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151404-CR03-A 28-32 Somerset Street, Kingswood - Services and Utilities Report

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1. Introduction

Northrop Consulting Engineers (Northrop) has been engaged by Pure Projects to prepare additional documentation in support of a Development Application (DA) Submission to Penrith City Council (PCC) for the proposed residential development at 28-32 Somerset Street, Kingswood.

The proposed development will involve the demolition of two existing residential dwellings within the subject site and the construction of a six (6) story residential apartment building, complete with a commercial tenancy on ground floor.

In addition to a Stormwater Management Report, Northrop has been engaged to prepare a Services and Utilities Report for the proposed development.

The report outlines the existing services and utilities available for the proposed development. This report should be read in conjunction with Northrop's Stormwater Management Report and prepared civil DA drawing set 151404 DA1.00-DA5.01.



2. Site Description

2.1. Existing Site Description

The address of the subject site is 28-32 Somerset Street, Kingswood. The site is located within B4 mixed use land zoning area. Refer to **Figure 1** for the site location.



Figure 1 - Locality Plan

The site is generally trapezoidal in shape and covers an area of approximately 1694 m². The site is enclosed by Somerset Street on the western boundary and Hargrave Street on the southern boundary.

The existing (pre-development) site condition consists of a single storey dwelling located on 28 and 30 Somerset Street whilst 32 Somerset Street is vacant.

Based on survey information, the general site levels fall from a maximum RL of approximately 49.10 m AHD along the western boundary to a minimum RL of approximately 47.58 m AHD on the eastern boundary constituting an average grade of 4.4%. Refer to Attachment A for the existing site survey plan.



2.2. Proposed Development

The proposed development will involve the demolition of two existing residential dwellings within the subject site and the construction of a six (6) story building over two (2) basement levels. The development will ultimately yield a total of fifty four (54) apartments and seventy four (74) car parking spaces.

Refer to the architectural drawings prepared by Plus Architecture for more details.



3. Services and Utilities

3.1. Potable Water Supply

An assessment has been made on the existing water supply. A DN150 Sydney Water main has been located in the verge of Somerset Street directly in front of the site. Northrop had previously submitted a Pressure and Flow Application to Sydney Water to assess if the water main had sufficient capacity to service the site. The results have since been received and the 150mm water main should have sufficient capacity to service the site, however this will need to be confirmed by the Section 73 process to Sydney Water once DA consent is granted.

Under new Sydney Water requirements, developments are required to provide individual water meters to each unit. Adequate space provision on each level in common areas is required for water meter arrangements.

Fire sprinklers will not be required for basement levels provided the number of car parking spots do not exceed 40 per level.

Fire hydrants and booster locations as well as fire sprinklers are to be coordinated with a Hydraulic and Fire consultant and should be designed in accordance with the BCA and relevant Australian Standards.

Refer to Attachment A for location of Sydney Water services.

3.2 Recycled Water Supply

Recycled water does not need to be provided for the site.

3.3 Sewer

A DN150 VC sewer pipe has been confirmed adjacent the western boundary at the rear of the site. The sewer pipe appears to have sufficient capacity to service the development, however a Section 73 application will need to be submitted to Sydney Water after DA approval is granted. Once the Section 73 Application has been processed, the Notice of Requirements will be released which will outline the requirements for both water and sewer.

Retail premises such as a café will require installation of a grease arrestor and a trade waste application. General medical suits if adopted will not require additional trade waste provisions.

Refer to Attachment A for location of Sydney Water sewer services.

3.4 Stormwater Drainage

Refer to Northrop's Stormwater Management Report for further information.

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3.5 Telecommunications

Telecommunication services are readily available for the proposed development.

Refer to Attachment A for location of telecommunication services.

3.6 Gas

A natural high pressure gas main is located in Somerset Street and could be used to supply gas to the site. A gas application with Jemena will be required.

Refer to Attachment A for location of Jemena gas services.

3.7 Power

Endeavour Energy is the power utility servicing the site. We have estimated the maximum power demand for the site is in the range of 300 to 350 Amps. In this case, a substation is to be provided (refer to Plus Architectures drawings for location of substation).

Our preliminary investigation has found overhead high voltage (HV) power supply is located on the western side of Somerset Street. This HV power supply could be used to supply the site substation.

Council typically requires overhead power infrastructure near the site frontages to be relocated underground. This is also driven by overhead power lines "grazing" the site boundary near the intersection of Somerset Street and Hargraves Street.

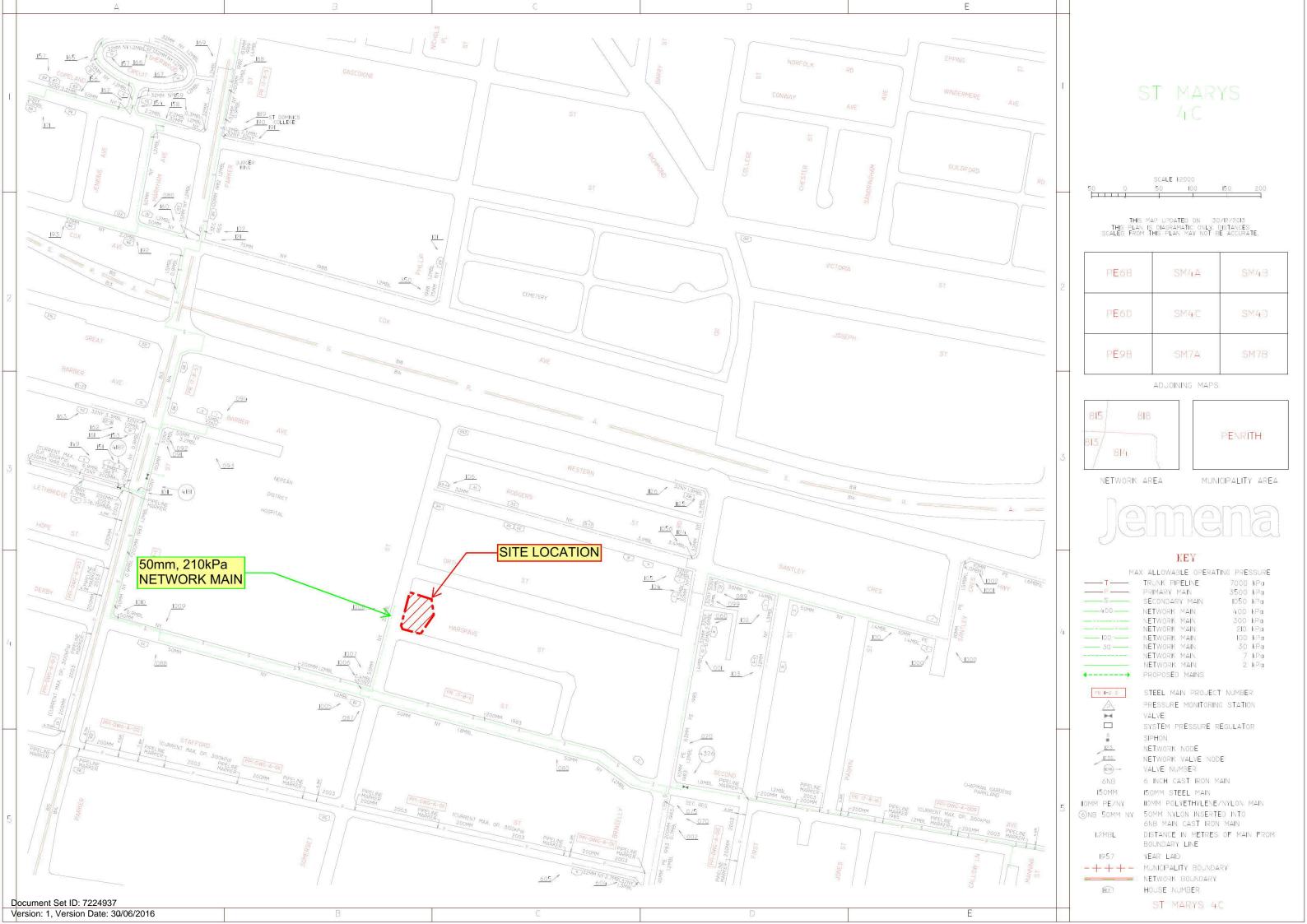
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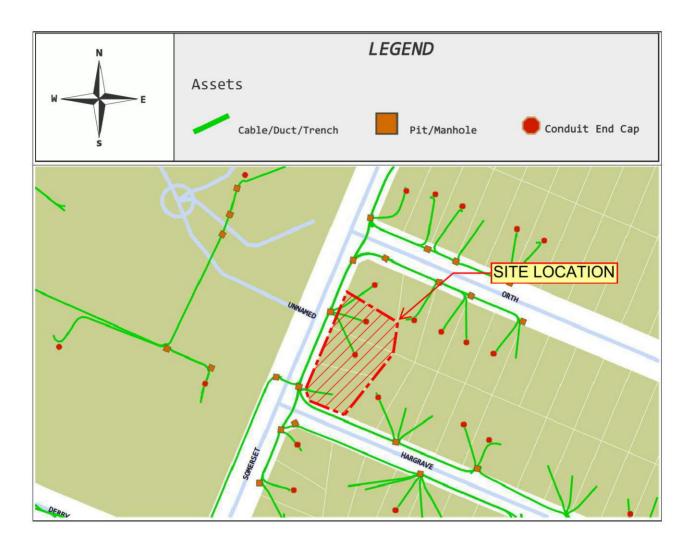
Northrop Consulting Engineers has prepared this report to provide additional information to Penrith City Council on the services and utilities (existing and proposed) for the development to assist Council in assessing the Development Application.

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Attachment A - DBYD Information

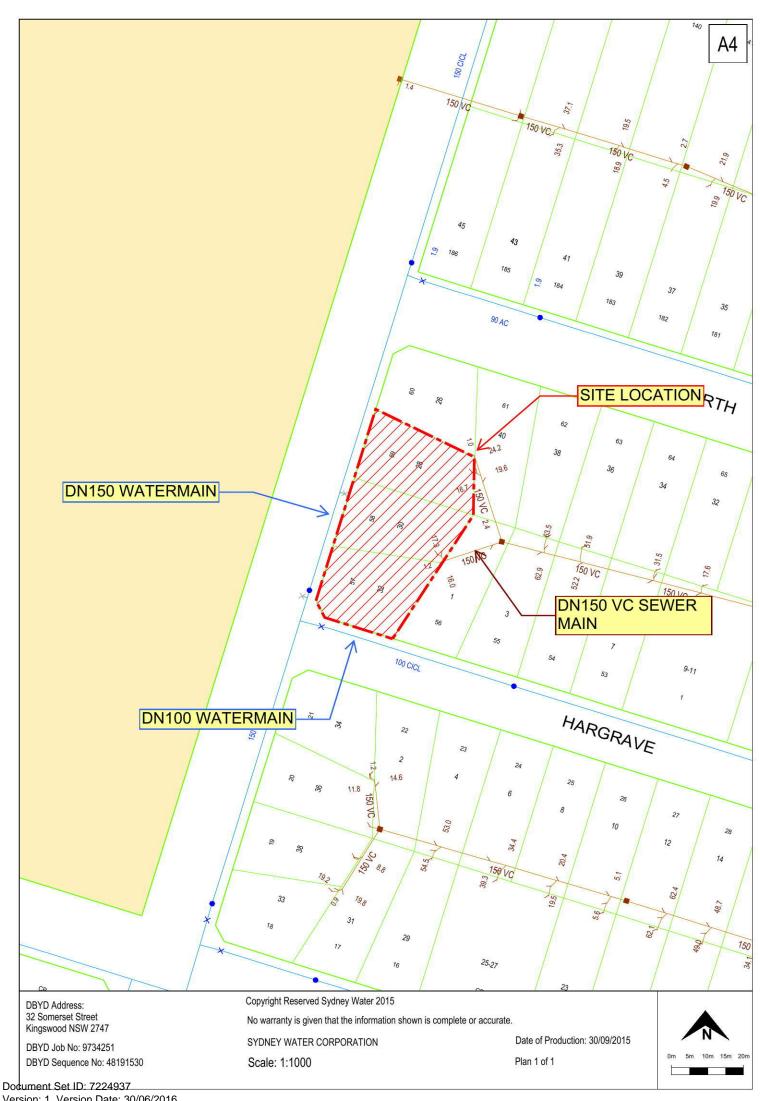




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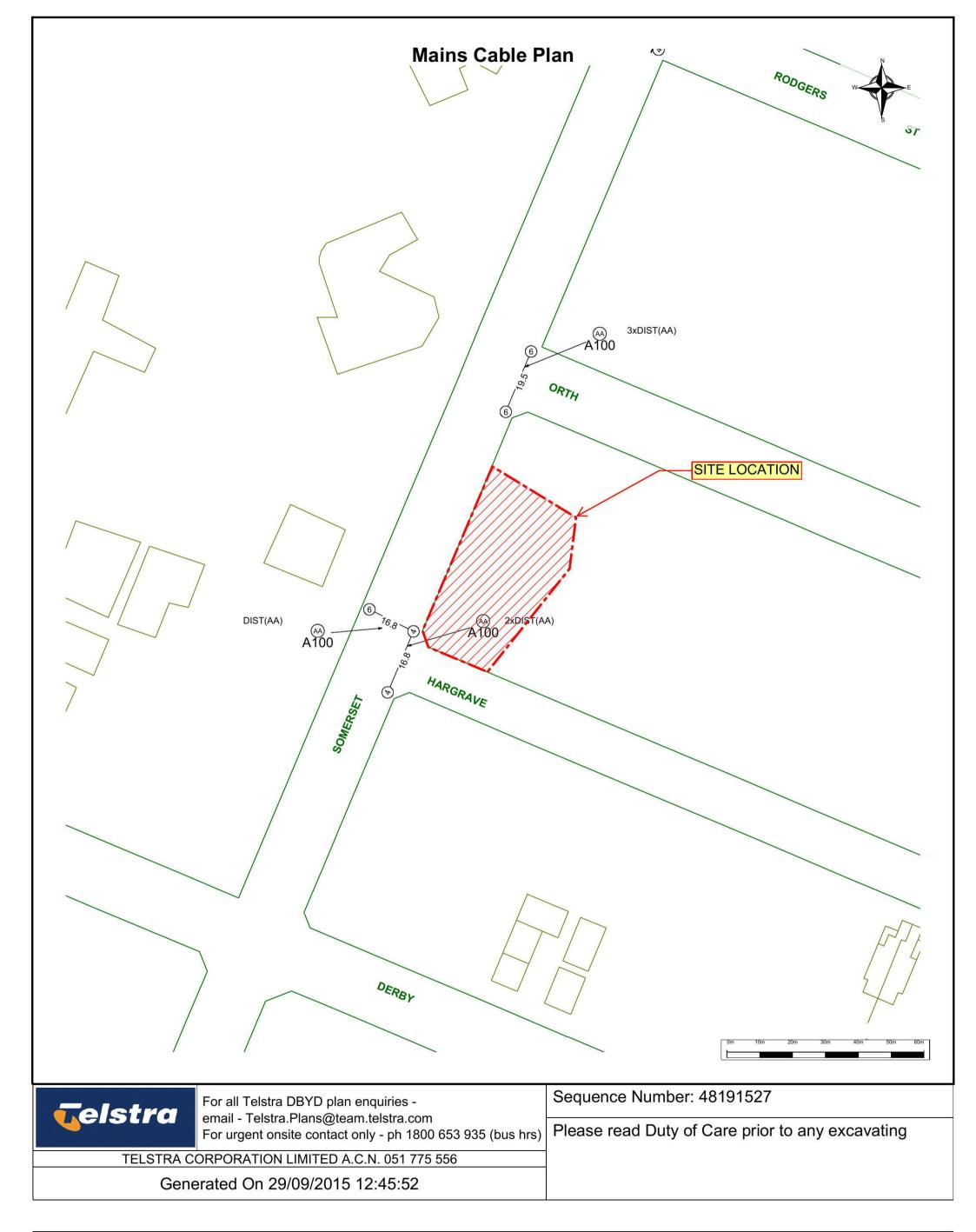
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