Technical Memo



TE PUNA STATION ROAD

Te Puna Road Intersection Constructability

Te Puna Industrial Limited

TO: Te Puna Industrial Limited (TPIL) HG PROJECT NO: A2314643.00

FROM: Harrison Grierson DATE: 17th April 2024 (rev B)

1.0 Introduction

This memorandum has been prepared by Harrison Grierson on behalf of TPIL to assess and summarise the constructability of the proposed upgrade of the intersection of Te Puna Station Road and Te Puna Road.

Compliance with WESTERN Bay of Plenty District Council development code will be implemented at the detailed engineering design stage.

Harrison Transportation provided a 2D geometrical design for the proposed intersection widening and upgrade.

The subject site is situated at the intersection of Te Puna Station Road and Te Puna Road, Te Puna, approximately five kilometres outside of Tauranga within the Bay of Plenty region. It comprises a T-intersection formed by two existing public roads, with Te Puna Road extending from north to south and intersected by Te Puna Station Road from the southeast. The surrounding area is predominantly rural, featuring a mix of horticultural, agricultural, and light industrial zones alongside residential properties.

TPIL owns land approximately five hundred meters along Te Puna Station Road. Detailed depictions of the site's extent and its surrounding area can be found in **Figures 1 and 2**.

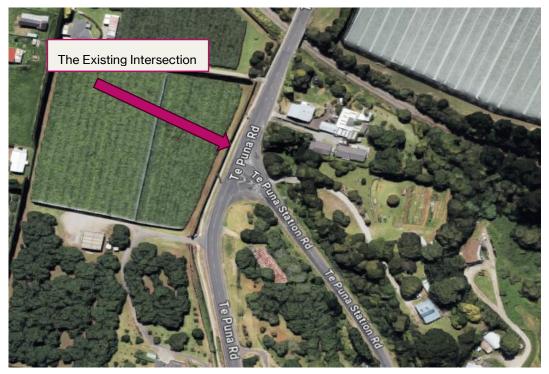


FIGURE 1: AERIAL VIEW OF THE EXISTING SITE (SOURCE: GOOGLE MAPS, MARCH 2024)



FIGURE 2: 3D IMAGE OF EXISTING INTERSECTION (SOURCE: HARRISON GRIERSON TOPO SURVEY)

Te Puna Station Road is a primary collector road as per the Waka Kotahi NZ Transport Agency One Network Road Classification. It is comprised of two lanes – one south-east bound and one north-westbound. Te Puna Road is also a primary collector road as per the same classification. It is a two-lane road, comprising a north-bound lane and a south-bound lane. As per the Western Bay of Plenty Operative District Plan, nearby land to the east of Te Puna Road, along Te Puna Staton Road, is zoned industrial, whilst the remainder of the immediately surrounding land is zoned rural. Land to the south, towards State Highway 2, includes horticultural post-harvest and commercial zoning.

The requirement to upgrade the intersection was raised during the recent plan change process, and whilst the timing of the required works has been linked to the development of Te Puna Business Park, the safety concerns raised are existing and affect current / local traffic users.

Vehicle tracking to inform the intersection redesign, inclusive of heavy vehicle traffic, was completed by Harrison Transportation and can be found under **Appendix A**.

2.0 Scope of Work and Methodology

Harrison Grierson was engaged by TPIL to assess the constructability of the proposed intersection upgrade and to prepare a set of drawings to demonstrate and support our assessment.

The proposed intersection layout was overlain with the surveyed road boundaries, existing ground contours and existing road layout to ensure that the proposed design will fit within the legal road boundaries.

An assessment of other factors and physical features, which may influence the safety and visibility of the intersection, was also undertaken. This included identifying existing features including utility, services, existing driveways, mailboxes and other street furniture.

The proposed design is shown in Figure 3 below. The full Harrison Transportation drawing set, including vehicle tracking, is included under **Appendix A**.

Three cross sections have been created along the approaches to the intersection: one along Te Puna Station Road and two along Te Puna Road. These sections serve to illustrate the current ground surface, delineate the road reserve boundary, outline the existing road layout, and depict the proposed road widening. The drawings, prepared by Harrison Grierson, which include the proposed layout and overlays as well as these sections, are included in **Appendix B.**

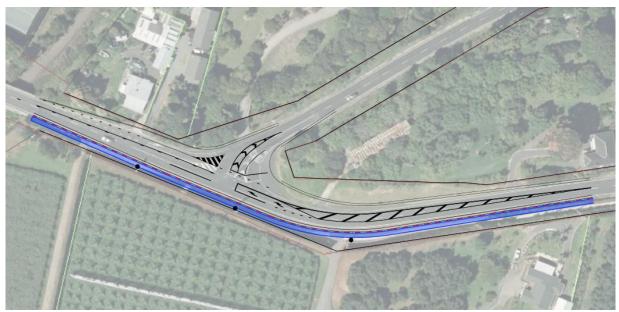


FIGURE 3: PROPSOED ROAD GEOMETERY (SOURCE: HARRISON TRANSPORTATION)

3.0 Conclusions

The proposed intersection layout falls within the legal road reserve boundary. At the closest point, the proposed design is approximately 1 metre away from the legal boundary line on the western side of Te Puna Road.

The proposed upgrade, as currently designed, will be constrained by a number of existing features, including four overhead power poles, several mailboxes, and an 'armco' crash-barrier, all of which will need to be relocated / modified to accommodate the proposed intersection upgrade. Refer to **Figure 4**.

The proposed widening will also require retaining structures to be built on property boundaries, as there is insufficient land available between the extent of the proposed road and the legal boundaries to construct a batter. It is anticipated two structures will be required: one approximately 0.5 metres in height and one approximately 1.5 metres in height. There are several types of retaining structure that may be suitable in these locations, the options for which will be investigated as part of the detailed engineering design for the intersection upgrade.

It may also be necessary to trim / remove some existing vegetation and trees to provide the required visibility splays. An assessment of the proposed visibility splays at the intersections has been prepared – refer drawing **Appendix A**.

From the existing topographical survey, there are six private driveways adjacent to the proposed intersection upgrade. The visibility assessment undertaken indicates the existing driveway located at the corner of Te Puna Station Road suffers from insufficient visibility for vehicles traveling from north of Te Puna Road, heading south. For additional details, please refer to Harrison Grierson drawing A2314643-202 (cyan coloured visibility splay lines).



FIGURE 3: LOOKING DOWN TE PUNA ROAD TOWARDS THE INTERSECTION WITH TE PUNA STATION ROAD

4.0 Limitations

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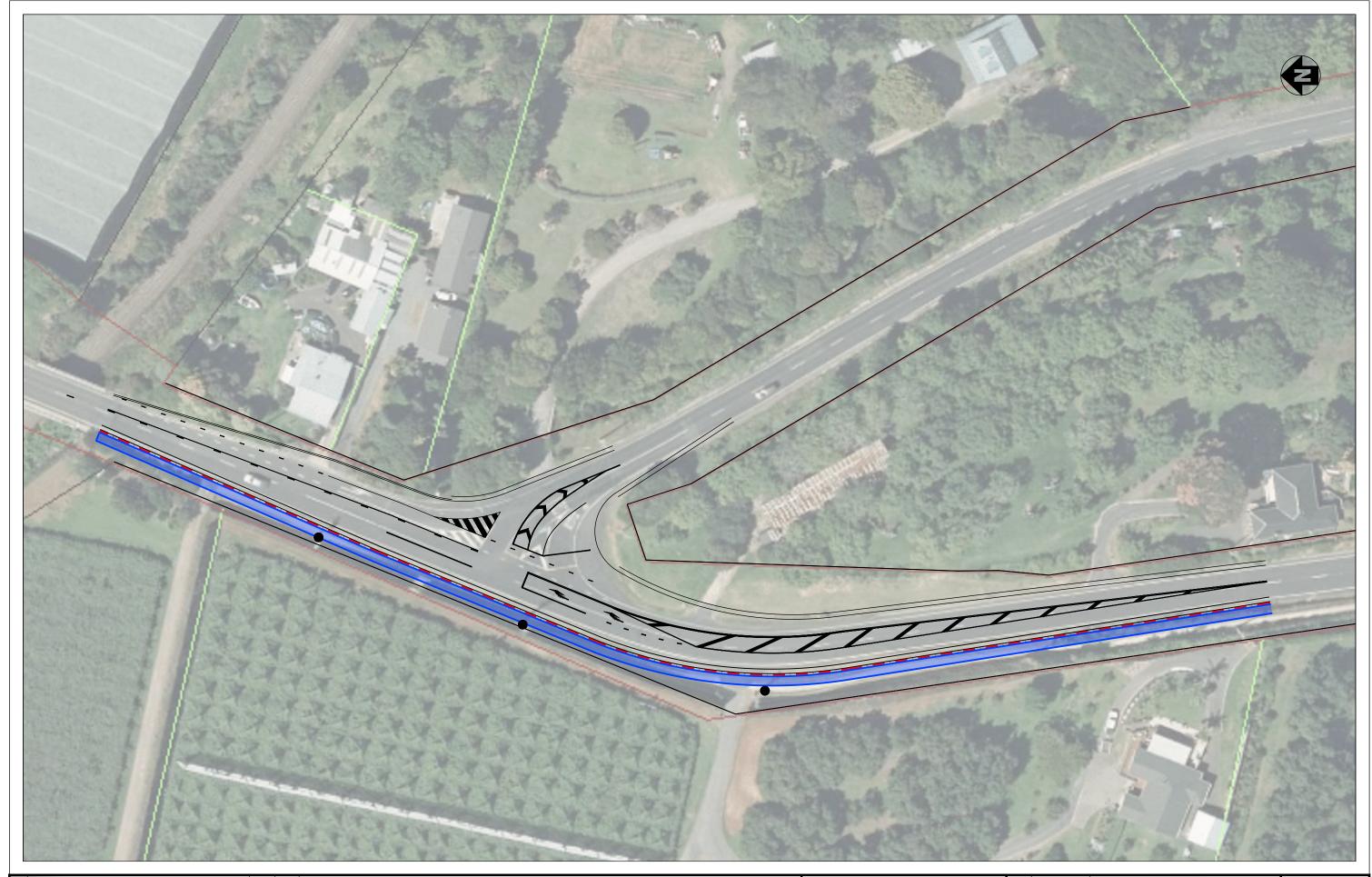
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Appendix A

HARRISON TRANSPORTATION DESIGN PLANS





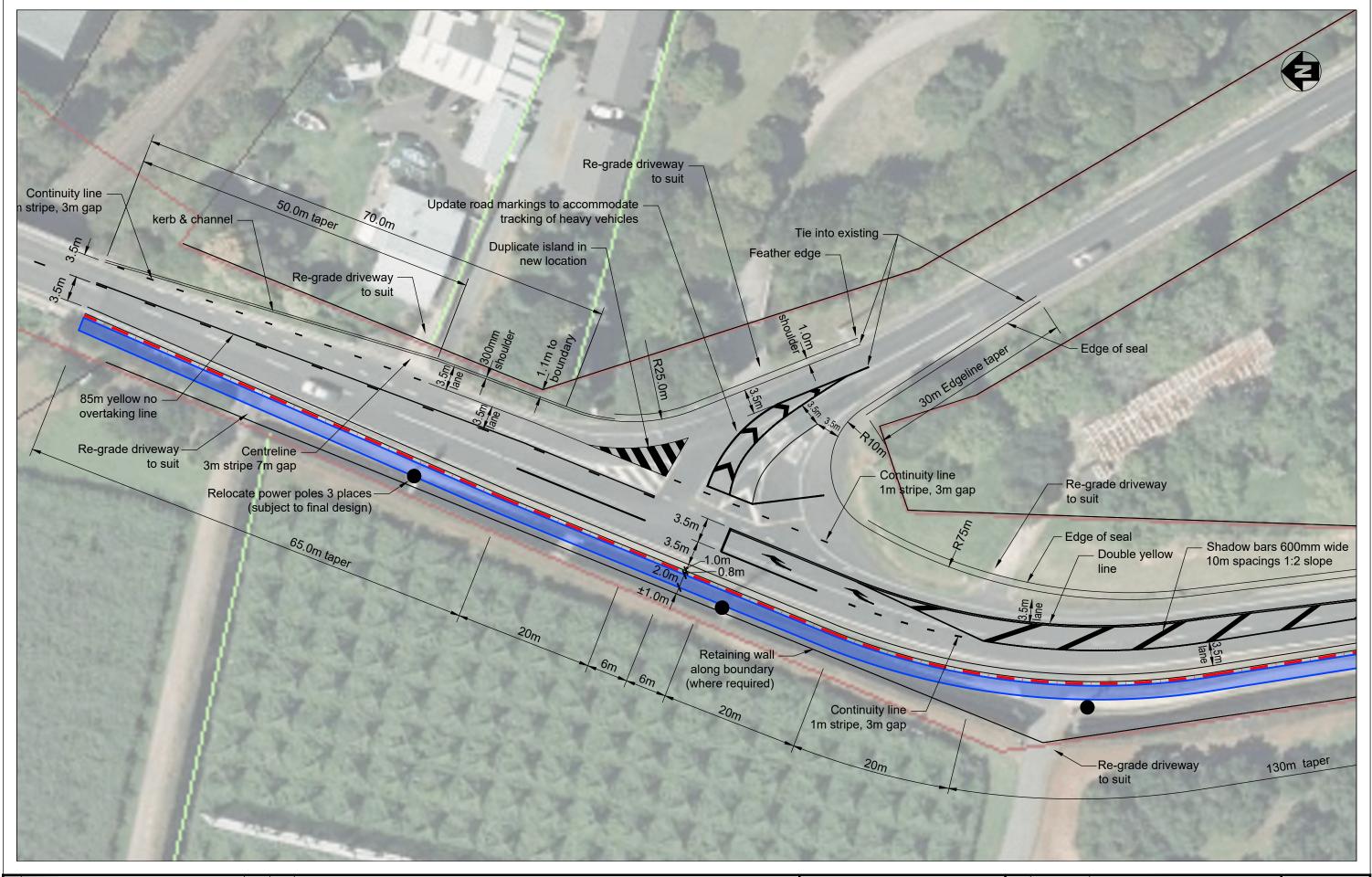
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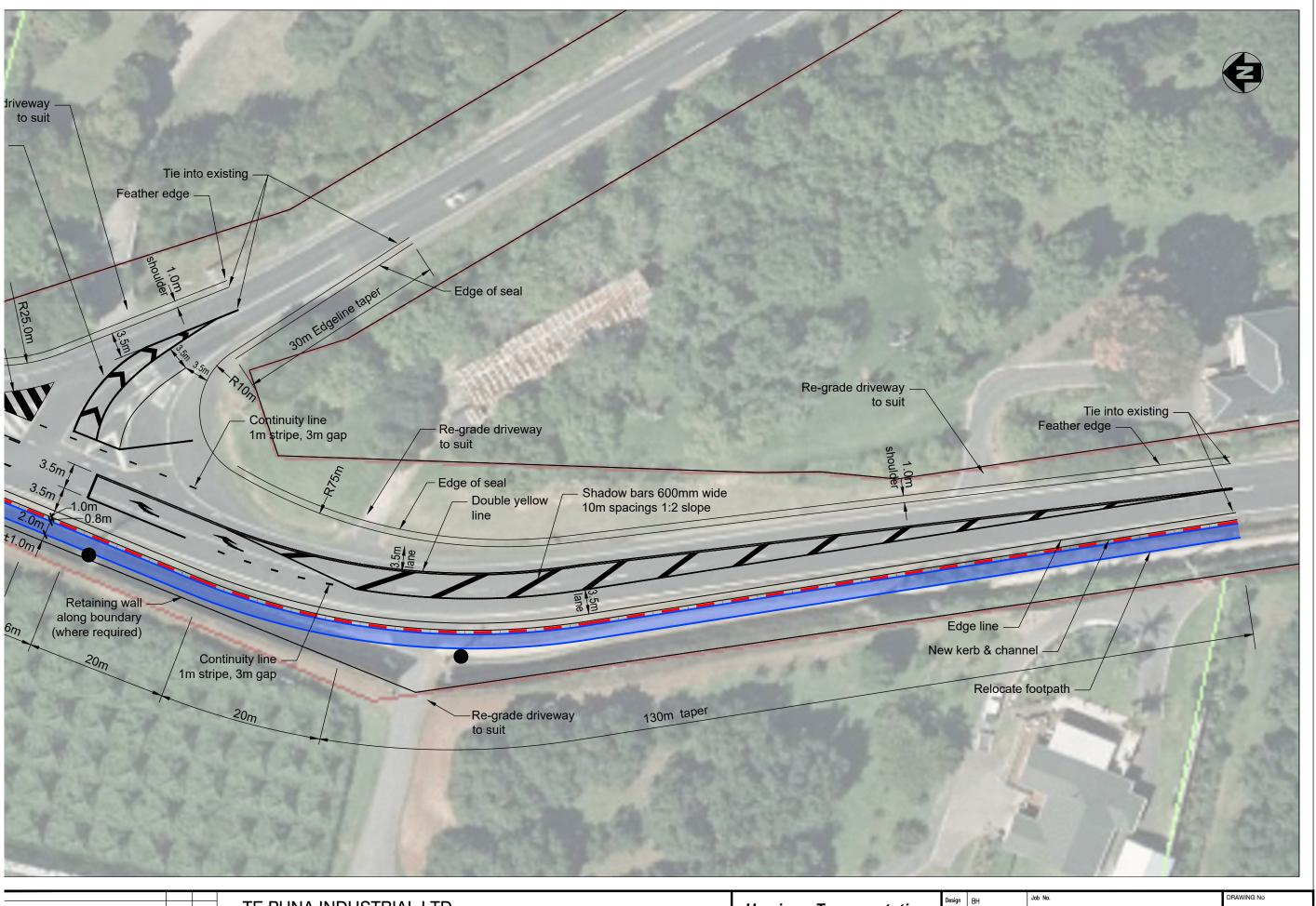
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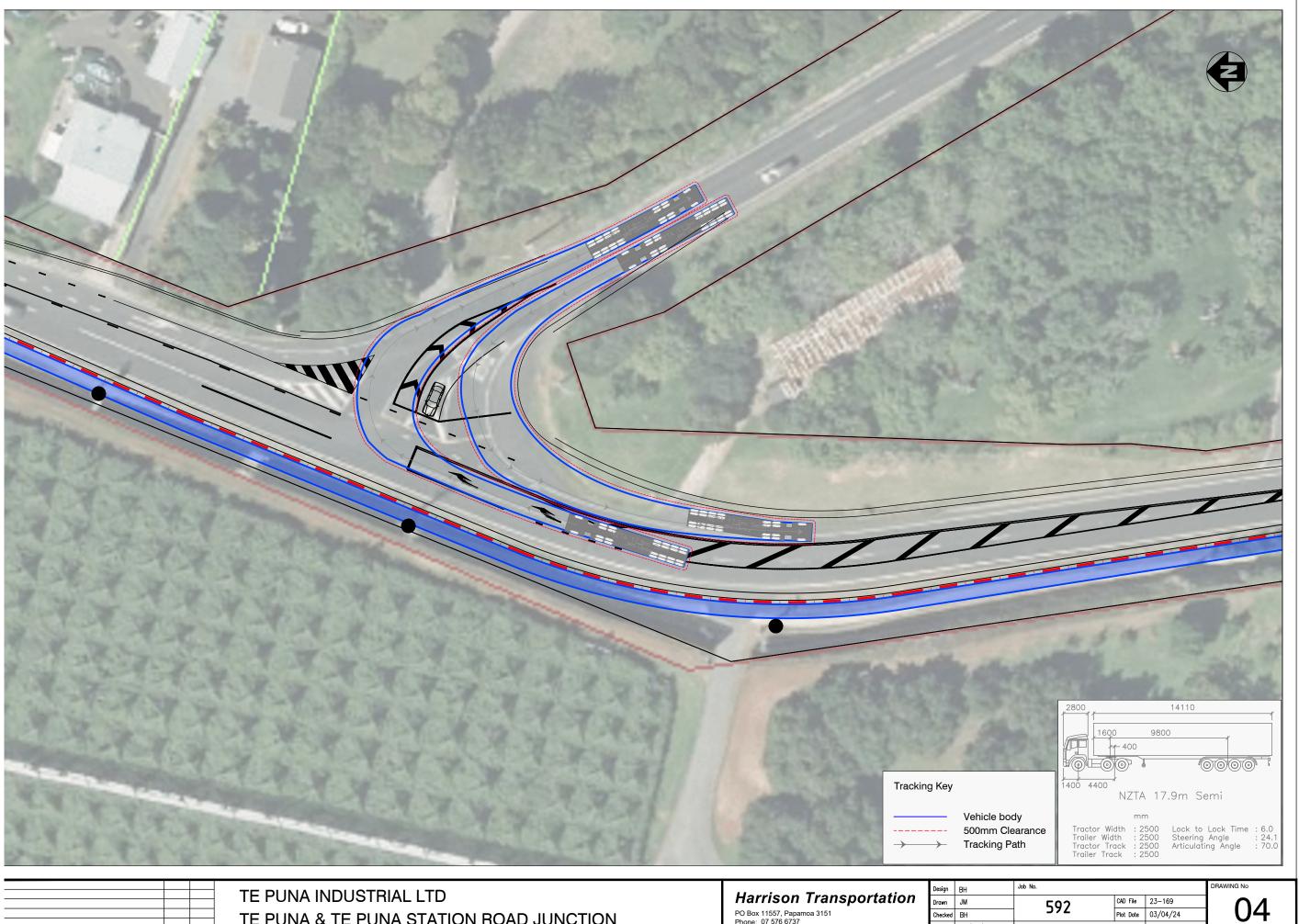
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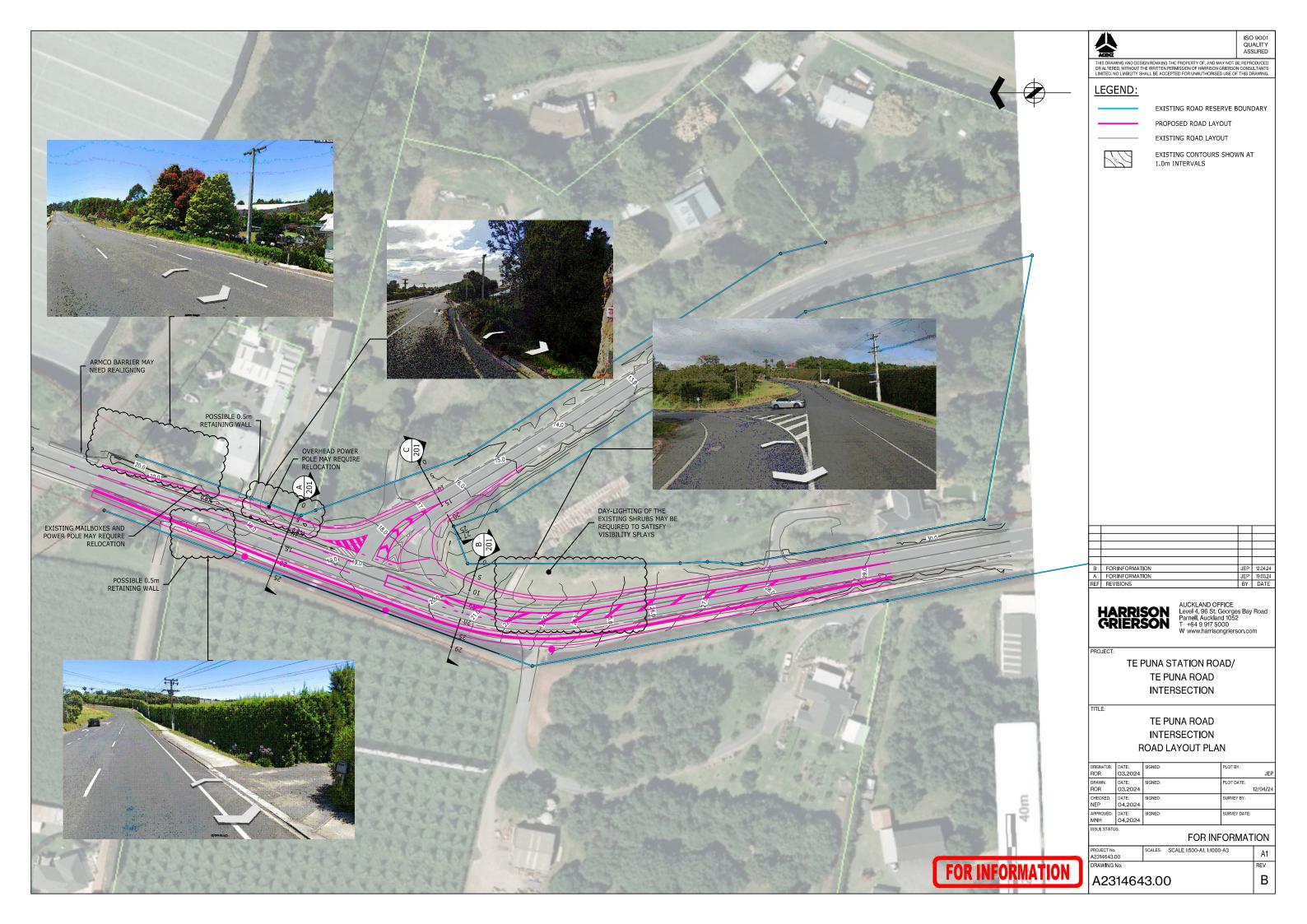
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Appendix B

HARRISON GRIERSON PLANS







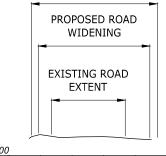
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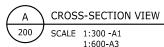
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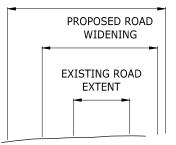
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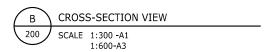




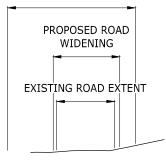
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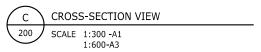


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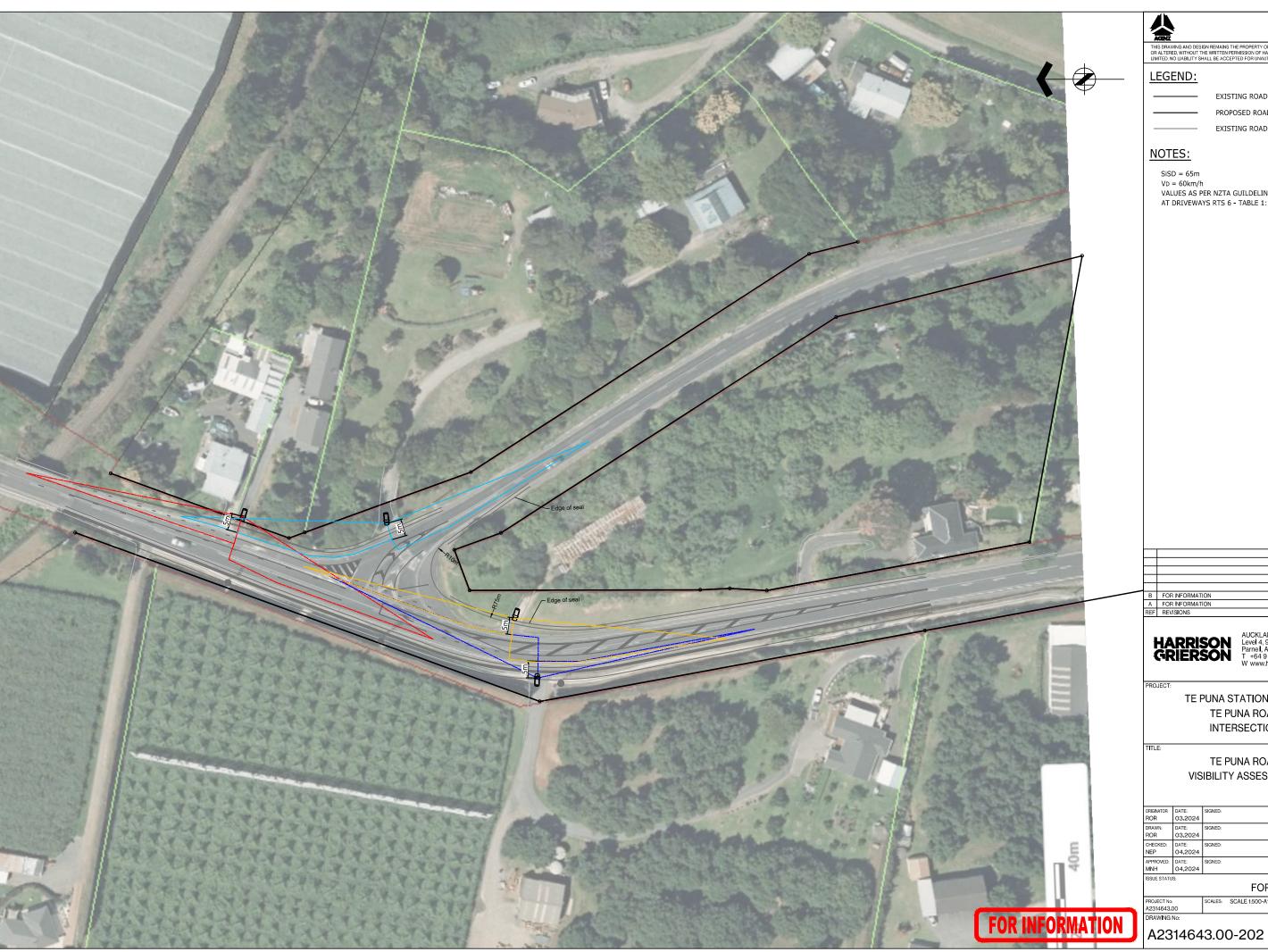
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EXISTING ROAD RESERVE BOUNDARY

EXISTING ROAD LAYOUT

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AT DRIVEWAYS RTS 6 - TABLE 1: SIGHT DISTANCES.

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