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## REPORT ON

### **GEOTECHNICAL INVESTIGATION PROPOSED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT 6173 RENAUD ROAD, ORLEANS WARD CITY OF OTTAWA, ONTARIO**

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RE: GEOTECHNICAL INVESTIGATION  
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6173 RENAUD ROAD, ORLEANS WARD  
CITY OF OTTAWA, ONTARIO

Dear Sirs:

This report presents the results of a geotechnical investigation carried out for the above noted proposed residential development. The purpose of the investigation was to identify the subsurface conditions at the site based on a limited number of boreholes. Based on the factual information obtained, Kollaard Associates Inc. was to provide recommendations and guidelines on the geotechnical engineering aspects of the project design; including construction considerations, which could influence design decisions.

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION AND SITE GEOLOGY**

The subject site for this assessment consists of a property with civic address 6173 Renaud Road, in the City of Ottawa, Ontario (see Key Plan, Figure 1). The site has a total area of 0.34 hectares (0.86 acres) and is located on the north side of Renaud Road, about 95 metres east of the intersection of Renaud Road and Navan Road. The site is currently occupied by single storey single family dwelling.

It is understood that it is proposed to remove the existing building and construct two, 16-unit 3 storey residential buildings at the site. It is understood that the proposed buildings will be of wood or steel framed construction with a conventional cast in place concrete foundation and cast in place



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concrete basement slab. Each building will have a foot print of about 400 square metres. The proposed buildings will be serviced by municipal sewer and water supply. The proposed development will be accessed by local residential roadways. Surface drainage for the proposed development will be by means of swales, catch basins and storm sewers.

Surrounding land use is currently mixed residential development. The site is bordered on the north, east and west by residential development and on the south by Renaud Road followed by other residential development.

### **Site Geology**

Based on a review of the surficial geology map for the site area, it is expected that the site is underlain by Deltaic and Estuarine deposits of medium to fine grained sand. The surficial mapping also identified a landslide area showing location of headscarp and general trend of slump ridges. The mapping indicates the ridges generally consist of clay with overlying or admixed sand. Bedrock geology maps indicate that the bedrock underlying the site consists of limestone with some shaly partings of the Ottawa Formation.

Ministry of Environment Water well records were obtained for water wells put down in the area surrounding the site. These water well records indicate that clay was encountered below a relatively thin layer (5 to 12 feet or 1.5 to 3.6 metres) of sand. Bedrock was indicated to be encountered below the clay at depths of between 70 and 120 feet (21 to 37 metres)

Based on a review of overburden thickness mapping for the site area, the overburden is estimated to be between about 36 to 48.5 metres in thickness above bedrock.

The local topography is mostly flat lying across the property with a gentle slope from north to south and from east to west. The regional topography slopes to the south towards Mer Bleue located approximately 900 metres south of the subject site.



## PROCEDURE

The field work for this investigation was carried out between November 4 and 5, 2019 at the site. The field work for the geotechnical report exclusive from the environmental assessment consisted of the placement of three boreholes, numbered BH1 to BH3 which were put down at the site using a truck mounted drill rig equipped with a hollow stem auger owned and operated by CCC Group of Ottawa, Ontario.

Sampling of the overburden materials encountered at the borehole location was carried out at regular 0.75 metre depth intervals using a 50 millimetre diameter drive open conventional split spoon sampler in conjunction with standard penetration testing (ASTM D-1586 – Penetration Test and Split Barrel Sampling of Soils) and in situ vane shear testing (ASTM D-2573 Standard Test Method for Field Shear Test in Cohesive Soil). Each of the boreholes were advanced to depths of about 9.75 metres below the existing ground surface using 200 mm hollow stem augers. Borehole BH2 was continued to a depth of 35.35 metres below the existing ground surface as a probe hole using dynamic cone penetration testing. The soils were classified using the Unified Soil Classification System.

The subsurface soil conditions at the boreholes were identified based on visual examination of the samples recovered (ASTM D2488 - Standard Practice for Description and Identification of Soils (Visual-Manual Procedure), and standard penetration tests (ASTM D-1586) as well as laboratory test results on select samples. Groundwater conditions at the borehole was noted at the time of drilling. A standpipes was installed at BH1 for subsequent ground water level monitoring. The boreholes were loosely backfilled with the auger cuttings upon completion of drilling.

One soil sample (BH1 - SS3 - 1.5 - 2.1m) was delivered to a chemical laboratory for testing for any indication of potential soil sulphate attack on concrete and corrosivity to buried steel.

One soil sample (BH3 – SS4 - 2.28 - 2.88m) was submitted for Atterberg Limits (D4318) and Moisture Content (ASTM D2216). The soils were classified using the Unified Soil Classification System.



The field work was supervised throughout by a member of our engineering staff who located the boreholes in the field, logged the boreholes and cared for the samples obtained. A description of the subsurface conditions encountered at the boreholes are given in the attached Record of Borehole Sheets. The results of the laboratory testing of the soil samples are presented in the Laboratory Test Results section and Attachment A following the text in this report. The approximate location of the boreholes are shown on the attached Site Plan, Figure 2.

## **SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS**

### **General**

As previously indicated, a description of the subsurface conditions encountered at the boreholes is provided in the attached Record of Borehole Sheets following the text of this report. The borehole logs indicate the subsurface conditions at the specific drill locations only. Boundaries between zones on the logs are often not distinct, but rather are transitional and have been interpreted. Subsurface conditions at locations other than borehole locations may vary from the conditions encountered at the boreholes.

The soil descriptions in this report are based on commonly accepted methods of classification and identification employed in geotechnical practice. Classification was in general completed by visual-manual procedures in accordance with ASTM 2488 - Standard Practice for Description and Identification of Soils (Visual-Manual Procedure) with select samples being classified by laboratory testing in accordance with ASTM 2487. Classification and identification of soil involves judgement and Kollaard Associates Inc. does not guarantee descriptions as exact, but infers accuracy to the extent that is common in current geotechnical practice.

The groundwater conditions described in this report refer only to those observed at the location and on the date the observations were noted in the report and on the borehole logs. Groundwater conditions may vary seasonally, or may be affected by construction activities on or in the vicinity of the site.

The following is a brief overview of the subsurface conditions encountered at the boreholes.



## **Fill**

Fill materials consisting of topsoil and yellow brown silty sand with a trace of organics was encountered from the surface at boreholes BH1 and BH2. The fill materials ranged in thickness from about 1.7 to 2.0 metres at the borehole locations. The fill materials were fully penetrated at all borehole locations.

## **Topsoil**

From the surface at borehole BH3 and beneath the fill materials at borehole BH1, a layer of topsoil with a thickness of about 0.2 to 0.3 metres was encountered. The material was classified as topsoil based on the colour and the presence of organic materials. The identification of the topsoil layer is for geotechnical purposes only and does not constitute a statement as to the suitability of this layer for cultivation and sustainable plant growth. No topsoil was encountered below the fill materials at borehole BH2.

## **Silty Sand**

A deposit of yellow brown to grey brown to grey silty sand was encountered beneath the topsoil at BH1 and BH3 and beneath the fill materials at BH2. The deposits of silty sand ranged in thickness from about 0.7 to 1.9 metres and extended from the underside of the topsoil and fill layers to between about 1.7 to 3.2 metres below the existing ground surface where encountered. The results of standard penetration testing carried out in the silty sand material, indicates a loose to compact state of packing.

## **Silty Clay**

Beneath the silty sand, a deposit of grey silty clay was encountered at all of the boreholes. In situ vane shear tests carried out in the silty clay deposit gave undrained shear strength values ranging from about 58 to 98 kilopascals in the upper crust and from about 23 to 50 below the upper crust. The results of the in situ vane shear testing and tactile examination carried out for the silty clay material indicate that the silty clay is stiff in the upper crust and soft to firm in consistency below the upper crust.



Borehole BH2 was advanced through the silty clay by dynamic cone penetration testing to refusal at about 35.35 metres below the existing ground surface. Based on the increase in the standard cone penetration values in blow counts per 300 mm obtained at BH2 at a depth of about 34 metres below the existing ground surface, it is considered that the silty clay deposit layer is about 25 metres in thickness. Borehole BH2 was terminated on practical refusal to cone penetration on a boulder or bedrock at a depth of about 35.35 metres below the existing ground surface.

The results of Atterberg Limits tests and moisture content (ASTM D422) conducted on one soil sample (BH3 – SS6 - 3.05 - 3.65 metres) of the silty clay are presented in the following table and in Attachment A at the end of the report. The tested silty clay sample classifies as high plasticity in accordance with the Unified Soil Classification System. The results of the laboratory testing are located in Attachment A.

**Table I – Atterberg Limit and Water Content Results**

Sample	Depth(metres)	LL (%)	PL (%)	PI (%)	W (%)
BH3-SS4	2.28 - 2.88	63.9	24.0	40.0	49.3

**LL: Liquid Limit    PL: Plastic Limit    PI: Plasticity Index    w: water content**

CH: Inorganic High Plastic Soils

### Glacial Till

Borehole BH2 was advanced through the silty clay by dynamic cone penetration testing to refusal at about 35.35 metres below the existing ground surface. The dynamic cone penetration test at BH2 gave values ranging from WH to 100 blows per 0.3 metres. Based on the increase in the standard cone penetration values in blow counts per 300 mm obtained at BH2 at a depth of about 34 metres below the existing ground surface, it is considered that the silty clay deposit layer is about 25.0 metres in thickness. Borehole BH2 was terminated with practical refusal to cone penetration on either a boulder or bedrock at a depth of about 35.35 metres below the existing ground surface.

It is considered likely that the increase in blow count at about 34 metres depth indicates the possible presence of glacial till materials.



## Groundwater

Some groundwater seepage was encountered within each of the boreholes at the time of drilling at depths ranging between 2.0 and 2.7 metres below the existing ground surface. On November 7, 2019, groundwater was measured within a standpipe installed within boreholes BH1 at a depth of about 3.9 metres below the existing ground surface. It should be noted that the groundwater levels may be higher during wet periods of the year such as the early spring.

## Corrosivity on Reinforcement and Sulphate Attack on Portland Cement

The results of the laboratory testing of a soil sample for submitted for chemistry testing related to corrosivity is summarized in the following table.

Item	Threshold of Concern	Test Result	Comment
Chlorides (Cl)	Cl > 0.04 %	<0.0005	Negligible
pH	5.0 < pH	6.47	Basic Negligible concern
Resistivity	R < 20,000 ohm-cm	11700	Mildly Corrosive
Sulphates (SO <sub>4</sub> )	SO <sub>4</sub> > 0.1%	0.0068	Negligible concern

The results were compared with Canadian Standards Association (CSA) Standards A23.1 for sulphate attack potential on concrete structures and poses a "negligible" risk for sulphate attack on concrete materials and accordingly, conventional GU or MS Portland cement may be used in the construction of the proposed concrete elements.

The pH value for the soil sample was reported to be at 6.47, indicating a durable condition against corrosion. This value was evaluated using Table 2 of Building Research Establishment (BRE) Digest 362 (July 1991). The pH is greater than 5.5 indicating the concrete will not be exposed to attack from acids.

The chloride content of the sample was also compared with the threshold level and present negligible concrete corrosion potential.

The results of the laboratory testing of a soil sample for resistivity and pH indicates the soil sample tested has an underground corrosion rate of about 0.50 loss-oz./ft<sup>2</sup>/yr (11700 ohm-cm). Based on





the findings of Fischer and Bue (1981) underground corrosion rates (loss-oz./ft<sup>2</sup>/yr) of 0.30 and less are considered nonaggressive, from 0.30 to 0.75 the rate is considered slightly aggressive, from 0.75 to 2.0 the rate is considered aggressive and 2.0 and greater the rate is considered very aggressive. Accordingly, the above mentioned soil sample is considered to have a slightly aggressive corrosion rate to reinforcement steel within below grade concrete walls. Based on the chemical test results, Type GU General use Hydraulic Cement may be used for this proposed development. Special protection is required for reinforcement steel within the concrete walls.

## **GEOTECHNICAL GUIDELINES AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

### **General**

This section of the report provides engineering guidelines on the geotechnical design aspects of the project based on our interpretation of the information from the test holes and the project requirements. It is stressed that the information in the following sections is provided for the guidance of the designers and is intended for this project only. Contractors bidding on or undertaking the works should examine the factual results of the investigation, satisfy themselves as to the adequacy of the information for construction, and make their own interpretation of the factual data as it affects their construction techniques, schedule, safety and equipment capabilities.

The professional services for this project include only the geotechnical aspects of the subsurface conditions at this site. The presence or implications of possible surface and/or subsurface contamination resulting from previous uses or activities at this site or adjacent properties, and/or resulting from the introduction onto the site of materials from offsite sources are outside the terms of reference for this report.

### **Seismic Design Considerations for the Proposed Residential Buildings**

Based on the limited information from the boreholes, for seismic design purposes, in accordance with the 2012 OBC Section 4.1.8.4, Table 4.1.8.4.A., the site classification for seismic site response is Site Class E. The assumed underside of footing level is about 1.2 to 1.9 metres below the existing ground surface.



Borehole 2					
Layer	Description	Depth (m)	$d_i$ (m)	$S_{ui}$ (kPa)	$d_i/S_{ui}$ (m/kPa)
1	USF	1.8			
2	Silty Sand	1.8	0.8	N/A	
3	Silty Clay	2.6	2.9	72.1	0.04
4	Silty Clay	5.5	26.2	23.4	1.12
	$d_c/(\sum(d_i/S_{ui}))$				25.1

Since  $S_u = 25 < 25.1 < 50$  kPa the seismic site response is Site Class E.

### Potential for Soil Liquefaction

As indicated above, the results of the boreholes and information from geological maps indicate that the native deposits underlying the site consist of silty sand followed by a stiff silty clay crust then by firm to soft clays to depths of about 34.7 metres.

C.F.E.M. section 6.6.3.2 (6) recommends that the Bray et al. (2004) criteria be used to determine liquefaction susceptibility of fine-grained soils:

That is fine-grained soils with  $PI \leq 12$  and  $W_c > 0.85LL$  are susceptible to liquefaction, soils with  $12 \leq PI \leq 20$  and  $W_c > 0.8LL$  are moderately susceptible to liquefaction and soils with  $PI > 20$  and  $W_c < 0.8LL$  are not susceptible to liquefaction.

Seed et al. (2003) proposed liquefaction susceptibility criteria that are similar to those by Bray et al. (2004) except that they include slightly different  $W_c / LL$  ratios and include constraints on LL. The criteria by Seed et al. (2003) are described by three zones on the Atterberg limits chart, which are bounded by the following PI and LL values: Zone A soils have  $PI \leq 12$  and  $LL \leq 37$  and are considered potentially susceptible to “classic cyclically induced liquefaction” if the water content is greater than 80% of the LL; Zone B soils have  $PI \leq 20$  and  $LL \leq 47$  and are considered potentially liquefiable with detailed laboratory testing recommended if the water content is greater than 85% of the LL; and Zone C soils with  $PI > 20$  or  $LL > 47$  are considered generally not susceptible to classic cyclic liquefaction, although they should be checked for potential sensitivity.



From the laboratory test results, the silty clay has a plasticity index  $PI =$  of 40.0 and a liquid limit of 63.9 indicating an inorganic highly plastic clay. As such the silty clay is not prone to liquefaction.

### **National Building Code Seismic Hazard Calculation**

The design Peak Ground Acceleration (PGA) for the site was calculated as 0.307 with a 2% probability of exceedance in 50 years based on the interpolation of the 2015 National Building Code Seismic Hazard calculation. The results of the test are attached following the text of this report.

### **Foundation for Proposed Residential Buildings**

#### **Foundation Design and Bearing Capacity**

The site is underlain by a deposit of silty sand overlying silty clay. Based on the undrained shear strength measurements within the silty clay deposit, the silty clay below the silty sand and weathered crust has a soft to firm consistency and has a limited capacity to support loads from footings and grade raise fill. The allowable bearing pressure for any footings depends on the depth of the footings below original ground surface, the width of the footings, and the height above the original ground surface of any landscape grade raise adjacent to the foundation and the thickness of the soils deposit beneath the footings.

The subsurface conditions at the site encountered at the boreholes advanced during the investigation consisted of fill materials (topsoil and silty sand fill) and/or native topsoil followed by silty sand overlying by native silty clay. With the exception of the fill materials and topsoil, the subsurface conditions encountered at the test holes advanced during the investigation are suitable for the support of the proposed buildings on conventional spread footing foundations placed on a native subgrade or on engineered fill placed on the native subgrade. The excavations for the foundation should be taken through any topsoil or otherwise deleterious material to expose the native, undisturbed silty sand. It is suggested that the building be founded either directly on the underlying silty sand or on engineered fill placed on the silty sand.



For predictable performance of the proposed foundations, all existing fill materials and any deleterious materials should be removed from within the proposed foundation areas to expose the native silty clay.

Strip and pad footings, a minimum 0.5 metres in width bearing on the native undisturbed silty sand at a founding depths of about 1.2 to 2.0 metres below the existing ground surface and above the groundwater level or on a suitably constructed engineering pad placed on the native silty sand may be designed using a maximum allowable bearing pressure of 80 kilopascals for serviceability limit states and 150 kilopascals for the factored ultimate bearing resistance.

The above allowable bearing pressure is subject to a maximum grade raise of 0.6 metres above the existing ground surface and to maximum strip footing widths of 1.0 metres and maximum pad footing widths of 1.5 metres.

Provided that any loose and/or disturbed soil is removed from the bearing surfaces prior to pouring concrete, the total and differential settlement of the footings should be less than 25 millimetres and 20 millimetres, respectively.

### **Engineered Fill**

Any fill required to raise the footings for the proposed buildings to founding level should consist of imported granular material (engineered fill). The engineered fill should consist of granular material meeting Ontario Provincial Standards Specifications (OPSS) requirements for Granular A or Granular B Type II and should be compacted in maximum 300 millimetre thick loose lifts to at least 98 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density. It is considered that the engineered fill should be compacted using dynamic compaction with a large diameter vibratory steel drum roller or diesel plate compactor. If a diesel plate compactor is used, the lift thickness may need to be restricted to less than 300 mm to achieve proper compaction. Compaction should be verified by a suitable field compaction test method.

To allow the spread of load beneath the footings, the engineered fill should extend out 0.5 metres horizontally from the edges of the footing then down and out at 1 horizontal to 1 vertical, or flatter.



The excavations for the proposed residential buildings should be sized to accommodate this fill placement.

The first lift of engineered fill material should have a thickness of 300 millimetres in order to protect the subgrade during compaction. It is considered that the placement of a geotextile fabric between the engineered fill and the subgrade is not necessary where granular materials meeting the grading requirements for OPSS Granular B Type II or OPSS Granular A are placed on a silty clay subgrade above the normal ground water level. It is recommended that trucks are not used to place the engineered fill on the subgrade. The fill should be dumped at the edge of the excavation and moved into place with a tracked bulldozer or excavator.

The native silty sand soils at this site will be sensitive to disturbance from construction operations and from rainwater or snowmelt, and frost. In order to minimize disturbance, construction traffic operating directly on the subgrade should be kept to an absolute minimum and the subgrade should be protected from below freezing temperatures.

### **Foundation Excavation**

Any excavation for the proposed structures will likely be carried out through fill material, topsoil and native silty sand to bear within the native silty sand subgrade. The sides of the excavation should be sloped in accordance with the requirements of Ontario Regulation 213/91, s. 226 under the Occupational Health and Safety Act. According to the Act, the native soils at the site can be classified as Type 3 soil, however this classification should be confirmed by qualified individuals as the site is excavated and if necessary, adjusted.

It is expected that the side slopes of the excavation will be stable in the short term provided the walls are sloped at 1H:1V through the fill materials to 1.2 metres or less from the bottom of the excavation and provided no excavated materials are stockpiled within 3 metres of the top of the excavation.

### **Effect of Foundation Excavation on Adjacent Structures and City of Ottawa Services**

As previously indicated, the proposed foundation excavation will be carried out through fill, topsoil and native silty sand. There will be no bedrock excavation or removal. As such, there will be no



excavation processes which could contribute to vibration which could potentially damage adjacent City of Ottawa Services.

### **Ground Water in Excavation and Construction Dewatering**

Groundwater inflow from the native soils into the excavations during construction, if any should be handled by pumping from sumps within the excavation.

Ground water was observed at between about 2.0 and 2.7 metres below the ground surface at time of drilling and measured at 3.9 metres below the ground surface in the stand pipe installed within borehole BH1. Based on the groundwater levels observed, it is considered that the excavation for the new buildings at the site should not extend below the ground water level. As such a permit to take water is will not be required prior to excavation.

### **Effect of Dewatering of Foundation or Site Services Excavations on Adjacent Structures**

Since the existing ground water level at the site will be below the expected underside of footing elevation, dewatering of the excavation will not remove water from historically saturated soils. The closest building is located about 10 metres east of the subject site. As such dewatering of the foundation or site services excavations, if required, will not have a detrimental impact on the adjacent structures.

### **Frost Protection**

In general, all exterior foundation elements and those in any unheated parts of the proposed buildings should be provided with at least 1.5 metres of earth cover for frost protection purposes. Isolated, unheated foundation elements adjacent to surfaces, which are cleared of snow cover during winter months should be provided with a minimum 1.8 metres of earth cover for frost protection purposes.

### **Foundation Wall Backfill and Drainage**

The native soils encountered at this site are considered to be frost susceptible. As such, to prevent possible foundation frost jacking due to frost adhesion, the backfill against any unheated or



insulated walls or isolated walls or piers should consist of free draining, non-frost susceptible material. If imported material is required, it should consist of sand or sand and gravel meeting OPSS Granular B Type I grading requirements. Alternatively, foundations could be backfilled with native material in conjunction with the use of an approved proprietary drainage layer system such as "System Platon" against the foundation wall. It is pointed out that there is potential for possible frost jacking of the upper portion of some types of these drainage layer systems if frost susceptible material is used as backfill. This could be mitigated by backfilling the upper approximately 0.6 metres with non-frost susceptible granular material.

Where the backfill material will ultimately support a pavement structure or walkway, it is suggested that the foundation wall backfill material be compacted in 250 millimetre thick lifts to 95 percent of the standard Proctor dry density value. In that case any native material proposed for foundation backfill should be inspected and approved by the geotechnical engineer.

Provided the proposed finished floor surfaces are everywhere above the exterior finished grade, the granular materials beneath the proposed floor slab are properly compacted and provided the exterior grade is adequately sloped away from the proposed buildings, no perimeter foundation drainage system is required.

### ***Slab on Grade Support***

As stated above, it is expected that the proposed buildings will be founded on native silty sand or on an engineered pad placed on the native subgrade. For predictable performance of the proposed concrete floor slab all existing fill material, topsoil and any otherwise deleterious material should be removed from below the proposed floor slab area. The exposed native subgrade surface should then be inspected and approved by geotechnical personnel. Any soft areas evident should be subexcavated and replaced with suitable engineered fill. Any fill materials consisting of granular material, removed from the proposed concrete floor slab area, could be stockpiled for possible reuse with approval from the geotechnical engineer.

The fill materials beneath the proposed concrete floor slab on grade should consist of a minimum of 150 millimetre thickness of crushed stone meeting OPSS Granular A immediately beneath the concrete floor slab followed by sand, or sand and gravel meeting the OPSS for Granular B Type I,



or crushed stone meeting OPSS grading requirements for Granular B Type II, or other material approved by the Geotechnical Engineer. The fill materials should be compacted in maximum 300 millimetre thick lifts to at least 95 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density.

The slab should be structurally independent from walls and columns, which are supported by the foundations. This is to reduce any structural distress that may occur as a result of differential soil movement. If it is intended to place any internal non-load bearing partitions directly on the slab-on-grade, such walls should also be structurally independent from other elements of the building founded on the conventional foundation system so that some relative vertical movement between the floor slab and foundation can occur freely.

The concrete floor slab should be saw cut at regular intervals to minimize random cracking of the slab due to shrinkage of the concrete. The saw cut depth should be about one quarter of the thickness of the slab. The crack control cuts should be placed at a grid spacing not exceeding the lesser of 25 times the slab thickness or 4.5 metres. The slab should be cut as soon as it is possible to work on the slab without damaging the surface of the slab.

Under slab drainage is not considered necessary provided that the floor slab level is everywhere above the finished exterior ground surface level. If any areas of the proposed building are to remain unheated during the winter period or under slab insulation is to be used, thermal protection of the foundation may be required. Further details on the insulation requirements could be provided, if necessary.

### **TREE PLANTING RESTRICTIONS**

The tree planting in sensitive marine clay guidelines requires the USF to be 2.1 metres or greater below the lowest finished grade. The proposed USF is currently designed to be at about 1.7 to 2.0 metres below the existing ground surface and about 1.1 metres below the lowest finished grade. It is noted that the silty clays below the proposed underside of footing elevation are considered to be highly plastic with plasticity index of about 40 percent. Based on the above, the conditions at the site do not conform to the conditions in the SMC 2017 guidelines that would allow a reduced setback. As such trees should be planted in conformance to the 2005 Clay Soils Policy.





## **SITE SERVICES**

### ***Excavation***

The excavations for the site services will be carried out through fill materials, topsoil, silty sand and possibly silty clay. For the purposes of Ontario Regulation 213/91 the soils at the site can be considered to be Type 3 soil. The sides of the excavations in overburden materials should be sloped in accordance with the requirements in Ontario Regulation 213/91 under the Ontario Occupational Health and Safety Act. That is, open cut excavations with overburden deposits should be carried out with side slopes of 1 horizontal to 1 vertical, or flatter. Where space constraints dictate, the excavation and backfilling operations should be carried out within a tightly fitting, braced steel trench box.

Based on the depths at which groundwater was measured within the standpipe installed in boreholes BH1, significant groundwater flow into any excavation is unlikely. Any groundwater inflow into the service trenches should be handled by pumping from sumps from within the excavations.

### ***Pipe Bedding and Cover Materials***

It is suggested that the service pipe bedding material consist of at least 150 millimetres of granular material meeting OPSS requirements for Granular A. A provisional allowance should, however, be made for sub-excavation of any existing fill or disturbed material encountered at subgrade level. Granular material meeting OPSS specifications for Granular B Type II could be used as a sub-bedding material. The use of clear crushed stone as bedding or sub-bedding material should not be permitted.

Cover material, from pipe spring line to at least 300 millimetres above the top of the pipe, should consist of granular material, such as OPSS Granular A or Granular B Type I (with a maximum particle size of 25 millimetres).

The sub-bedding, bedding and cover materials should be compacted in maximum 200 millimetre thick lifts to at least 95 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density using suitable vibratory compaction equipment.



### ***Trench Backfill***

The general backfilling procedures should be carried out in a manner that is compatible with the future use of the area above the service trenches.

In areas where the service trench will be located below or in close proximity to existing or future pavement areas, acceptable native materials should be used as backfill between the pavement subgrade level and the depth of seasonal frost penetration (i.e. 1.8 metres below finished grade) in order to reduce the potential for differential frost heaving between the area over the trench and the adjacent section of roadway.

Where native backfill is used, it should match the native materials exposed on the trench walls. Some of the native materials from the lower part of the trench excavations may be wet of optimum for compaction. Depending on the weather conditions encountered during construction, some drying of materials and/or recompaction may be required. Any wet materials that cannot be compacted to the required density should either be wasted from the site or should be used outside of existing or future driveway areas. Backfill below the zone of seasonal frost penetration could consist of either acceptable native material or imported granular material conforming to OPSS Granular B Type I. If the native material is not suitable for backfill, imported granular material may have to be used. If imported granular materials are used, suitable frost tapers should be used OPSD 802.013.

To minimize future settlement of the backfill and achieve an acceptable subgrade for the parking areas, sidewalks, etc., the trench should be compacted in maximum 300 millimetre thick lifts to at least 95 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density. The specified density may be reduced to 90 percent where the trench backfill is not located or in close proximity to existing or future roadways, driveways, sidewalks, or any other type of permanent structure.



### ***Subsurface Storage Tanks***

It is understood that the proposed stormwater management design for the development will include subsurface storage tanks to attenuate the excess runoff occurring during a major storm event. It is further understood that the proposed storage tanks will be located below the parking area west of the proposed buildings.

The underground storage tanks should be designed in consideration of the following:

- The expected groundwater level is at about 82.4 m. The ground water level maybe subject to seasonal variability.
- Subsurface soil consists of highly plastic silty clay. There will be minimal infiltration or exfiltration from permeable storage tanks
- The storage tanks maybe subject to significant vehicle loading. The tanks should be structurally designed to resist HS-20 loads and should be located outside of the roadway drive aisle.
- The tanks maybe designed assuming an allowable bearing pressure of 80 kPa for SLS design and an ultimate bearing resistance of 150 kPa on a suitably prepared subgrade. A suitably prepared subgrade consists of a subgrade surface free of disturbed, softened or deleterious materials.
- The backfill structure over the storage tanks should conform to manufacturers recommendations, but at minimum is expected to consist of 300 mm of 25 mm crushed clearstone immediately on top of the tank structure followed by the remaindered of the roadway structure as specified below.
- If the thickness of the specified structure below plus the 300 mm of clearstone is insufficient to reach the proposed finished parking area surface, the additional thickness can be made up with Granular B type II material.

### **ACCESS ROADWAY AND PARKING AREA PAVEMENTS**

Based on the results of the boreholes, the subsurface conditions in the access roadway and parking areas consist of a thin layer of topsoil fill overlying silty sand fill followed by native silty sand then clay. It is considered that the existing fill materials should be excavated as required to achieve the proposed underside of access roadway and parking area subbase elevation. Any underlying silty sand fill materials containing significant organic material or otherwise deleterious material should be subexcavated and removed.



The exposed sub-grade should be inspected and approved by geotechnical personnel and any soft areas evident should be sub-excavated and replaced with suitable earth borrow or granular crushed stone approved by the geotechnical engineer. The sub-grade should be shaped and crowned to promote drainage of the roadway area granular. Following approval of the preparation of the sub-grade, the pavement granulars may be placed.

For any areas of the site that require the sub-grade to be raised to proposed pavement sub-grade level, the material used should consist of OPSS select sub-grade material or OPSS Granular B Type I or Type II. Recycled crushed concrete meeting the grading specifications for Granular B Type II could also be used. Materials used for raising the sub-grade to proposed roadway area sub-grade level should be placed in maximum 300 millimetre thick loose lifts and be compacted to at least 95 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density using suitable compaction equipment.

#### *Light Duty Pavement Section*

For pavement areas subject to cars and light trucks the pavement should consist of:

50 millimetres of Superpave 12.5 asphaltic concrete over

150 millimetres of OPSS Granular A base over

300 millimetres of OPSS Granular B, Type II subbase over

(50 or 100 millimetre minus crushed stone)

Non-woven geotextile fabric (4 oz/sy) such as Terrafix 270R or Thrace-Ling 130EX or approved alternative.

#### *Heavy Duty Pavement Section*

The thickness of the asphaltic concrete pavement should be increased to a minimum of 40 mm of Superpave 12.5 asphaltic concrete over 50 mm of Superpave 19.0 asphaltic concrete for pavement areas subjected to heavy traffic. The heavy duty pavement section is expected to consist of the drive aisle and turning area for fire trucks and garbage trucks.

Performance grade PG 58-34 asphaltic concrete should be specified. Compaction of the granular pavement materials should be carried out in maximum 300 millimetre thick loose lifts to 100 percent of the standard Proctor maximum dry density value using suitable vibratory compaction equipment.



The above pavement structures will be adequate on an acceptable sub-grade, that is, one where any roadway fill and service trench backfill has been adequately compacted. If the roadway sub-grade is disturbed or wetted due to construction operations or precipitation, the granular thicknesses given above may not be adequate and it may be necessary to increase the thickness of the Granular B Type II subbase and/or incorporate a non-woven geotextile separator between the roadway subgrade surface and the granular subbase material. The adequacy of the design of the pavement thickness should be assessed by the geotechnical personnel at the time of construction.

## **CONSTRUCTION CONSIDERATIONS**

It is suggested that the final design drawings for the project, including the proposed site grading plan, be reviewed by the geotechnical engineer to ensure that the guidelines provided in this report have been interpreted as intended and to re-evaluate the guidelines provided in the report with respect to the actual project plans. Items such as actual foundation wall/column loads, etc could have significant impacts on foundation type, frost protection requirements, etc.

The engagement of the services of the geotechnical consultant during construction is recommended to confirm that the subsurface conditions throughout the proposed development do not materially differ from those given in the report and that the construction activities do not adversely affect the intent of the design.

All foundation areas and any engineered fill areas for the proposed residential buildings should be inspected by Kollaard Associates Inc. to ensure that a suitable subgrade has been reached and properly prepared. The placing and compaction of any granular materials beneath the foundations should be inspected to ensure that the materials used conform to the grading and compaction specifications.

The subgrade for the site services, access roadways and driveway should be inspected and approved by geotechnical personnel. In situ density testing should be carried out on the service pipe bedding and backfill and the pavement granular materials to ensure the materials meet the specifications from a compaction point of view.



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The native silty sand and silty clay deposits at this site will be sensitive to disturbance from construction operations, from rainwater or snow melt, and frost. In order to minimize disturbance, construction traffic operating directly on the subgrade should be kept to an absolute minimum and the subgrade should be protected from below freezing temperatures.

We trust this report provides sufficient information for your present purposes. If you have any questions concerning this report or if we may be of further services to you, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Regards,

Kollaard Associates Inc.



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Dean Tataryn, B.E.S., EP.

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Steve DeWit, P.Eng.

Attachments: Table I - Record of Boreholes  
Key Plan, Figure 1  
Site Plan, Figure 2  
Laboratory Test Results for Sulphate, Resistivity and pH  
Attachment A – Stantec Laboratory Test Results for Soils  
Attachment B - National Building Code Seismic Hazard Calculation



## APPENDIX A – SUMMARY OF GEOTECHNICAL RECOMMENDATIONS

This report provides geotechnical recommendations under the Headings: Geotechnical Guidelines and Recommendations; Foundation For Proposed Residential Building; Site Services; Access Roadway Pavements; Construction Considerations:

These geotechnical recommendations include:

- Foundation Design
- Allowable Bearing Capacity
- Settlement
- Subgrade preparation
- Engineered Fill and Compaction
- Frost Protection
- Foundation Drainage
- Foundation Backfill
- Floor Slab
- Seismic Design
- Tree Planting
- Excavation for Services and Sewers
- Bedding and Cover
- Trench Backfill
- Subsurface Storage Tanks
- Subgrade Preparation for Pavements
- Pavement Structures
- Pavement Placement and compaction
- Inspection Requirements.



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THE ATTACHMENTS FROM THE ORIGINAL GEOTECHNICAL REPORT DATED MAY 20, 2020 HAVE BEEN INCLUDED WITH OUT REVISION AS NO REVISIONS TO THE ATTACHMENTS WERE REQUIRED IN RESPONSE TO THE REVIEW COMMENTS.





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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND TERMINOLOGY

### SAMPLE TYPES

AS auger sample  
CS chunk sample  
DO drive open  
MS manual sample  
RC rock core  
ST slotted tube  
TO thin-walled open Shelby tube  
TP thin-walled piston Shelby tube  
WS wash sample

### PENETRATION RESISTANCE

Standard Penetration Resistance, N  
The number of blows by a 63.5 kg hammer dropped 760 millimeter required to drive a 50 mm drive open sampler for a distance of 300 mm. For split spoon samples where less than 300 mm of penetration was achieved, the number of blows is reported over the sampler penetration in mm.

Dynamic Penetration Resistance  
The number of blows by a 63.5 kg hammer dropped 760 mm to drive a 50 mm diameter, 60° cone attached to 'A' size drill rods for a distance of 300 mm.

WH  
Sampler advanced by static weight of hammer and drill rods.

WR  
Sampler advanced by static weight of drill rods.

PH  
Sampler advanced by hydraulic pressure from drill rig.

PM  
Sampler advanced by manual pressure.

### SOIL TESTS

C consolidation test  
H hydrometer analysis  
M sieve analysis  
MH sieve and hydrometer analysis  
U unconfined compression test  
Q undrained triaxial test  
V field vane, undisturbed and remolded shear strength

### SOIL DESCRIPTIONS

Relative Density	'N' Value
Very Loose	0 to 4
Loose	4 to 10
Compact	10 to 30
Dense	30 to 50
Very Dense	over 50

Consistency	Undrained Shear Strength (kPa)
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Very soft	0 to 12
Soft	12 to 25
Firm	25 to 50
Stiff	50 to 100
Very Stiff	over 100

### LIST OF COMMON SYMBOLS

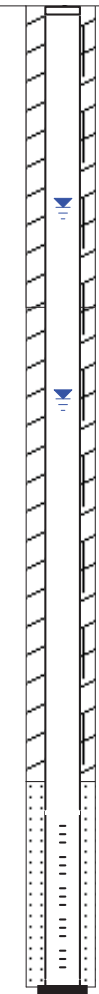
$c_u$  undrained shear strength  
 $e$  void ratio  
 $C_c$  compression index  
 $C_v$  coefficient of consolidation  
 $k$  coefficient of permeability  
 $I_p$  plasticity index  
 $n$  porosity  
 $u$  pore pressure  
 $w$  moisture content  
 $w_L$  liquid limit  
 $w_p$  plastic limit  
 $\delta^1$  effective angle of friction  
 $r$  unit weight of soil  
 $\gamma^1$  unit weight of submerged soil  
 $\sigma$  normal stress

# RECORD OF BOREHOLE BH1

**PROJECT:** Proposed Residential Development  
**CLIENT:** Mr. George Elias  
**LOCATION:** 6173 Renaud Road, Ottawa, Ontario  
**PENETRATION TEST HAMMER:** 63.5kg, Drop, 0.76mm

**PROJECT NUMBER:** 190867  
**DATE OF BORING:** November 4, 2019  
**SHEET** 1 of 1  
**DATUM:** LOCAL

DEPTH SCALE (meters)	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES			UNDIST. SHEAR STRENGTH		DYNAMIC CONE PENETRATION TEST	ADDITIONAL LAB TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION
	DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (M)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.3m	Cu, kPa			
							× 20	40 60 80 ×		
						REM. SHEAR STRENGTH		blows/300 mm		
						○ 20 40 60 80 ○		10 30 50 70 90		
0	Ground Surface		501.29							%M
0	Topsoil (FILL)		0.00							
0.5	Yellow brown silty sand, trace organics (FILL)			1	SS	8				19
1.0				2	SS	13				13
1.5			499.59							
1.5	TOPSOIL		1.70							
1.5	Grey brown SILTY SAND		499.29	3	SS	19				
2.0	Grey SILTY SAND		2.00							
2.5				4	SS	19				21
3.0			498.09							
3.0	Firm grey SILTY CLAY		3.20	5	SS	2				49
4.0							○			
4.5							○			
5.0				6	SS	WH				78
5.5							○			
6.0							○			
6.5				7	SS	WH				77
7.0							○			
7.5							○			
8.0				8	SS	WH				77
8.5							○			
9.0							○			
9.5				9	SS	WH				85
9.5	End of Borehole		491.54							
9.5			9.75							



Trace of water observed in borehole at approximately 2.0 metres below the existing ground surface on November 4, 2019. Water measured in the standpipe at about 3.9 metres below the existing ground surface,

**DEPTH SCALE:** 1 to 75  
**BORING METHOD:** Power Auger

**AUGER TYPE:** 200 mm Hollow Stem

**LOGGED:** DT  
**CHECKED:** SD

# RECORD OF BOREHOLE BH2

**PROJECT:** Proposed Residential Development  
**CLIENT:** Mr. George Elias  
**LOCATION:** 6173 Renaud Road, Ottawa, Ontario  
**PENETRATION TEST HAMMER:** 63.5kg, Drop, 0.76mm

**PROJECT NUMBER:** 190867  
**DATE OF BORING:** November 5, 2019  
**SHEET** 1 of 2  
**DATUM:** LOCAL

DEPTH SCALE (meters)	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES			UNDIST. SHEAR STRENGTH		DYNAMIC CONE PENETRATION TEST		ADDITIONAL LAB TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION
	DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (M)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.3m	Cu, kPa		blows/300 mm		
							×	○			
	Ground Surface		500.11								
0	Topsoil (FILL) Yellow brown silty sand, trace organics (FILL)		0.00	1	SS	4					%M
1				2	SS	5					
2	Grey SILTY SAND		498.09	3	SS	15					15
			2.02								
3	Grey SILTY CLAY		497.35	4	SS	4					29
			2.76								
4							○				
5				6	SS	WH					69
6							○				
7				7	SS	WH					73
8							○				
8				8	SS	WH					78
9							○				
10	Borehole continued as Probe Hole, probably grey SILTY CLAY		490.36				○				
			9.75				○				
11							○				
12							○				
13							○				
14							○				
15							○				
16							○				
17							○				
18							○				

Water observed in borehole at approximately 2.7 metres below the existing ground surface on November 5, 2019.

**DEPTH SCALE:** 1 to 100  
**BORING METHOD:** Power Auger

**AUGER TYPE:** 200 mm Hollow Stem

**LOGGED:** DT  
**CHECKED:** SD

# RECORD OF BOREHOLE BH2

**PROJECT:** Proposed Residential Development  
**CLIENT:** Mr. George Elias  
**LOCATION:** 6173 Renaud Road, Ottawa, Ontario  
**PENETRATION TEST HAMMER:** 63.5kg, Drop, 0.76mm

**PROJECT NUMBER:** 190867  
**DATE OF BORING:** November 5, 2019  
**SHEET** 2 of 2  
**DATUM:** LOCAL

DEPTH SCALE (meters)	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES			UNDIST. SHEAR STRENGTH				DYNAMIC CONE PENETRATION TEST					ADDITIONAL LAB TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION	
	DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (M)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.3m	Cu, kPa				blows/300 mm						
							×	20	40	60	80	×	○	20			40
19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36																	
	Probably grey silty sand, some gravel, cobbles and boulders, trace clay (GLACIAL TILL)		465.36 34.75 464.76 35.35														
	End of Borehole, refusal on large boulder or bedrock																

DEPTH SCALE: 1 to 100

BORING METHOD: Power Auger

AUGER TYPE: 200 mm Hollow Stem

LOGGED: DT

CHECKED: SD

# RECORD OF BOREHOLE BH3

**PROJECT:** Proposed Residential Development  
**CLIENT:** Mr. George Elias  
**LOCATION:** 6173 Renaud Road, Ottawa, Ontario  
**PENETRATION TEST HAMMER:** 63.5kg, Drop, 0.76mm

**PROJECT NUMBER:** 190867  
**DATE OF BORING:** November 4, 2019  
**SHEET** 1 of 1  
**DATUM:** LOCAL

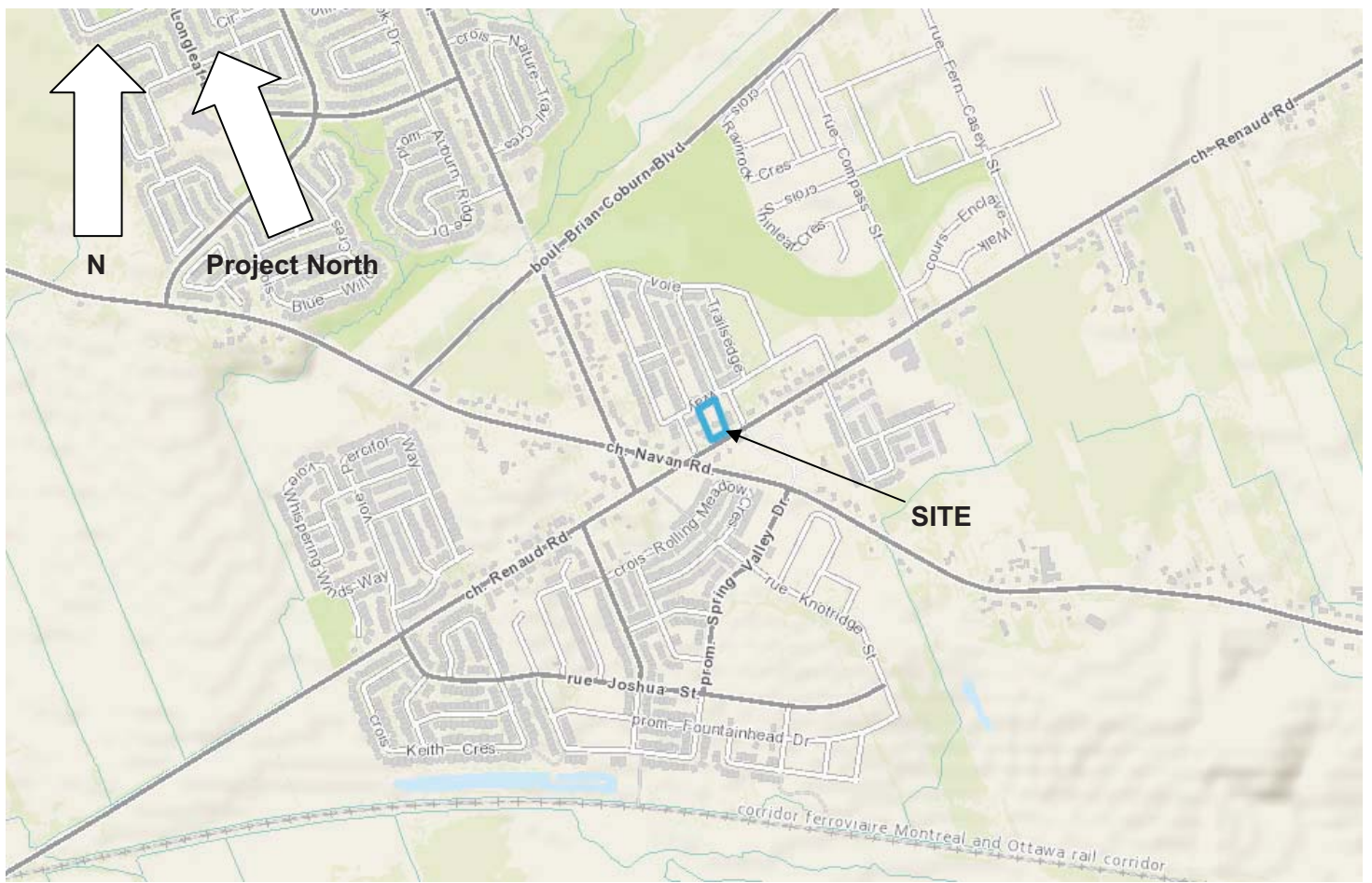
DEPTH SCALE (meters)	SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES			UNDIST. SHEAR STRENGTH		DYNAMIC CONE PENETRATION TEST		ADDITIONAL LAB TESTING	PIEZOMETER OR STANDPIPE INSTALLATION
	DESCRIPTION	STRATA PLOT	ELEV. DEPTH (M)	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/0.3m	Cu, kPa		blows/300 mm		
							×	○			
0	Ground Surface		500.20							%M	
0	TOPSOIL		0.00								
0.5	Yellow brown SILTY SAND			1	SS	3					29
1.0				2	SS	13					12
1.5	Grey SILTY SAND		498.84								
1.5			1.36								
2.0				3	SS	6					32
2.0	Firm grey SILTY CLAY		498.13								
2.0			2.07								
2.5				4	SS	2					
3.0											
3.5				5	SS	WH					67
4.0							○	×			
4.5							○	×			
5.0				6	SS	WH					74
5.5							○	×			
6.0							○	×			
6.5				7	SS	WH					83
7.0							○	×			
7.5							○	×			
8.0				8	SS	WH					73
8.5							○	×			
9.0							○	×			
9.5				9	SS	WH					78
10.0	End of Borehole		490.45								
10.0			9.75								

Trace of water observed in borehole at approximately 2.1 metres below the existing ground surface on November 4, 2019.

**DEPTH SCALE:** 1 to 75  
**BORING METHOD:** Power Auger  
**AUGER TYPE:** 200 mm Hollow Stem  
**LOGGED:** DT  
**CHECKED:** SD

# KEY PLAN

# FIGURE 1



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SITE PLAN, FIGURE 2

LEGEND:  
  
BH1 APPROXIMATE BOREHOLE LOCATION

REFERENCE: PLAN SUPPLIED BY  
CITY OF OTTAWA EMAPS.

SPECIAL NOTE: THIS DRAWING TO  
BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH  
THE ACCOMPANYING REPORT.

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TEAK DEVELOPMENTS

PROJECT:  
GEOTECHNICAL INVESTIGATION FOR  
PROPOSED RESIDENTIAL  
DEVELOPMENT

LOCATION:  
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## Laboratory Test Results for Chemical Properties





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Job Reference: 190867  
C of C Numbers:  
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# ALS ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYTICAL REPORT

Sample Details/Parameters	Result	Qualifier*	D.L.	Units	Extracted	Analyzed	Batch
L2378755-1 BH1 SS3 5-7							
Sampled By: CLIENT on 04-NOV-19							
Matrix: SOIL							
<b>Physical Tests</b>							
Conductivity	0.0855		0.0040	mS/cm		12-NOV-19	R4904783
% Moisture	8.02		0.25	%	07-NOV-19	08-NOV-19	R4902767
pH	6.47		0.10	pH units		11-NOV-19	R4904463
Redox Potential	305		-1000	mV		11-NOV-19	R4904419
Resistivity	11700		1.0	ohm*cm		12-NOV-19	
<b>Leachable Anions &amp; Nutrients</b>							
Chloride	<0.00050		0.00050	%	10-NOV-19	11-NOV-19	R4904924
<b>Anions and Nutrients</b>							
Sulphate	0.0068		0.0020	%	10-NOV-19	11-NOV-19	R4904924
<b>Inorganic Parameters</b>							
Acid Volatile Sulphides	<0.20		0.20	mg/kg	11-NOV-19	11-NOV-19	R4904280

\* Refer to Referenced Information for Qualifiers (if any) and Methodology.

## Reference Information

**Test Method References:**

ALS Test Code	Matrix	Test Description	Method Reference**
CL-R511-WT	Soil	Chloride-O.Reg 153/04 (July 2011)	EPA 300.0
5 grams of dried soil is mixed with 10 grams of distilled water for a minimum of 30 minutes. The extract is filtered and analyzed by ion chromatography.			
Analysis conducted in accordance with the Protocol for Analytical Methods Used in the Assessment of Properties under Part XV.1 of the Environmental Protection Act (July 1, 2011).			
EC-WT	Soil	Conductivity (EC)	MOEE E3138
A representative subsample is tumbled with de-ionized (DI) water. The ratio of water to soil is 2:1 v/w. After tumbling the sample is then analyzed by a conductivity meter.			
Analysis conducted in accordance with the Protocol for Analytical Methods Used in the Assessment of Properties under Part XV.1 of the Environmental Protection Act (July 1, 2011).			
MOISTURE-WT	Soil	% Moisture	CCME PHC in Soil - Tier 1 (mod)
PH-WT	Soil	pH	MOEE E3137A
A minimum 10g portion of the sample is extracted with 20mL of 0.01M calcium chloride solution by shaking for at least 30 minutes. The aqueous layer is separated from the soil and then analyzed using a pH meter and electrode.			
Analysis conducted in accordance with the Protocol for Analytical Methods Used in the Assessment of Properties under Part XV.1 of the Environmental Protection Act (July 1, 2011).			
REDOX-POTENTIAL-WT	Soil	Redox Potential	APHA 2580
This analysis is carried out in accordance with the procedure described in the "APHA" method 2580 "Oxidation-Reduction Potential" 2012. Samples are extracted at a fixed ratio with DI water. Results are reported as observed oxidation-reduction potential of the platinum metal-reference electrode employed, in mV.			
RESISTIVITY-CALC-WT	Soil	Resistivity Calculation	APHA 2510 B
Resistivity are calculated based on the conductivity using APHA 2510B where Conductivity is the inverse of Resistivity.			
RESISTIVITY-CALC-WT	Soil	Resistivity Calculation	MOECC E3138
Resistivity are calculated based on the conductivity using APHA 2510B where Conductivity is the inverse of Resistivity.			
SO4-WT	Soil	Sulphate	EPA 300.0
5 grams of soil is mixed with 50 mL of distilled water for a minimum of 30 minutes. The extract is filtered and analyzed by ion chromatography.			
SULPHIDE-WT	Soil	Sulphide, Acid Volatile	APHA 4500S2J
This analysis is carried out in accordance with the method described in APHA 4500 S2-J. Hydrochloric acid is added to sediment samples within a purge and trap system. The evolved hydrogen sulphide (H2S) is carried into a basic solution by inert gas. The acid volatile sulfide is then determined colourimetrically.			

\*\* ALS test methods may incorporate modifications from specified reference methods to improve performance.

*The last two letters of the above test code(s) indicate the laboratory that performed analytical analysis for that test. Refer to the list below:*

Laboratory Definition Code	Laboratory Location
WT	ALS ENVIRONMENTAL - WATERLOO, ONTARIO, CANADA

**Chain of Custody Numbers:**

## Reference Information

### GLOSSARY OF REPORT TERMS

*Surrogates are compounds that are similar in behaviour to target analyte(s), but that do not normally occur in environmental samples. For applicable tests, surrogates are added to samples prior to analysis as a check on recovery. In reports that display the D.L. column, laboratory objectives for surrogates are listed there.*

*mg/kg - milligrams per kilogram based on dry weight of sample*

*mg/kg wwt - milligrams per kilogram based on wet weight of sample*

*mg/kg lwt - milligrams per kilogram based on lipid weight of sample*

*mg/L - unit of concentration based on volume, parts per million.*

*< - Less than.*

*D.L. - The reporting limit.*

*N/A - Result not available. Refer to qualifier code and definition for explanation.*

*Test results reported relate only to the samples as received by the laboratory.*

*UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED, ALL SAMPLES WERE RECEIVED IN ACCEPTABLE CONDITION.*

*Analytical results in unsigned test reports with the DRAFT watermark are subject to change, pending final QC review.*



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November 8, 2019  
File: 122410003

**Attention:** Dean Tataryn, Kollaard Associates Engineers

**Reference:** Kollaard File #190867, ASTM D4318 Atterberg Limit & ASTM D2216 Moisture Content

The table below summarizes Atterberg Limit & Moisture Content results.

Source	Depth	Natural Moisture Content	Liquid Limit	Plastic Limit	Plasticity Index
BH-3 SS-4	7'6" -9'6"	49.3%	63.9	24.0	40.0

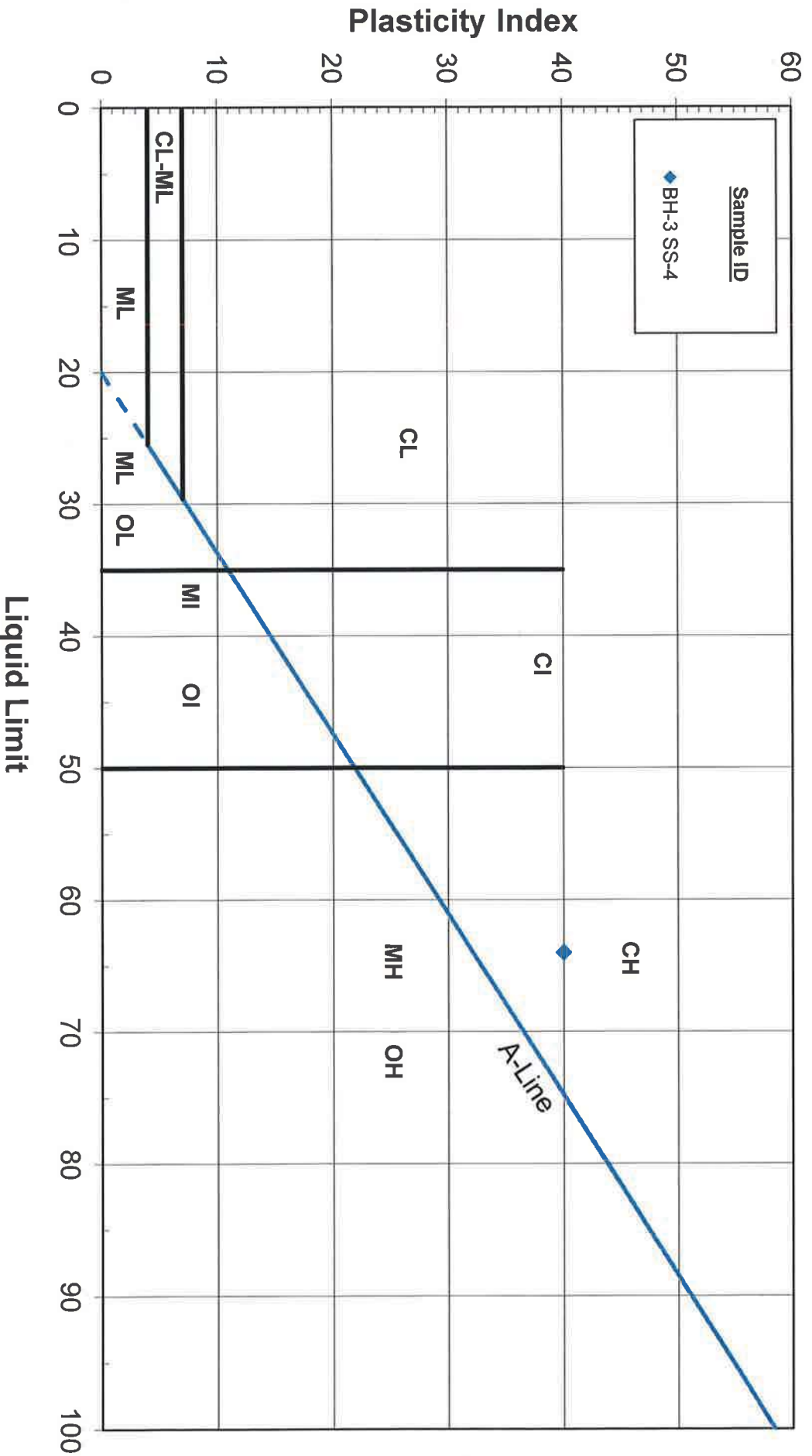
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Attachments: Atterberg Limit Plasticity Chart



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# PLASTICITY CHART

Figure No.

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## National Building Code Seismic Hazard Calculation



# 2015 National Building Code Seismic Hazard Calculation

INFORMATION: Eastern Canada English (613) 995-5548 français (613) 995-0600 Facsimile (613) 992-8836  
Western Canada English (250) 363-6500 Facsimile (250) 363-6565

Site: 45.431N 75.515W

User File Reference: 6173 Renaud Road

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Probability of exceedance per annum	0.000404	0.001	0.0021	0.01
Probability of exceedance in 50 years	2 %	5 %	10 %	40 %
Sa (0.05)	0.497	0.274	0.163	0.047
Sa (0.1)	0.576	0.328	0.202	0.064
Sa (0.2)	0.478	0.276	0.173	0.058
Sa (0.3)	0.361	0.210	0.132	0.045
Sa (0.5)	0.254	0.147	0.093	0.032
Sa (1.0)	0.124	0.073	0.046	0.016
Sa (2.0)	0.058	0.034	0.021	0.006
Sa (5.0)	0.015	0.008	0.005	0.001
Sa (10.0)	0.006	0.003	0.002	0.001
PGA (g)	0.307	0.178	0.110	0.034
PGV (m/s)	0.210	0.118	0.072	0.022

**Notes:** Spectral ( $S_a(T)$ , where  $T$  is the period in seconds) and peak ground acceleration (PGA) values are given in units of  $g$  ( $9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$ ). Peak ground velocity is given in  $\text{m/s}$ . Values are for "firm ground" (NBCC2015 Site Class C, average shear wave velocity  $450 \text{ m/s}$ ). NBCC2015 and CSAS6-14 values are highlighted in yellow. Three additional periods are provided - their use is discussed in the NBCC2015 Commentary. Only 2 significant figures are to be used. **These values have been interpolated from a 10-km-spaced grid of points. Depending on the gradient of the nearby points, values at this location calculated directly from the hazard program may vary. More than 95 percent of interpolated values are within 2 percent of the directly calculated values.**

## References

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