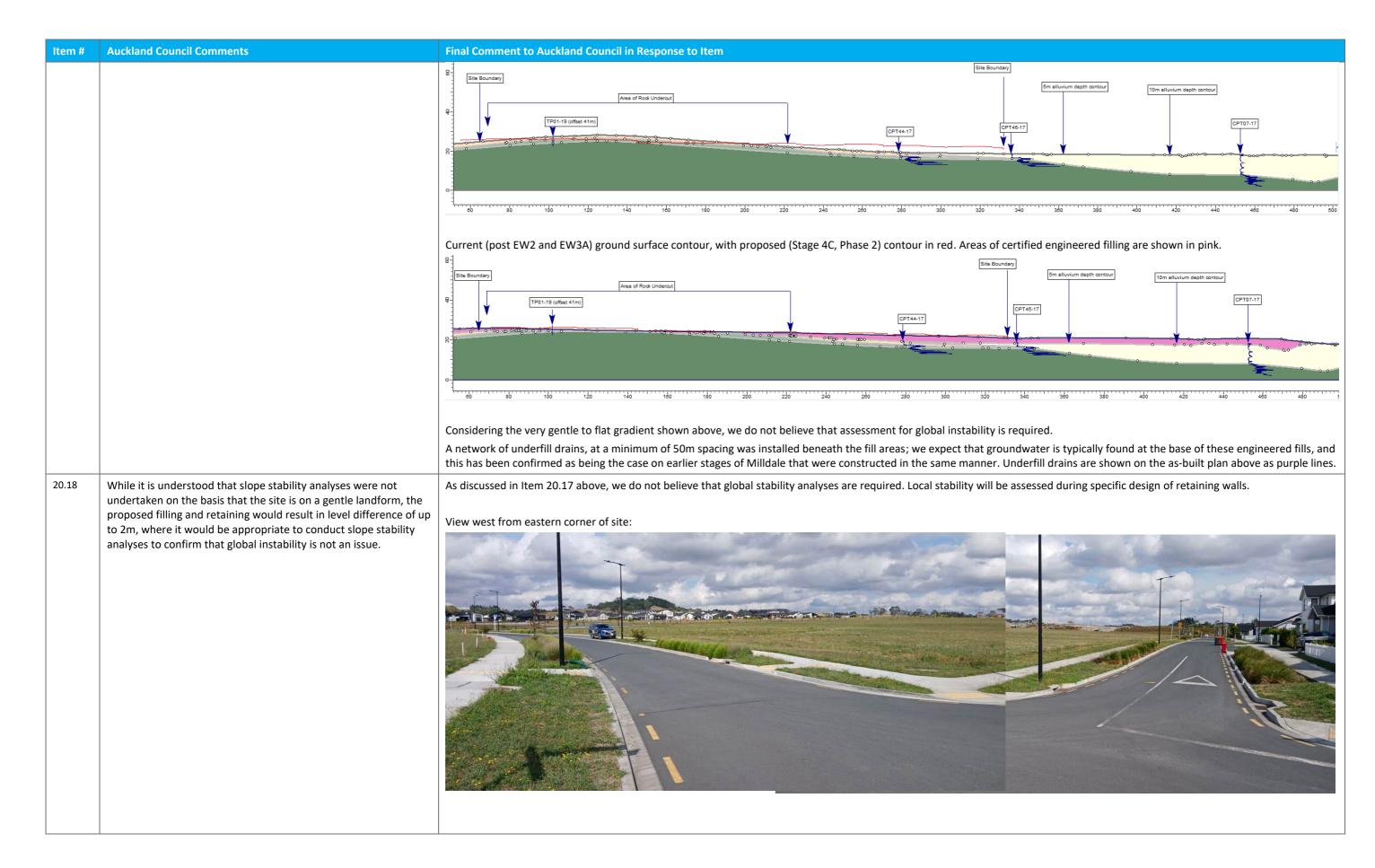


Below shows the as-built extent of cuts (0.25m red contour) undertaken across the site (original to lowest surface comparison), appended to the Stage 4C-1 Geotechnical Completion Report, referenced AKL2019-0238AH, Rev 0, dated 13/03/2025.







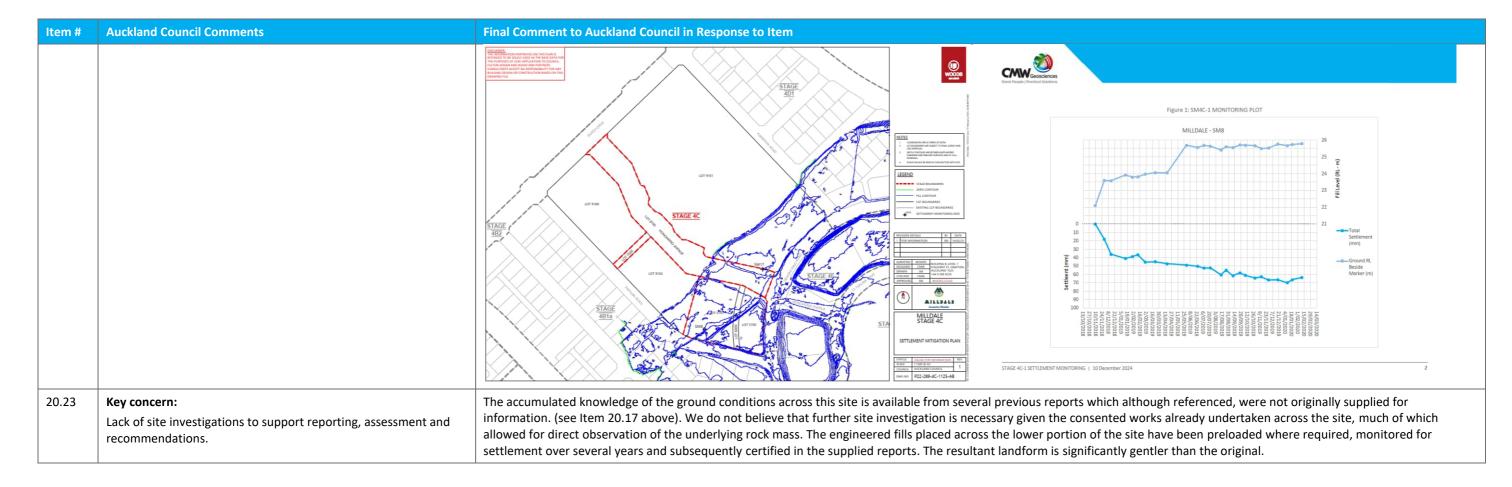




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		View east from western corner of site:				
20.19	No recommendations or preliminary construction methodology were provided for the proposed retaining wall.	As in item 20.3 above, typically at Milldale, earthworks / retaining walls are constructed beyond stage boundaries where practical to avoid temporary works situations and where construction makes sense. In the event this does not occur, the following typical measures have been used at Milldale to control temporary stability. We typically would note these as part of the building consent design report for walls. • Leaving cut retaining walls at an appropriate temporary batter angle (typically shallower than 1V:3H) • Overfilling in areas of future fill retaining walls, batters at 1V:3H				
20.20	Section 8.2 have mentioned that up to 50mm of post construction settlement may be expected for future development load of 10kPa, it has recommended if higher future development load is proposed, either further investigation and settlement monitoring should be undertaken during Phase 1 works, or additional settlement mitigation measures should be implemented during Phase 2 works. We suggest that be communicated to the applicant and included as an advice note or other similar approaches to ensure it is captured.	Noted. This will also be communicated in the relevant completion reports.				
20.21	It is noted that earthworks and retaining are proposed to be staged, details should be provided to clarify how stability will be maintained between the substages of Stage 4C2 - 5 (particularly where earthworks and retaining are proposed at the stage boundaries).	Noted above in Item 20.19. Typically, earthworks fills will be placed beyond the proposed wall locations, to be cut back for the construction of the walls. Fills are typically battered to 1V:3H. Retaining walls in Stage 4C do not serve a global stability function.				
20.22	Evidence of preloading, geotechnical supervision records etc., which was carried out during 'Earthworks 2' referenced in section 8.2 of should be provided for to support safe building platform and accessway as this impacts Stages 4C2 and 4.	The completion reports listed in Item 20.17 above contain summaries of the works observed and the results of geotechnical testing conducted by CMW. The Settlement Mitigation Plan from the Stage 4C-1 Geotechnical Completion Report (GCR), referenced AKL2019-0238AH, Rev 0, dated 13/03/2025 shows the preloads placed across the alluvial soils in the lower part of the site, and the locations of the settlement plates which were monitored. The plot of the SM8 monitoring data is shown below right.				

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4.0 WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT

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20.24	The related documents in Section 4, in particular the Geotechnical Investigation Report for Milldale Stage 8, was not provided in this submission for our review. This is expected to include the previous investigation information that was referenced in Section 5.	The GIR for Stage 8 (referenced AKL2022-0029AE Rev.3, dated 4 September 2024) has been provided for information.
20.25	Site plan only showing locations of hand augers undertaken for this stage of the works, though Section 5.1 has stated previous investigation locations should also be shown on the site plan. It is unsure what deep investigation data was relied on to create the geological cross section as the hand augers are only 5m deep.	The CMW Geotechnical Investigation Plan and Cross Section A (WWTP DG 01 & 02) have been updated to include the mentioned previous investigations and are shown below, and included in <i>Appendix A</i> . The related logs are in <i>Appendix D</i> .



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20.26	Groundwater level and dry basin profile not shown on the geological cross section.	Drawing 02 (Geological Cross Section A) has been updated to include the groundwater level and dry basin profile, see 20.25 above.
20.27	No slope stability analyses were provided on the basis that the site is gently sloping and maximum cut and fill batter gradients of 1V:5H and 1V:3H respectively will be created. While the 1V:3H slopes made of engineering fill could normally considered conservative for stability, given the large surcharge loading and underlying 'problematic' Northland Allochthon residual soils, it would be more appropriate to undertake slope stability analyses to confirm the stability of the cut and fill slopes.	We have carried out the slope stability analysis for Section A. Please refer to <i>Appendix C</i> for the memo. The required factors of safety were met for all scenarios; no additional remediation is required.
20.275	Advice note is recommended for: structural or civil engineer to confirm the estimated differential settlement of 25mm is acceptable for the proposed wastewater treatment plant. settlement analysis to be reassessed if there is a change in the	The WWTP design was undertaken using advice from CMW that 25mm of differential settlement was anticipated. We have sought further confirmation from the WWTP designer that this is acceptable, to be provided separately in the form of an advice note. Reassessment of settlement will be undertaken if there is any change in the assumed loading.
	assumed loading.	
20.28	Table 2: Testing Requirements of the Earthworks Specification deviates from the minimum testing requirements recommended by NZS4431:2022, particularly the 'field water content and density' for all three types of soil fill and 'shear strength' for the fine grained and intermediate grained fill.	Refer to comment 20.7 above.
	Of note, while NZS4431 has acknowledged that the geotechnical designer can modify to suit project-specific requirements, evidence should be provided to demonstrate that the amended requirements will result in the same or better engineered fill. No evidence has been supplied to address this.	

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5.0 CONDITIONS

Item#	Auckland Council Comments	Final Comment to Auckland Council in Response to Item
20.29	 Stage 10-13 Condition 26, 43, 69, 86 refers to an outdated report (most up to date version is Rev3, dated 24 March 2025). (Please note that the groundwater conditions also feature this outdated report). Condition 12 uses the word 'shall' when we should be using 'must' for the Settlement Monitoring Plan. SMP also appears to reference a site management plan and this may confuse the two plans. Condition 43 and condition 44 appears to be in duplication and we recommend removing condition 43 in favour of Condition 44 to make it clear on expected completion documentation requirements. Condition 44 for the geotechnical completion report should include a Statement of Professional Opinion (SOPO) and certified as-built plans. 	 Conditions 26, 43, 69, 86: – these can be referenced to the latest Rev 3 report: Geotechnical Investigation Report, referenced AKL2024-0257AB, Rev. 3, prepared by CMW Geosciences, dated 24 March 2025. Condition 12 - Noted – to be amended in Conditions. Condition 43 & 44 - agreed on removal of Condition 43 as Condition 44 is more suitable. Condition 44 - agree on SOPO and certified as-builts. Additionally, restriction zones will be provided as part of the GCR.
20.30	 Stage 4C - Phases 1 & 2 We agree that a condition for a settlement monitoring plan, supervision of works and geotechnical completion reporting is required. Condition 29 for the geotechnical completion report should include a Statement of Professional Opinion and certified as-built plans. We suggest that condition 42 remain open for update noting the lack of site investigations undertaken may warrant a new report to be submitted and reviewed. 	 Condition 14 – agreed on change from "shall" to "must" with regards to the Settlement Monitoring Plan. Conditions 20 & 29 – agree on SOPO and certified as-builts. Additionally, restriction zones will be provided as part of the GCR. Condition 42 – there will be specific reports for retaining walls for Building Consents under the standard process.
20.31	WWTP We agree with that supervision of works are required. Noting works are relatively smaller in scale, we suggest that the contents outlined in Condition 27 (GCR CONDITION) may not be warranted for the activity. We suggest that the condition be revised to be more akin to Condition 43 for the Stage 10 – 13.	• Agreed.



6.0 **CLOSURE**

Additional important information regarding the use of your CMW report is provided in the 'Using your CMW Report' document attached to this report.

This report has been prepared for use by Fulton Hogan Land Development Limited in relation to the Fast Track Application, Milldale, Wainui East project in accordance with the scope, proposed uses and limitations described in the report. Should you have further questions relating to the use of your report please do not hesitate to contact us.

Where a party other than Fulton Hogan Land Development Limited seeks to rely upon or otherwise use this report, the consent of CMW should be sought prior to any such use. CMW can then advise whether the report and its contents are suitable for the intended use by the other party.



USING YOUR CMW GEOTECHNICAL REPORT

Geotechnical reporting relies on interpretation of facts and collected information using experience, professional judgement, and opinion. As such it generally has a level of uncertainty attached to it, which is often far less exact than other engineering design disciplines. The notes below provide general advice on what can be reasonably expected from your report and the inherent limitations of a geotechnical report.

Preparation of your report

Your geotechnical report has been written for your use on your project. The contents of your report may not meet the needs of others who may have different objectives or requirements. The report has been prepared using generally accepted Geotechnical Engineering and Engineering Geology practices and procedures. The opinions and conclusions reached in your report are made in accordance with these accepted principles. Specific items of geotechnical or geological importance are highlighted in the report.

In producing your report, we have relied on the information which is referenced or summarised in the report. If further information becomes available or the nature of your project changes, then the findings in this report may no longer be appropriate. In such cases the report must be reviewed, and any necessary changes must be made by us.

Your geotechnical report is based on your project's requirements

Your geotechnical report has been developed based on your specific project requirements and only applies to the site in this report. Project requirements could include the type of works being undertaken; project locality, size and configuration; the location of any structures on or around the site; the presence of underground utilities; proposed design methodology; the duration or design life of the works; and construction method and/or sequencing.

The information or advice in your geotechnical report should not be applied to any other project given the intrinsic differences between different projects and site locations. Similarly geotechnical information, data and conclusions from other sites and projects may not be relevant or appropriate for your project.

Interpretation of geotechnical data

Site investigations identify subsurface conditions at discrete locations. Additional geotechnical information (e.g. literature and external data source review, laboratory testing etc) are interpreted by Geologists or Engineers to provide an opinion about a site specific ground models, their likely impact on the proposed development and recommended actions. Actual conditions may differ from those inferred to exist due to the variability of geological environments. The actual interface between materials may be far more gradual or abrupt than assumed based on the facts obtained. Nothing can be done to change the actual site conditions which exist, but steps can be taken to reduce the impact of unexpected conditions. Interpretation of factual data can be influenced by design and/or construction methods. Where these methods change review of the interpretation in the report may be required.

Subsurface conditions can change

Subsurface conditions are created by natural processes and then can be altered anthropically or over time. For example, groundwater levels can vary with time or activities adjacent to your site, fill may be placed on a site, or the consistency of near surface conditions might be susceptible to seasonal changes. The report is based on conditions which existed at the time of investigation. It is important to confirm whether conditions may have changed, particularly when large periods of time have elapsed since the investigations were performed.

Interpretation and use by other design professionals

Costly problems can occur when other design professionals develop their plans based on misinterpretations of a geotechnical report. To help avoid misinterpretations, it is important to retain the assistance of CMW to work with other project design professionals who are affected by the contents of your report. CMW staff can explain the report implications to design professionals and then review design plans and specifications to see that they have correctly incorporated the findings of this report.

Your report's recommendations require confirmation during construction

Your report is based on site conditions as revealed through selective point sampling. Engineering judgement is then applied to assess how indicative of actual conditions throughout an area the point sampling might be. Any assumptions made cannot be substantiated until construction is complete. For this reason, you should retain geotechnical services throughout the construction stage, to identify variances from previous assumption, conduct additional tests if required and recommend solutions to problems encountered on site.

A Geotechnical Engineer, who is fully familiar with the site and the background information, can assess whether the report's recommendations remain valid and whether changes should be considered as the project develops. An unfamiliar party using this report increases the risk that the report will be misinterpreted.

Environmental Matters Are Not Covered

Unless specifically discussed in your report environmental matters are not covered by a CMW Geotechnical Report. Environmental matters might include the level of contaminants present of the site covered by this report, potential uses or treatment of contaminated materials or the disposal of contaminated materials. These matters can be complex and are often governed by specific legislation.

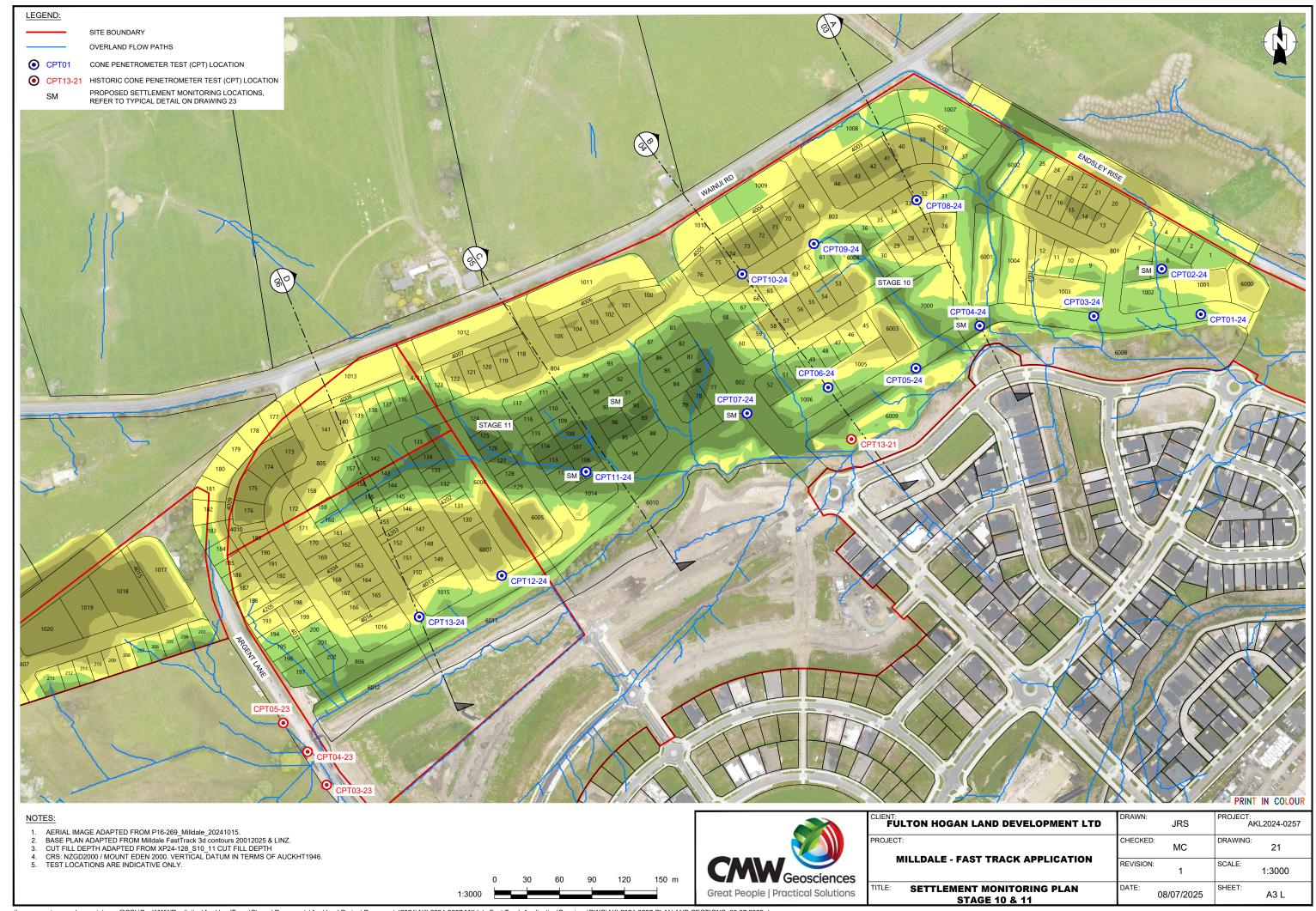
The personnel, equipment, and techniques used to perform an environmental study can differ significantly from those used in this report. For that reason, our report does not provide environmental recommendations. Unanticipated subsurface environmental problems can have large consequences for your site. If you have not obtained your own environmental information about the project site, ask your CMW contact about how to find environmental risk-management guidance.

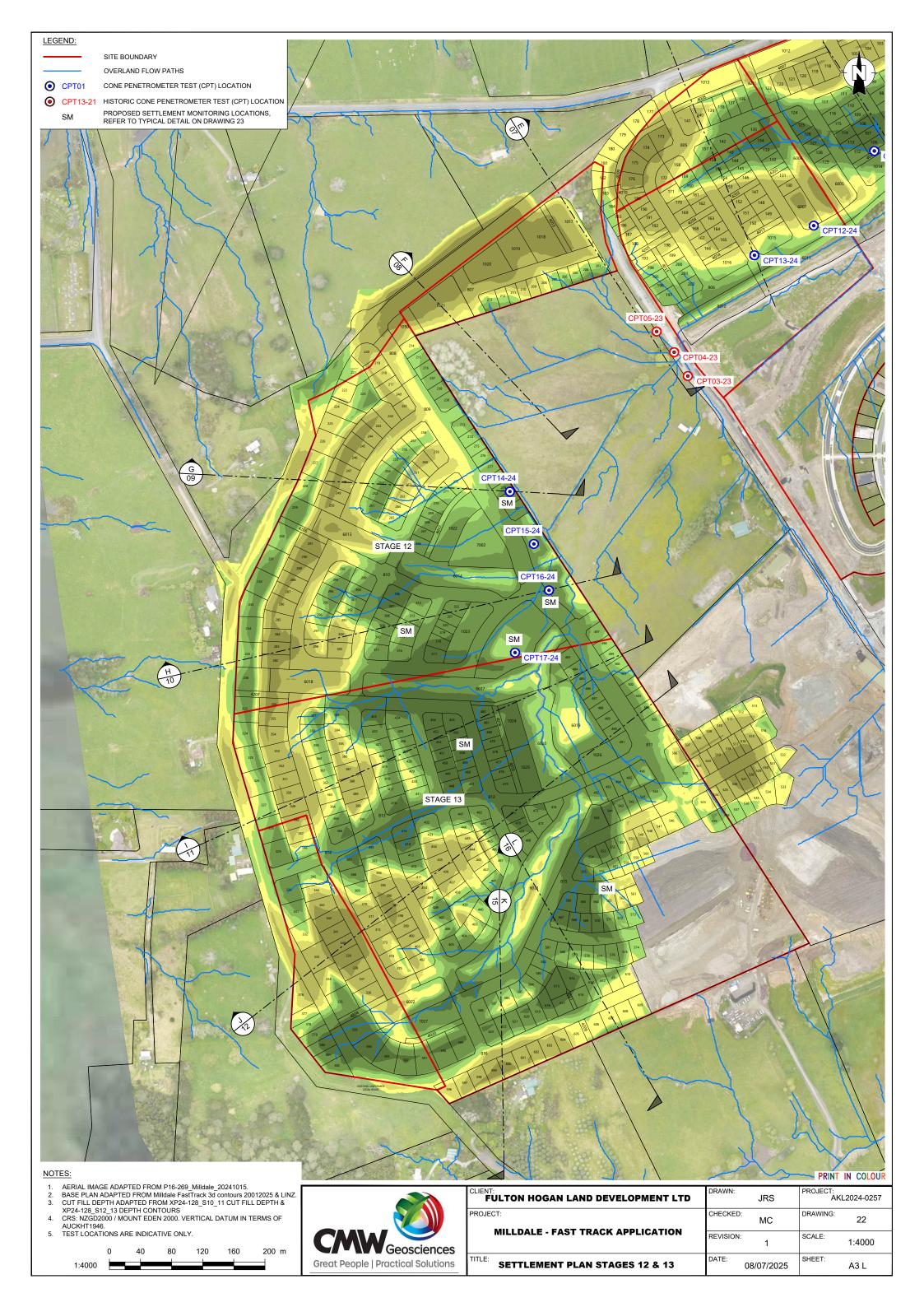


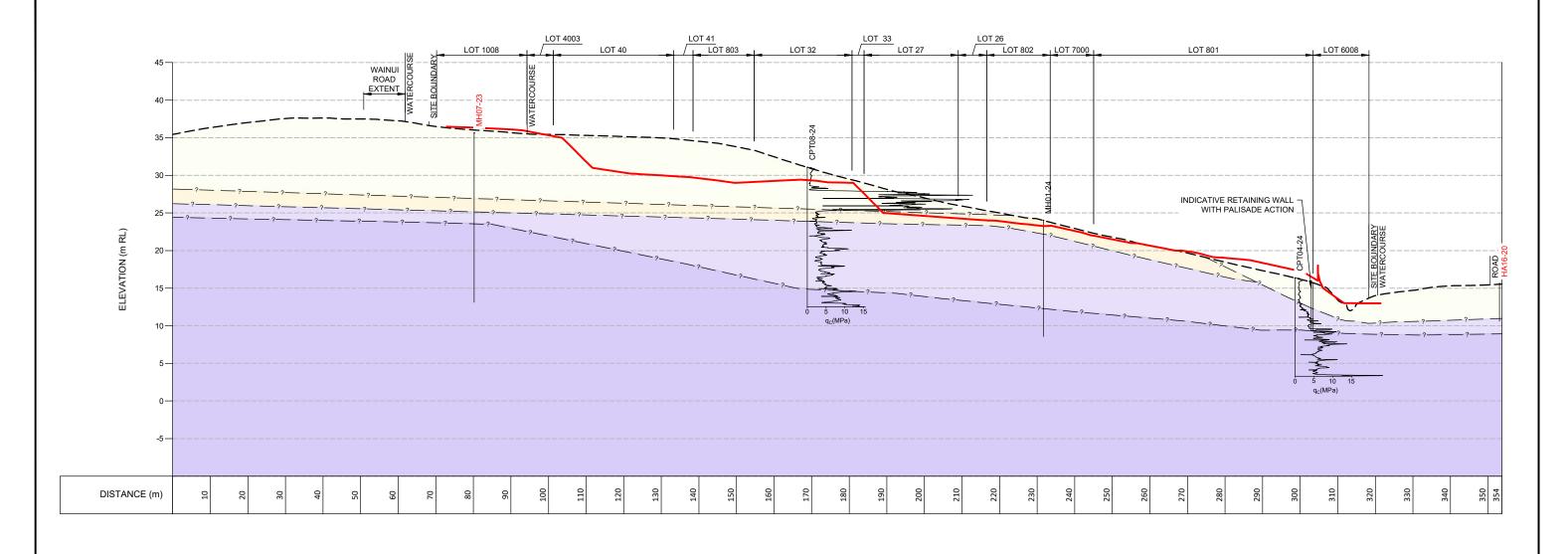
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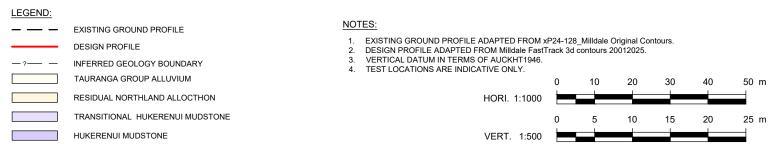
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20.5	Woods Cut-Fill Plan	P24-128-00-1202-EW	July 2025	2
20.14	Underfill Drain Plan – Stage 10 & 11	AKL2024-0257 DG19	9/07/2025	1
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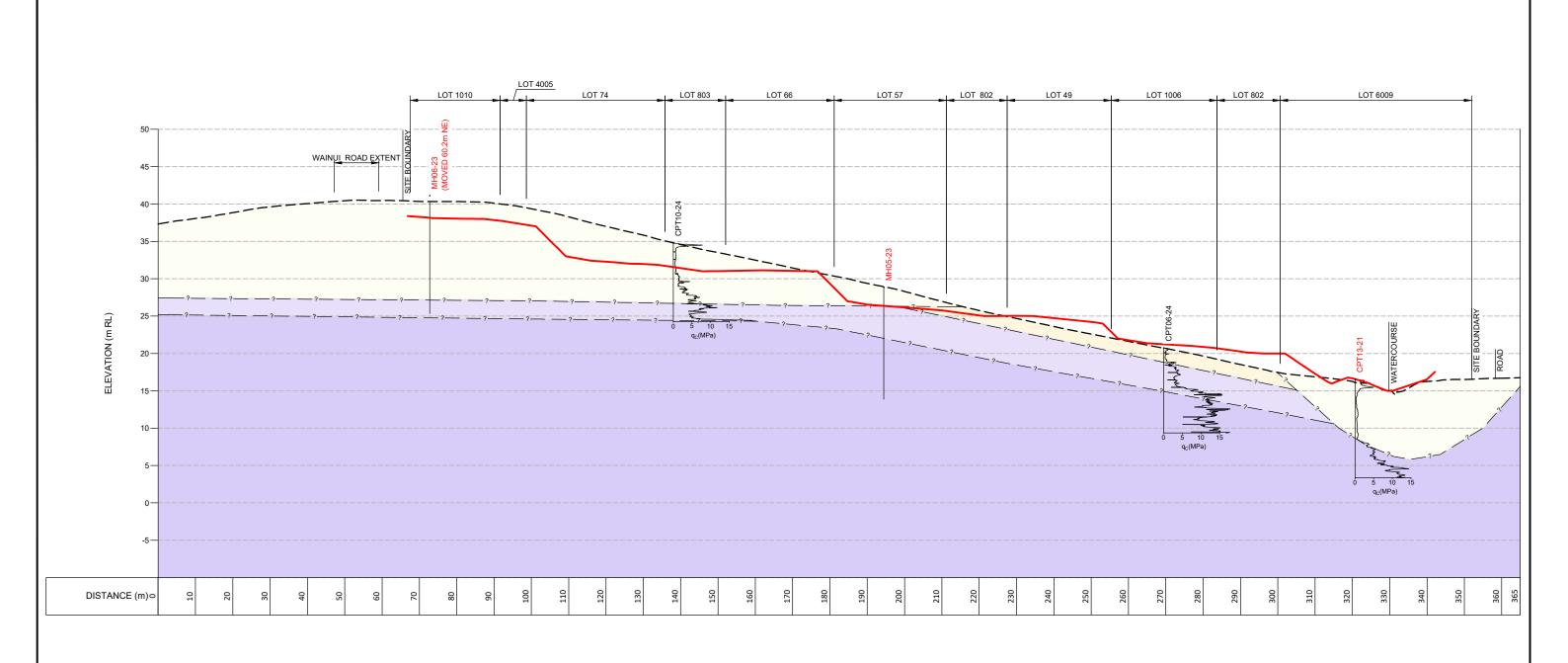


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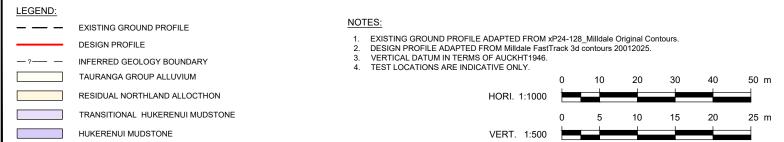




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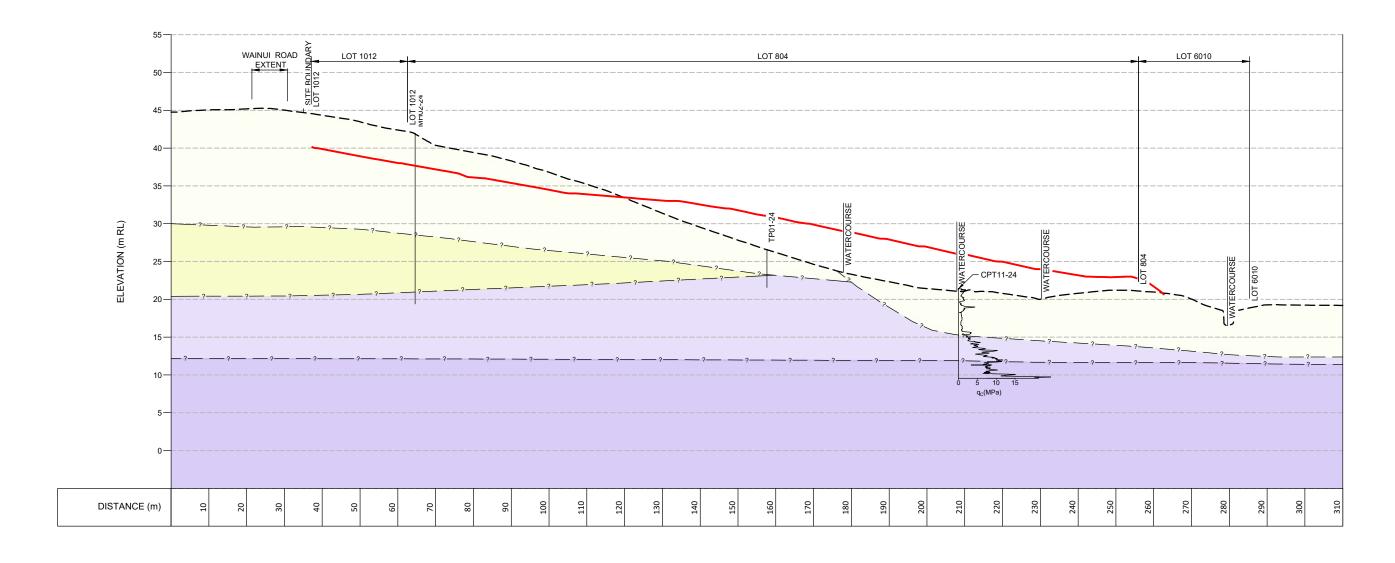


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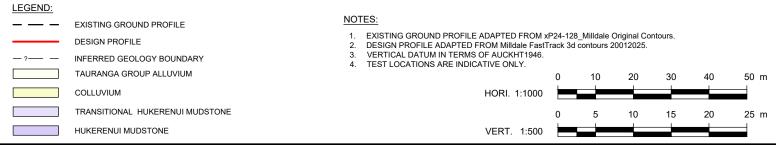


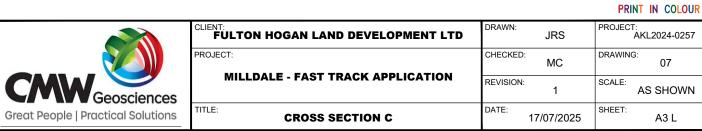


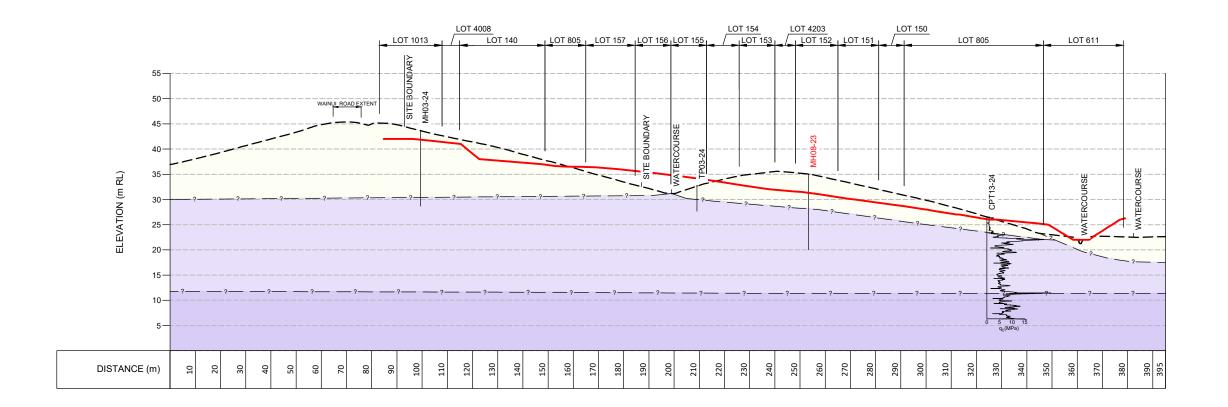
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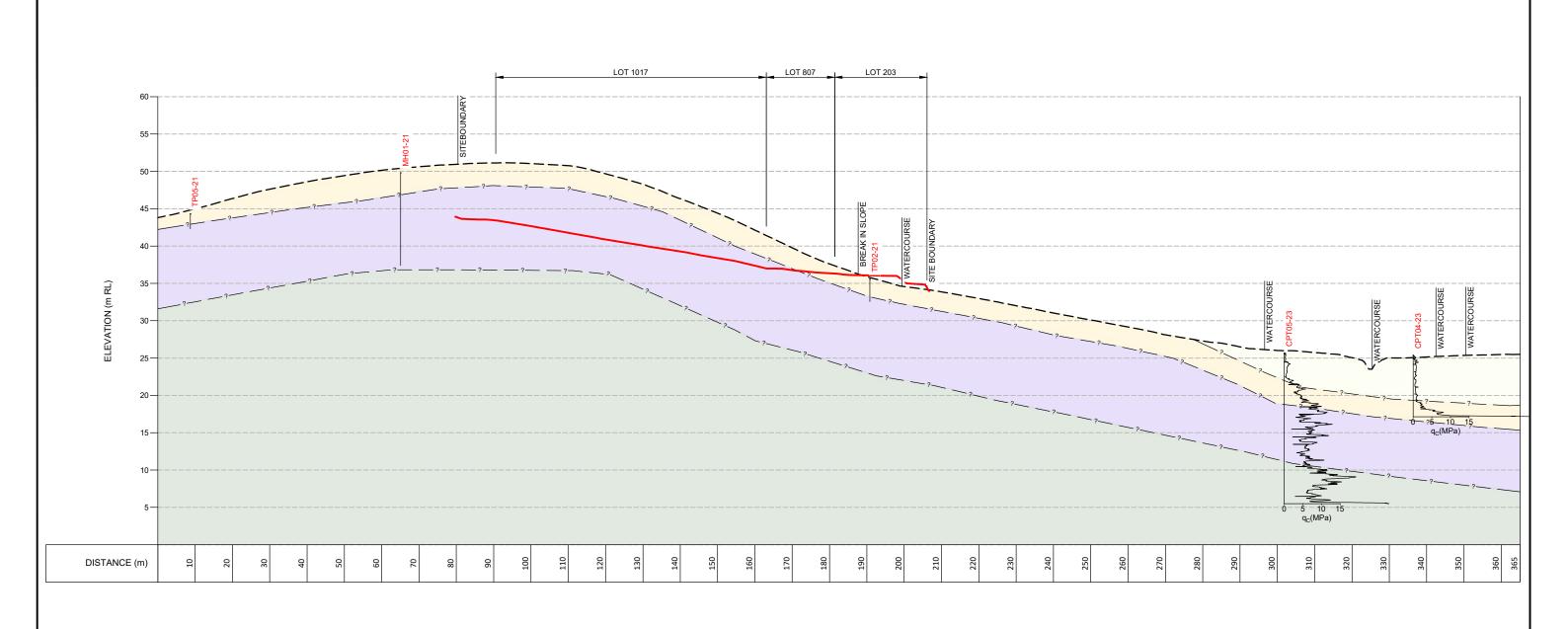
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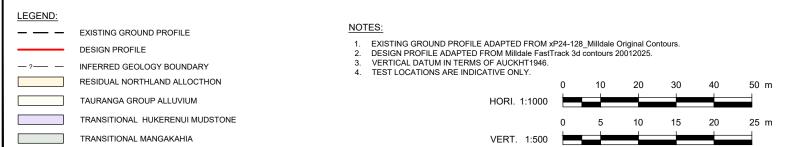


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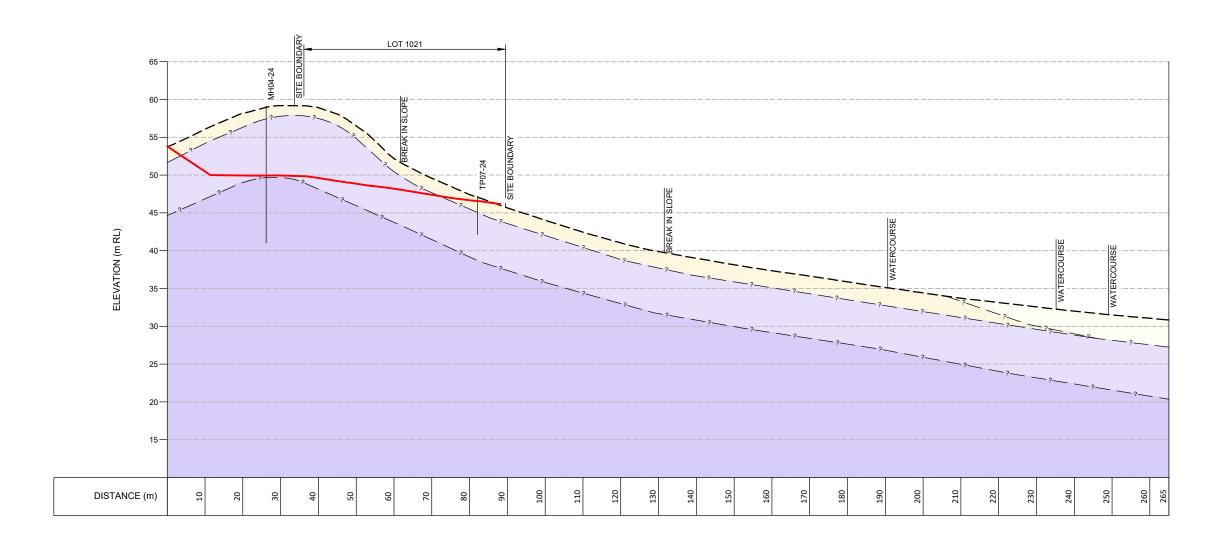


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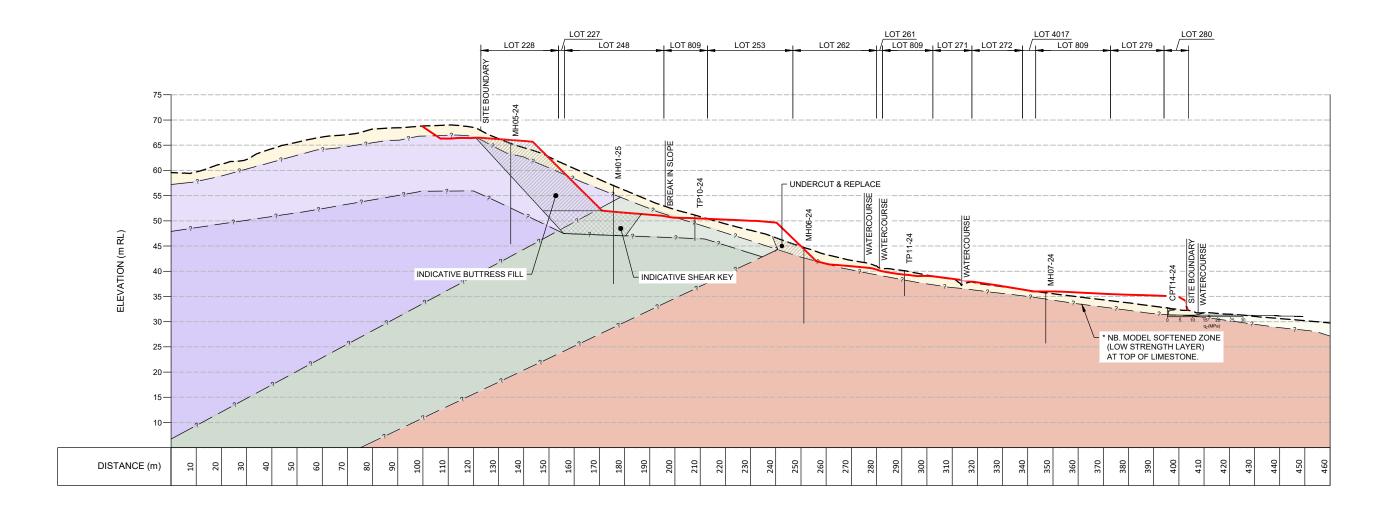
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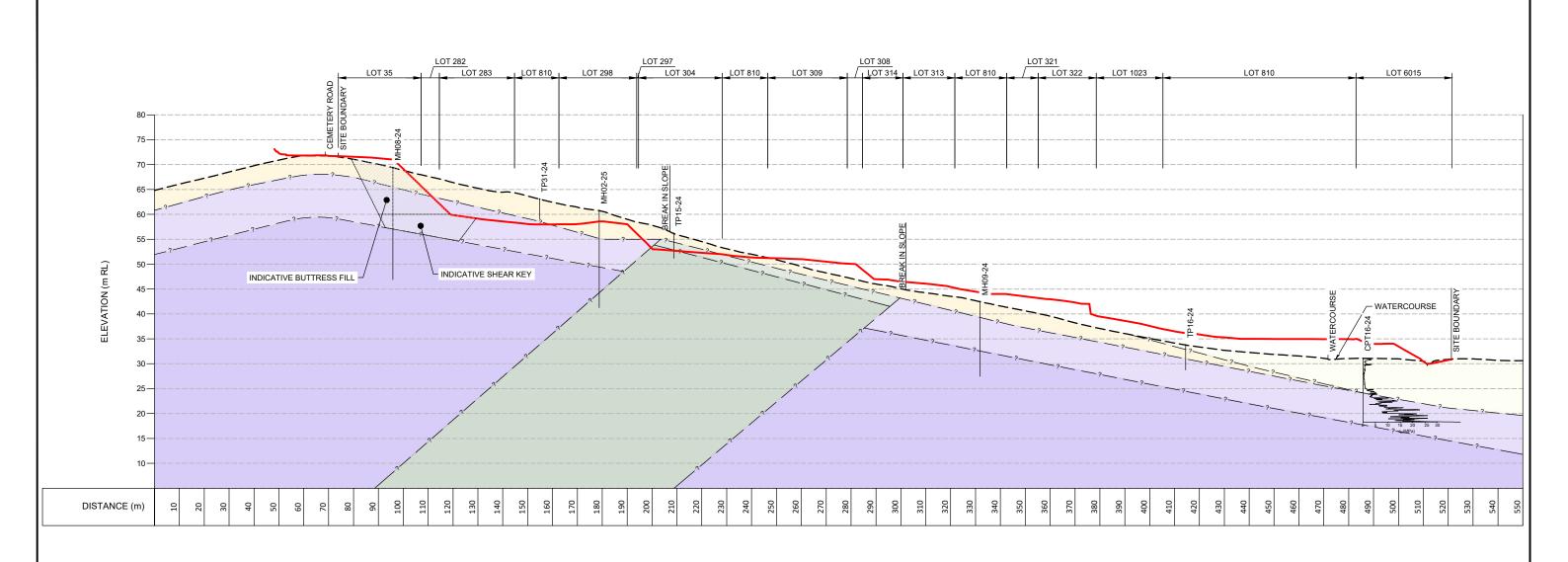
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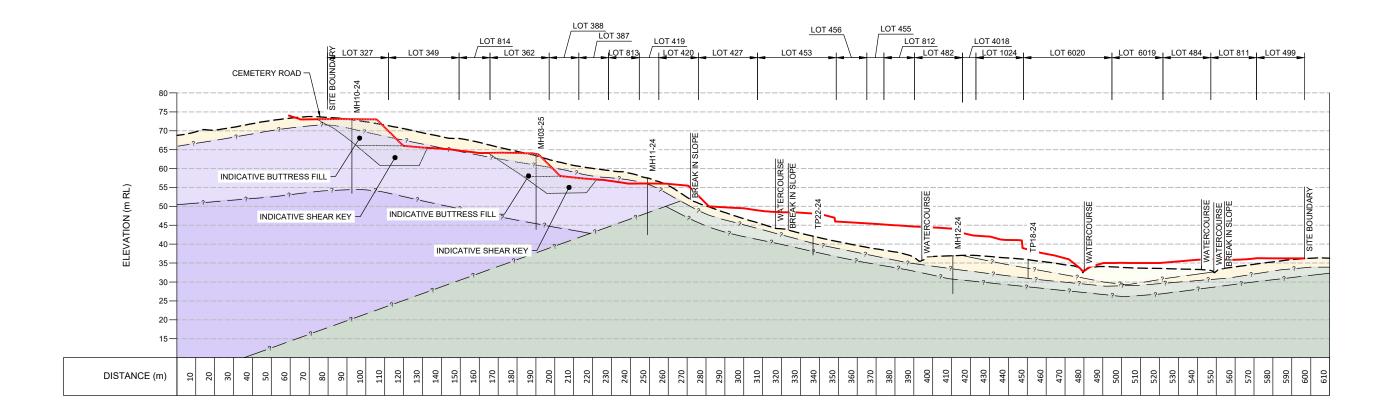


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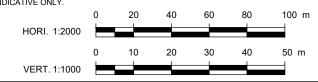
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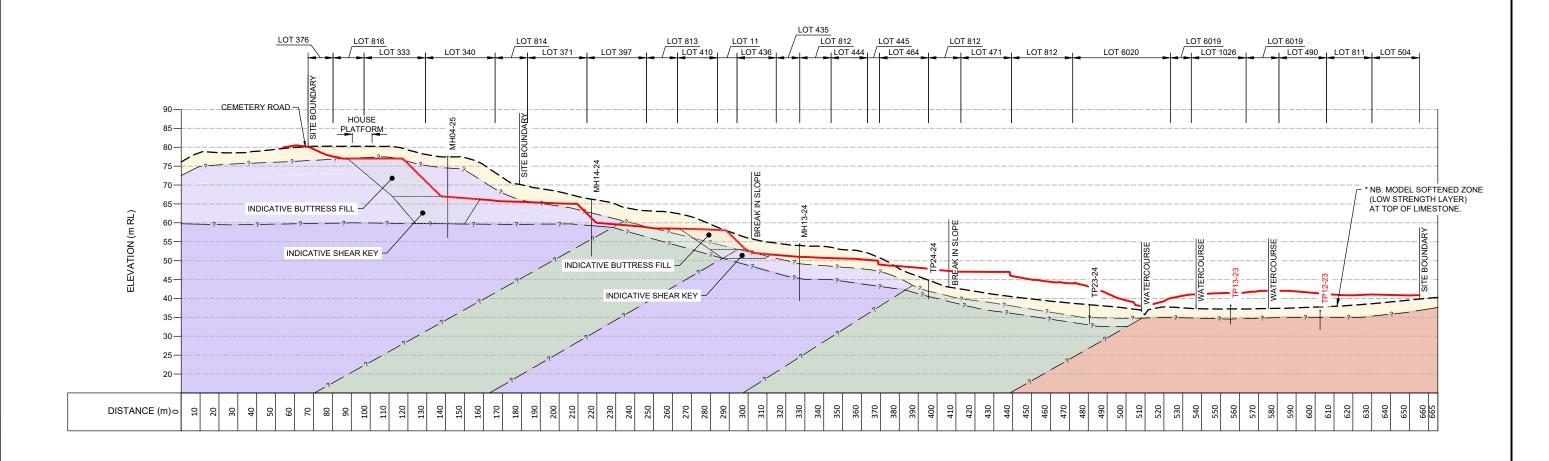
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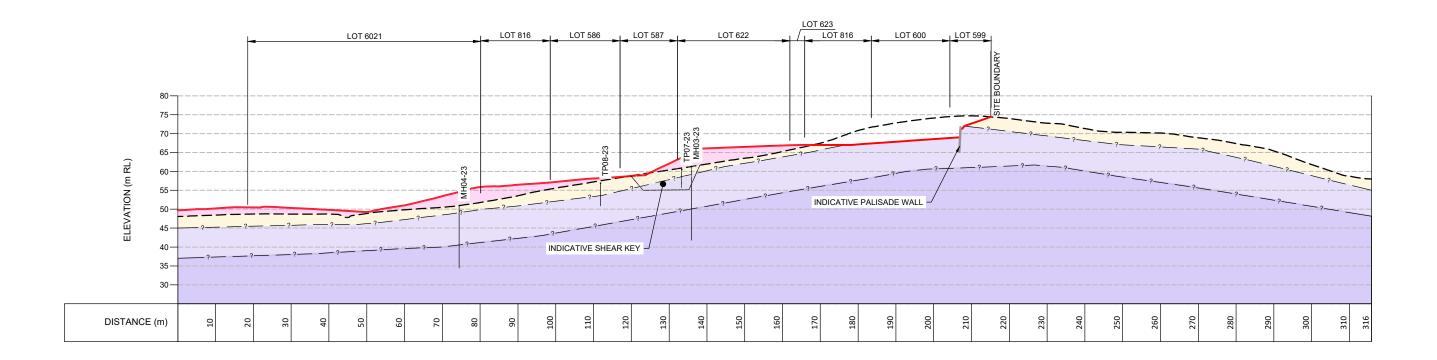
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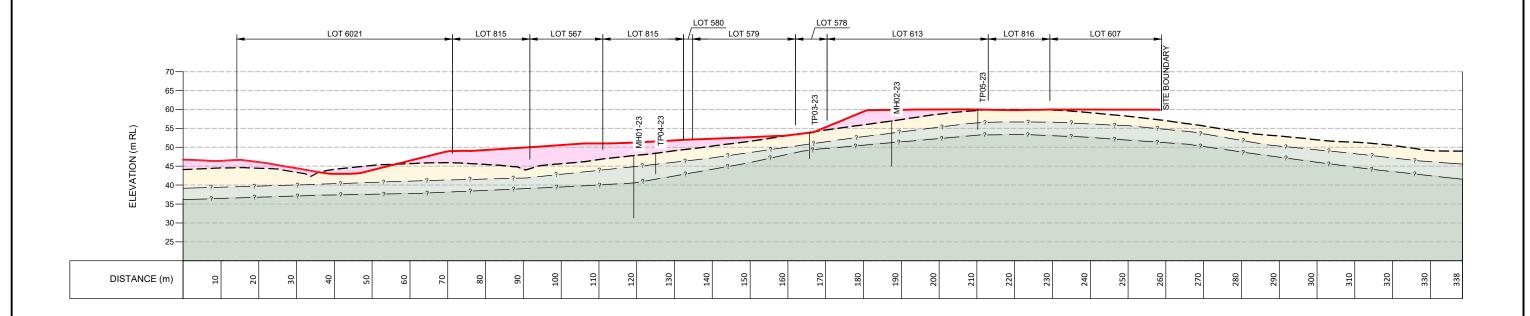
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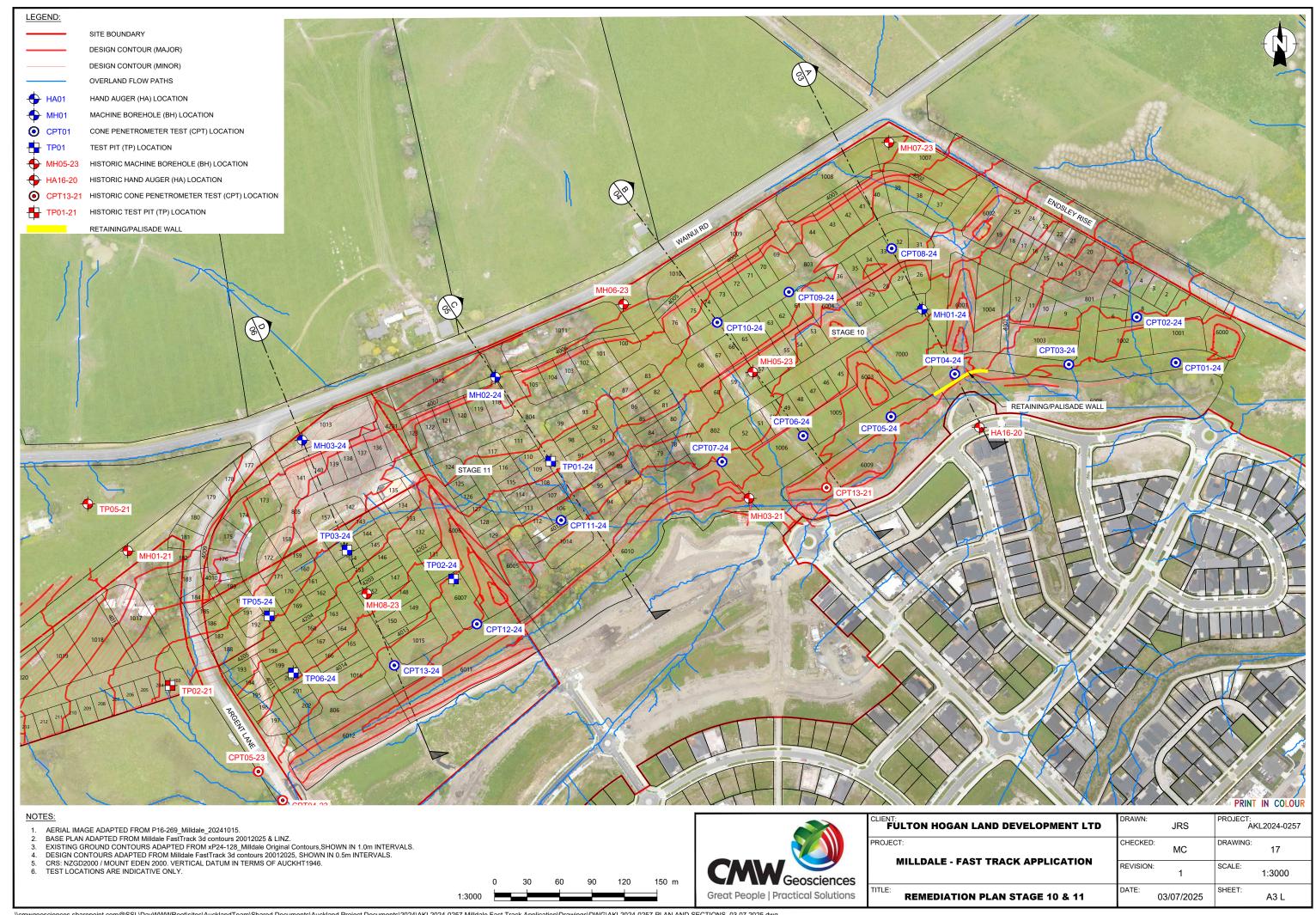
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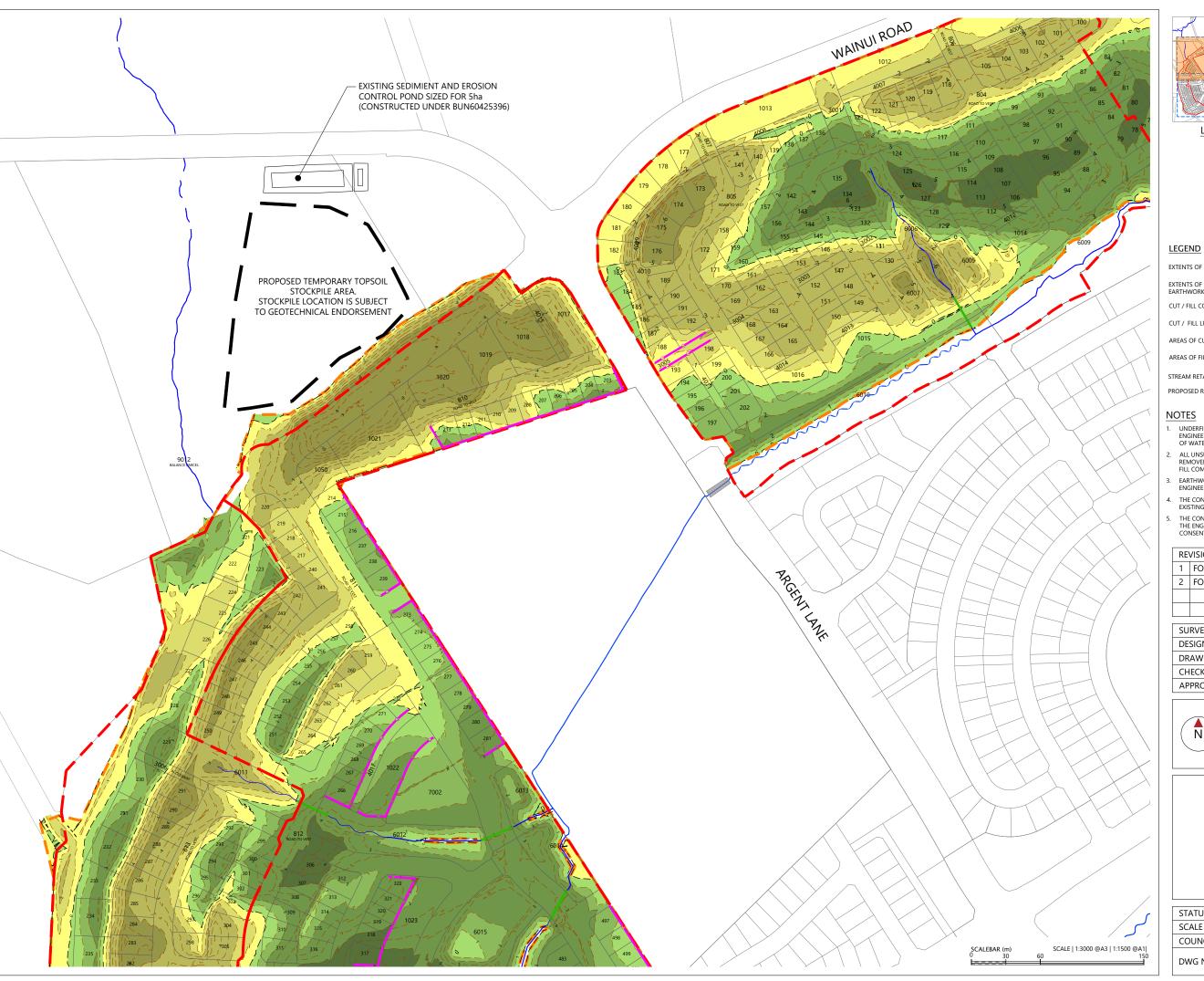
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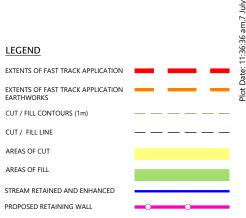








LOCALITY PLAN N.T.S



- I. UNDEFILL DRAINAGE IS TO BE INSTALLED AT THE DIRECTION OF THE ENGINEER. IF THE CONTRACTOR ENCOUNTERS SPRINGS OR OTHER SOURCES OF WATER HE IS TO NOTIFY THE ENGINEER.
- ALL UNSUITABLE MATERIAL AS DEFINED IN THE SPECIFICATION IS TO BE REMOVED AND THE STRIPPED AREAS INSPECTED BY THE ENGINEER BEFORE FILL COMMENCES.
- 3. EARTHWORKS ARE NOT TO BE EXTENDED INTO ADJOINING SITES UNLESS THE ENGINEER HAS ISSUED SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS.
- 4. THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR IDENTIFYING AND PROTECTING EXISTING SERVICES AND DRAINAGE ON SITE.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CLARIFY THE AREAS AND EXTENT OF CLEARING WITH THE ENGINEER BEFORE COMMENCEMENT AND CONFIRM THAT ALL NECESSARY CONSENTS ARE IN PLACE.

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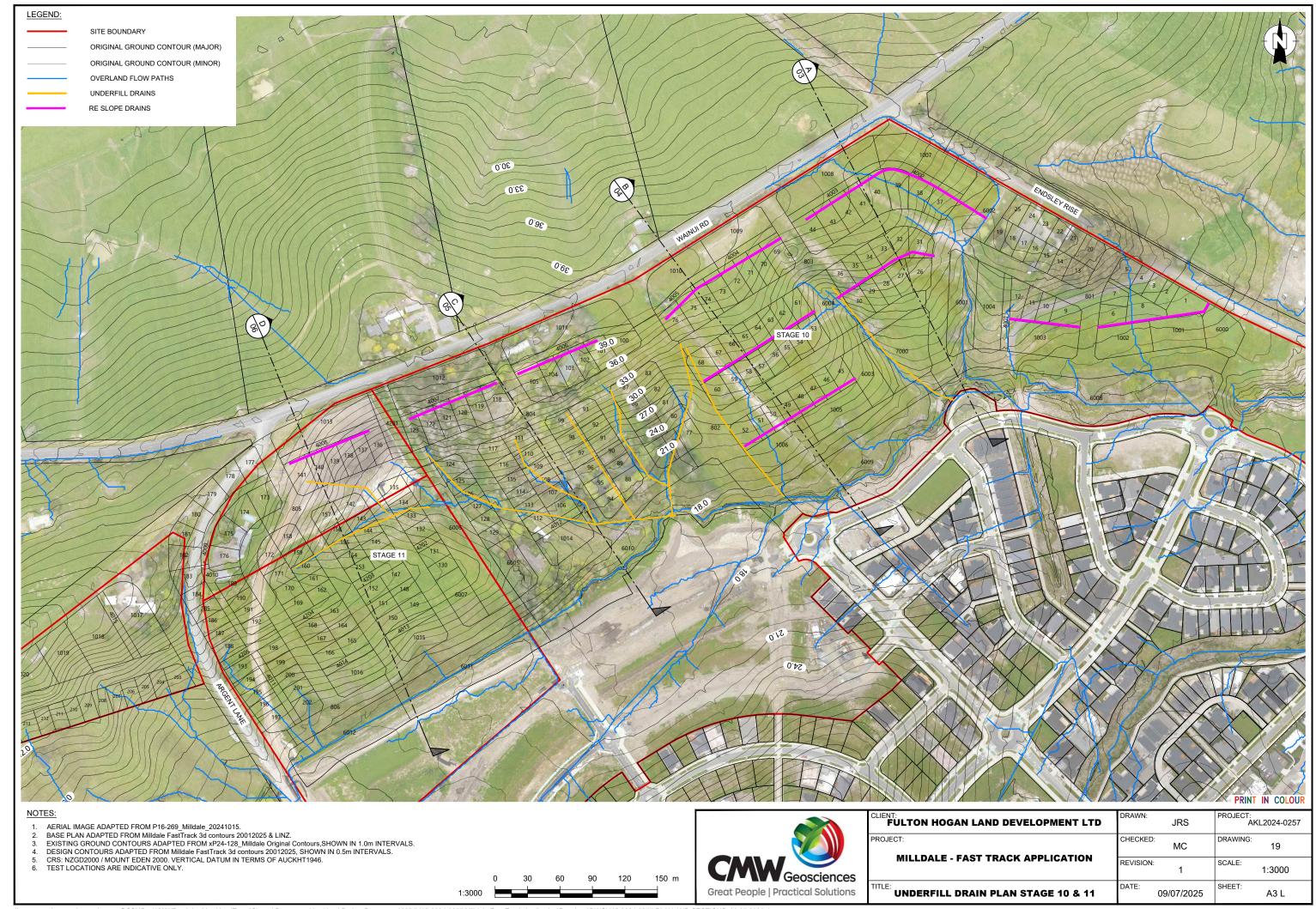


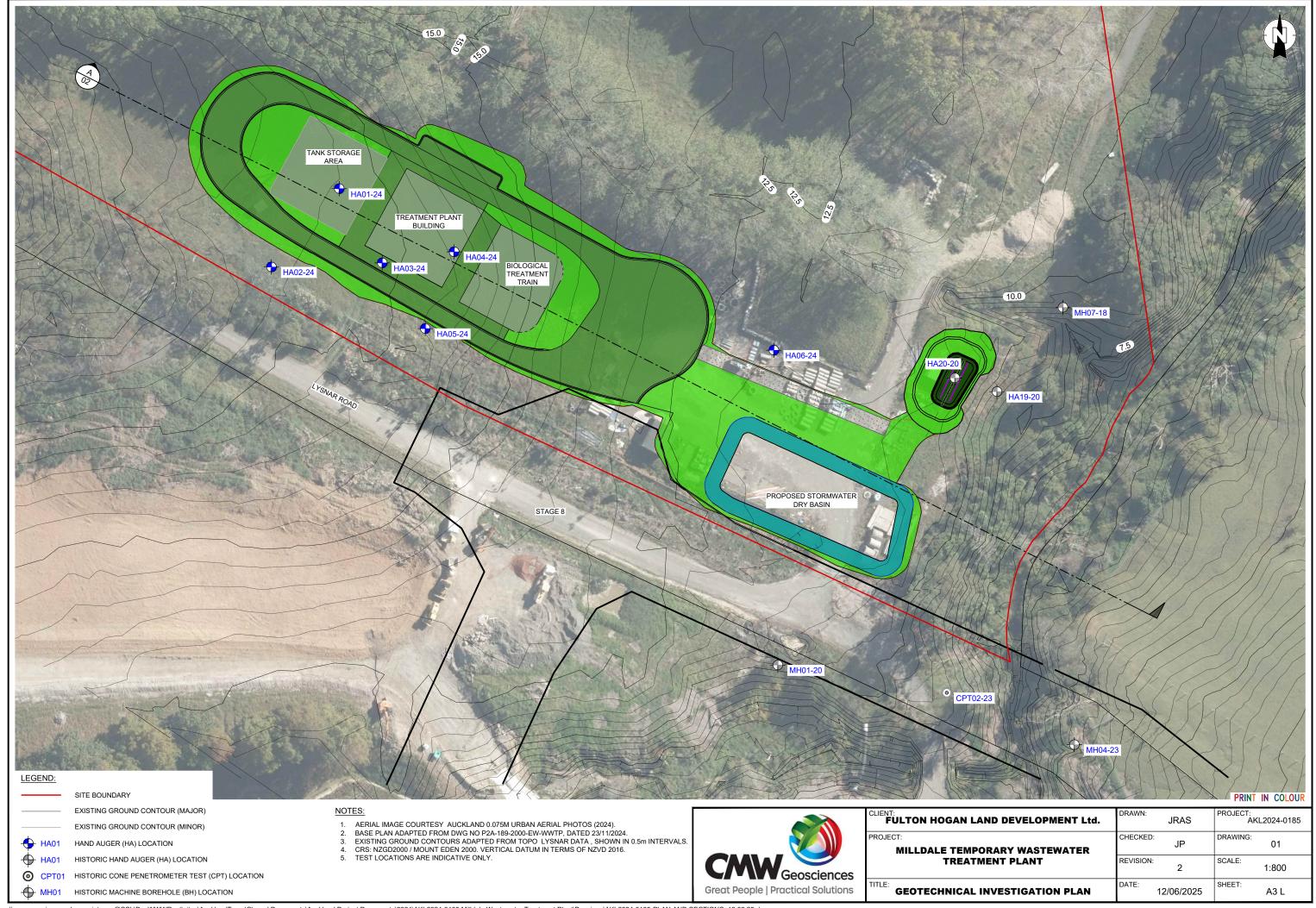


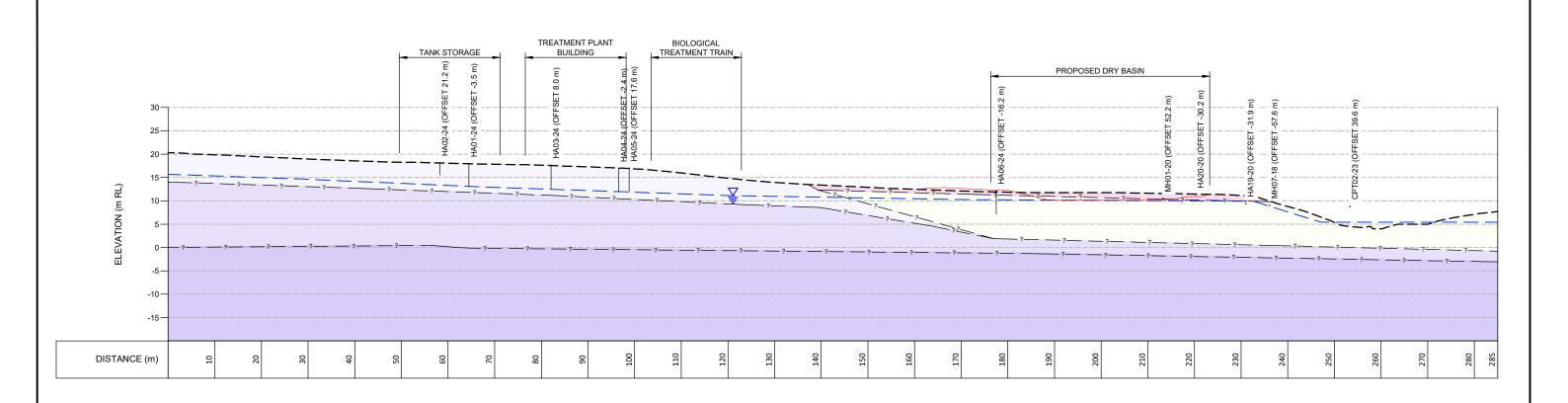
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APPENDIX B

Laboratory Test Results



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Job Number: 63282#L

BGL Registration Number: 2766

Checked by: JF

24th February 2025

DIRECT SHEAR (SHEAR BOX) TESTING

Dear Melissa,

Re: MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

Your Reference: AKL2024-0257

Report Number: 63282#L/SB Milldale FTA MH04-24 3.70 - 3.85m

Borehole No: MH04-24 Sample No: Sample 7 Depth: 3.70 - 3.85m

The following report presents the results of Direct Shear Testing at BGL of a rock core sample delivered to this laboratory on the 16th of January 2025. Test results are summarised in the following pages.

Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

Direct Shear Test of Soils

Under Consolidated Drained Conditions: ASTM D3080/3080M - 23

Three peak shear stress values were obtained from three separate samples taken from rock core sample. Each sample was subjected to a normal stress of either 100kPa, 200kPa or 400kPa when being sheared.

Direct Shear Test Procedure

The rock core sample for the first cycle was trimmed into the shear box ring in small increments, until the sample protruded from both sides of the ring. A scalpel and straight edge were then used to trim the sample flat in the ring. The sample was next set up in the shear box machine.

Once set up in the shear box, the first sample was consolidated to approximately 100kPa normal stress. The rate of shearing used was determined from an estimation of the time at faliure, and an estimation of the displacement distance at failure.



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The sample was then sheared at a set rate of 0.036mm/minute until a "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The sample for the second cycle was then prepared as in cycle 1 and set up in the shear box. This sample was consolidated to approximately 200kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.016mm/minute until the cycle 2 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

Finally, the sample for the third cycle was prepared and set up in the shear box as previously described. This sample was consolidated to approximately 400kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.016mm/minute until the cycle 3 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The three peak values are plotted on a graph of shear stress vs. normal stress on page 3.

Note that a solid density value of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for this test, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

Please note that the test results relate only to the sample as-received, and relate only to the sample under test.

Thank you for the opportunity to carry out this testing. If you have any queries regarding the content of this report please contact the person authorising this report below at your convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Wayne Campton
Key Technical Person
Laboratory Manager
Babbage Geotechnical Laboratory





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Job Number:	63282#L	Reg. Number:	27	'66
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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION PROJECT:

Version Number:	9 (circle)	Tested By:	WEC / JL / JF	February 2025
Version Date:	February 2025	Compiled By:	WEC	21/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	24/02/2025

Borehole Number:	MH04-24	Sample Number:	Sample 7	Depth:	3.70 - 3.85m
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Sample History / Preparation:

Rock core sample trimmed into 50mm diameter circular shear box ring in small increments.

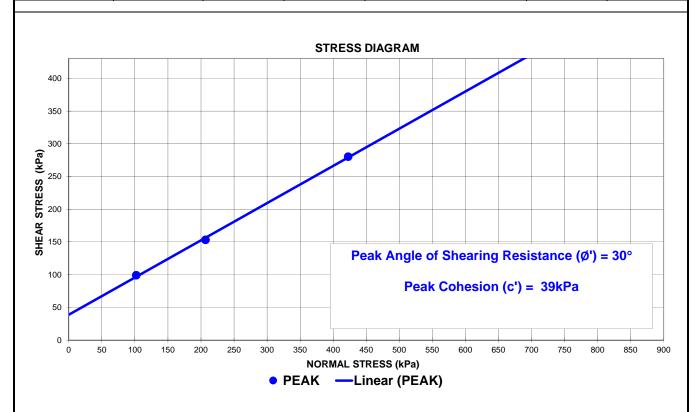
Sample Type:

block / push-tube / recompacted / rock core

Sample Description:

SILTSTONE, extremely weak, completely weathered, mottled light greenish grey, slightly moist.

(not IANZ endorsed)							
						Average Rate	
Initial Dry	Initial Moisture	Normal	Normal	PEAK	Displacement	of	
Density	Content	Stress	Displacement	Shear Stress	at Failure	Displacement	
(t/m³)	(%)	(kPa)	(mm)	(kPa)	(mm)	(mm/minute)	
,	,		R CYCLE 1 - FA	AILURE VALUES	, ,		
1.69	22.0	102.2	0.133	99.1	1.166	0.026	
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		SHEA	R CYCLE 2 - FA	MLURE VALUES			
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1.68	22.0	207.0	0.040	153.1	1.192	0.010	
	SHEAR CYCLE 3 - FAILURE VALUES						
1.75	18.4	422.8	0.137	280.2	2.012	0.010	





Report Number:	63282#L/SB Milldale FTA MH04-24 3.70 - 3.85m				
Job Number:	63282#L	Reg. Number:	27	'66	

MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

Version Number:	9 (circle)	Tested By:	WEC/JL/JF	February 2025
Version Date:	February 2025	Compiled By:	WEC	21/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	24/02/2025

Borehole Number:

MH04-24

Sample

Sample 7

Depth:

3.70 - 3.85m

SHEAR CYCLES

Solid Density of Soil Particles (assumed)	(t/m ³)
Initial Sample Thickness	(mm)
Initial Sample Diameter	(mm)
Thickness After Consolidation	(mm)
Height of Solids	(Hs)
Initial Water Content	(%)
Initial Bulk Density	(t/m ³)
Initial Dry Density	(t/m ³)
Dry Mass of sample	(g)
Initial Void Ratio	(e1)
Void Ratio after Consolidation	(e2)
Void Ratio after Shearing	(e3)

SHEAR CYCLES						
1	2	3				
2.65	2.65	2.65				
25.00	25.00	25.00				
50.42	50.42	50.42				
24.887	24.602	24.449				
15.926	15.832	16.530				
22.0	22.0	18.4				
2.06	2.05	2.08				
1.69	1.68	1.75				
84.263	83.766	87.463				
0.570	0.579	0.512				
0.563	0.554	0.479				
0.571	0.551	0.471				

Peak Cycles - Failure Values

Rate of Strain	(set)	(mm/minute)	0.036	0.016	0.016
Mean Rate of Strain at Failure	(actual)	(mm/minute)	0.026	0.010	0.010
Patio of Vertical Strain/	Horizontal Strai	n	0.114	0.033	0.068

0.133

Vertical Deformation at Failure (mm)

1.166	1.192	2.012
102.2	207.0	422.8
00.4	452.4	200.2

0.040

Horizontal Displacement (mm)

Normal Stress (kPa)

Peak Shear Stress (kPa)

Angle of Shearing Resistance - \emptyset ' Cohesion - c'

PEAK
30°
39 kPa



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Job Number: 63282#L

BGL Registration Number: 2766

Checked by: JF

26th February 2025

DIRECT SHEAR (SHEAR BOX) TESTING

Dear Melissa,

Re: MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

Your Reference: AKL2024-0257

Report Number: 63282#L/SB Milldale FTA MH04-24 10.75 - 10.90m

Borehole No: MH04-24 Sample No: Sample 8 Depth: 10.75 – 10.90m

The following report presents the results of Direct Shear Testing at BGL of a 60mm diameter rock core sample delivered to this laboratory on the 16th of January 2025. Test results are summarised in the following pages.

Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

Direct Shear Test of Soils

Under Consolidated Drained Conditions: ASTM D3080/3080M - 23

Three peak shear stress values were obtained from three separate samples taken from rock core sample. Each sample was subjected to a normal stress of either 100kPa, 200kPa or 400kPa when being sheared.

Direct Shear Test Procedure

The rock core sample for the first cycle was trimmed into the shear box ring in small increments, until the sample protruded from both sides of the ring. A scalpel and straight edge were then used to trim the sample flat in the ring. The sample was next set up in the shear box machine.

Once set up in the shear box, the first sample was consolidated to approximately 100kPa normal stress. The rate of shearing used was determined from an estimation of the time at faliure, and an estimation of the displacement distance at failure.



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The sample was then sheared at a set rate of 0.016mm/minute until a "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The sample for the second cycle was then prepared as in cycle 1 and set up in the shear box. This sample was consolidated to approximately 200kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.016mm/minute until the cycle 2 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

Finally, the sample for the third cycle was prepared and set up in the shear box as previously described. This sample was consolidated to approximately 400kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.016mm/minute until the cycle 3 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The three peak values are plotted on a graph of shear stress vs. normal stress on page 3.

Note that a solid density value of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for this test, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

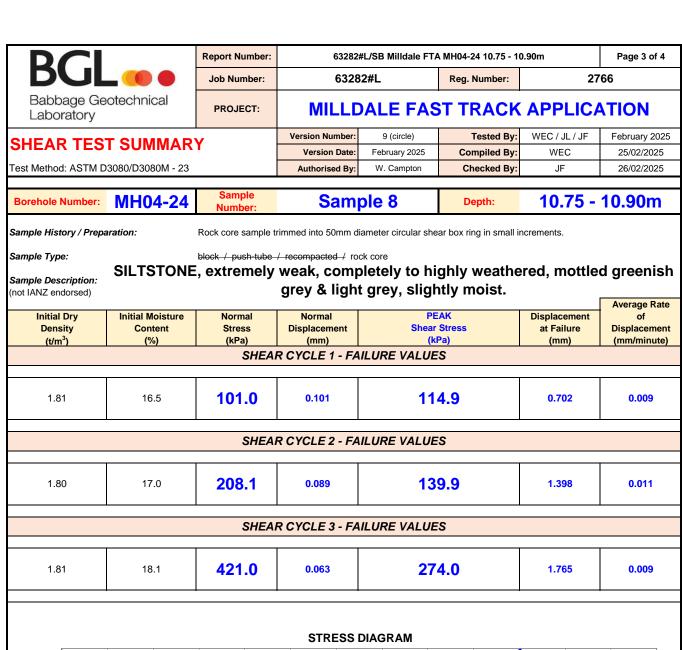
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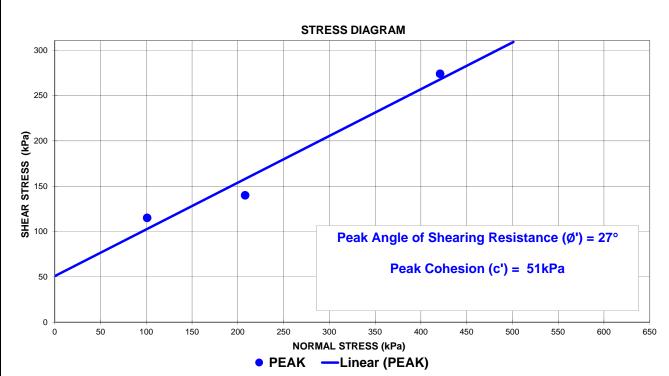
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Yours faithfully,

Wayne Campton
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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

Version Number:	9 (circle)	Tested By:	WEC / JL / JF	February 2025
Version Date:	February 2025	Compiled By:	WEC	25/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	26/02/2025

Borehole Number:

MH04-24

Sample

Sample 8

Depth:

10.75 - 10.90m

SHEAR CYCLES

Solid Density of Soil Particles (assumed)	(t/m ³)
Initial Sample Thickness	(mm)
Initial Sample Diameter	(mm)
Thickness After Consolidation	(mm)
Height of Solids	(Hs)
Initial Water Content	(%)
Initial Bulk Density	(t/m ³)
Initial Dry Density	(t/m ³)
Dry Mass of sample	(g)
Initial Void Ratio	(e1)
Void Ratio after Consolidation	(e2)
Void Ratio after Shearing	(e3)

SHEAR CYCLES						
2	3					
2.65	2.65					
25.00	25.00					
50.42	50.42					
24.605	24.700					
17.014	17.094					
17.0	18.1					
2.11	2.14					
1.80	1.81					
90.019	90.446					
0.469	0.462					
0.446	0.445					
0.441	0.441					
	2 2.65 25.00 50.42 24.605 17.014 17.0 2.11 1.80 90.019 0.469 0.446					

Peak Cycles - Failure Values

Rate of Strain	(set)	(mm/minute)	0.016	0.016	0.016
Mean Rate of Strain at Failure	(actual)	(mm/minute)	0.009	0.011	0.009
Ratio of Vertical Strain/F	Iorizontal Strai	n	0 144	0.063	0.036

0.101

(mm)

(kPa)

Horizontal Displacement (mm)

Normal Stress (kPa)

Peak Shear Stress

Vertical Deformation at Failure

0.702	1.398	1.765
101.0	208.1	421.0
114.9	139.9	274.0

0.089

0.063

Angle of Shearing Resistance - \emptyset ' Cohesion - c'

PEAK

E4 I-D-

51 kPa



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Job Number: 63282#L

BGL Registration Number: 2766

Checked by: JF

20th February 2025

MELISSA CAMPBELL Attention:

DIRECT SHEAR (SHEAR BOX) TESTING

Dear Melissa,

Re: MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

Your Reference: AKL2024-0257

Report Number: 63282#L/SB Milldale FTA MH05-24 10.25 - 10.50m

Borehole No: MH05-24 Sample No: Sample 6 Depth: 10.25 – 10.50m

The following report presents the results of Direct Shear Testing at BGL of a 60mm diameter rock core sample delivered to this laboratory on the 16th of January 2025. Test results are summarised in the following pages.

Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

Direct Shear Test of Soils

Under Consolidated Drained Conditions: ASTM D3080/3080M - 23

Three peak shear stress values were obtained from three separate samples taken from rock core sample. Each sample was subjected to a normal stress of either 100kPa, 200kPa or 400kPa when being sheared.

Direct Shear Test Procedure

The rock core sample for the first cycle was trimmed into the shear box ring in small increments, until the sample protruded from both sides of the ring. A scalpel and straight edge were then used to trim the sample flat in the ring. The sample was next set up in the shear box machine.

Once set up in the shear box, the first sample was consolidated to approximately 100kPa normal stress. The rate of shearing used was determined from an estimation of the time at faliure, and an estimation of the displacement distance at failure.



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The sample was then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until a "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The sample for the second cycle was then prepared as in cycle 1 and set up in the shear box. This sample was consolidated to approximately 200kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 2 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

Finally, the sample for the third cycle was prepared and set up in the shear box as previously described. This sample was consolidated to approximately 400kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 3 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The three peak values are plotted on a graph of shear stress vs. normal stress on page 3.

Note that a solid density value of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for this test, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

Please note that the test results relate only to the sample as-received, and relate only to the sample under test.

Thank you for the opportunity to carry out this testing. If you have any queries regarding the content of this report please contact the person authorising this report below at your convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Wayne Campton
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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

Version Number:	9 (circle)	Tested By:	WEC/JL/JF	February 2025
Version Date:	February 2025	Compiled By:	WEC	20/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	20/02/2025

Borehole Number:	MH05-24	Sample Number:	Sample 6	Depth:	10.25 - 10.50m
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Sample History / Preparation:

Rock core sample trimmed into 60mm diameter circular shear box ring in small increments.

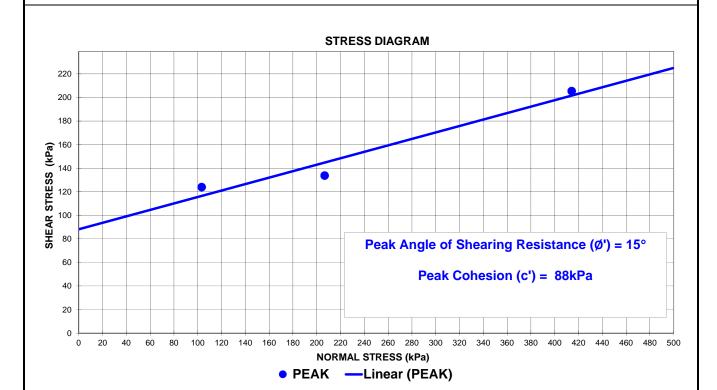
Sample Type:

block / push-tube / recompacted / rock core

Sample Description:

SILTSTONE, completely to highly weathered, extremely weak (very stiff to hard clay), light greenish grey with reddish veins & streaks, slightly moist.

(not IANZ endorsed) Clay), light greenish grey with reddish verifs & streaks, slightly inoist.						
						Average Rate
Initial Dry	Initial Moisture	Normal	Normal	PEAK	Displacement	of
Density	Content	Stress	Displacement	Shear Stress	at Failure	Displacement
(t/m ³)	(%)	(kPa)	(mm)	(kPa)	(mm)	(mm/minute)
		SHEA	R CYCLE 1 - FA	ILURE VALUES		
2.00	12.3	103.3	0.154	123.9	1.228	0.014
		SHEA	R CYCLE 2 - FA	ILURE VALUES		
	1	Т	1			Г
1.99	13.0	206.7	0.010	133.7	1.432	0.015
SHEAR CYCLE 3 - FAILURE VALUES						
1.97	15.0	414.4	0.105	205.3	1.633	0.013





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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

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Version Number:	9 (circle)	Tested By:	WEC / JL / JF	February 2025
Version Date:	February 2025	Compiled By:	WEC	20/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	20/02/2025

Borehole Number:

MH05-24

Sample

Sample 6

Depth:

10.25 - 10.50m

CHEAD CVCI EC

Solid Density of Soil Particles (assumed)	(t/m ³)
Initial Sample Thickness	(mm)
Initial Sample Diameter	(mm)
Thickness After Consolidation	(mm)
Height of Solids	(Hs)
Initial Water Content	(%)
Initial Bulk Density	(t/m ³)
Initial Dry Density	(t/m ³)
Dry Mass of sample	(g)
Initial Void Ratio	(e1)
Void Ratio after Consolidation	(e2)
Void Ratio after Shearing	(e3)

SHEAR CYCLES					
1	2	3			
2.65	2.65	2.65			
25.00	25.00	25.00			
59.98	59.98	59.98			
25.048	25.072	24.967			
18.897	18.753	18.551			
12.3	13.0	15.0			
2.25	2.25	2.26			
2.00	1.99	1.97			
141.498	140.418	138.908			
0.323	0.333	0.348			
0.325	0.337	0.346			
0.334	0.336	0.340			

133.7

Peak Cycles - Failure Values

Rate of Strain	(set)	(mm/minute)	0.024	0.024	0.024
	,	,			
Mean Rate of Strain at Failure	(actual)	(mm/minute)	0.014	0.015	0.013
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Ratio of Vertical Strain/Hor	rizontal Strain		0.125	0.007	0.065
Vertical Deformat	tion at Failure	(mm)	0.154	0.010	0.105
Horizontal I	Displacement	(mm)	1.228	1.432	1.633
	Jormal Stress	(kPa)	103.3	206.7	414.4

(kPa)

123.9

Angle of Shearing Resistance - \varnothing '

Peak Shear Stress

Cohesion - c'

PEAK

15°

205.3

88 kPa



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Job Number: 63282#L

BGL Registration Number: 2766

Checked by: JF

17th February 2025

MELISSA CAMPBELL Attention:

DIRECT SHEAR (SHEAR BOX) TESTING

Dear Melissa,

Re: MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

Your Reference: AKL2024-0257

Report Number: 63282#L/SB Milldale FTA MH10-24 6.45 - 6.70m

Borehole No: MH10-24 Sample No: Sample 5 Depth: 6.45 – 6.70m

The following report presents the results of Direct Shear Testing at BGL of a 60mm diameter rock core sample delivered to this laboratory on the 16th of January 2025. Test results are summarised in the following pages.

Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

Direct Shear Test of Soils

Under Consolidated Drained Conditions: ASTM D3080/3080M - 23

Three peak shear stress values were obtained from three separate samples taken from rock core sample. Each sample was subjected to a normal stress of either 100kPa, 200kPa or 400kPa when being sheared.

Direct Shear Test Procedure

The rock core sample for the first cycle was trimmed into the shear box ring in small increments, until the sample protruded from both sides of the ring. A scalpel and straight edge were then used to trim the sample flat in the ring. The sample was next set up in the shear box machine.

Once set up in the shear box, the first sample was consolidated to approximately 100kPa normal stress. The rate of shearing used was determined from an estimation of the time at faliure, and an estimation of the displacement distance at failure.



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The sample was then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until a "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The sample for the second cycle was then prepared as in cycle 1 and set up in the shear box. This sample was consolidated to approximately 200kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 2 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

Finally, the sample for the third cycle was prepared and set up in the shear box as previously described. This sample was consolidated to approximately 400kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 3 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The three peak values are plotted on a graph of shear stress vs. normal stress on page 3.

Note that a solid density value of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for this test, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

Version Number:	9 (circle)	Tested By:	WEC / JL / JF	February 2025
Version Date:	February 2025	Compiled By:	WEC	17/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	17/02/2025

Borehole Number:	MH10-24	Sample Number:	Sample 5	Depth:	6.45 - 6.70m
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Sample History / Preparation:

Rock core sample trimmed into 60mm diameter circular shear box ring in small increments.

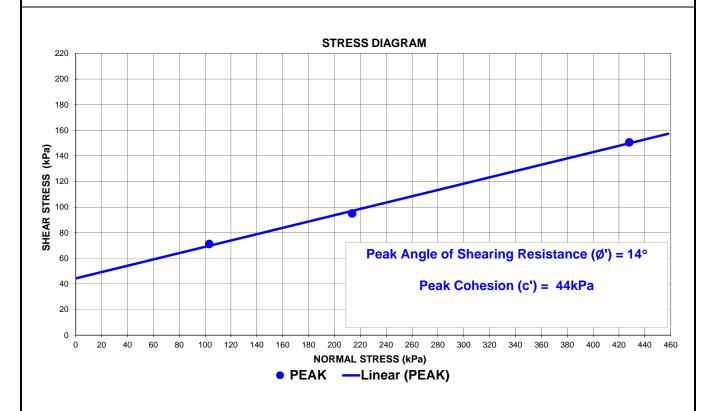
Sample Type:

block / push-tube / recompacted / rock core

Sample Description:

SILTSTONE, extremely weak, completely to highly weathered, grey, occasional well cemented fragments of siltstone.

(not IANZ endorsed) Well Certificitied Tragification of Sittstoffe.						
						Average Rate
Initial Dry	Initial Moisture	Normal	Normal	PEAK	Displacement	of
Density	Content	Stress	Displacement	Shear Stress	at Failure	Displacement
(t/m³)	(%)	(kPa)	(mm)	(kPa)	(mm)	(mm/minute)
, ,	. ,	SHEA	R CYCLE 1 - FA	ILURE VALUES		,
		<u> </u>			<u> </u>	
1.66	22.8	103.3	0.028	71.1	1.189	0.017
						l
		SHEA	R CYCLE 2 - FA	AILURE VALUES		
	1	<u> </u>			<u> </u>	
1.68	22.1	213.7	0.159	95.0	2.931	0.021
SHEAR CYCLE 3 - FAILURE VALUES						
1.66	23.0	428.0	0.299	150.5	3.081	0.019





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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

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Version Number:	9 (circle)	Tested By:	WEC/JL/JF	February 2025
Version Date:	February 2025	Compiled By:	WEC	17/02/2025
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Borehole Number:

MH10-24

Sample

Sample 5

Depth:

6.45 - 6.70m

SHEAR CYCLES

Solid Density of Soil Particles (assumed)	(t/m ³)
Initial Sample Thickness	(mm)
Initial Sample Diameter	(mm)
Thickness After Consolidation	(mm)
Height of Solids	(Hs)
Initial Water Content	(%)
Initial Bulk Density	(t/m ³)
Initial Dry Density	(t/m ³)
Dry Mass of sample	(g)
Initial Void Ratio	(e1)
Void Ratio after Consolidation	(e2)
Void Ratio after Shearing	(e3)

SHEAR CICLES					
1	2	3			
2.65	2.65	2.65			
25.00	25.00	25.00			
59.98	59.98	59.98			
25.050	24.912	24.639			
15.688	15.851	15.647			
22.8	22.1	23.0			
2.04	2.05	2.04			
1.66	1.68	1.66			
117.470	118.690	117.162			
0.594	0.577	0.598			
0.597	0.572	0.575			
0.595	0.562	0.556			

Peak Cycles - Failure Values

Rate of Strain	(set)	(mm/minute)	0.024	0.024	0.024
Mean Rate of Strain at Failure	(actual)	(mm/minute)	0.017	0.021	0.019

Ratio of Vertical Strain/Horizontal Strain Vertical Deformation at Failure (mm)

0.023	0.054	0.097
0.028	0.159	0.299

Horizontal Displacement (mm) Normal Stress (kPa) **Peak Shear Stress** (kPa)

1.189	2.931	3.081
103.3	213.7	428.0
71.1	95.0	150.5

Angle of Shearing Resistance - \varnothing ' Cohesion - c'

PEAK 14°

44 kPa



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Job Number: 63282#L

BGL Registration Number: 2766

Checked by: JF

17th February 2025

MELISSA CAMPBELL Attention:

DIRECT SHEAR (SHEAR BOX) TESTING

Dear Melissa,

Re: MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

Your Reference: AKL2024-0257

Report Number: 63282#L/SB Milldale FTA MH11-24 5.40 - 5.65m

Borehole No: MH11-24 Sample No: Sample 4 Depth: 5.40 - 5.65m

The following report presents the results of Direct Shear Testing at BGL of a 60mm diameter rock core sample delivered to this laboratory on the 16th of January 2025. Test results are summarised in the following pages.

Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

Direct Shear Test of Soils

Under Consolidated Drained Conditions: ASTM D3080/3080M - 23

Three peak shear stress values were obtained from three separate samples taken from rock core sample. Each sample was subjected to a normal stress of either 100kPa, 200kPa or 400kPa when being sheared.

Direct Shear Test Procedure

The rock core sample for the first cycle was trimmed into the shear box ring in small increments, until the sample protruded from both sides of the ring. A scalpel and straight edge were then used to trim the sample flat in the ring. The sample was next set up in the shear box machine.

Once set up in the shear box, the first sample was consolidated to approximately 100kPa normal stress. The rate of shearing used was determined from an estimation of the time at faliure, and an estimation of the displacement distance at failure.



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The sample was then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until a "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The sample for the second cycle was then prepared as in cycle 1 and set up in the shear box. This sample was consolidated to approximately 200kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 2 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

Finally, the sample for the third cycle was prepared and set up in the shear box as previously described. This sample was consolidated to approximately 400kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 3 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The three peak values are plotted on a graph of shear stress vs. normal stress on page 3.

Note that a solid density value of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for this test, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

Please note that the test results relate only to the sample as-received, and relate only to the sample under test.

Thank you for the opportunity to carry out this testing. If you have any queries regarding the content of this report please contact the person authorising this report below at your convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Wayne Campton
Key Technical Person
Laboratory Manager
Babbage Geotechnical Laboratory





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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

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Version Date:	February 2025	Compiled By:	WEC	14/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	17/02/2025

5.40 - 5.65m Sample 4 **Borehole Number:** MH11-24 Depth: Number:

Sample History / Preparation:

Rock core sample trimmed into 60mm diameter circular shear box ring in small increments.

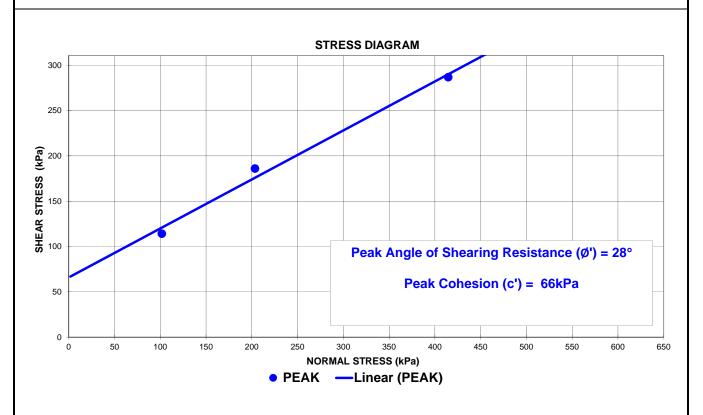
Sample Type:

block / push-tube / recompacted / rock core

Sample Description: (not IANZ endorsed)

SILTSTONE, extremely weak, completely to highly weathered, greenish grey, slightly moist to dry.

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Average R				Average Rate	
Initial Moisture	Normal	Normal	PEAK	Displacement	of
Content	Stress	Displacement	Shear Stress	at Failure	Displacement
(%)	(kPa)	(mm)	(kPa)	(mm)	(mm/minute)
	SHEA	R CYCLE 1 - FA	ILURE VALUES		
		1		T	T
24.7	101.8	0.061	114.1	0.534	0.010
SHEAR CYCLE 2 - FAILURE VALUES					
24.4	203.6	0.047	186.0	0.725	0.009
SHEAR CYCLE 3 - FAILURE VALUES					
24.0	414.7	0.059	286.8	1.668	0.011
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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

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Version Date:	February 2025	Compiled By:	WEC	14/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	17/02/2025

Borehole Number:

MH11-24

Sample

Sample 4

Depth:

5.40 - 5.65m

SHEAR CYCLES

Solid Density of Soil Particles (assumed)	(t/m ³)
Initial Sample Thickness	(mm)
Initial Sample Diameter	(mm)
Thickness After Consolidation	(mm)
Height of Solids	(Hs)
Initial Water Content	(%)
Initial Bulk Density	(t/m ³)
Initial Dry Density	(t/m ³)
Dry Mass of sample	(g)
Initial Void Ratio	(e1)
Void Ratio after Consolidation	(e2)
Void Ratio after Shearing	(e3)

SHEAR CICLES				
1	2	3		
2.65	2.65	2.65		
25.00	25.00	25.00		
59.98	59.98	59.98		
25.161	24.842	24.953		
13.703	14.223	14.068		
24.7	24.4	24.0		
1.81	1.88	1.85		
1.45	1.51	1.49		
102.606	106.496	105.334		
0.824	0.758	0.777		
0.836	0.747	0.774		
0.841	0.750	0.770		

Peak Cycles - Failure Values

Rate of Strain	(set)	(mm/minute)	0.024	0.024	0.024
Mean Rate of Strain at Failure	(actual)	(mm/minute)	0.010	0.009	0.011

Ratio of Vertical Strain/Horizontal Strain Vertical Deformation at Failure (mm)

0.115	0.065	0.035
0.061	0.047	0.059

Horizontal Displacement (mm) Normal Stress (kPa) **Peak Shear Stress** (kPa)

0.534	0.725	1.668
101.8	203.6	414.7
114.1	186.0	286.8

Angle of Shearing Resistance - \varnothing ' Cohesion - c'

PEAK 28°

66 kPa



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Job Number: 63282#L

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Checked by: JF

13th February 2025

MELISSA CAMPBELL Attention:

DIRECT SHEAR (SHEAR BOX) TESTING

Dear Melissa.

Re: MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

Your Reference: AKL2024-0257

Report Number: 63282#L/SB Milldale FTA MH13-24 11.80 - 12.00m

Borehole No: MH13-24 Sample No: Sample 3 Depth: 11.80 – 12.00m

The following report presents the results of Direct Shear Testing at BGL of a 60mm diameter rock core sample delivered to this laboratory on the 16th of January 2025. Test results are summarised in the following pages.

Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

Direct Shear Test of Soils

Under Consolidated Drained Conditions: ASTM D3080/3080M - 23

Three peak shear stress values were obtained from three separate samples taken from rock core sample. Each sample was subjected to a normal stress of either 100kPa, 200kPa or 400kPa when being sheared.

Direct Shear Test Procedure

The rock core sample for the first cycle was trimmed into the shear box ring in small increments, until the sample protruded from both sides of the ring. A scalpel and straight edge were then used to trim the sample flat in the ring. The sample was next set up in the shear box machine.

Once set up in the shear box, the first sample was consolidated to approximately 100kPa normal stress. The rate of shearing to use was determined from the equation: $t_f = 50t_{50}$ (where t_f = the total estimated elapsed time to failure in minutes and t_{50} = the time required in minutes for the sample to achieve 50% consolidation under the normal stress), and an estimation of the displacement distance to failure in mm. The sample was then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until a "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.



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The sample for the second cycle was then prepared as in cycle 1 and set up in the shear box. This sample was consolidated to approximately 200kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 2 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

Finally, the sample for the third cycle was prepared and set up in the shear box as previously described. This sample was consolidated to approximately 400kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 3 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The three peak values are plotted on a graph of shear stress vs. normal stress on page 3.

Note that a solid density value of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for this test, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

Please note that the test results relate only to the sample as-received, and relate only to the sample under test.

Thank you for the opportunity to carry out this testing. If you have any queries regarding the content of this report please contact the person authorising this report below at your convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Wayne Campton
Key Technical Person
Laboratory Manager
Babbage Geotechnical Laboratory





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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

Version Number:	9 (circle)	Tested By:	WEC / JL	February 2025
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Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	13/02/2025

Borehole Number: MH13-24 Sample Sample 3 Depth: 11.80 - 12.00m

Sample History / Preparation:

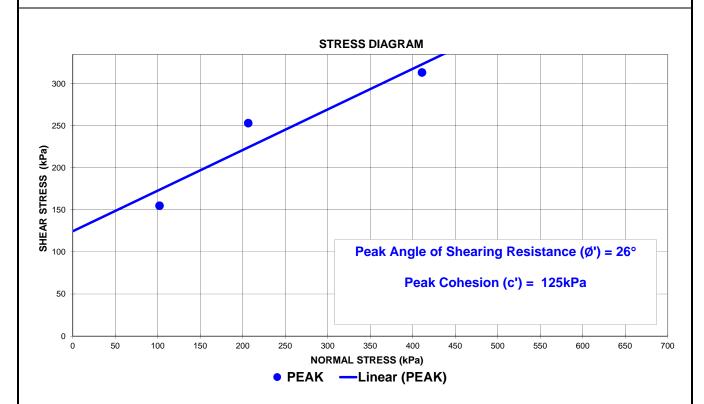
Rock core sample trimmed into 60mm diameter circular shear box ring in small increments.

Sample Type:

block / push-tube / recompacted / rock core

Sample Description: (not IANZ endorsed) SILTSTONE, extremely weak, highly weathered, grey, highly shattered & sheared, numerous hard lumps, dry.

(not lanz endoised)						
					Average Rate	
Initial Moisture	Normal	Normal	PEAK	Displacement	of	
Content	Stress	Displacement	Shear Stress	at Failure	Displacement	
(%)	(kPa)	(mm)	(kPa)	(mm)	(mm/minute)	
	SHEAL	R CYCLE 1 - FA	ILURE VALUES			
T		1			T	
21.6	102.2	0.290	154.9	0.696	0.009	
	SHEAL	R CYCLE 2 - FA	ILURE VALUES			
22.9	206.6	0.271	253.0	1.393	0.011	
		_	<u> </u>		_	
	SHEAL	R CYCLE 3 - FA	ILURE VALUES			
25.1	411.0	0.036	313.2	1.255	0.009	
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MH13-24

Sample

Sample 3

Depth:

11.80 - 12.00m

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(t/m ³)
(mm)
(mm)
(mm)
(Hs)
(%)
(t/m ³)
(t/m ³)
(g)
(e1)
(e2)
(e3)

SHEAR CYCLES					
1	2	3			
2.65	2.65	2.65			
25.00	25.00	25.00			
59.98	59.98	59.98			
25.221	24.969	24.954			
15.072	14.994	14.386			
21.6	22.9	25.1			
1.94	1.95	1.91			
1.60	1.59	1.52			
112.854	112.268	107.715			
0.659	0.667	0.738			
0.673	0.665	0.735			
0.693	0.683	0.737			

Peak Cycles - Failure Values

al) (mm/mii	inute)	0.009	0.011	0.009
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Ratio of Vertical Strain/Horizontal Strain Vertical Deformation at Failure

	0.416	0.195	0.029
(mm)	0.290	0.271	0.036

Horizontal Displacement (mm) Normal Stress (kPa) **Peak Shear Stress** (kPa)

0.696	1.393	1.255
102.2	206.6	411.0
154.9	253.0	313.2

Angle of Shearing Resistance - \varnothing ' Cohesion - c'

PEAK 26°

125 kPa



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BGL Registration Number: 2766 Checked by: JF

12th February 2025 **MELISSA CAMPBELL** Attention:

DIRECT SHEAR (SHEAR BOX) TESTING

Dear Melissa,

Re: MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

Your Reference: AKL2024-0257

Report Number: 63282#L/SB Milldale FTA MH13-24 14.60 - 14.85m

Borehole No: MH13-24 Sample No: Sample 2 Depth: 14.60 – 14.85m

The following report presents the results of Direct Shear Testing at BGL of a 60mm diameter rock core sample delivered to this laboratory on the 16th of January 2025. Test results are summarised in the following pages.

Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

Direct Shear Test of Soils

Under Consolidated Drained Conditions: ASTM D3080/3080M - 23

Three peak shear stress values were obtained from three separate samples taken from rock core sample. Each sample was subjected to a normal stress of either 100kPa, 200kPa or 400kPa when being sheared.

Direct Shear Test Procedure

The rock core sample for the first cycle was trimmed into the shear box ring in small increments, until the sample protruded from both sides of the ring. A scalpel and straight edge were then used to trim the sample flat in the ring. The sample was next set up in the shear box machine.

Once set up in the shear box, the first sample was consolidated to approximately 100kPa normal stress. The rate of shearing to use was determined from the equation: $t_f = 50t_{50}$ (where t_f = the total estimated elapsed time to failure in minutes and t_{50} = the time required in minutes for the sample to achieve 50% consolidation under the normal stress), and an estimation of the displacement distance to failure in mm. The sample was then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until a "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.



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The sample for the second cycle was then prepared as in cycle 1 and set up in the shear box. This sample was consolidated to approximately 200kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 2 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

Finally, the sample for the third cycle was prepared and set up in the shear box as previously described. This sample was consolidated to approximately 400kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 3 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The three peak values are plotted on a graph of shear stress vs. normal stress on page 3.

Note that a solid density value of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for this test, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

Please note that the test results relate only to the sample as-received, and relate only to the sample under test.

Thank you for the opportunity to carry out this testing. If you have any queries regarding the content of this report please contact the person authorising this report below at your convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Wayne Campton
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Laboratory Manager
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Number:

MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

Borehole Number: MH13-24

Version Number:	8	Tested By:	WEC / JL	February 2025
Version Date:	September 2024	Compiled By:	WEC	12/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	12/02/2025

Depth:

14.60 - 14.85m

Sample History / Preparation:

Rock core sample trimmed into 60mm diameter circular shear box ring in small increments.

Sample 2

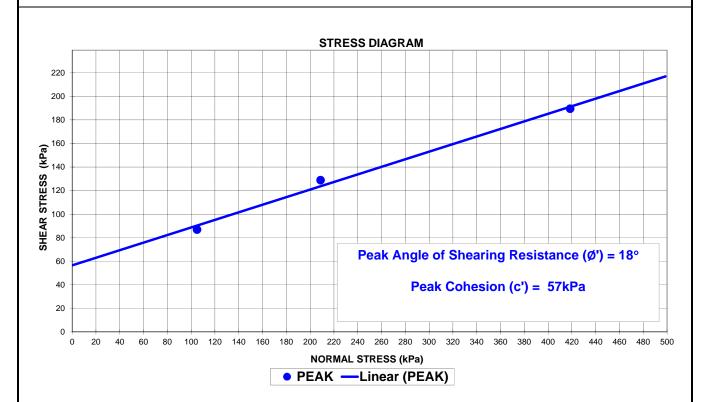
Sample Type:

block / push-tube / recompacted / rock core

Sample Description:

SILTSTONE, extremely weak, highly weathered, grey, highly shattered & sheared, softer patches.

(not IANZ endorsed)			Sileare	u, sonter pateries.		
						Average Rate
Initial Dry	Initial Moisture	Normal	Normal	PEAK	Displacement	of
Density	Content	Stress	Displacement	Shear Stress	at Failure	Displacement
(t/m³)	(%)	(kPa)	(mm)	(kPa)	(mm)	(mm/minute)
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1.51	27.0	105.0	0.031	86.8	1.938	0.019
		SHEA	R CYCLE 2 - FA	ILURE VALUES		
		T			T	T
1.57	25.3	208.8	0.081	128.8	1.878	0.017
SHEAR CYCLE 3 - FAILURE VALUES						
	1	T	T		T	T
1.59	23.5	418.6	0.119	189.4	2.088	0.015





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MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

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Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

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Borehole Number:

MH13-24

Sample

Sample 2

Depth:

14.60 - 14.85m

SHEAR CYCLES

Solid Density of Soil Particles (assumed)	(t/m ³)
Initial Sample Thickness	(mm)
Initial Sample Diameter	(mm)
Thickness After Consolidation	(mm)
Height of Solids	(Hs)
Initial Water Content	(%)
Initial Bulk Density	(t/m ³)
Initial Dry Density	(t/m ³)
Dry Mass of sample	(g)
Initial Void Ratio	(e1)
Void Ratio after Consolidation	(e2)
Void Ratio after Shearing	(e3)

SHEAR CYCLES					
1	2	3			
2.65	2.65	2.65			
25.00	25.00	25.00			
59.98	59.98	59.98			
24.793	25.024	24.615			
14.286	14.854	15.029			
27.0	25.3	23.5			
1.92	1.97	1.97			
1.51	1.57	1.59			
106.966	111.221	112.534			
0.750	0.683	0.663			
0.736	0.685	0.638			
0.733	0.679	0.630			

Peak Cycles - Failure Values

Rate of Strain	(set)	(mm/minute)	0.024	0.024	0.024
Mean Rate of Strain at Failure	(actual)	(mm/minute)	0.019	0.017	0.015

Ratio of Vertical Strain/Horizontal Strain

Vertical Deformation at Failure (mm)

0.016	0.043	0.057
0.031	0.081	0.119

Horizontal Displacement (mm)

Normal Stress (kPa)

Peak Shear Stress (kPa)

1.938	1.878	2.088
105.0	208.8	418.6
86.8	128.8	189.4

Angle of Shearing Resistance - \emptyset '
Cohesion - c'

PEAK

18°

57 kPa



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Checked by: JF

7th February 2025

DIRECT SHEAR (SHEAR BOX) TESTING

Dear Melissa,

Re: MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

Your Reference: AKL2024-0257

Report Number: 63282#L/SB Milldale FTA MH14-24 14.10 - 14.30m

Borehole No: MH14-24 Sample No: Sample 1 Depth: 14.10 – 14.30m

The following report presents the results of Direct Shear Testing at BGL of a 60mm diameter rock core sample delivered to this laboratory on the 16th of January 2025. Test results are summarised in the following pages.

Test standards used were:

Water Content: NZS4402: 1986: Test 2.1

Direct Shear Test of Soils

Under Consolidated Drained Conditions: ASTM D3080/3080M - 23

Three peak shear stress values were obtained from three separate samples taken from rock core sample. Each sample was subjected to a normal stress of either 100kPa, 200kPa or 400kPa when being sheared.

Direct Shear Test Procedure

The rock core sample for the first cycle was trimmed into the shear box ring in small increments, until the sample protruded from both sides of the ring. A scalpel and straight edge were then used to trim the sample flat in the ring. The sample was next set up in the shear box machine.

Once set up in the shear box, the first sample was consolidated to approximately 100kPa normal stress. The rate of shearing to use was determined from the equation: $t_f = 50t_{50}$ (where t_f = the total estimated elapsed time to failure in minutes and t_{50} = the time required in minutes for the sample to achieve 50% consolidation under the normal stress), and an estimation of the displacement distance to failure in mm. The sample was then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until a "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.



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The sample for the second cycle was then prepared as in cycle 1 and set up in the shear box. This sample was consolidated to approximately 200kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 2 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

Finally, the sample for the third cycle was prepared and set up in the shear box as previously described. This sample was consolidated to approximately 400kPa normal stress and then sheared at a set rate of 0.024mm/minute until the cycle 3 "peak shear stress" value was obtained. Once complete, the sample was dried out in a soils drying oven to determine the water content.

The three peak values are plotted on a graph of shear stress vs. normal stress on page 3.

Note that a solid density value of 2.65t/m³ was assumed for this test, and is not part of the IANZ endorsement for this report.

Please note that the test results relate only to the sample as-received, and relate only to the sample under test.

Thank you for the opportunity to carry out this testing. If you have any queries regarding the content of this report please contact the person authorising this report below at your convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Wayne Campton
Key Technical Person
Laboratory Manager
Babbage Geotechnical Laboratory



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PROJECT:

MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

SHEAR TEST SUMMARY

Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

Version Number:	8	Tested By:	WEC	February 2025
Version Date:	September 2024	Compiled By:	JF	7/02/2025
Authorised By:	W. Campton	Checked By:	JF	7/02/2025

Borehole Number: MH14-24 Sample Number: Sample 1 Depth: 14.10 - 14.30m

Sample History / Preparation:

Rock core sample trimmed into 60mm diameter circular shear box ring in small increments.

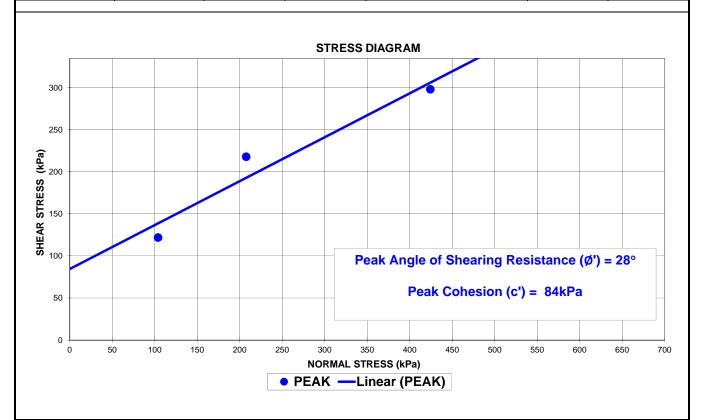
Sample Type:

block / push-tube / recompacted / rock core

Sample Description:

SILTSTONE, extremely weak, highly to completely weathered, light greenish grey, highly sheared & shattered, slightly moist.

Initial Dry Density (v/m³) Initial Moisture Content (%) Stress (kPa) Initial Moisture (was been stress (kPa) Initial Moisture	(not IAN∠ endorsed)	dorsed) grey, mgmy sneared & snattered, sngmy moist.					
Density (t/m³) Content (%) Stress (kPa) Displacement (mm) Shear Stress (kPa) at Failure (mm) Displacement (mm) SHEAR CYCLE 1 - FAILURE VALUES 1.85							Average Rate
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SHEAR CYCLE 1 - FAILURE VALUES 1.85 14.1 103.9 0.115 121.9 1.597 0 SHEAR CYCLE 2 - FAILURE VALUES 1.83 16.2 207.7 0.031 217.8 1.632 0 SHEAR CYCLE 3 - FAILURE VALUES		(%)	(kPa)	•	(kPa)	(mm)	(mm/minute)
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PROJECT:

MILLDALE FAST TRACK APPLICATION

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Test Method: ASTM D3080/D3080M - 23

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Sample Number:

Sample 1

Depth:

14.10 - 14.30m

SHEAR CYCLES

(t/m ³)
(mm)
(mm)
(mm)
(Hs)
(%)
(t/m ³)
(t/m ³)
(g)
(e1)
(e2)
(e3)

SHEAR CYCLES					
1	2	3			
2.65	2.65	2.65			
25.00	25.00	25.00			
60.05	59.98	59.98			
24.984	25.038	24.779			
17.431	17.234	17.659			
14.1	16.2	15.4			
2.11	2.12	2.16			
1.85	1.83	1.87			
130.824	129.044	132.227			
0.434	0.451	0.416			
0.433	0.453	0.403			
0.440	0.455	0.396			

217.8

Peak Cycles - Failure Values

Rate of Strain (se	t)	(mm/minute)	0.024	0.024	0.024
Mean Rate of Strain at Failure (actu	ıal)	(mm/minute)	0.016	0.013	0.014
Ratio of Vertical Strain/Horizonta	al Strain		0.072	0.019	0.046
Vertical Deformation a	t Failure	(mm)	0.115	0.031	0.126
Horizontal Displa	acement	(mm)	1.597	1.632	2.707
Norma	l Stress	(kPa)	103.9	207.7	424.4

(kPa)

121.9

Angle of Shearing Resistance - Ø'

Peak Shear Stress

Cohesion - c'

PEAK

297.9

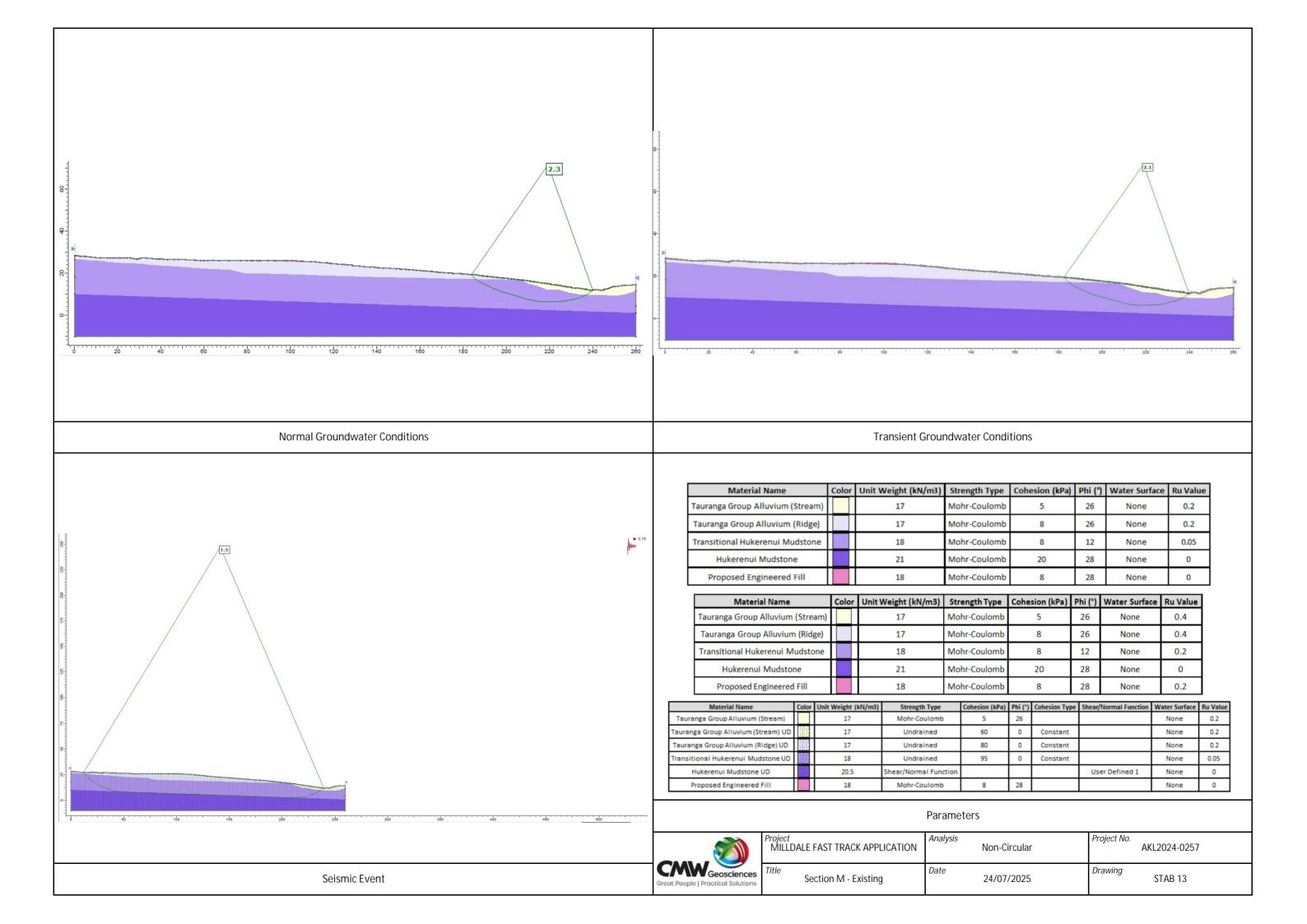
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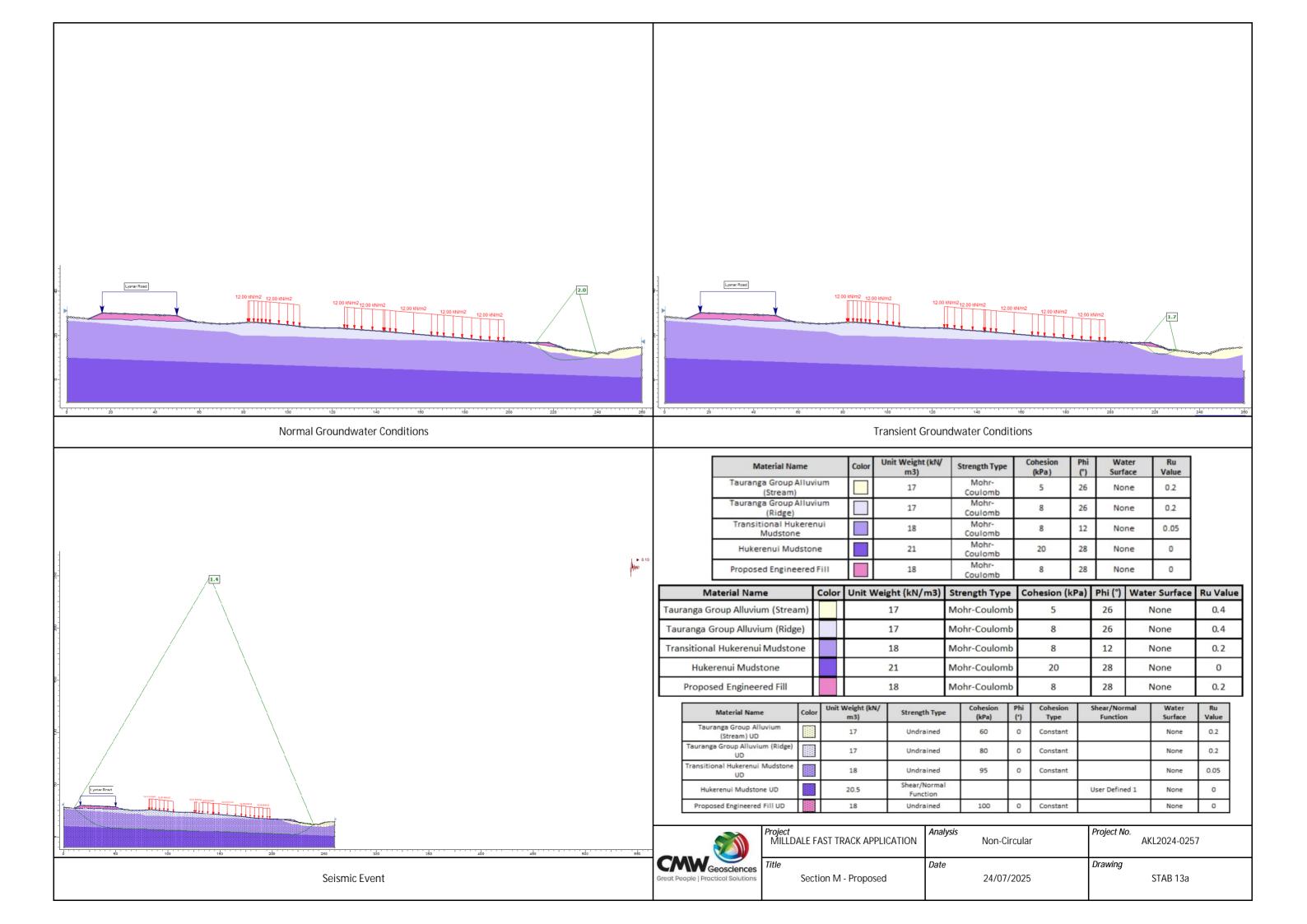
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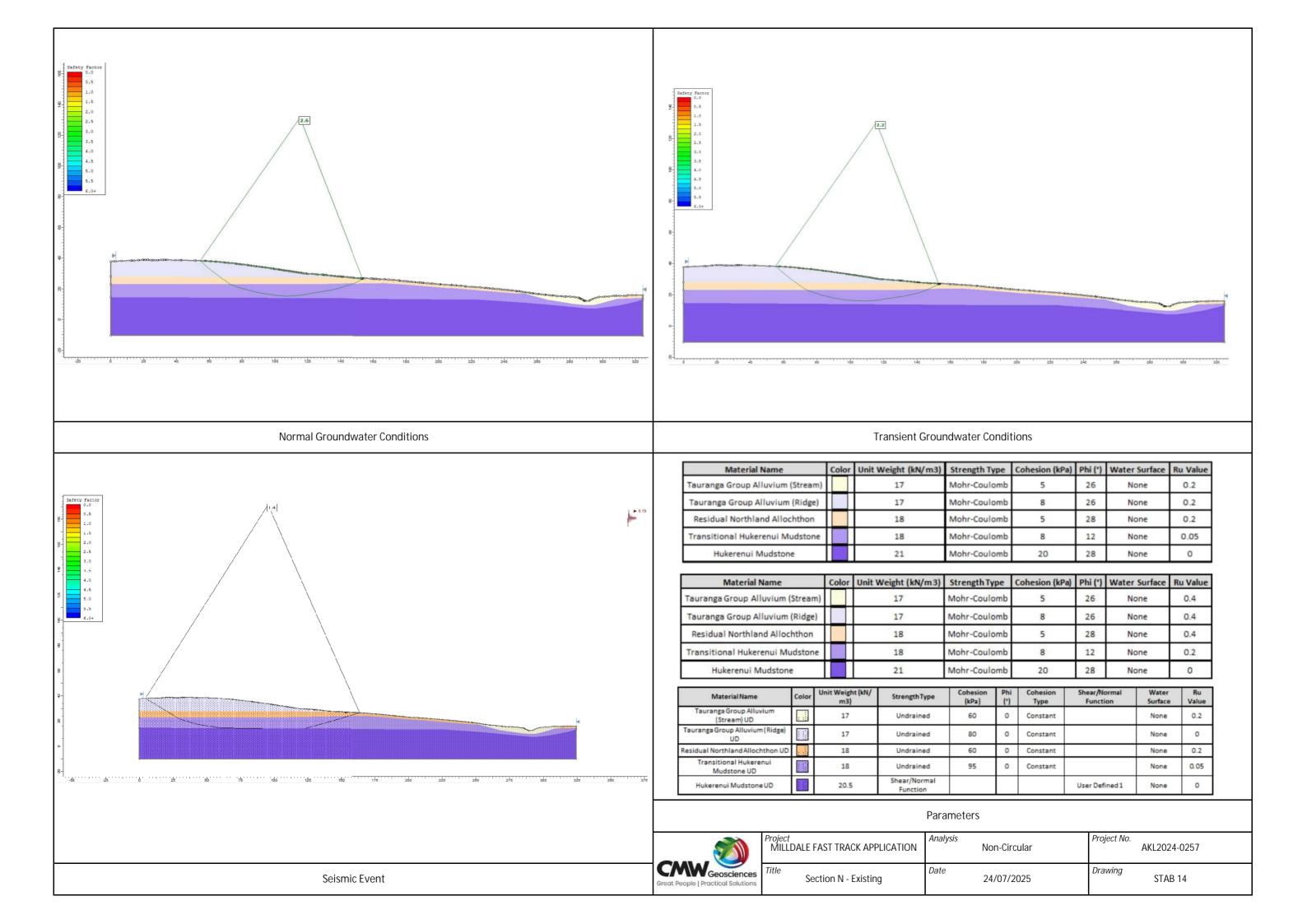


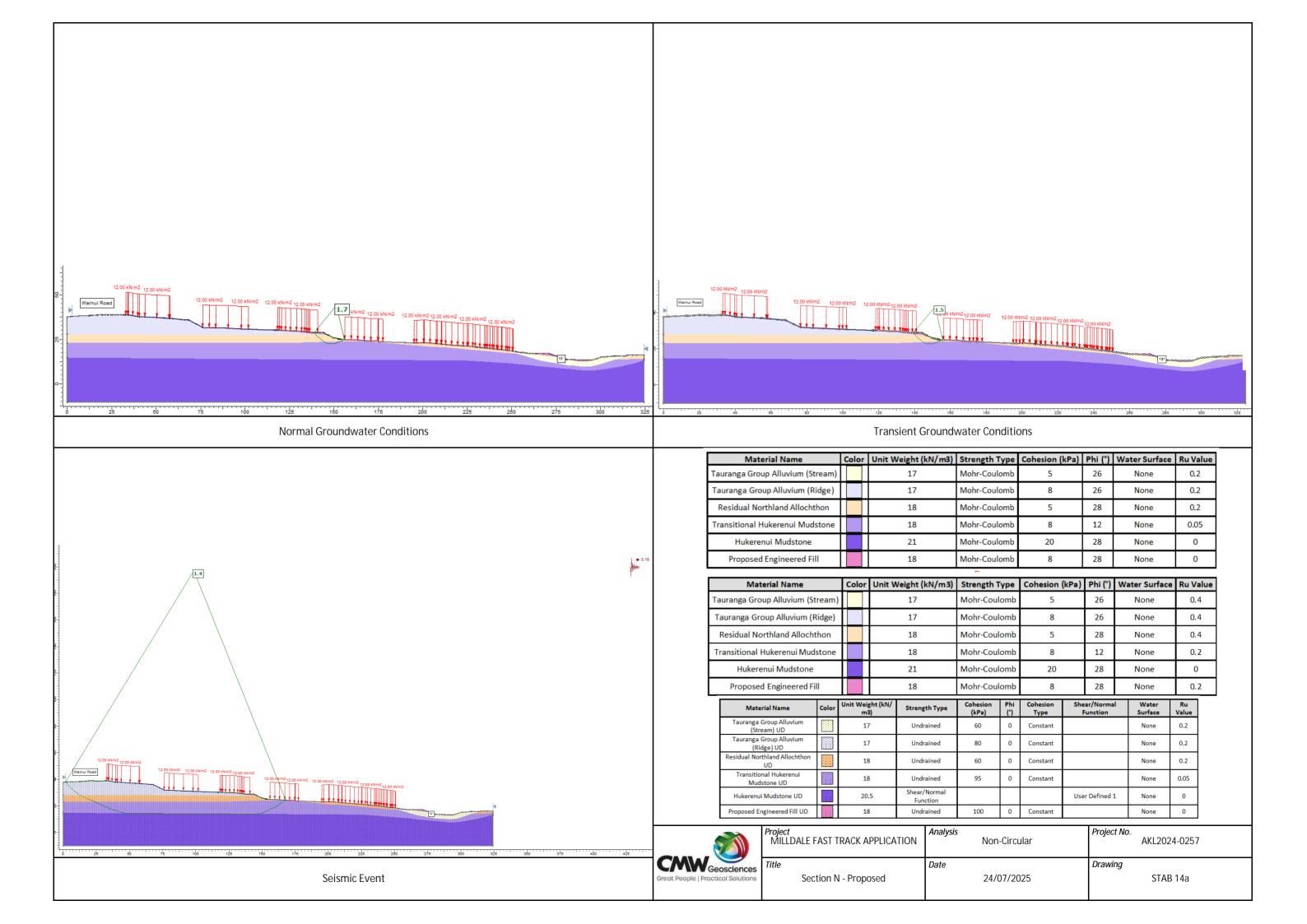
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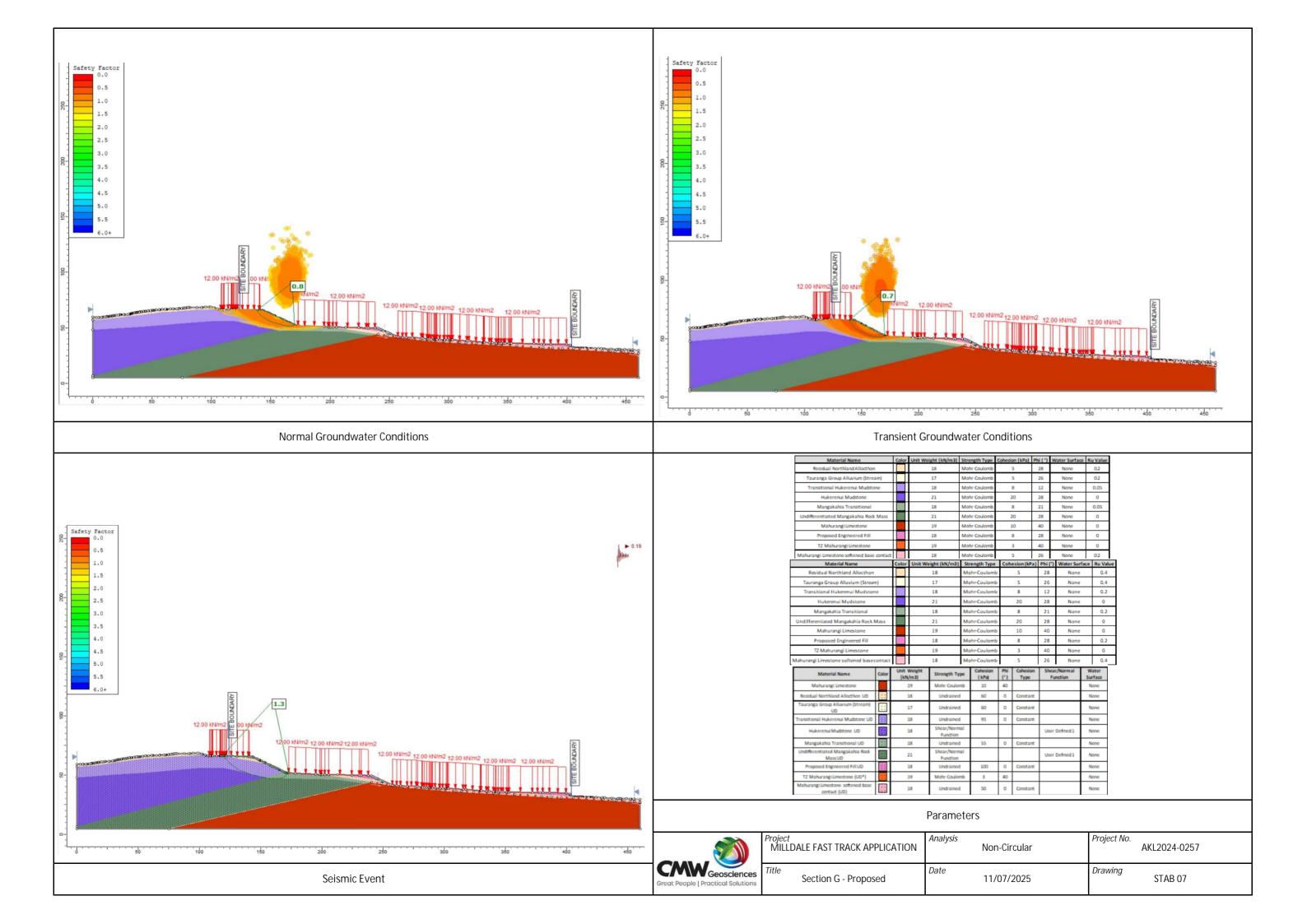
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20.10	Stability Sections G & J	AKL2024-0257 STAB 07 & 10	Mahurangi Limestone Transition Zone and Softened Base Contact units added to models	11/07/2025
20.12	Stability Sections A & K	AKL2024-0257 STAB 01 & 11	Pile parameters shown on outputs	10/07/2025
20.27	WWTP Stability Memo	AKL2024-0185AB – Stability Memo	New document	15/07/2025

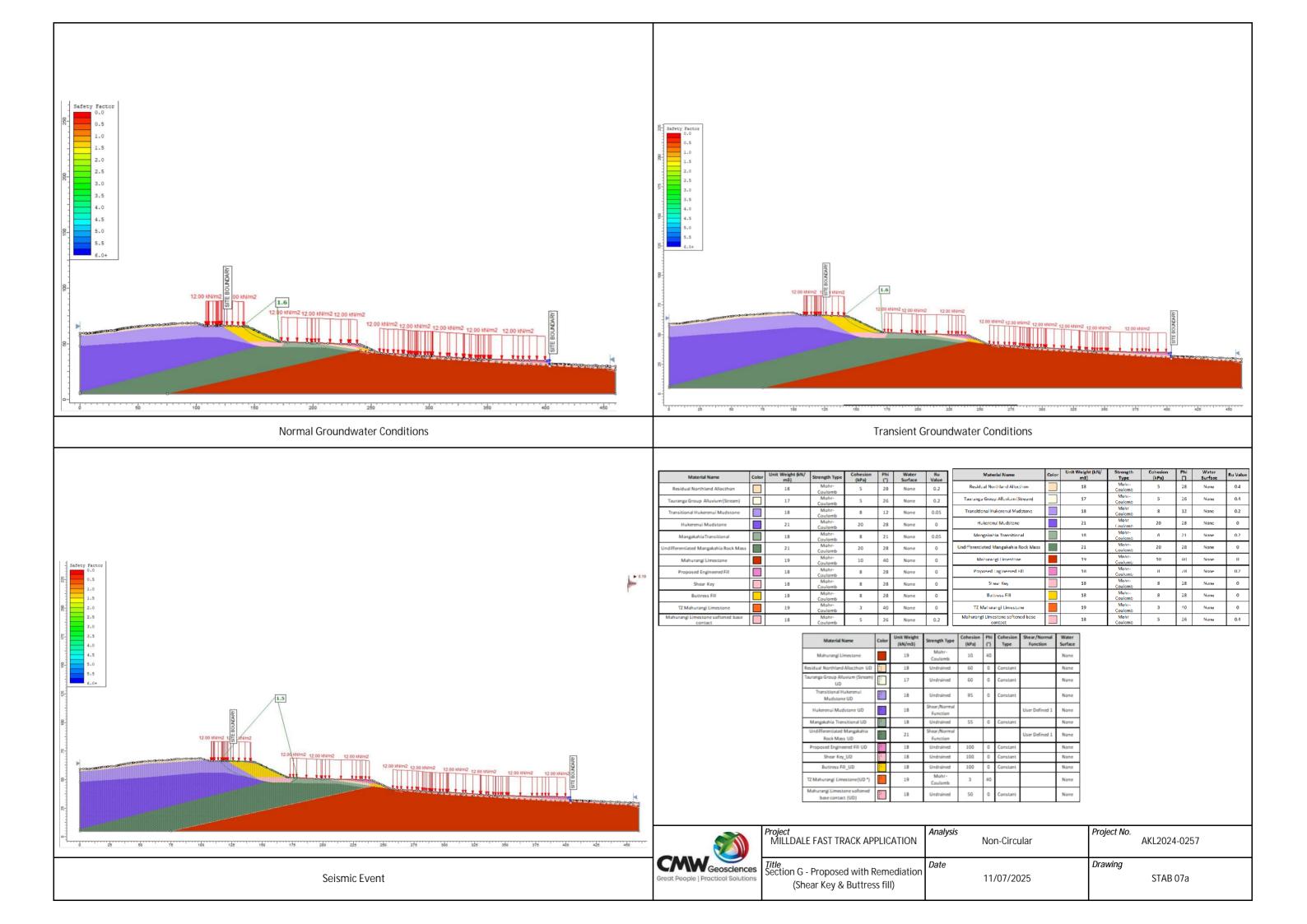


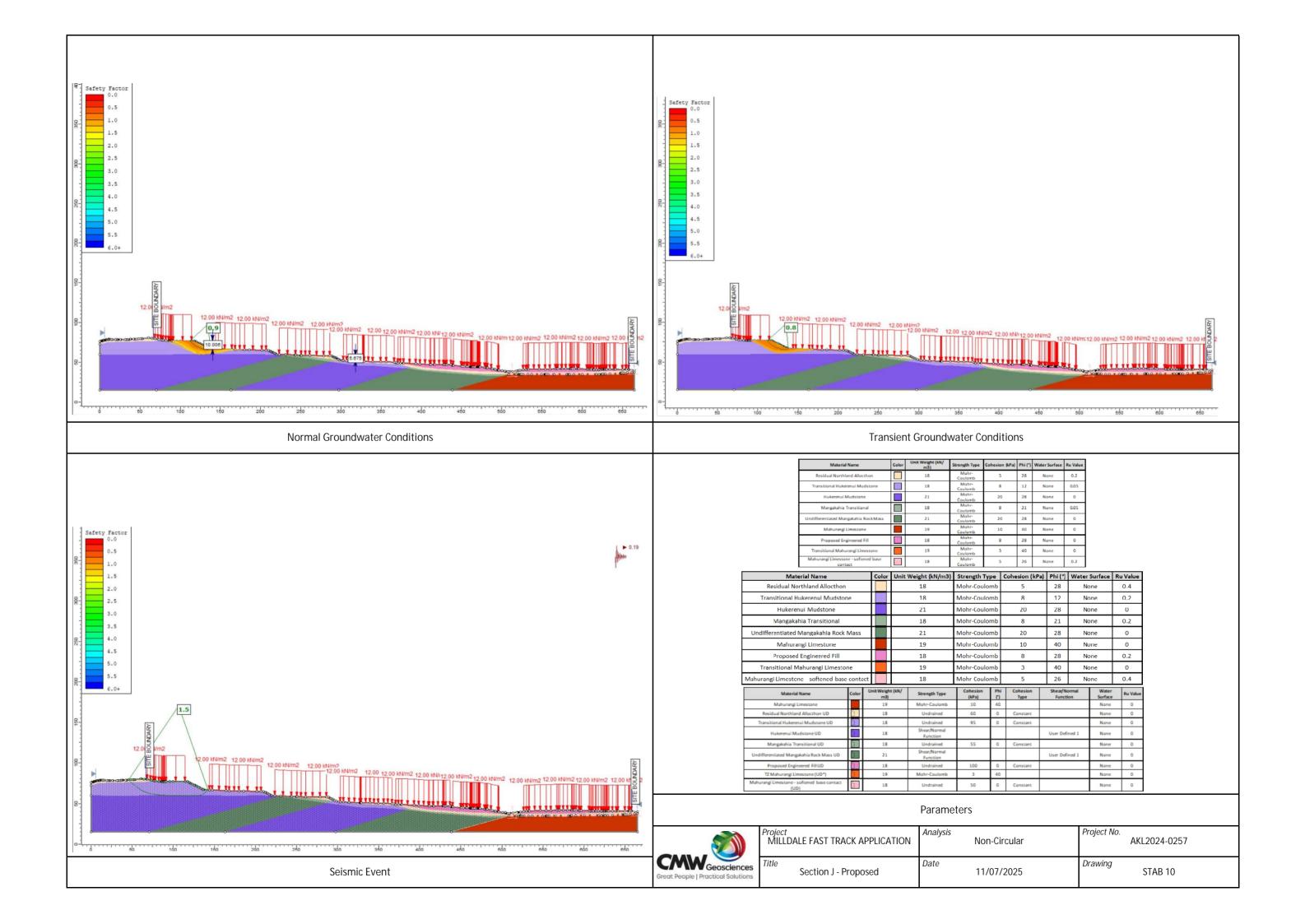


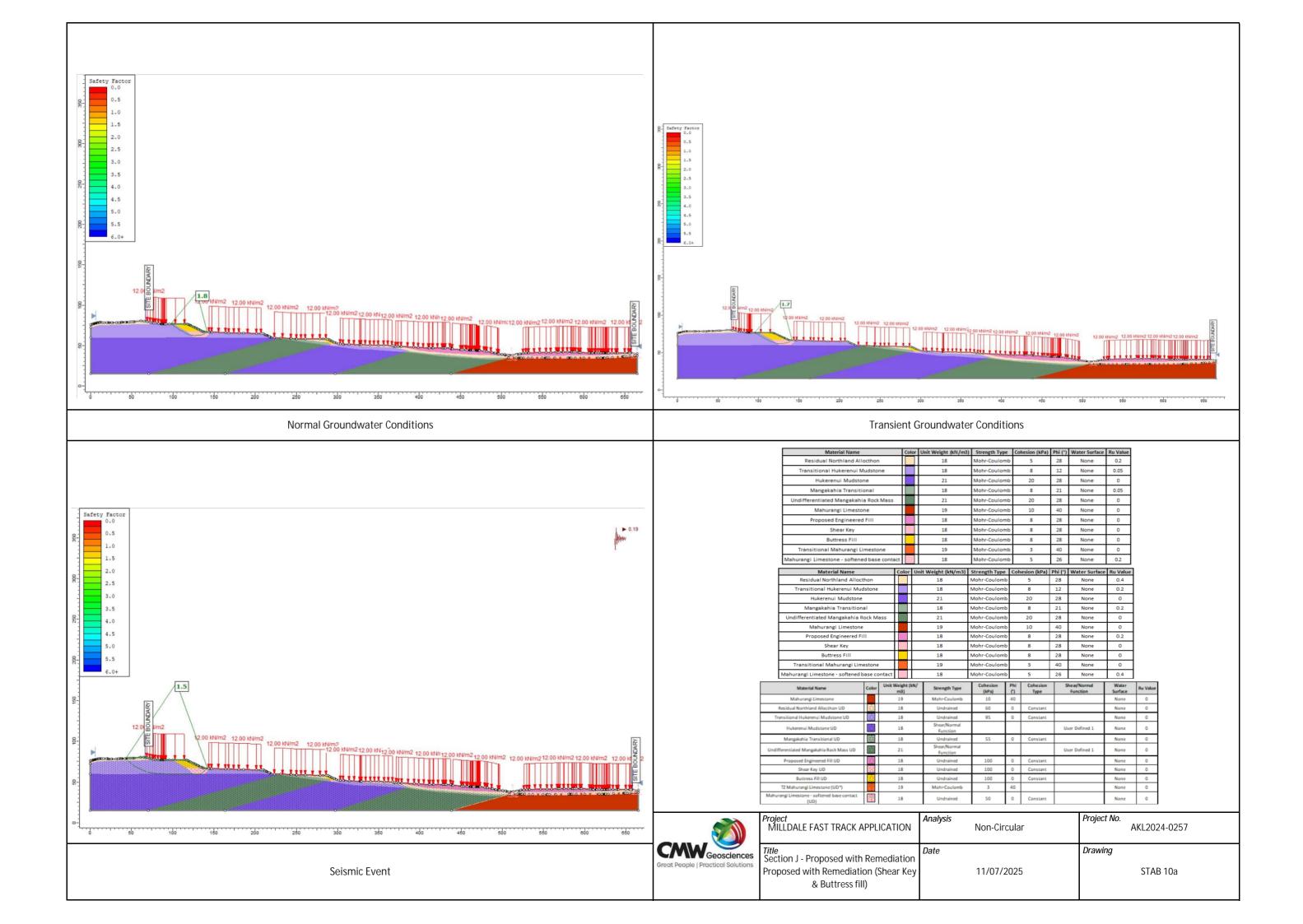


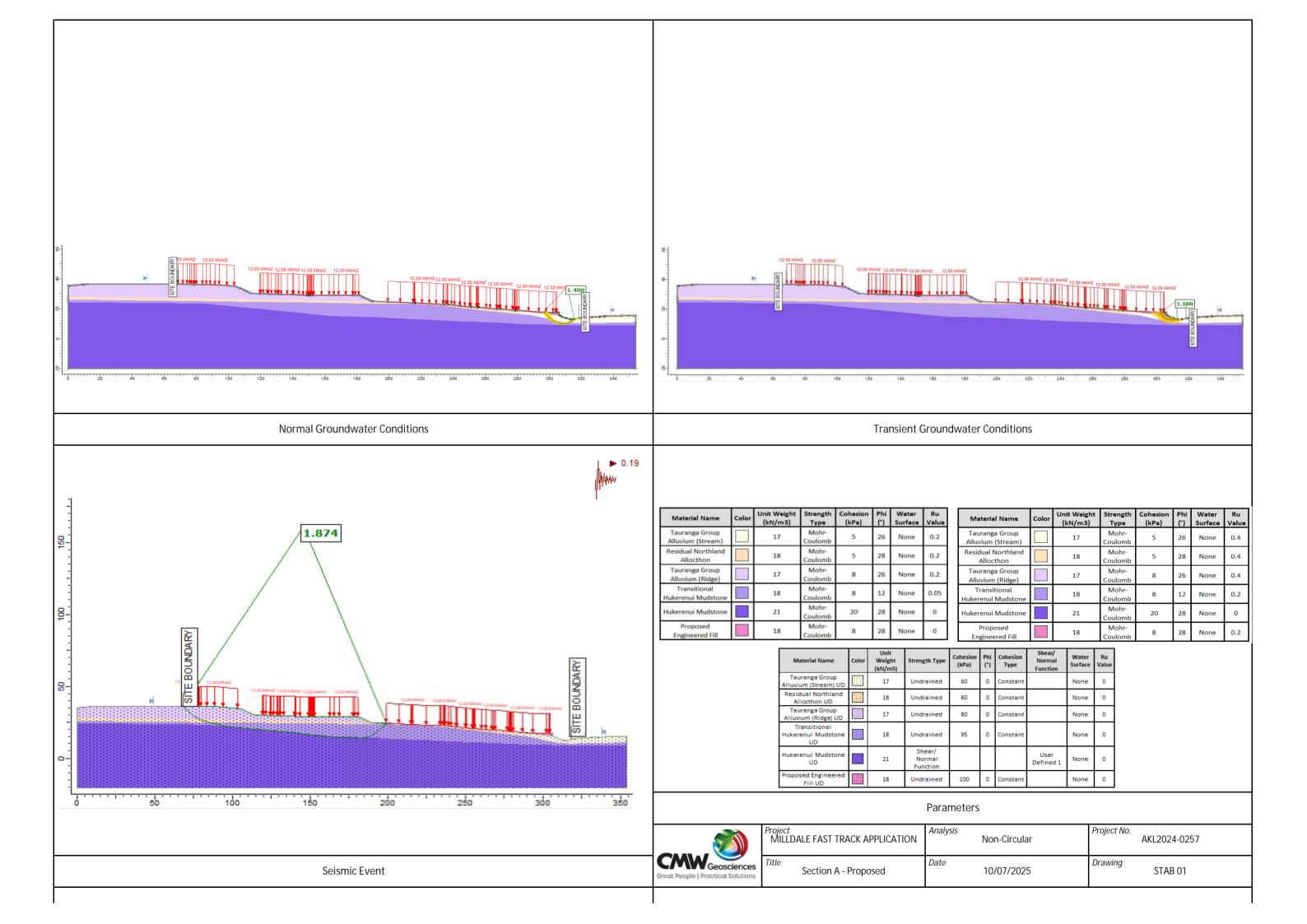


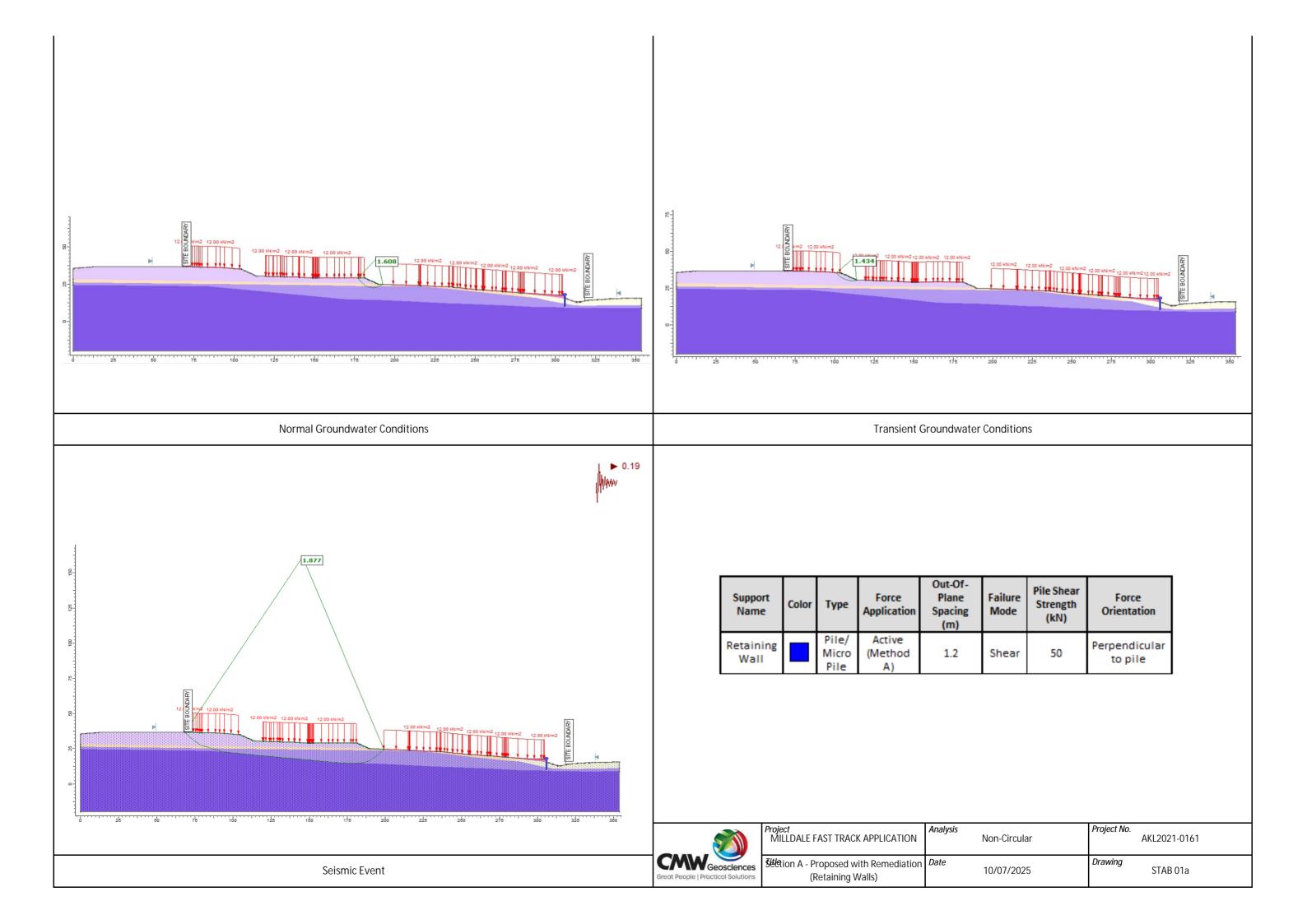


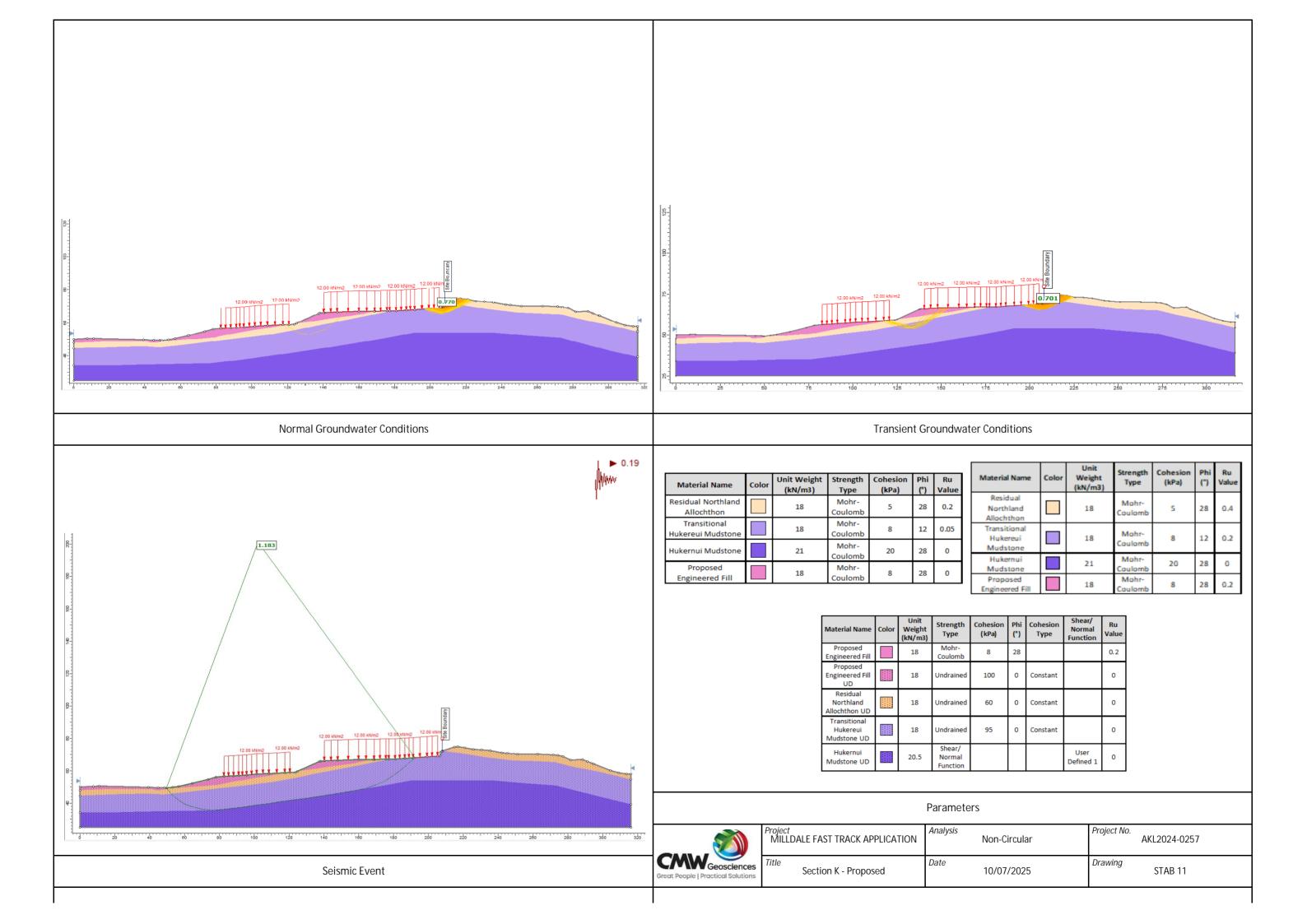


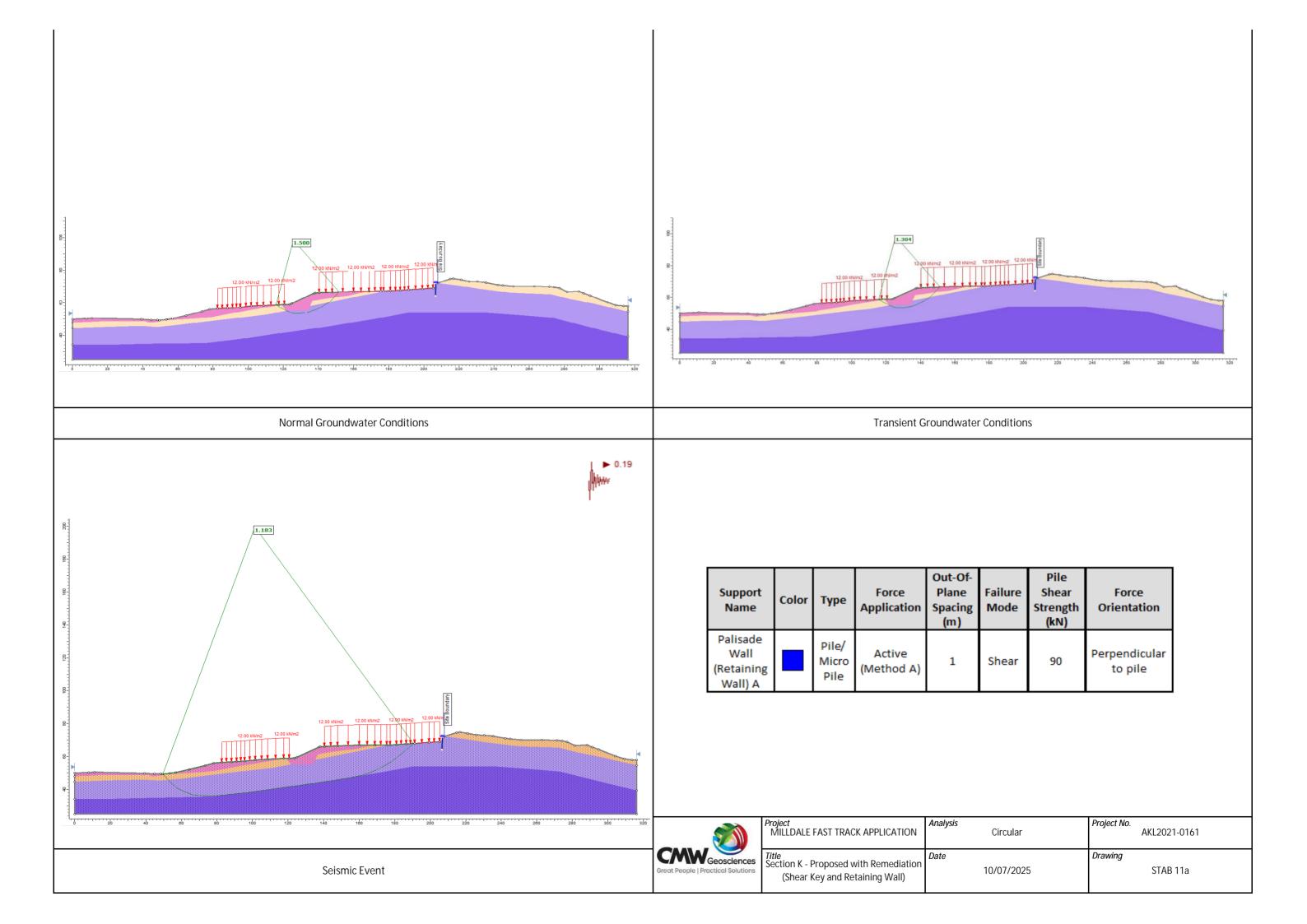














Slope Stability

Site Address	Milldale Temporary Wastewater Treatment Facility	Report Number	AKL2024-0185AB
Client	FHLDL	Date	15 July 2025
Prepared by	Jenna Pallarca		
Reviewed & Authorised by	Gaurav Mathur		







1.0 DESIGN CRITERIA

The stability of cut batters and fill embankments under a range of design conditions is expressed in terms of a factor of safety, which is defined as the ratio of forces resisting failure to the forces causing failure. The following performance standards are recommended for slope stability assessment:

Table 1: Slope Stability Factor of Safety Criteria

Condition	Required Factor of Safety
Normal Groundwater Condition	1.5
Extreme (worst credible) groundwater condition	1.3
Seismic condition for ULS PGA (calculated as 0.19g)	1.0

2.0 DESIGN PARAMETERS

The design parameters adopted were according to Table 7.2 of the GIR.

Table 2: Geotechnical Design Parameter

Unit Description	Typical Thickness (m)	Strength Range (kPa)	γ (kN/ m3)	c´ (kPa)	φ´ (deg)	Su (kPa)
Engineered Fill	1	100 – 200	17.5	8	28	100
Alluvium	10	35 – 145	18	5	26	50
Northland Allochthon - Hukerenui Residual Soils	6	89 – 200	17	5	28	60
Northland Allochthon - Hukerenui Transitional Zone	12	15 – 20 blows / mm	18	6	12	130
Northland Allochthon - Hukerenui Parent Rock		> 40 blows / mm	20.5	20	28	150

3.0 METHODOLOGY

- Slope stability analyses were undertaken using the Morgenstern-Price method of slices under translational failure mechanisms (Cuckoo Search) using the proprietary software SLIDE2 Version 6.
- A load of 12kPa was applied for the Treatment Plant Building and roads, 40kPa for the biological reactor, and 20kPa for tank storage area.
- A shear/normal function was applied to Hukerenui Mudstone Parent Rock (Northland Allochthon) in seismic cases to approximately model its in-situ behaviour.
- A groundwater table of 2m below ground level (bgl) was modelled for normal loading conditions and 1m bgl
 for the transient case.

4.0 RESULTS

Slope stability analyses were undertaken on Section A-A' (refer to Drawing 01).

Results are appended to this memo and are summarised below for the proposed landform.

Table 3: Slope Stability Analysis Results (Minimum Factor of Safety Obtained)

Section	Prevailing	Transient	Seismic
A-A'	> 1.5 at slopes within facility	1.3	1.0

Based on the slope stability analysis, required factors of safety were met for all scenarios. No remediation required. It should be noted that FoS <1.3 can potentially occur at the existing slopes of Waterloo Stream. However, the slip circles are outside the work extents.

Slope Stability | AKL2024-0185AB



Stability Analysis Summary Table

Client:

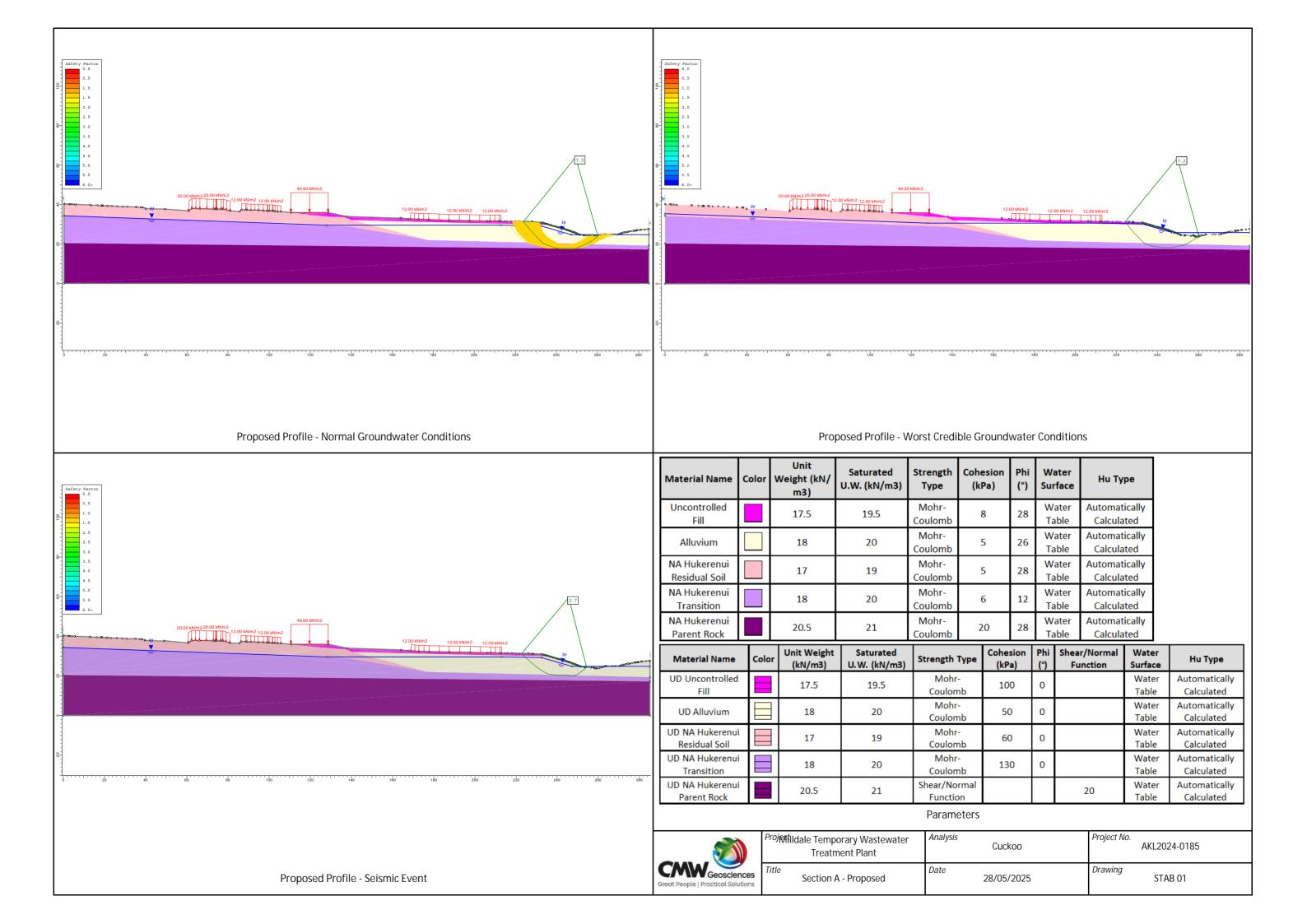
Milldale Temporary Wastewater Treatment Plant

Project: Project Number AKL2024-0185 Date: 28/05/2025

NGW = Normal Groundwater Target minimum FoS = 1.5 Notes: Target minimum FoS = 1.2

HGW = High Groundwater (worst credible) SEIS = Seismic Target minimum FoS = 1.0

Cross Section	Profile	Design Case	Analysis Type	Factor of Safety	Printout Included	Additional Comments
Section A	Proposed	NGW	Non-circular	> 1.5	✓	FoS < 1.5 limited to the existing slope outside the WWTP
		HGW	Non-circular	1.3	✓	GWT at 1m below ground level
		SEIS	Non-circular	2.7	✓	PGA = 0.19g





APPENDIX D

Investigation Logs

HAND AUGER BOREHOLE LOG - HA01-24

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd Project: Milldale Wastewater Treatment Plant

Site Location: Milldale Project No.: AKL2024-0185

Date: 30/10/2024



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Borehole Location: Refer to Site Plan Logged by: JH Checked by: JP Scale: 1:25 Sheet 1 of 1

Position: 1747627.2mE; 5947814.1mN Projection: NZTM Datum: NZVD2016 Elevation: 18.10m Survey Source: Hand Held GPS Consistency/ Relative Density Dynamic Cone Samples & Insitu Tests Groundwater Graphic Log Material Description Penetrometer Moisture Condition Ξ Ξ Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/ (Blows/100mm) Depth (geological unit) 씸 10 Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Type & Results Depth 18.1 OL: Organic SILT: Dark brown. Low plasticity. Trace rootlets. 18.0 CH: Silty CLAY: Yellowish brown mottled greyish brown. High plasticity. Moderately sensitive. (Hukerenui Mudstone) Peak = 153kPa Residual = 65kPa 0.4 ... at 0.60m, Becoming yellowish brown streaked orange and light grey. Peak = 136kPa Residual = 59kPa 0.8 ... at 0.90m, Minor limonite staining. 1.2 Peak = 124kPa ... at 1.20m, Becoming light whitish grey streaked light yellowish brown. Residual = 59kPa Peak = 139kPa Residual = 91kPa 1.6 2.0 Peak = 139kPa 2 Residual = 65kPa 15.9 ML: Clayey SILT: Yellowish brown. Low plasticity. Insensitive. (Hukerenui Mudstone) 2.4 Peak = 106kPa Residual = 65kPa М VSt 2.8 Peak = 106kPa Residual = 74kPa 15.3 ML: SILT: Bluish grey. Low plasticity. Moderately sensitive. (Hukerenui Mudstone) from 2.80m to 3.60m, Insensitive. 3.2 Peak = 124kPa Residual = 65kPa 3.6 Peak = 118kPa Residual = 65kPa 4.0 Peak = 148kPa Residual = 71kPa 4.4 Peak = 198kPa Residual = 77kPa Peak = 192kPa Residual = 74kPa 4.8 Borehole terminated at 5.0 m

Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached
Shear Vane No: 1603 DCP No:
Remarks: Groundwater not encountered.

HAND AUGER BOREHOLE LOG - HA02-24

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd Project: Milldale Wastewater Treatment Plant

Site Location: Milldale Project No.: AKL2024-0185

Date: 30/10/2024



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Borehole Location: Refer to Site Plan Logged by: JH Checked by: JP Scale: 1:25 Sheet 1 of 1

Position: 1747610.2mE; 5947795.5mN Projection: NZTM Elevation: 17.90m Datum: NZVD2016 Survey Source: Hand Held GPS Consistency/ Relative Density Dynamic Cone Samples & Insitu Tests Groundwater Graphic Log Material Description Penetrometer Moisture Condition Ξ Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Ξ (Blows/100mm) Depth (귐 10 Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Type & Results Depth 17.9 ML: Organic SILT: Dark brown. Low plasticity. Trace rootlets. (Topsoil) 17 7 ML: Clayey SILT: Greyish brown mottled orange. Low plasticity. Moderately sensitive. (Hukerenui Mudstone) Peak = 148kPa Residual = 50kPa 0.4 Peak = 148kPa Residual = 47kPa 0.8 VSt Peak = 136kPa Residual = 74kPa 1.2 ... from 1.20m to 1.60m, Insensitive Peak = 136kPa Residual = 65kPa 1.6 16.1 ML: SILT with trace sand: Grey mottled trace light yellowish brown. Low plasticity. Moderately sensitive. Minor limonite staining. (Hukerenui Mudstone) 2.0 Peak = > 207 kPa 2 Н 2.4 Peak = UTP Borehole terminated at 2.5 m 15 18 20

Termination Reason: Refusal on Hard Ground

Shear Vane No: 1603 DCP No: 05

Remarks: Groundwater not encountered. DCP conducted from 2.5 to 2.7m. Refusal on hard ground at 2.7m.

HAND AUGER BOREHOLE LOG - HA03-24

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd Project: Milldale Wastewater Treatment Plant

Site Location: Milldale Project No.: AKL2024-0185

Date: 30/10/2024



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Borehole Location: Refer to Site Plan Logged by: JH Checked by: JP Scale: 1:25 Sheet 1 of 1

Position: 1747637.4mE; 5947796.0mN Projection: NZTM Datum: NZVD2016 Elevation: 17.60m Survey Source: Hand Held GPS Consistency/ Relative Density Dynamic Cone Samples & Insitu Tests Groundwater Graphic Log Material Description Penetrometer Moisture Condition Ξ Ξ Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/ (Blows/100mm) Depth (geological unit) 씸 10 Type & Results Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Depth 17.6 OL: Organic SILT: Dark brown. Low plasticity. Trace rootlets. 17.5 CH: Silty CLAY: Yellowish brown streaked greyish brown. High plasticity. Insensitive (Hukerenui Mudstone) Peak = 171kPa Residual = 65kPa 0.4 ... from 0.40m to 0.80m, Moderately sensitive. 0.8 Peak = 118kPa Residual = 65kPa М 1.2 Peak = UTP 16.4 ML: Clayey SILT: Yellowish brown. Low plasticity. Insensitive. (Hukerenui Mudstone)
... at 1.20m, Thin lens of limonite nodules, medium gravel sized, angular. Peak = 121kPa Residual = 74kPa 1.6 16.0 CH: Silty CLAY: Yellowish brown streaked light grey. High plasticity. Insensitive. (Hukerenui Mudstone) VSt 2.0 Peak = 153kPa 2 Residual = 89kPa 15.3 ML: SILT: Light bluish grey. Low plasticity. Insensitive 2.4 Peak = 150kPa Residual = 80kPa (Hukerenui Mudstone) 2.8 Peak = 121kPa Residual = 71kPa ... at 2.80m, Becoming bluish grey 3.2 Peak = 100kPa Residual = 71kPa 3.6 Peak = 103kPa ... at 3.60m, With trace fine sand. Residual = 62kPa 4.0 Peak = 89kPa St Residual = 47kPa 4.4 Peak = > 207 kPa at 4.40m. Becoming hard Н 4.8 Peak = > 207 kPa Borehole terminated at 5.0 m

Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached
Shear Vane No: 1603 DCP No:
Remarks: Groundwater not encountered.

HAND AUGER BOREHOLE LOG - HA04-24

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd Project: Milldale Wastewater Treatment Plant

Site Location: Milldale Project No.: AKL2024-0185

Date: 31/10/2024



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Borehole Location: Refer to Site Plan Logged by: JH Checked by: JP Scale: 1:25 Sheet 1 of 1

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Position: 1747655.1mE; 5947798.4mN Projection: NZTM Elevation: 17.00m Datum: NZVD2016 Survey Source: Hand											
Groundwater	Sampl	les & Insitu Tests Type & Results	RL (m)	Depth (m)	Graphic Log	Material Description Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/ geological unit) Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit)	Moisture Condition	Consistency/ Relative Density	Pe	ynamic (enetrom lows/10 10	neter
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	0.4	Peak = 118kPa Residual = 30kPa	16.8			(Topsoil) CH: CLAY with minor silt: Greyish brown streaked yellowish brown. High plasticity. Moderately sensitive. (Alluvium)	_				
	0.8	Peak = 121kPa Residual = 56kPa		1	X	at 0.70m, Becoming light whitish grey streaked light yellowish brown. Trace limonite staining.	М	VSt			
	1.2	Peak = 118kPa Residual = 89kPa			X	at 1.20m, Becoming insensitive.					
4 31-10-2024	1.6	Peak = 130kPa Residual = 86kPa			X X X X X X X X X X	- X X X X X X					
4 31	2.0	Peak = 124kPa Residual = 83kPa		2	X	at 2.00m, Trace decomposing tree roots.					
	2.4	Peak = 80kPa Residual = 47kPa			X						
	2.8	Peak = 106kPa Residual = 56kPa		3	X			St			
	3.2	Peak = 62kPa Residual = 32kPa			X X X X X X X X X X		M to W				
	3.6	Peak = 62kPa Residual = 38kPa	13.5			MH: Clayey SILT: Light whitish grey streaked trace light yellowish brown. Low plasticity. Insensitive. (Alluvium)	_				
	4.0	Peak = 47kPa Residual = 30kPa		4	- (X X) - (X X) - (X X) - (X X) - (X X)	at 4.00m, Becoming light bluish grey from 4.20m to 4.80m, Poor recovery.		F			
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	4.8	Peak = 89kPa Residual = 46kPa		5	X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X	at 4.80m, With trace fine sand. Yellowish brown.	S	St			
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Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached
Shear Vane No: 1603 DCP No:

Remarks: Groundwater encountered at 2.4m. Poor recovery from 4.2 to 4.8m.

HAND AUGER BOREHOLE LOG - HA05-24

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd Project: Milldale Wastewater Treatment Plant

Site Location: Milldale Project No.: AKL2024-0185

Date: 30/10/2024



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Borehole Location: Refer to Site Plan Logged by: JH Checked by: JP Scale: 1:25 Sheet 1 of 1

Position: 1747647.7mE; 5947779.7mN Projection: NZTM Elevation: 16.90m Datum: NZVD2016 Survey Source: Hand Held GPS Consistency/ Relative Density Dynamic Cone Samples & Insitu Tests Groundwater Graphic Log Material Description Penetrometer Moisture Condition Ξ Ξ Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/ (Blows/100mm) Depth geological unit) 씸 10 Type & Results Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Depth 16.9 ML: Organic SILT: Dark brown. Low plasticity. Trace rootlets. (Topsoil)
CH: Silty CLAY: Yellowish brown streaked greyish brown. High plasticity. Moderately sensitive. 16.8 (Hukerenui Mudstone) Peak = 106kPa Residual = 50kPa 0.4 ... at 0.70m, Becoming light grey streaked light yellowish brown. Peak = 139kPa Residual = 59kPa 0.8 1.2 Peak = 142kPa ... from 1.20m to 2.40m, Insensitive Residual = 77kPa Peak = 148kPa Residual = 89kPa 1.6 M 2.0 Peak = 159kPa 2 Residual = 100kPa ... at 2.20m, Trace limonite staining. 2.4 Peak = 124kPa Residual = 83kPa VSt 2.8 Peak = 133kPa Residual = 62kPa 3.2 Peak = 106kPa Residual = 62kPa 13.7 ML: SILT: Light whitish grey streaked pink. Low plasticity. Insensitive. (Hukerenui Mudstone)
... from 3.20m to 3.60m, Insensitive 3.6 Peak = 112kPa Residual = 59kPa ... from 3.80m to 3.90m, Pink streaked light whitish grey 4.0 Peak = 127kPa Residual = 56kPa 12.6 ML: SILT: Dark bluish grey. Low plasticity. Insensitive. (Hukerenui Mudstone) 4.4 Peak = 162kPa Residual = 89kPa Peak = 150kPa Residual = 91kPa 4.8 Borehole terminated at 5.0 m

Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached
Shear Vane No: 1603 DCP No:
Remarks: Groundwater encountered at 3.0m.

HAND AUGER BOREHOLE LOG - HA06-24

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd Project: Milldale Wastewater Treatment Plant

Site Location: Milldale Project No.: AKL2024-0185

Date: 01/11/2024



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Borehole Location: Refer to Site Plan Logged by: JH Checked by: JP Scale: 1:25 Sheet 1 of 1

Position: 1747733.1mE; 5947772.8mN Projection: NZTM Survey Source: Hand Held GPS Elevation: 12.10m Datum: NZVD2016 Consistency/ Relative Density Dynamic Cone Samples & Insitu Tests Groundwater Graphic Log Material Description Penetrometer Moisture Condition Ξ Ξ Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/ (Blows/100mm) Depth (geological unit) 씸 10 Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Type & Results Depth Hardfill: Coarse to cobble sized hardfill, Subangular to angular. Well compacted (Fill) 12.1 11.6 CH: CLAY with minor silt: Brownish grey streaked yellowish brown. High plasticity. Insensitive. (Alluvium) VSt ... at 0.70m, Light grey streaked yellowish brown. Trace decomposing tree roots. Peak = 108kPa Residual = 67kPa 0.8 Peak = 48kPa Residual = 29kPa 1.2 St M 1.6 Peak = 80kPa Residual = 48kPa ... at 1.70m. Becoming bluish grev. 2.0 Peak = 143kPa 2 ... from 2.00m to 2.80m, Moderately sensitive Residual = 64kPa 2.4 Peak = 130kPa Residual = 38kPa VSt 2.8 Peak = 127kPa Residual = 32kPa 9.3 OH: Organic CLAY: Dark brown. High plasticity. Trace decomposing tree roots s)le (Alluvium)
SP: Silty SAND: Light grey. Poorly graded. Sand is medium grained. 9.2 9.1 (Alluvium)
CH: Silty CLAY: Brown. High plasticity. Insensitive. Poor recovery. (Alluvium) 3.2 Peak = 35kPa Residual = 24kPa 3.6 Peak = 54kPa Residual = 29kPa S to 4.0 Peak = 64kPa s Residual = 34kPa 4.4 Peak = 51kPa Residual = 32kPa 4.8 Peak = 45kPa Borehole terminated at 5.0 m

Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached
Shear Vane No: 1620 DCP No:

Remarks: Groundwater encountered at 2.8m. Poor recovery from 3.0 to 5.0m.

HAND AUGER BOREHOLE LOG - HA04-23

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd

Project: Milldale Stage 8 Site Location: Milldale Project No.: AKL2022-0029

Date: 02/11/2023



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Borehole Location: Refer to Site Plan Logged by: JH Checked by: NK Scale: 1:25 Sheet 1 of 1

Position: 1747711.4mE; 5947639.4mN Projection: NZTM Datum: NZVD2016 Elevation: 11.55m Survey Source: Hand Held GPS Dynamic Cone Moisture Condition Consistency/ Relative Density Samples & Insitu Tests Graphic Log Groundwater Material Description Penetrometer Ξ Ξ Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/ (Blows/100mm) Depth (퓝 geological unit) 10 Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Type & Results Depth 11.6 11.5 OH: Organic Clayey SILT: Dark brown. Low plasticity. Some rootlets. (Topsoil)
CH: CLAY with minor silt: Light grey streaked grey. High plasticity. Some rootlets. (Alluvium) Peak = 121kPa Residual = 53kPa 0.4 ... at 0.40m, becoming CLAY. Light pinkish grey streaked orange brown and light greenish grey. Peak = 121kPa Residual = 59kPa 0.8 VSt ... at 1.00m, becoming light grey streaked orange brown. Peak = 145kPa Residual = 77kPa 1.2 Peak = >207 kPa 1.6 Μ ... at 1.60m, Trace of organics (decomposing tree roots). ... at 1.90m, Some organics (decomposing tree roots). 2.0 Peak = 201kPa Residual = 62kPa VSt 2.4 Peak = 198kPa Residual = 92kPa ... at 2.50m, becoming with some silt. Light grey streaked light greenish grey. ... at 2.70m, becoming CLAY. 2.8 Peak = 136kPa Residual = 41kPa 3.2 Peak = >207 kPa Borehole terminated at 3.2 m

Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached
Shear Vane No: 1620 DCP No:
Remarks: Groundwater not encountered.

HAND AUGER BOREHOLE LOG - HA19-20

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd Project: Milldale Stage 7 Wastewater Investigation

Site Location: Northridge Estate Project No.: AKL2020-0080

Date: 21/10/2020



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Borehole Location: Refer to site plan Logged by: AA Checked by: CR 1:25 Scale: Sheet 1 of 1

Position: 1747778.3mE; 5947757.4mN Projection: NZTM Survey Source: Hand Held GPS Elevation: 10.50m Datum: AUCKHT1946 Dynamic Cone Moisture Condition Consistency/ Relative Density Groundwater Samples & Insitu Tests Graphic Log Material Description Penetrometer Ξ Ξ Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/ (Blows/100mm) Depth (geological unit) 씸 10 Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Type & Results Depth 10.5 OL: TOPSOIL 10.3 CH: Silty CLAY: light brownish grey streaked orange. High plasticity. (Alluvium) Peak = 93kPa Residual = 42kPa 0.4 VSt Peak = 63kPa Residual = 27kPa 0.8 ... at 0.80m, ...becoming light grey streaked orange Peak = 48kPa Residual = 15kPa 1.2 Peak = 42kPa Residual = 9kPa 1.6 ... from 1.90m to 2.10m, ...with some large rootlets 2.0 Peak = 21kPa 2 Residual = 3kPa s ... at 2.20m, ...becoming bluish grey 2.4 Peak = 30kPa Residual = 15kPa ... from 2.60m to 2.70m, ...with some organics 2.8 Peak = 27kPa Residual = 3kPa 3.2 Peak = 42kPa Residual = 9kPa ... at 3.20m, ...becoming light greyish blue W F Peak = 48kPa Residual = 12kPa 3.6 ... at 3.80m, ...becoming bluish grey 4.0 Peak = 45kPa Residual = 15kPa 4.4 Peak = 75kPa Residual = 33kPa VSt Peak = 81kPa Residual = 45kPa 4.8 Borehole terminated at 5.0 m

Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached Shear Vane No: 2082 DCP No: Remarks: Groundwater no encountered.

HAND AUGER BOREHOLE LOG - HA20-20

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd Project: Milldale Stage 7 Wastewater Investigation

Site Location: Northridge Estate Project No.: AKL2020-0080

Date: 21/10/2020



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Borehole Location: Refer to site plan Logged by: AA Checked by: CR 1:25 Scale: Sheet 1 of 1

Position: 1747788.5mE; 5947754.1mN Projection: NZTM Elevation: 7.00m Datum: AUCKHT1946 Survey Source: Hand Held GPS Consistency/ Relative Density Dynamic Cone Groundwater Samples & Insitu Tests Graphic Log Material Description Penetrometer Moisture Condition Ξ Ξ Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/ (Blows/100mm) Depth (geological unit) 씸 10 Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Type & Results Depth 7.0 OL: TOPOSIL 6.8 D to CH: Silty CLAY: orange brown streaked black. High plasticity. (Alluvium) Peak = 120kPa Residual = 45kPa 0.4 VSt Peak = 123kPa Residual = 57kPa 0.8 Μ ... at 1.10m, ... becoming grey streaked orange Peak = 102kPa Residual = 48kPa 1.2 ... at 1.30m, ...becoming CLAY. greyish brown ... at 1.50m, ...with trace organics Peak = 36kPa Residual = 9kPa 1.6 2.0 Peak = 21kPa 2 Residual = 6kPa s 2.4 Peak = 24kPa Residual = 6kPa 2.8 Peak = 42kPa Residual = 9kPa ۱۸/ 3.2 Peak = 42kPa Residual = 9kPa Peak = 45kPa Residual = 15kPa 3.6 ... at 3.80m, ...becoming bluish grey 4.0 Peak = 48kPa Residual = 15kPa \mathbf{v} 4.4 Peak = 42kPa Residual = 12kPa S 4.8 Peak = 48kPa Borehole terminated at 5.0 m

Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached Shear Vane No: 2082 DCP No: Remarks: Groundwater encountered at 4.3m.

BOREHOLE LOG - MH01-20

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd

Project: Wainui to Lysnar Tunnel Site Location: Lysnar Road Project No.: AKL2018-0171

Date: 05/03/2020



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Borehole Location: Refer to site plan Logged by: AA Checked by: CR Scale: 1:50 Sheet 1 of 2 Position: 1747732.7mE; 5947695.6mN Projection: NZTM2000 Angle from horizontal: 90°

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Well	Groundwater	Samp	les & Insitu Tests Type & Results	RL (m)	Depth (m)	Graphic Log	Material Description Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit)	Moisture Condition	Consistency/ Relative Density	RS MA	eathe	ring MS	Recovery	EW	Str	mate engt	h	S	Defe pac (mr	cing m)	1	Drilling Method/ Support	Structure & Other Observations Discontinuities: Depth; Defect Number; Defect Type; Dip; Defect Shape; Roughness; Aperture; Infill; Seepage; Spacing; Block Size; Block Shape; Remarks
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					4 -	X	at 3.55m,becoming CLAY with minor silt: light greenish grey mottled orange brown		VSt				100									OB / PQ3	: - -
		4.5 4.5	SPT = (2,5,5) N* = 10 Peak = UTP		5 -	X							100									SPT	-
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		6.0 6.0	SPT = (2,4,4) N* = 8		6 -	X	at 6.25m,becoming CLAY with trace silt: light bluish grey						100									SPT	-
					7 -	X	mottled orange at 6.45m,becoming light greyish brown streaked orange at 7.30m,becoming dark															a 3	-
					8 -	× × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × ×	bluish grey mottled orange at 8.00m,becoming dark bluish grey						73									OB / PQ3	-
		8.5	Peak = 75kPa Residual = 6kPa		-	X			St				100									OB / PQ3	-
		9.0 9.0	Peak = 81kPa Residual = 6kPa SPT = (2,2,3) N* = 5		9 -	X_ X							100									SPT	-
					10 -	X	at 9.80m,becoming silty CLAY with trace sand: dark bluish grey. Sand is fine						100									OB / PQ3	-

Termination Reason: Target depth reached Shear Vane No: DCP No:

Remarks:

BOREHOLE LOG - MH01-20

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd

Project: Wainui to Lysnar Tunnel Site Location: Lysnar Road Project No.: AKL2018-0171

Date: 05/03/2020



Borehole Location: Refer to site plan Logged by: AA Checked by: CR Scale: 1:50 Sheet 2 of 2

Position: 1747732.7mE; 5947695.6mN Projection: NZTM2000 Angle from horizontal: 90° Datum: AUCKHT1946 Elevation: 10.00m Survey Source: Hand Help GPS Material Description
Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/geological unit)
Rock: Colour, fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Defect Structure & Other Observations Consistency/ Relative Density Estimated Drilling Method/ Support Samples & Insitu Tests Moisture Condition Weathering Spacing Ξ Strength Recovery Ξ (mm) Discontinuities: Depth: Defect Groundwa Graphic I R Well Number; Defect Type; Dip; Defect Shape; Roughness; Aperture; Infill; Seepage; Spacing; Block Size; Block Shape; Remarks Depth 귒 Depth Type & Results at 10.10m, ...contains decomposing wood fragments Peak = 60kPa Residual = 15kPa SPT = (2,4,4) N* = 8 at 10.50m, ...becoming dark arev 8 SPT 11 PQ3 8 0B/ -1.8 SW: Medium SAND with trace silt: 12 dark grey. Well graded, sub 12.0 Residual = 6kPa SPT = (2,3,4) N* = 7 angular. 100 (Alluvium) -2.4 CH: CLAY with minor silt : dark bluish grey. High Plasticity -2.8 100 (Alluvium) 12.8-13.0m:1,CS, Cl: SILTSTONE, dark brown, OB) Weathered to Silty CLAY: dark Peak = UTP 13.1-13.5m:15,JN,45°, 13.1 -3.1 brown. Low plasticity. (Transitional Northland Allochthon) 13.3m:1,CS, SILTSTONE, dark greyish brown (Northland Allochthon) -3.5 28 89 SANDSTONE, light greenish grey. È (Northland Allochthon) 13.9m:1.B.45°. 14.0 14 (22,34,16/100mm) SPT 0 c $N^* = 50+$ 14.2-15.5m:8.B.30°. -4.2 SILTSTONE, dark greenish grey streaked white (Northland Allochthon) Б Б 100 73 15 15.5 SPT = (50/20mm) N* = 50+ -5.5 15.5-16.4m:4,B,15°, SILTSTONE, dark grey. (Northland Allochthon) 16 9 47 16.4-16.5m:1,CS, -6.5 SANDSTONE, dark grey. (Northland Allochthon) 16.8m:1,B,10°, SPT = (50/20mm) N* = 50+ 17 Borehole terminated at 17.00 m 18 19 20

Termination Reason: Target depth reached Shear Vane No: DCP No:

Remarks:

BOREHOLE LOG - MH07-18

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd

Project: Wainui to Lysnar Tunnel Site Location: Lysnar Road Project No.: AKL2018-0171

Date: 26/10/2018



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Borehole Location: Refer to site plan Logged by: JW Checked by: MJC Scale: 1:50 Sheet 1 of 2

Position: 1747806.0mE; 5947800.0mN Projection: NZTM Angle from horizontal: 90° Datum: AUCKHT1946 Survey Source: Hand Held GPS Elevation: 10.50m Material Description
Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/geological unit)
Rock: Colour, fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Defect Structure & Other Observations Estimated Consistency/ Relative Density Drilling Method/ Support Samples & Insitu Tests Moisture Condition Weathering Spacing Ξ Recovery Strength Ξ (mm) Discontinuities: Depth: Defect Groundwa Graphic I RØD Well Number; Defect Type; Dip; Defect Shape; Roughness; Aperture; Infill; Seepage; Spacing; Block Size; Block Shape; Remarks Depth 귒 Depth Type & Results S M ¥ S S 10.5 10.4 PQ3 CH: Silty CLAY: light brownish 100 М VSt grey. High plasticity. 0B/ (Alluvium)
CH: CLAY: with minor silt and Peak = 110kPa Residual = 46kPa 0.5 10.0 minor organics, brownish grey streaked black. High plasticity. Mottled orange. (Alluvium) PQ3 8 2.0-2.5 1 U63 2.0m: washed out to 2.0m as 2 couldn't retain sample Push Tube Sample SPT PQ3 8 OB Peak = 25kPa 3.0-3.4m: core lose, couldn't 3.0 3.0 3 Residual = 12kPa retain sample in barrel SPT = (0.0.0) N* = 0 CH: CLAY: with some silt; greyish green. High plasticity. PQ3 (Alluvium) OB 6.6 CH: Silty CLAY: greyish green. 100 4 High plasticity. (Alluvium) Peak = 112kPa Residual = 26kPa SPT = (3,5,7) N* = 12 90 VSt SPT PQ3 8 8 2 U63 Peak = 84kPa Residual = 28kPa 6.0-6.5 6.0 Push Tube Sample CH: CLAY: with minor silt; greyish green. High plasticity, Trace organic inclusions, trace fine 9 SPT grained relict SILTSTONE clasts. (Alluvium) 6.5m: washed out to 7.0m, couldn't retain sample TT / HQ3 29 CH: Silty CLAY: greyish green. High plasticity, Completely weathered with some blocky structure. 2.9 (Northland Allochthon)
Grey, MUDSTONE. Very SPT = (6,7,13) N* = 8.0 8 shattered. Weathered to Silty Clay, grayish green, very stiff to hard. 100 SPT High plasticity. (Northland Allochthon) 2.0 8.5m: loosing approximately ... at 8.70m, becoming grey
Grey, MUDSTONE. Extremely shattered. Angular to sub angular, fine gravel to coarse gravel and 92 1.5 9 cobbles. Clay along some fracture surfaces. (Northland Allochthon) Grey, MUDSTONE. Extremely 9.5 SPT = shattered, medium to coarse (38,15/25mm) N* = 50+ gravel sized. Angular to sub angular, (NORTHLAND 100 ALLOCHTHON). 0.5 10 (Northland Allochthon)

Termination Reason: Target depth reached Shear Vane No: DCP No:

Remarks: Double piezometer installed from 0.0m to 8.0m and 0.0m to 12.5m.

BOREHOLE LOG - MH07-18

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Ltd

Project: Wainui to Lysnar Tunnel Site Location: Lysnar Road Project No.: AKL2018-0171

Date: 26/10/2018



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Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/geological unit)
Rock: Colour, fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Defect Consistency/ Relative Density Estimated Drilling Method/ Support Samples & Insitu Tests Moisture Condition Weathering Spacing Ξ Recovery Strength Ξ (mm) Discontinuities: Depth: Defect Groundwa Graphic I R Well Number; Defect Type; Dip; Defect Shape; Roughness; Aperture; Infill; Seepage; Spacing; Block Size; Block Shape; Remarks Depth 귒 Depth Type & Results 8 & M € & S 0.3 100 Grey, MUDSTONE. Extremely fractured. Weather to Silty Clay, light grey, very stiff to hard. Low plasticity., (NORTHLAND ALLOCHTHON). (Northland Allochthon) 100 10.7-11.0m: washed out due to sample being being too shattered to retain -0.5 11 8 Grey, MUDSTONE. Very shattered. Angular to sub Angular, fine sand to fine gravel sized D to M 9 80 È clasts. Weathered to Silty Clay, grayish green, very stiff to hard. High plasticity. (Northland Allochthon) 100 73 12 Borehole terminated at 12.50 m 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

Termination Reason: Target depth reached Shear Vane No: DCP No:

Remarks: Double piezometer installed from 0.0m to 8.0m and 0.0m to 12.5m.

BOREHOLE LOG - MH04-23

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Limited

Project: Waterloo Creek Bridge Site Location: Milldale Stage 10/11 Project No.: AKL2023-0202

Date: 29/08/2023

Logged by: ZW/

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Borehole Location: Refer to Site Plan Checked by: MJC Scale: 1:50 Sheet 1 of 2

Projection: EDENMT2000 Angle from horizontal: 90° Position: 390019.3mE; 830479.0mN Datum: AUCKHT1946 Survey Source: Handheld GPS Elevation: 7.87m Structure & Other Observations Material Description Defect Drilling Method/ Support Consistency/ Relative Density Estimated Material Description

Soil: Soil symbol; soil type; colour; structure; bedding; plasticity; sensitivity; additional comments. (origin/geological unit)

Rock: Colour; fabric; rock name; additional comments. (origin/geological unit) Samples & Insitu Tests Weathering Spacing Moisture Condition Recovery $\widehat{\mathbf{E}}$ (mm) Discontinuities: Depth: Defect RQD Well Graphic Number; Defect Type; Dip; Defect Shape; Roughness; Aperture; Infill; Seepage; Spacing; Block Size; Block Shape; Remarks Groundw Depth 귐 Depth Type & Results OL: Clayey SILT: Dark brown. Low plasticity. Minor organic material PQ3 40 7.6 present as decomposing tree 0B/ roots. 0.5 Peak = 109kPa (Topsoil)
CH: Silty CLAY : Greyish brown, PQ3 St to 86 streaked orange. High plasticity. With minor rootlets. OB 6.9 1.0 Peak = UTP (Alluvium)
... at 0.54m, Becoming mottled PQ3 89 orange with limonite staining.
CH: Silty CLAY: Grey, mottled 8 SPT: N* = 20 (/8, 12) Peak = UTP brown. High plasticity. With trace gravel. Gravel is fine, highly 8 SPT weathered, extremely weak SILTSTONE. 6.0 (Mangakahia Complex)
... from 1.56m to 1.87m, Becoming 5.8 100 Pg3 grey, mottled black.

ML: Sandy SILT: Grey. Low plasticity. Poorly graded. Sand is 2.4-2.5m:1,JN,75°,PL,R,CL,C_ /HQ3 fine grained. 86 (Mangakahia Complex)
MH: SILT: Dark grey. Low plasticity. È 5.1 Completely weathered. Dark grey SILTSTONE. Extremely weak. 3.0 SPT: Nc = 26 (/12,14) SPT 0 (Mangakahia Complex) from 2.58m to 2.80m, Becoming 4.4 dark brown. MH: SILT: Light grey. With minor clay and gravel. Completely weathered. Extremely weak 3.6-3.7m:1,JN,40°,PL,R,CL,C Н 100 100 SILTSTONE. È (Mangakahia Complex)
SILTSTONE: Highly weathered Light grey. SILTSTONE: Extremely weak. Highly fractured, angular, 4.5 SPT: Nc = 27 (/13, 14) tightly interlocking fabric. Gravel is fine to medium. SPT (Mangakahia Complex) Н 8 8 È 6.0 SPT: Nc = 35 (/ 18, 17) SPT 0 from 6.50m to 6.80m, Retrieved as clayey SILT, with some fine to medium angular gravel . HQ3 9 9 È (120, 22)SPT 0 8 НОЗ 9 001 at 8.50m. Some fine to coarse È angular gravel inclusions, moderately weathered, extremely 9.0 SPT: Nc = 40 9 (/20, 20)SPT TT / HQ3 100 100

Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached. Shear Vane No: 3661 DCP No:

Remarks: Piezometer installed.

BOREHOLE LOG - MH04-23

Client: Fulton Hogan Land Development Limited

Project: Waterloo Creek Bridge Site Location: Milldale Stage 10/11 Project No.: AKL2023-0202

Date: 29/08/2023

Logged by: ZW/

Checked by: MJC Scale:

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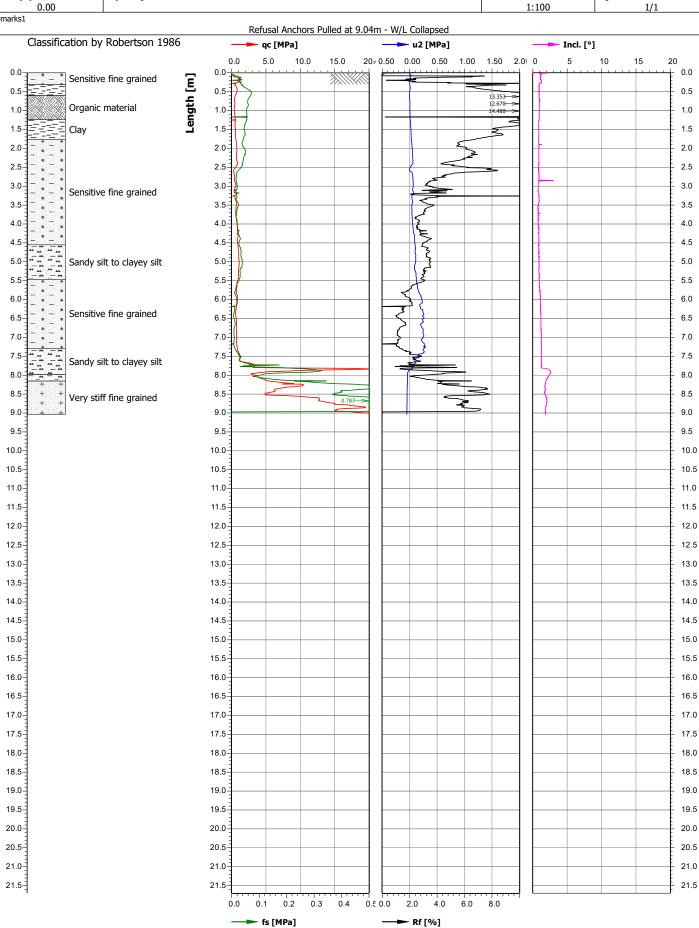
Borehole Location: Refer to Site Plan Sheet 2 of 2 Projection: EDENMT2000 Position: 390019.3mE; 830479.0mN Angle from horizontal: 90° Datum: AUCKHT1946

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			12.0	SPT: Nc = 46		11	× × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × ×							100	100						TT/HQ3	11.5m:1,JN,25°,PL,CN,		
				(/16,30)		-	× × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × ×							0							SPT	- - - -		
	-				-5.3	13 —	× × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × × ×	SILTSTONE: Highly weathered.	-					100	100						TT/HQ3	12.8m:1,JN,80°,PL,CN, -		
			13.5	SPT: Nc = 50+ (/ 36, 14 for 50mm)		- - - -		Grey, mottled dark grey brown and occasional orange brown. Massive MUDSTONE. Extremely weak. Intermixed SILTSTONE (Mangakahia Complex)						0							SPT	13.4m:1,JN,15°,PL,CN, - - -		
						14 —		(Hukerenui Mudstone)						100	103						TT / HQ3			
			15.0	SPT: Nc = 50+ (/ 30, 20 for 75mm)		15 -								0							SPT	- - - - -		
			16.5	SPT: Nc = 50+	-7.8	16 —	×××; ×××; ×××; ×××; ×××;	SILTSTONE: Highly weathered. Grey. SILTSTONE. Extremely weak. Highly fractured, angular, tightly interlocking fabric. Gravel is fine to medium. (Mangakahia Complex) from 15.69m to 15.78m,						100	52						TT/HQ3	- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -		
				(/ 26, 24 for 15mm)		17 —		Retrieved as silty GRAVEL, with trace clay. Gravel is fine to medium, angular. from 16.05m to 16.15m, Retrieved as silty GRAVEL. Gravel						0							SPT	- - -		
						- 18 —		fine to medium, angular. Borehole terminated at 16.50 m														- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -		
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						20 —																- - - - - -		

Termination Reason: Target Depth Reached. Shear Vane No: 3661 DCP No:

Remarks: Piezometer installed.

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APPENDIX E

Annexure 9 - Geotechnical



Milldale Fast-Track

29/07/2025 – Auckland Council Response

Annexure 9:

Geotechnical



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Date: 16/07/2025

1.0 APPLICATION DESCRIPTION

Application and property details

Fast-Track project name: Milldale

Fast-Track application number: BUN60446761 & FTAA-2503-1038

Site address: Wainui Road, Upper Orewa

2.0 Executive Summary / Principal Issues

A consent is sought for the Milldale Development that involves Stages 10-13 and Stage 4C works, together with a supporting temporary Wastewater Treatment Plant. We have undertaken a regulatory geotechnical review based on the information provided and outlined in Section 3.0. While the information provided appears to be generally reasonable for the proposed development, we have identified inconsistencies and missing information in certain areas which raise concern whether the risk posed by geohazards has been fully captured. Based on discussion with the applicant's geotechnical engineer CMW, we understand that our queries would be addressed via an addendum, which has not been provided at the time of writing this memo.

A more detailed breakdown is included below

Stage 10-13:

We consider additional characterisation of geohazards including settlement monitoring of filling works and slope stability analyses is necessary to inform E12, E36 and E38 assessment.



We have queried if the cross sections utilised for slope stability analyses are representative as the most critical cases, particularly around if deeper softened alluvium material could be present. Furthermore, we have also raised concern that some geotechnical design parameters were identified in the report but not utilised in the current slope stability analyses.

There are a number of inconsistencies and missing components in the information provided, such as investigation records (TPO4-24), lack of assessment of impact for the proposed stockpile location, lack of commentary on boundary stability, lack of consideration on stream meandering and its impact on the proposed development, reinforced slopes which are shown in P24-128-00-0013-SU however are omitted from the remedial slope stability analyses etc.

Stage 4C:

We identified a lack of site investigations to support reporting, assessment and recommendations.

The geotechnical assessment for this area of work was assessed on the basis of existing information on and surrounding this site, as well as previous construction activities that were conducted on this site (e.g., preloading). However, we were not made available to these supporting documents and therefore are unable to verify the relevance or applicability of the referenced information on the intended works for Stage 4C. Geological cross section(s) is also missing from the submission, which its presence would largely aid in understanding the underlying geological conditions of the site and thus informing the potential geohazards.

With the available information supported, we note that earthworks and retaining are intended to be staged but details to clarify how stability will be maintained between the substages of Stage 4C2 - 5 (particularly where earthworks and retaining are proposed at the stage boundaries) remain lacking. This is necessary to inform E12 and E38 assessment.

WWTP:

We consider there to be some gaps in the information provided, particularly with historical geotechnical reporting not supplied and how the deep ground profile was developed. Additionally, the evidence provided does not wholly address potential for global instability as the site is underlain by Allochthonous materials and the proposal seeks to create slopes up to 1V:3H. This is necessary to inform E12 assessment.

3.0 Documents Reviewed

Stage 10-13:

- Geotechnical Investigation Report by CMW Geosciences (Reference: AKL2024-0257AB Rev3, dated 24 March 2025)
- Consent Drawings by Woods (Title: Milldale Fast Track Stages 10-13 Rev1, dated February 2025)

Stage 4C:



- Geotechnical Assessment Report by CMW Geosciences (Reference: AKL2024-0257AD Rev1, dated 20 February 2025)
- Consent Drawings by Woods (Title: Milldale Fast Track Stages 4C Rev1, dated February 2025)

WWTP:

- Geotechnical Investigation Report by CMW Geosciences (Reference: AKL2024-0185AC Rev1, dated 26 February 2025)
- Consent Drawings by Woods (Title: Milldale Fast Track Private Wastewater Treatment Plant Rev1, dated February 2025)

Conditions:

• Milldale Stages 10-13, 4C and WWTP Proposed Conditions of Consent, Rev1, dated 28 March 2025

4.0 Additional Reasons for Consent Not included in AEE

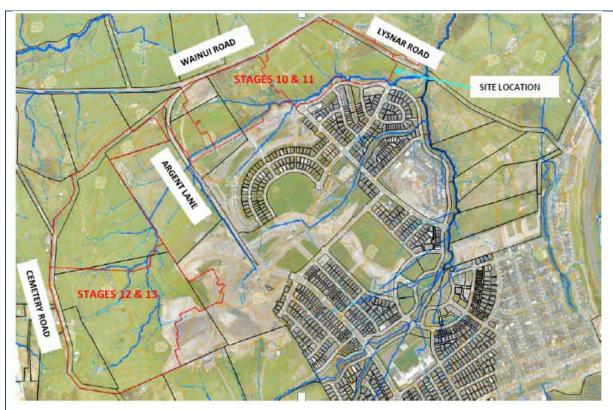
• Stage 10 – 13 AEE excludes E36 for land which may be subject to land instability. We anticipate that despite historic reporting for the wider area, the geotechnical reporting may not be specific to the intended works and may be a reason for consent as a restricted discretionary activity.

5.0 Specialist Assessment

Overall Site Plan

Stage 10-13:



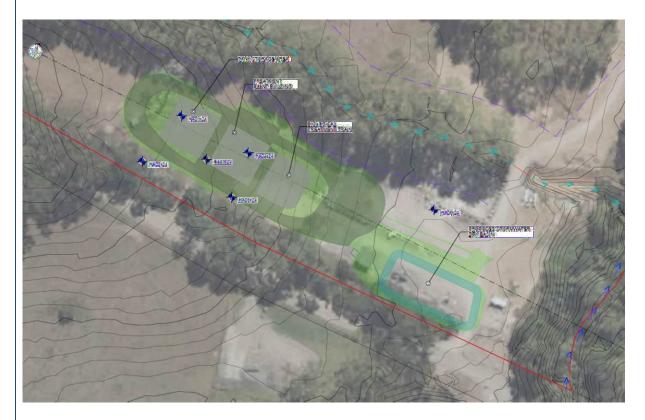


Stage 4C:





WWTP:



The documents reviewed have been included in Section 3.0 above.

1. Stage 10-13:

Geohazards:

Geohazards such as land instability, liquefaction, compressible soil has been discussed in the reporting provided. Mitigation measures in the form of retaining walls, shear keys, engineered fill buttresses, underfill drain etc. have been proposed to mitigate the identified geohazards.

A development restriction zone plan to protect the proposed reinforced earth batters should be provided in a Geotechnical Completion Report.

Slope stability

The analyses results and approach undertaken are generally reasonable, where the proposal achieves the minimum factor of safety requirements at the location of the areas of development under the Auckland Council Code of Practice for land development and subdivision. However, we have noticed some concerns.

 Softened alluvium material was identified in the site investigation. There is no cross section or slope stability analysis along the existing overland flow path where the softened alluvium material is expected to be the deepest.



- The design parameters utilised in the slope stability analyses have omitted the 'softened base contact' material that was previously identified in the geotechnical reporting.
- There is a proposed stockpile area located above a gully feature and overland flow path, which may pose a risk of instability. This was not addressed in detail in the geotechnical report.

Based on discussions with CMW Geosciences, the design parameters will be updated to align with the reporting, additional sensitivity assessment will be carried out to verify the effects of deeper softened alluvium material, and a memo will be provided to address the location and effects for the stockpile. Further, slope stability analyses which had missing information (e.g., outputs for Cross Section A are not presented in the 'remediation outputs' figure when remediation has been identified as being required), adopted retaining structure parameters was not labeled in the outputs. These inconsistencies and omissions in the slope stability analyses are understood to be provided as an addendum to the current geotechnical report. This addendum was not received at the time of this memo.

Effects on boundary excavation

We note cut works have been proposed along the site boundary with no comments made in the geotechnical report regarding how stability will be maintained. CMW informs they will be providing further clarification on this matter. We expect a preliminary construction methodology to be necessary to address this concern.

Significant filling

Significant filling may incur subsidence through ground settlement. We understand that this has been addressed via proposed preloading on site as well as implementation of a settlement monitoring plan. We find this approach generally agreeable, however, it is noted that the t90 timeframe (time to reach 90% of consolidation settlement) was not explicitly stated in the geotechnical report and only partially addressed with reference to t90 observed for filling works done in nearby areas.

We have reviewed the provided Earthworks Specification as part of the geotechnical report. The content of the document is generally reasonable. We sought clarity from CMW on whether the earthworks relating to the structural components of the project will be covered by this Earthworks Specification (e.g. backfill of retaining walls, fill works of reinforced slopes etc.), which we understood that it would be.

It was noted that the compaction acceptance criteria proposed in the specification deviate from the recommendations of NZS 4431:2022 (which was referenced in the Specification). Our understanding is that CMW will be providing additional clarification to verify that the deviation in industry standards will be able to produce compacted hardfill that is fit for purpose for the site.

Liquefaction potential has been discussed in the geotechnical report. CMW concludes that 'the site is expected to perform relatively well with negligible liquefaction induced settlement'.

Inconsistencies:



We also have noticed the following inconsistencies within the geotechnical report, as well as between the report and the lodged plans, including:

- Missing labels in the geological cross section e.g., groundwater table, proposed remedial works, lot boundaries/accessways etc. We consider these necessary to show underlying geological conditions and therefore ascertain expected geohazards which may be endured. Of note, CMW has explained that groundwater table in the underlying material is perched and showing one uniform profile is not representative of the actual condition of the site.
- Missing investigation records for test pit (TP04-24). In follow up conversations we understand that this test was not conducted.
- Draft settlement monitoring plan presented utilises an outdated earthworks plan underlay.
- Civil plans showing the retaining walls do not show the full extent of wall that is considered necessary for remediation purpose by CMW.
- A single site investigation referenced but missing its log sheet in the report.

We understand that these discrepancies will be revised and presented in an updated addendum/drawing set.

Other Matters:

We have highlighted that considerations should be made to the potential migration of streams over the 100-year period for assessment under E36.9(2). Noting that streams can meander and therefore encroach on building platforms/access ways therefore posing a risk to future development and potential development yield. We understand that this is to be addressed by others.

We also noticed that laboratory tests results for this stage of the project are still pending. We have highlighted that this should be provided when available or with updated geotechnical reporting as this can inform on the appropriateness of geotechnical parameters applied in the geohazard analyses.

2. Stage 4C

Geohazards:

No intrusive geotechnical investigation was provided for this stage of works. The geotechnical assessment relied upon reporting from previous stages including investigations and completion reports. While this approach can be acceptable given the context of the site and CMW's long history of involvement, we have not been made available to these supporting documents as part of this consent and are therefore unable to verify the assumptions made in the geotechnical report for this stage of work. We have communicated this to CMW and have been informed that supporting documents referenced in the geotechnical report will be provided.

Slope stability

This was not considered to be a significant concern due to the gently sloping landform. We consider this to be acceptable, but have requested this conclusion to be confirmed in representative geological cross section(s).



Filling

Filling works are proposed on site including near site boundaries, parts of which also include retaining structures at the boundary. We have requested clarification on how stability of the work will be maintained between substages, including a preliminary construction methodology for the proposed retaining structures.

Preloading is reported to have been historically undertaken at the southeast section of the site. The settlement analysis undertaken indicates up to 50mm of post construction settlement may be expected for future development load of 10kPa. On the basis that the planned development does not exceed this load, no further mitigation has been proposed. We suggest that this be communicated to the applicant and included as an advice note or other similar approaches to ensure it is captured. If the proposal deviates from the expected future development load, additional assessment is required to ensure a safe and safe building platform and accessway is achieved.

Liquefaction

Liquefaction potential is based on assessment from reports from previous stages. CMW concludes the site *'is not susceptible to liquefaction'*.

3. WWTP

Geohazards:

Geohazards such as land instability, cut/fill batter stability, compressible soil has been discussed in the reporting provided. No specific mitigation measures was proposed other than excavation and replacement of uncontrolled fill on site. CMW concludes all potential geohazard was considered to have an acceptable risk. We find the information provided to be generally reasonable in supporting the proposed development, but have identified some missing information which we believe relevant to the regulatory review:

- The geotechnical report has references to previous deep investigation undertaken for this site and the adjacent site. However, this information was not provided for our review nor were the previous investigation locations identified on the provided site plan. This raises concerns about the accuracy of the geological long section given that only shallow investigation was completed for this stage of works.
- Indicative groundwater levels and dry basin profile are not presented in the geological long section. This raises uncertainty about how the proposed facility will be affected by the underlying ground condition.

Slope stability

Slope stability was not considered to be a concern due to the gently sloping landform. We noticed that maximum cut and fill batter gradients of 1V:5H and 1V:3H respectively will be created. Given the large surcharge loading and underlying Allochthonous soils, we consider it appropriate to undertake slope stability analyses to demonstrate their stability. Based on conversation with CMW, we understand that additional analyses will be provided.



Filling

Settlement analysis has been undertaken and indicated that predicted post-construction settlements range from 5 to 25 mm and differential settlements from 10 to 25 mm based on a maximum structural bearing pressure of 100 kPa have been estimated. Settlement monitoring has been proposed, and it was recommended that certification of building platform will only take place once settlement targets have been reached. We are agreeable to this approach and recommend the following advice notes:

- structural or civil engineer to confirm the estimated differential settlement of 25mm is acceptable for the proposed wastewater treatment plant.
- settlement analysis to be reassessed if there is a change in the assumed loading.

The provided Earthworks Specification is generally reasonable with exception to the recommended compaction acceptance criteria which deviates from the recommendations of NZS 4431:2022 (which was also referenced by the Specification). Our understanding is that CMW will be providing additional clarification that the variation in requirement will still be able to produce compacted hardfill that is fit for purpose for the site.

6.0 Section 67 Information Gap

I have identified the following Section 67 information gaps:

Information gap	Nature of deficiency	Decision-making impact	Risk / uncertainty created
1. Additional characterization of geohazards required for Stage 10-13 works.	Slope stability analyses to be updated for relevant sensitivity assessment and missing design parameters. Including clarification on how the stockpile location will be affecting the site stability. Additional clarification is to be sought for how stability will be maintained throughout the different substages of the work. Inconsistencies in the reports and drawings to be revised for clarity. Missing laboratory testing to verify applied parameters to geohazards.	Geohazard risks not fully captured in current assessment.	High Potential for inadequate assessment of affecting geohazards.
2. Lack of site- specific	Relating previous investigation information that was referenced,	Cannot accurately assess the	High
investigation	and geological long section is to	appropriateness on	



information to support the geotechnical reporting, assessment and recommendatio ns of Stage 4C works.	be provided to justify how the assessment outcome was reached.	how the provided assessment were undertaken due to lack of information.	Potential for inadequate assessment of affecting geohazards.
3. Partially missing information to justify the geohazard assessment outcome of the WWTP.	Relating previous investigation information that was referenced to be provided to justify the accuracy of the provided geological long section. Slope stability analyses to demonstrate stability of proposed permanent batters.	Geohazard risks not fully captured in current assessment.	Moderate Potential for unforeseen risks in underlying geohazards and impacting serviceability for wider developments.

7.0 Recommendation

Based on the information available, there are information gaps and inconsistencies in the geotechnical aspect of the consent which restricts the validity of geohazard characterisation and assessment. I recommend further information is provided to support the consent and such information should be supplied and reviewed prior to consent issue.

8.0 Proposed Conditions

Stage 10-13:

We notice that **Conditions 43 and 44** appear to be in duplication on what they intend to achieve. We recommend removing Condition 43 in favour of Condition 44 to make clear on the expected completion documentation requirements.

We also suggest the following amendments to be considered for the conditions below:

Lanc	l-use Condition	Commentary
12	Settlement Monitoring Plan	Change from 'shall' to 'must' to align with
	A Settlement Monitoring Plan (SMP) for	current practice.
	consolidation settlement due to placement	
	of fill must be submitted to the Council prior	We also highlight that the acronym for the
	to commencement of earthworks onsite.	settlement monitoring plan (SMP) is
	The SMP must be prepared by a suitably	similar to the site management & remedial
	qualified geotechnical engineering	action plan (SMP/RAP) and may cause
	professional. Any proposed amendment to	confusion.



the SMP must also be submitted to the Council. The SMP must include, as a minimum, the following information: a) A monitoring location plan showing the layout and type of all settlement monitoring stations within the fill areas; b) Timing and frequency of survey of the settlement monitoring stations; and c) Define the settlement criteria to be met on completion of earthworks. Referenced document outdated. Most up **Geotechnical Works - Supervision and** 26 Certification to date version is Rev3, dated 24 March All earthworks including the construction 2025 of retaining walls, building foundations and the placement and compaction of fill material must be supervised by a suitably qualified geo-professional. In supervising the works, the suitably qualified geoprofessional must ensure that they are constructed and otherwise completed in general accordance with the "Geotechnical Investigation Report, ref: AKL2024-0257AB, Rev. 2, prepared by CMW Geosciences, dated 25 February 2025" including the engineering plans and geotechnical recommendations, relevant engineering codes of practice and detailed plans forming part of the application. The supervising engineer's contact details must be provided in writing to the Council at least two weeks prior to earthworks commencing on site. 44 We suggest the inclusion of a statement of **Geotechnical Completion Report** At the completion of each stage of professional opinion and certified as-built plans as part of the GCR requirements. earthworks, a Geotechnical Completion Report (GCR) prepared by suitably qualified engineering professional must be provided to the Council to confirm the suitability of the site for the intended development. The GCR must include (but not to be limited to): a) Earthworks operations (e.g. excavations, filling works, replacement of unsuitable materials etc); b) Retaining wall and reinforced earth slope construction; c) Settlement monitoring; d) Testing; and e) Inspections. Statement of professional opinion g) Certified as-built plans



The GCR must also provide justification on soil expansivity, foundation design parameters, and settlement criteria defined in the SMP (as per condition 10) have been met. The GCR must be provided to the satisfaction of the Council.

Advice Notes

- Further investigation/testing may be required to determine soil expansivity.
- A building consent may be required for the construction of retaining walls and reinforced earth slope.
- Please send documents required as a condition of consent for the Council to: monitoring@aucklandCouncil.govt.nz

69 Design and Construction of Earthworks and Retaining Walls

The design and construction of the earthworks and retaining walls must be undertaken in general accordance with the specifications contained in the following documents:

- a) A report titled "Geotechnical Investigation Report, ref: AKL2024-0257AB, Rev. 2, prepared by CMW Geosciences, dated 25 February 2025" referenced in condition 1.
- b) Engineering plans "Milldale Fast track Stages 10 - 13", prepared by Woods, dated Feb 2025" referenced in condition 1.
- c) A report titled "Earthworks
 Methodology Report Milldale
 Earthworks 10 13, Version 1, prepared
 by Woods, dated 19 March 2025"
 referenced in condition 1.

Referenced document outdated. Most up to date version is Rev3, dated 24 March 2025

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The Consent Holder must construct retaining walls, construct reinforced earth slopes and place and compact material in general accordance with the recommendations of the "Geotechnical Assessment Report, ref AKL2024-0257AD, Rev. 1 prepared by CMW Geosciences, dated 20 February 2025" and subsequent

Referenced document seems to be in error as this is the geotechnical report for Stage 4C works



Council approved versions to ensure the site
is stable and suitable for development.

Stage 4C - Phase 1:

Condition 22 may require an update to reflect updated geotechnical reporting noting that lack of site investigations undertaken. In addition, we suggest the following amendments to be considered for the conditions below:

Land	l-use Condition	Commentary
14	Settlement Monitoring Plan	Change from 'shall' to 'must' to align with
	A Settlement Monitoring Plan (SMP) for	current practice.
	consolidation settlement due to placement	
	of fill must be submitted to the Council prior	We also highlight that the acronym for the
	to commencement of earthworks onsite.	settlement monitoring plan (SMP) is
	The SMP must be prepared by a suitably	similar to the site management & remedial
	qualified geotechnical engineering	action plan (SMP/RAP) and may cause
	professional. Any proposed amendment to	confusion.
	the SMP must also be submitted to the	
	Council. The SMP must include, as a	
	minimum, the following information:	
	a) A monitoring location plan showing the	
	layout and type of all settlement	
	monitoring stations within the fill areas;	
	b) Timing and frequency of survey of the	
	settlement monitoring stations; and	
	c) Define the settlement criteria to be met	
	on completion of earthworks.	
29	Geotechnical Completion Report	We suggest the inclusion of certified as-
	A Geotechnical Completion Report (GCR)	built plans as part of the GCR
	which includes a statement of professional	requirements.
	opinion for the suitability of the site for the	
	intended development, signed by a	
	chartered geo-professional must be	
	provided to the Council. The GCR must	
	include (but not to be limited to):	
	a) Earthworks operations (e.g.	
	excavations, filling works, replacement	
	of unsuitable materials etc);	
	b) Retaining walls;	
	c) Settlement monitoring;	
	d) Testing; and	
	e) Inspections.	
	f) Certified as-built plans	
	The GCR must also provide justification on	
	soil expansivity, building and/or earthworks	
	limitations, and foundation design	



parameters. The GCR must be provided to
the satisfaction of the Council.
Advice Notes
 Further investigation/testing may be
required to determine soil expansivity.
A building consent may be required for
the construction of retaining walls.
Please send documents required as a
condition of consent for 'The Council' to:

Stage 4C - Phase 2:

We suggest the following amendments to be considered for the conditions below:

monitoring@aucklandCouncil.govt.nz

Land	-use Condition	Commentary
20	Geotechnical Completion Report	We suggest the inclusion of a statement of
	A Geotechnical Completion Report (GCR)	professional opinion and certified as-built
	prepared by suitably qualified engineering	plans as part of the GCR requirements.
	professional must be provided to the	
	Council to confirm the suitability of the site	
	for the intended development. The GCR	
	must include (but not to be limited to):	
	a) Earthworks operations (e.g.	
	excavations, filling works, replacement	
	of unsuitable materials etc);	
	b) Retaining wall;	
	c) Settlement monitoring;	
	d) Testing; and	
	e) Inspections.	
	f) Statement of professional opinion	
	g) Certified as-built plans	
	The GCR must also provide justification on	
	soil expansivity, building and/or earthworks	
	limitations, and foundation design	
	parameters. The GCR must be provided to	
	the satisfaction of the Council.	
	Advice Notes	
	Further investigation/testing may be	
	required to determine soil expansivity.	
	Historic pre-loading and settlement	
	analyses is based on a future	
	development load of 10kPa. If there is an	
	increase in anticipated loading, further	
	assessment may be required.	



•	A building consent may be required for
	the construction of retaining walls.
•	Please send documents required as a
	condition of consent for 'The Council' to:
	monitoring@aucklandCouncil.govt.nz

WWTP:

Given the relatively small scale of work, we consider it may not be necessary to condition a full geotechnical completion report as outlined in Condition 27. We recommend revising it to be more akin to Condition 43 for the Stage 10-13 works.



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Geotechnical Background Information

Auckland Council has asked for copies of geotechnical reports completed for previous Milldale Stages in their formal feedback to the Panel. These files are information that relate to previous stages of the Milldale development and not directly to the Substantive Application.

This background reporting consists of large files and as it is not directly relevant to Milldale Stages 10 – 13, Stage 4C and the Wastewater Treatment Plant it has not been uploaded into the EPA portal.

The background information requested will be issued via a OneDrive download link which will be shared with the following email recipients:

- Carly Hinde: carly.hinde@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz
- Luke Xu: luke.xu@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz

If any additional recipients require access, please advise and we will update the sharing permissions accordingly.

The background information that has been compiled includes the following documents:

Stage 4C

- Geotechnical Investigation Report Milldale Stages 2 & 3
- Geotechnical Investigation Report Milldale Earthworks 3A
- Geotechnical Investigation Report Milldale Subdivision Stage 4
- Earthfills Completion Report Milldale Earthworks 2 & 2A (Wainui East)
- Earthfills Completion Report Milldale Earthworks 3A
- Geotechnical Letter Stage 4C-1 Earthworks Consent
- Geotechnical Completion Report Milldale Stage 4C-1

Wastewater Treatment Plant

Geotechnical Investigation Report - Milldale Stage 8