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23 October 2024

Construction Consultants
Suite 802, Level 8, 14 Martin Place
Sydney NSW 2000

Attention: Tucker Armstrong

Re: 59 Lantana Avenue, Wheeler Heights
Proposed Subdivision
Traffic Impact Statement

Dear Tucker,

TRAFFIX has been commissioned to prepare a Traffic Impact Statement in support of a Subdivision Development Application relating to a residential subdivision at 59 Lantana Avenue, Wheeler Heights. The subject site is located within the Northern Beaches Council Local Government Area and has been assessed under that Council's controls.

► Site and Location

The subject site at 59 Lantana Avenue is located approximately 18 kilometres north of Sydney central business district (CBD). More specifically, it is located on the southern side of Lantana Avenue.

The battle-axe site has a total site area of 1,547m². It has a northern frontage of 4.57 metres to Lantana Avenue and a southern boundary of 20.15 metres to a neighbouring residential development. A western boundary of 63 metres and an eastern boundary that measures 124 metres are shared with neighbouring residential developments.

A Location Plan is presented in **Figure 1**, with a Site Plan presented in **Figure 2**.



Figure 1: Location Plan



Figure 2: Site Plan

► Road Hierarchy

The road hierarchy in the vicinity of the site is shown in **Figure 3** with the following roads of particular interest:

- Lantana Avenue: a local road that traverses in an east-west direction between Veterans Parade in the east and Lakeshore Drive in the north-west. Within the vicinity of the site, it is subject to a 50 km/h speed zoning and generally accommodates a single lane of traffic in each direction. Lantana Avenue generally permits unrestricted on-street parking along both sides of the road.
- Veterans Parade: a local road that traverses in a north-south direction between Nioka Road in the north and Heather Street in the south. Within the vicinity of the site, it is subject to a 50 km/h speed zoning and generally accommodates a single lane of traffic in each direction. Veterans Parade generally permits unrestricted on-street parking along both sides of the road.

It can be seen from **Figure 3** below that the subject development is conveniently located with respect to the surrounding road network with access provided via Lantana Avenue, a low order local road that connects with Veterans Parade in the east and Rose Avenue in the south.

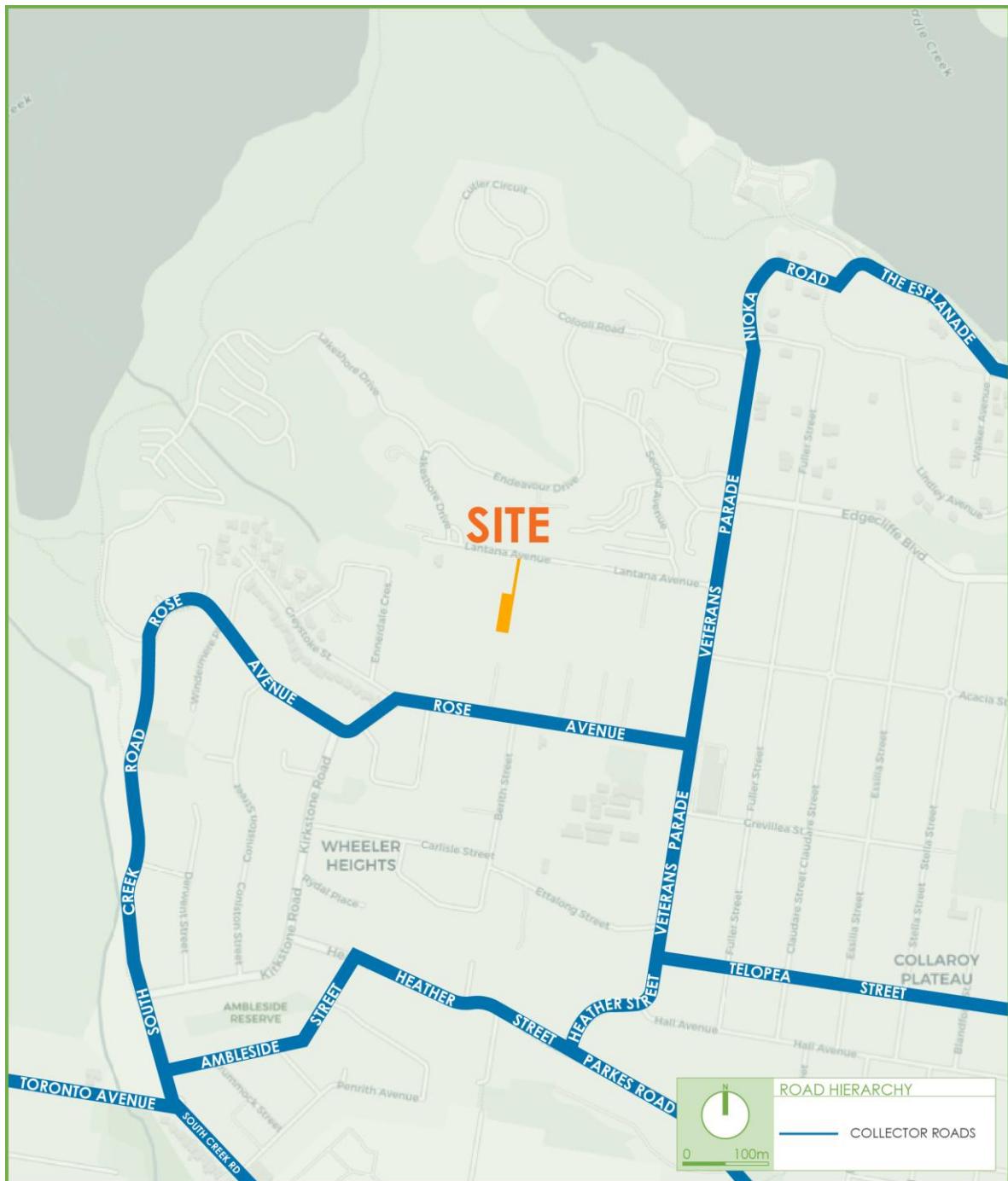


Figure 3: Road Hierarchy

➤ Description of Proposed Development

In summary, the development for which approval is now sought comprises the following:

- Subdivision of one (1) residential lot (existing) into two (2) residential lots (proposed).
- Retention of the existing right-of-way access driveway which currently services the existing site.

Reference should be made to the plans submitted separately to Council that are presented at a reduced scale in **Attachment 1**.

➤ Parking Requirements

Parking is to be provided in accordance with *Warringah Development Control Plan (DCP) 2011* which requires that dwelling houses and dual occupancies are each provided two (2) parking spaces per dwelling. This requirement is to be accommodated onsite.

➤ Traffic Generation

The existing site consists of one (1) residential dwelling. The *TfNSW Technical Direction (TDT 2013/04a)* provides traffic generation rates for single-occupancy dwellings during weekday morning and afternoon peaks in accordance with the following:

- 0.95 vehicle trips per dwelling during the AM peak periods; and
- 0.99 vehicle trips per dwelling during the PM peak periods.

Adoption of the above rates to the existing dwelling results in the following vehicle trip generation:

- 1 vehicle trip per hour during the AM peak (0 in, 1 out)
- 1 vehicle trip per hour during the PM peak (1 in, 0 out)

The proposed development comprises (+1) additional dwelling which will generate one (1) additional vehicle trip per hour during the morning and afternoon peaks which is considered minor and will have no noticeable impacts to the operation of surrounding streets or intersections.

➤ Vehicle Access Requirements

Vehicular access is provided via Lantana Avenue (a minor road) using the existing right-of-way access driveway which currently serves the existing site. The proposed development requires a 3.0m wide vehicle driveway (domestic dwelling) and a minimum 3.0m wide driveway is to be provided in response, in accordance with AS2890.1 (2004).

There is sufficient space for two (2) vehicles to pass within the property boundary at the eastern end of the access driveway and at the western end of the driveway. Reference should be made to the swept path analysis provided in **Attachment 2** showing the satisfactory operation of the proposed access driveway in this regard. In addition, there is excellent visibility between an entering and exiting vehicle so that two vehicles are able pass in the unlikely event where an entering and egressing vehicle arrive and depart simultaneously. **Figure 4** below shows the excellent visibility between an entering and exiting vehicle.



Figure 4: View from where an entering vehicle is required to wait for an egressing vehicle to pass showing the excellent visibility between the two vehicles.

Reference should also be made to the swept path analysis provided in **Attachment 2** showing the satisfactory operation of the proposed internal parking arrangements.

TRAFFIX has been advised there are 10 existing residential subdivisions located along Lantana Avenue with each subdivision containing 2-3 lots in similar configurations to the subject proposed residential subdivision, as summarised below:

1. 87, 87A, 87B
2. 81, 79, 79A
3. 77, 75, 75A, 75B
4. 67, 67A, 69, 69A
5. 65, 63, 63A
6. 57, 55, 55A
7. 53, 53A, 51
8. 31, 29, 29A
9. 27, 27A, 25
10. 19, 19A, 17

Each of the above 10 subdivisions are accessed via a single access driveway with no known reported operating issues and it is expected the proposed subdivision will also operate satisfactorily in this regard.

On the basis of the above, the proposed residential subdivision at 59 Lantana Avenue, Wheeler Heights in our view is considered supportable on traffic engineering grounds.

We trust the above is of assistance and request that you contact the undersigned should you have any queries or require any further information. In the event that any concerns remain, we request an opportunity to discuss these with Council officers prior to any determination being made.

Yours faithfully,

Traffix

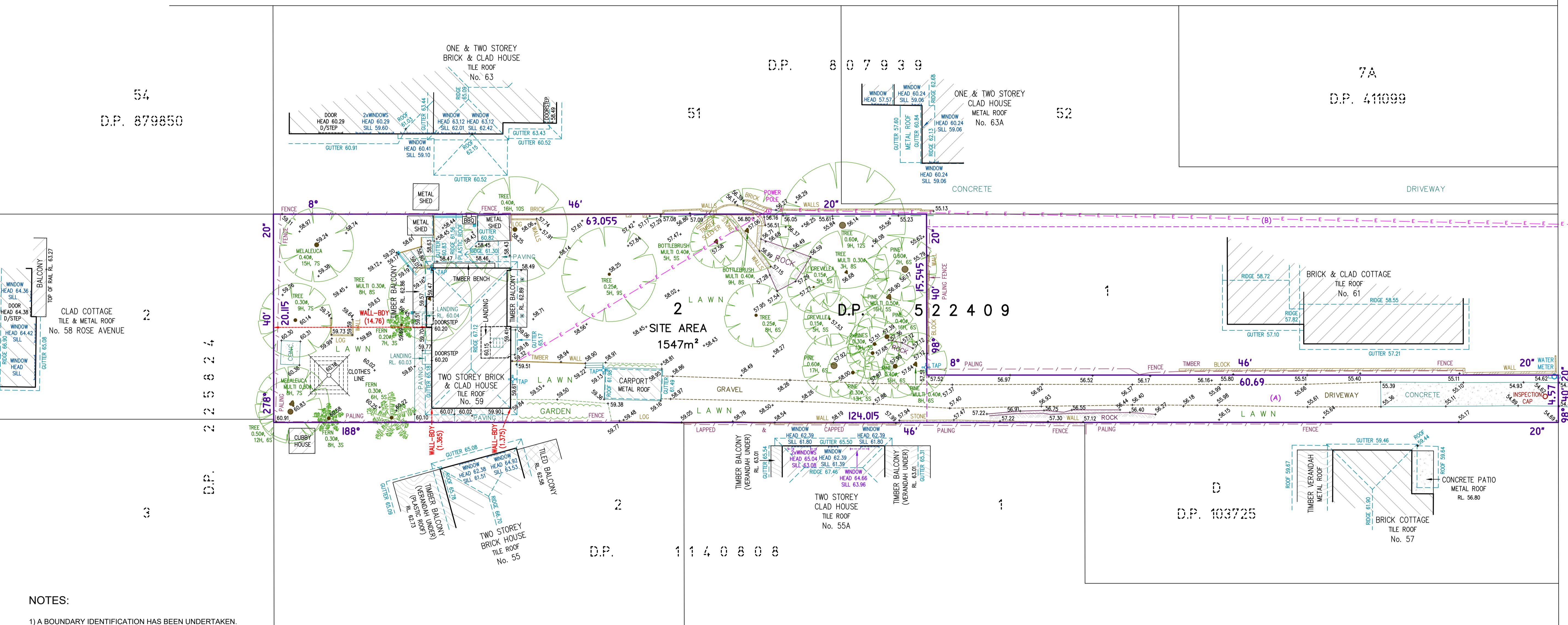


Justin Pindar
Director

Encl: Attachment 1 – Reduced Plans
 Attachment 2 – Swept Path Analysis

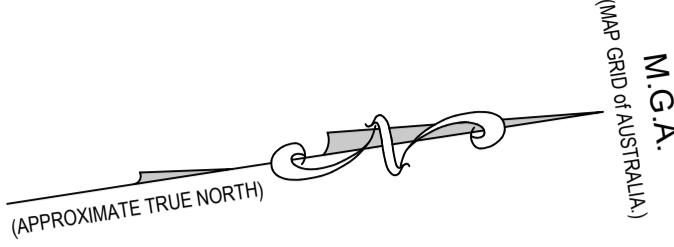
ATTACHMENT 1

Reduced Plans

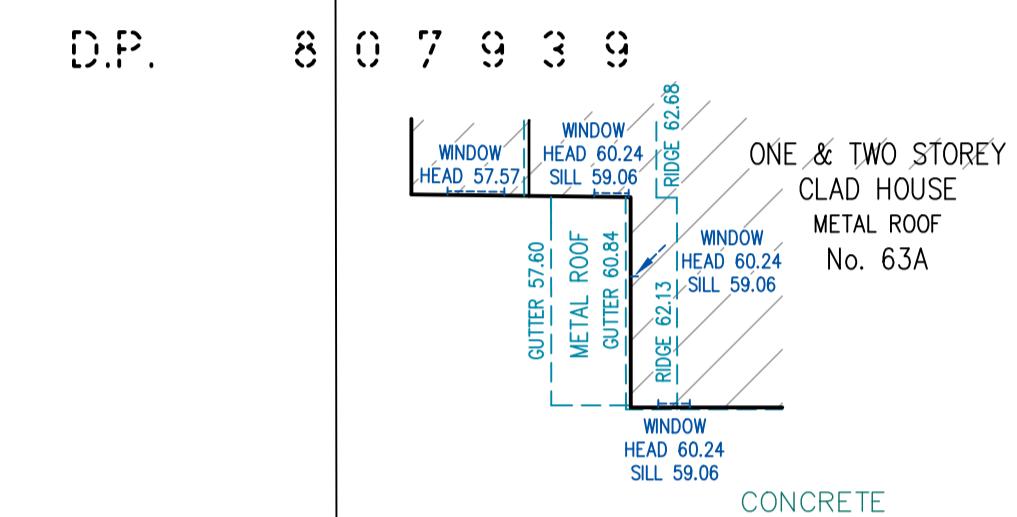
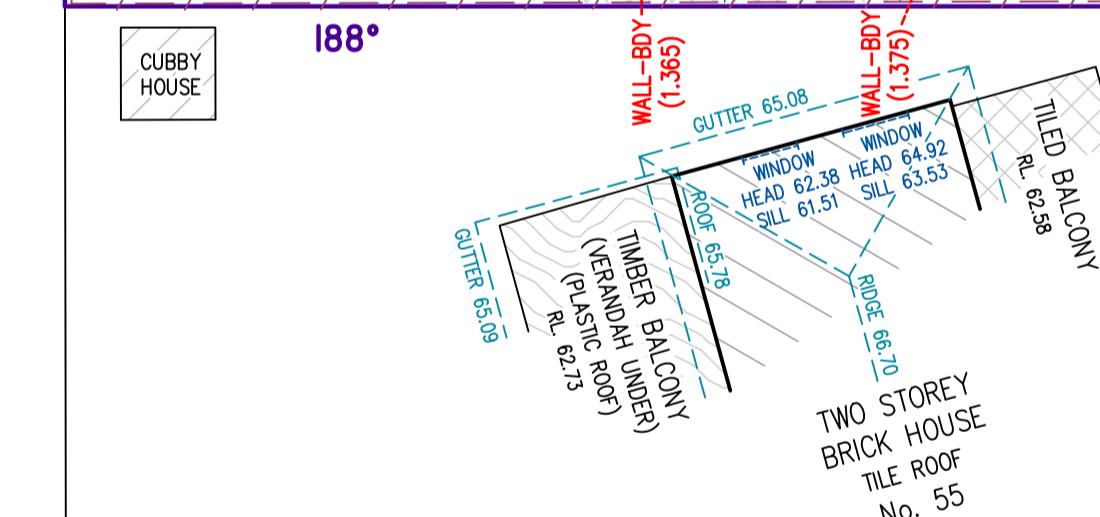
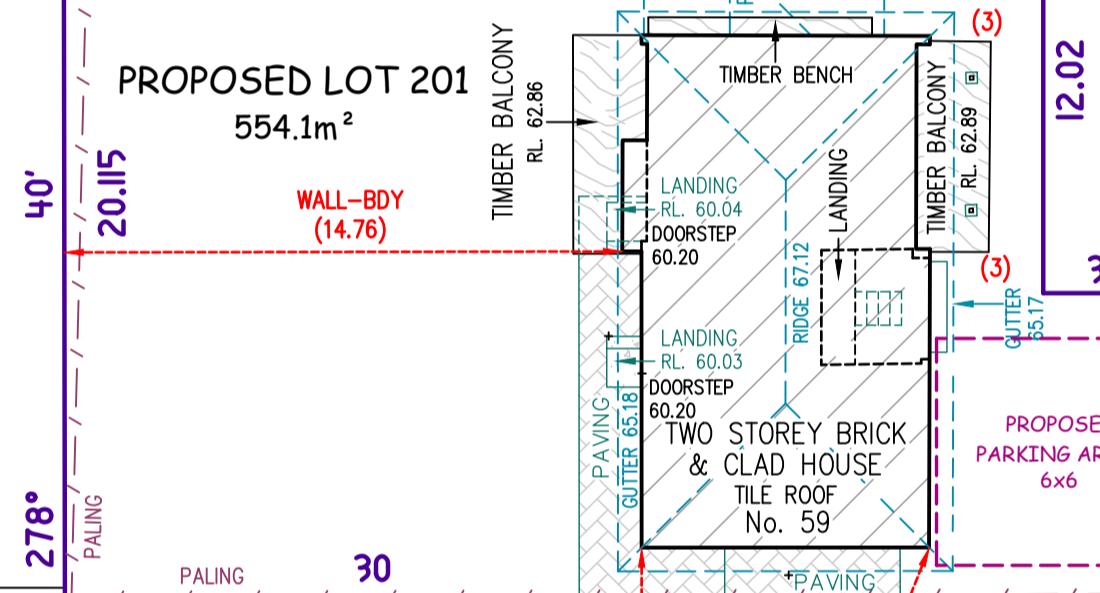
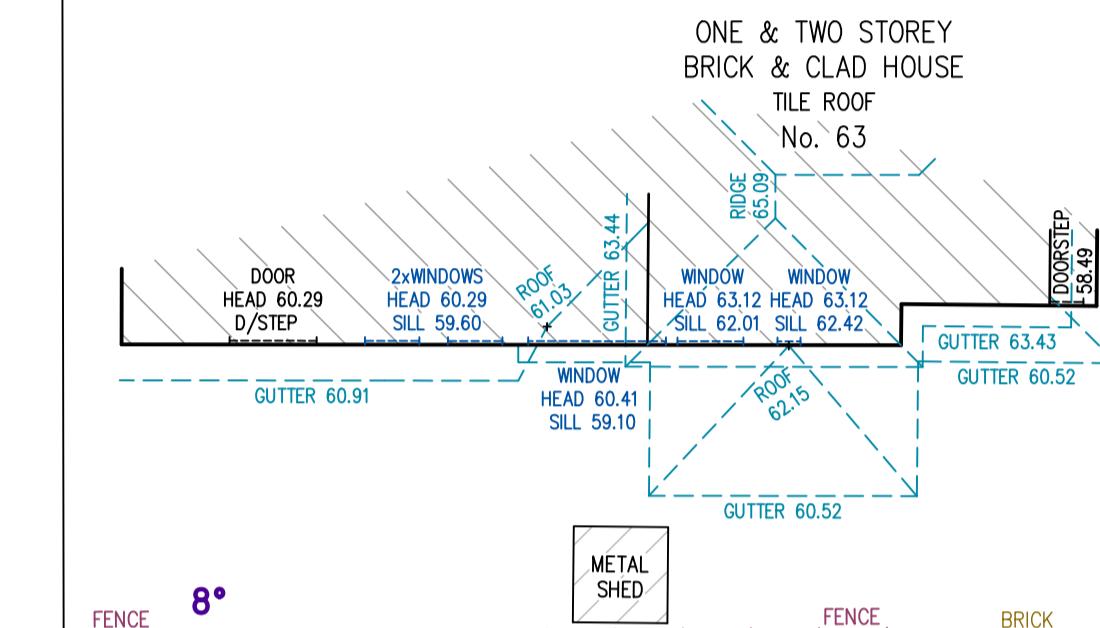
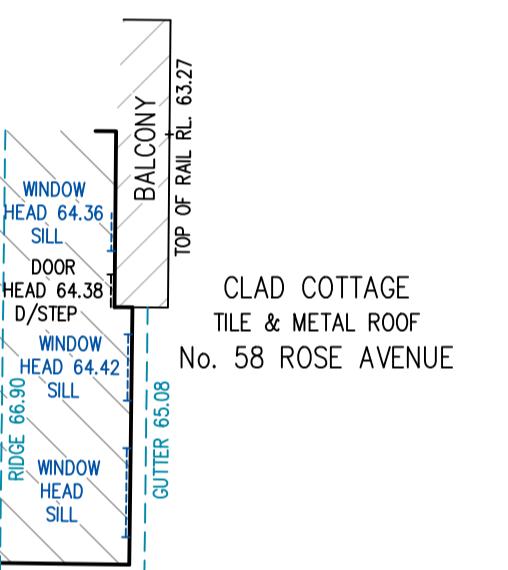


(A) RIGHT OF CARRIAGeway 4.57 wide (BENEFITING LOT 1 D.P. 522409)-D.P. 522409
(B) EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 1.22 wide (BENEFITING LOT 2 D.P. 522409)-D.P. 522409

0 2 4 6 8 10 20 METRES
SCALE 1:200



54
D.P. 879850



52

7A
D.P. 411099

D.P. 522409

D.P. 103725

AVENUE

LANTANA

NOTES:

1) A BOUNDARY IDENTIFICATION HAS BEEN UNDERTAKEN.
2) OFFSET DIMENSIONS TO BOUNDARIES HEREON MUST NOT BE USED FOR CONSTRUCTION.

3) CAUTION: SHOULD ANY DEVELOPMENT OR CONSTRUCTION BE PLANNED ON OR NEAR THE BOUNDARIES,
THE BOUNDARIES SHOULD BE CLEARLY MARKED ON SITE.

4) ORIGIN OF LEVELS ON A.H.D. IS TAKEN FROM
P.M. 44900 RL 44.903 A.H.D.

5) TREE SPREADS ARE DIAGRAMMATIC ONLY AND ARE NOT SYMMETRICAL.

6) UNDERGROUND (NON VISIBLE) SERVICE LINES HAVE BEEN SHOWN FROM "BEFORE YOU DIG AUSTRALIA" SERVICE AUTHORITY RECORDS & ARE DIAGRAMMATIC ONLY IN REGARD TO THEIR POSITION & WIDTH UNLESS STATED OTHERWISE.

7) BEARINGS SHOWN ARE ON M.G.A.-MAP GRID OF AUSTRALIA.

INVESTIGATION OF "BEFORE YOU DIG AUSTRALIA" UNDERGROUND SERVICES HAS BEEN MADE. DETECTION OF UNDERGROUND SERVICES IS NOT AN INTEGRAL PART OF THIS SURVEY. ALL RELEVANT AUTHORITIES SHOULD BE NOTIFIED PRIOR TO ANY EXCAVATION ON OR NEAR THE SITE.

DEVELOPERS & EXCAVATORS MAY BE HELD FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE BY THE ASSET OWNER
SHOULD THERE DAMAGE UNDERGROUND NETWORKS.

CARELESS DIGGING CAN:
- CAUSE DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY TO WORKERS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC
- INCONVENIENCE USERS OF ELECTRICITY, GAS, WATER AND COMMUNICATIONS
- LEAD TO CRIMINAL PROSECUTION AND DAMAGES CLAIMS
- CAUSE EXPENSIVE FINANCIAL LOSSES TO BUSINESS
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- DELAY PROJECT COMPLETION TIMES WHILE THE DAMAGE IS REPAIRED

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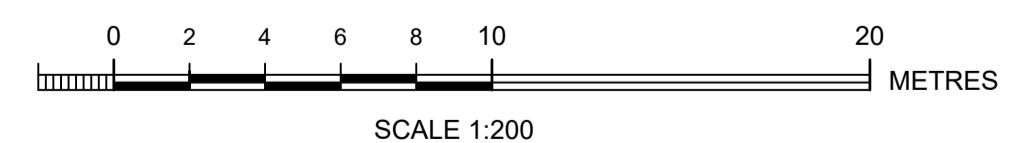


EXISTING EASEMENTS

- (A) RIGHT OF CARRIAGeway 4.57 WIDE (BENEFITTING LOT 1 D.P. 522409)-D.P. 522409
- (B) EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 1.22 WIDE (BENEFITTING LOT 2 D.P. 522409)-D.P. 522409

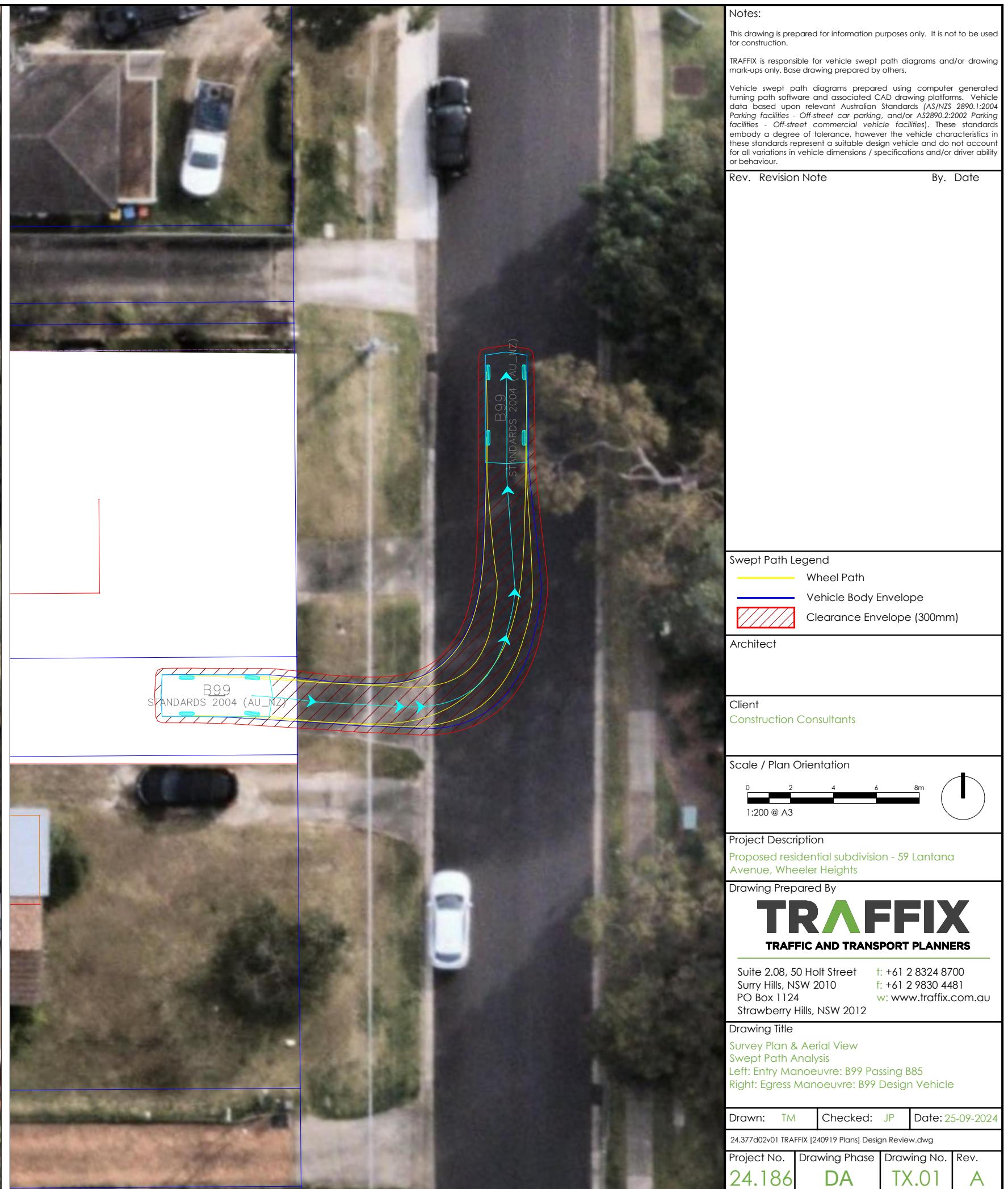
PROPOSED EASEMENTS

- (C) RIGHT OF CARRIAGeway & EASEMENT FOR SERVICES 4 & 4.57 WIDE - TO BENEFIT LOT 201
- (D) TURNING AREA VARIABLE WIDTH - TO BENEFIT LOT 201
- (E) EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 1 WIDE - TO BENEFIT LOT 201

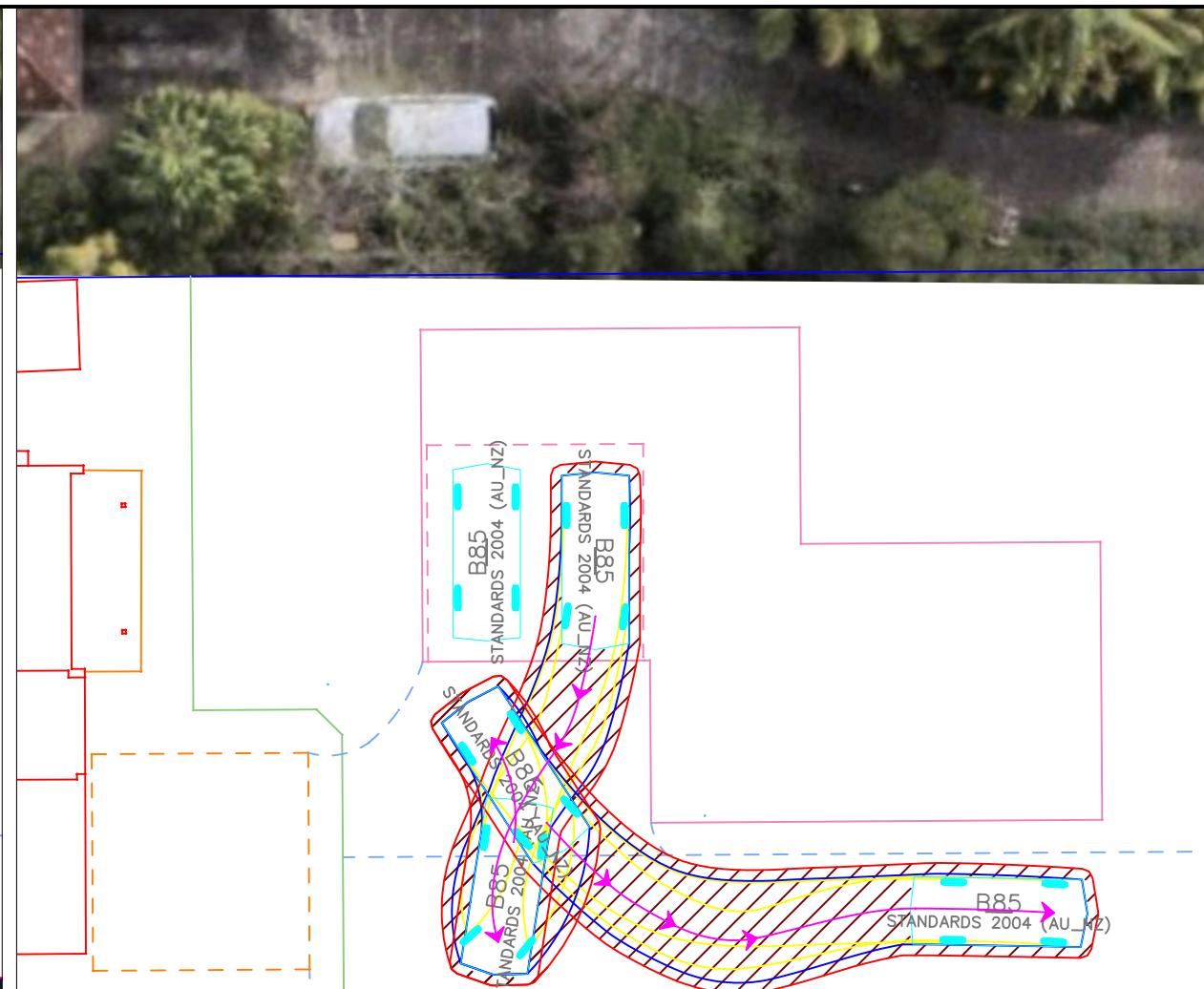
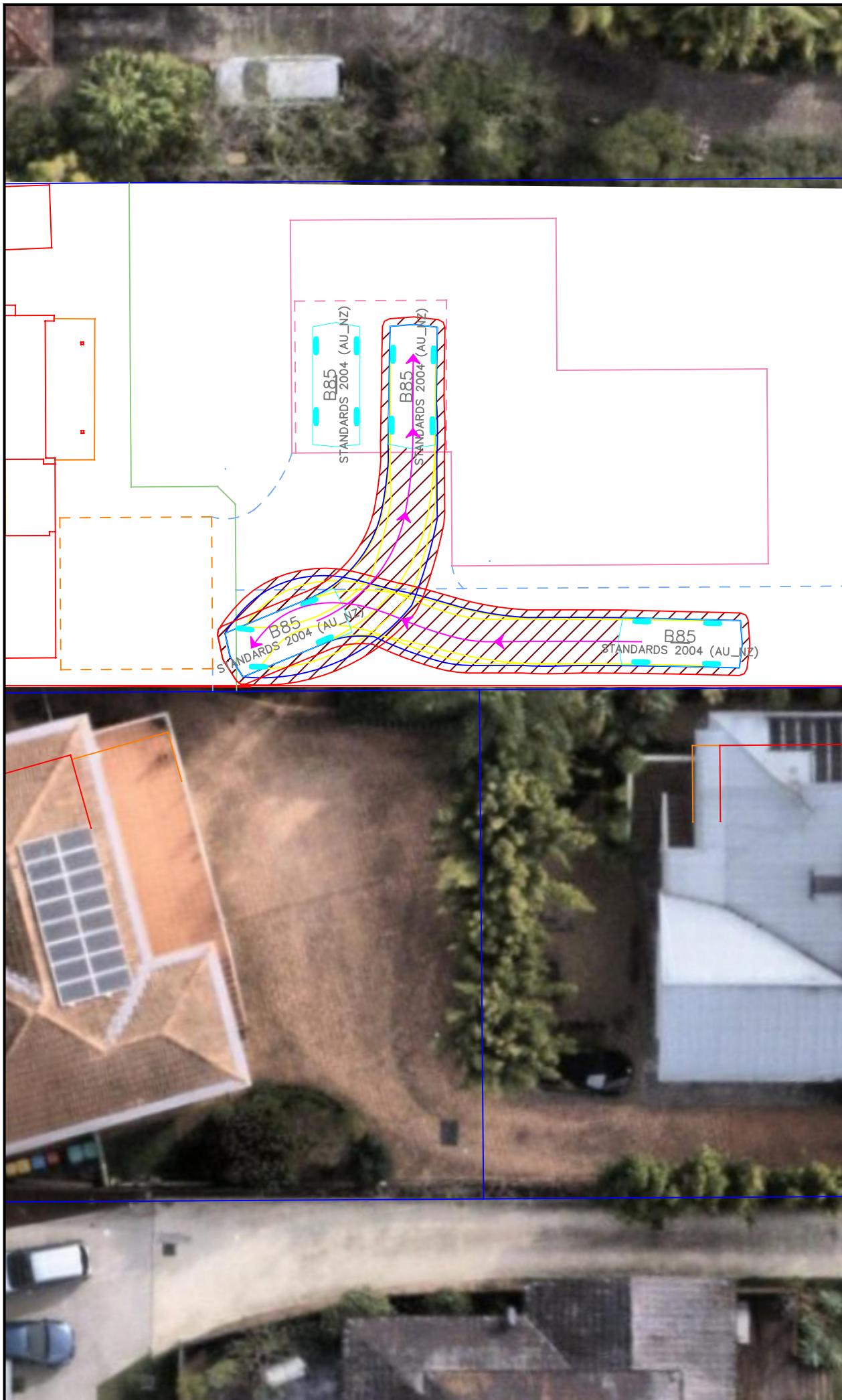


ATTACHMENT 2

Swept Path Analysis



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