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Pipecon Pty Ltd  
48 Icon Drive  
DELACOMBE VIC 3356

**Date:** 18/5/2020

**Ref :** 120208

B023

**Marked attention to.** Jayson Frawley

**Purchase Order No :**

**RE:** Shortridge Drive  
Lucas


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We enclose Reports 120208 B019, B021 & B023 being results of field and laboratory testing, along with level one superv carried out on the above project between 11/5/2020 and 13/5/2020

Our Invoice is also enclosed.

Yours faithfully,

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 <b>A.S. JAMES</b> PTY.LTD Geotechnical Engineers Ballarat Facility P.O. Box 1319 Bakery Hill Vic.	<b>JOB:</b>	<b>Job No.</b> 120208
	Shortridge Drive	<b>Report No.</b> B019
	Lucas	<b>Date</b> 18-May-20

**Section Tested:** House Lot Fill

**FOR**  
 Pipecon Pty Ltd  
 48 Icon Drive  
 DELACOMBE VIC 3356

Test Number	82				
Date of Test	11/05/20				
Time of Test	14:17				
Location	Chainage:	See			
	Offset:	Sketch			
Depth of Test	600				
Probe Depth ( mm )	300				
Material Type	Silty CLAY, Gravelly				
Maximum Converted Wet Density (t/m3)	2.06				
Optimum Moisture Content (%)	21.5				
Field Wet Density (t/m3)	2.13				
Field Dry Density (t/m3)	1.74				
Field Moisture Content (%)	22.5				
Oversize Material (%)	3				
Compaction Type	Standard				
Oversize Retained on :	19mm				
Moisture Ratio (%)	104.5				
Moisture Variation (%)	1.0				
Wet/Dry of Optimum	Wet				
<b>Hilf Density Ratio</b>	<b>103.0</b>				

Notes: DEPTH OF TESTS TAKEN FROM BELOW FINISHED FILL LEVEL



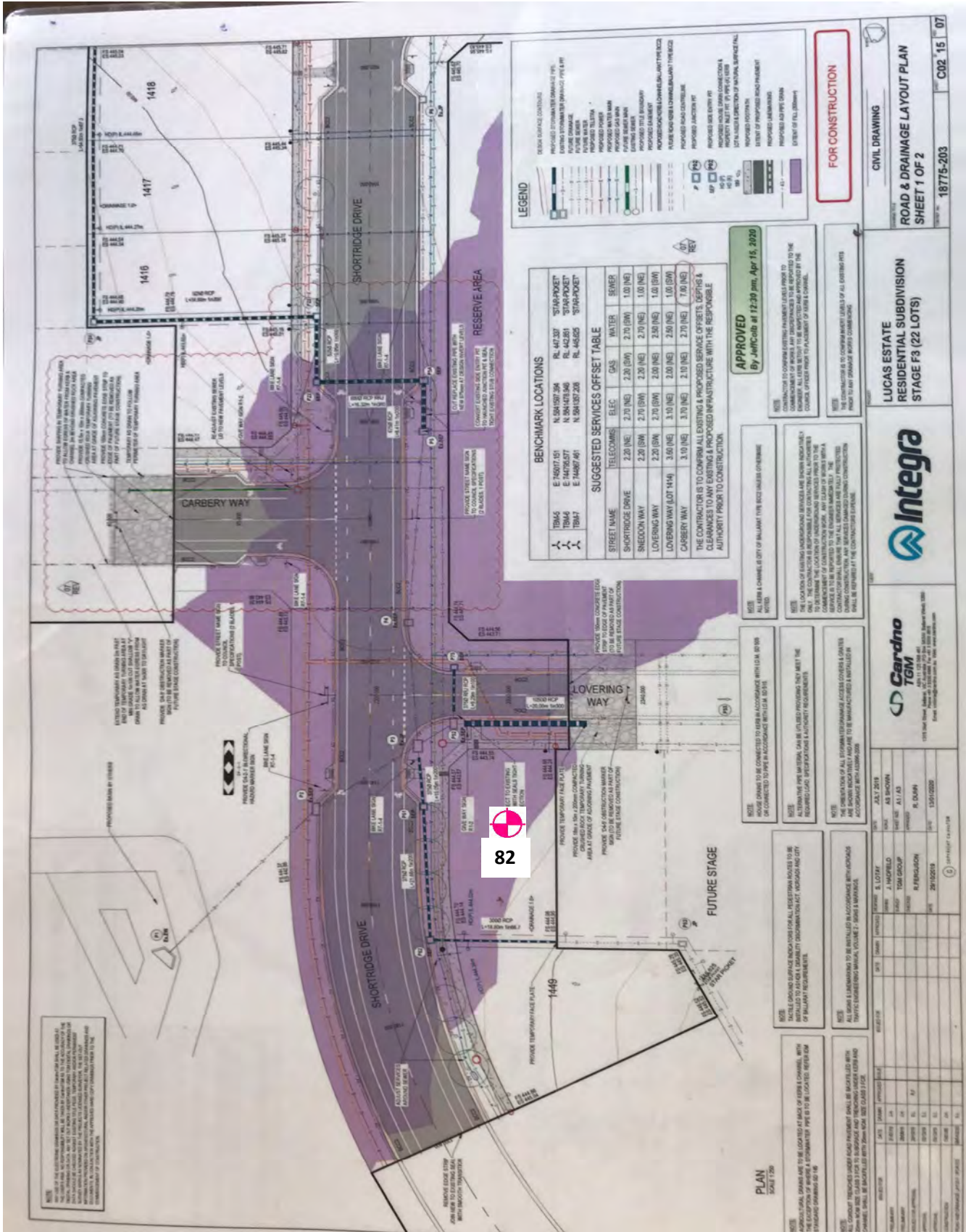
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HILF DENSITY/MOISTURE RATIO, NUCLEAR GAUGE METHOD AS PER AS1289 - 1.1, 1.2.1(6.4),2.1.1,5.7.1,5.8.1 A.S.JAMES FORM No: LR005 FIG 1 / REV 9 / 10/01/17	TESTED BY : J.Murphy	FIGURE
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**TEST LOCATIONS**  
 DISTANCES GIVEN IN METRES

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HILF DENSITY/MOISTURE RATIO, NUCLEAR GAUGE METHOD AS PER AS1289 - 1.1, 1.2.1(6.4), 2.1.1.5, 7.1.5, 8.1	TESTED BY : J.Murphy	FIGURE
A.S.JAMES FORM No: LR005 FIG 3 / REV 3 / 30/01/03	CHECKED BY: A.White	2 of 2



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Ballarat Laboratory Reg No.-9855

**JOB:**  
Shortridge Drive  
Lucas

**JOB No:** 120208  
**REPORT No:** B019/1  
**DATE:** 18/05/2020

**DAILY GEOTECHNICAL ACTIVITY REPORT**

On Site :- 14:00 Off Site : 14:30

Developer :	Constructor: Pipecon	Superintendent: Shaun
Testing Authority: A.S.James Pty Ltd	Level of GTA brief:	Level one Supervision by Testing Authority
Weather Conditions: Sunny, windy		

**Equipment on Site**

	In Use	Not in Use		In Use	Not in Use
Excavator	√		Water cart (small)	√	
Pad Foot vibrating roller	√		D6 Dozer		
815 Compactor	√		Dump Truck (On Site)	√	
Grader		√	Scraper		

**Works in progress**

	Location
Stripping	
Excavating	
Filling	House Lot
Rolling	House Lot

**Comments, Details & Observations:**

The constructor has placed the first layer of material on house lot 1414. One test was carried out on this lot. Material appears well compacted and well moisture conditioned. The constructor was given approval to place the next layer.

**Inspections**

**Inspection Type & Location:**

Visual Inspection - House Lot 1414

**Comments & Details:**

The constructor has excavated a test pit on house lot 1414. The constructor has exposed the natural silty clay subgrade in this pit. It appears as though the constructor has removed the majority of the silt/topsoil and exposed the underlying natural clay, however the exposed base was not inspected prior to commencement of fill placement.

**Material Type / Quality / Source / Approval:**

Site won material - CLAY, Silty, Gravelly, contains some oversize rocks

**Compaction Testing:**

Numbers performed	1	Test No.s	82	Location	House Lot Fill
Numbers performed		Test No.s		Location	
Numbers performed		Test No.s		Location	

**Specification Requirements**

Standard / Modified

Density Ratio (%)

95

STD

Moisture Ratio (%)

85-115

**Compliance to Specification**

	Conforming Tests	Non Conforming Tests
Density	82	
Moisture	82	

**Site Instructions Given (Tick box)**

Approval to Place Fill  Filling Methods Approved  Rework / Re-roll required   
 Stripped surface ~~Not~~ / Approved  Filled Area Under Review  Moisture Conditioning required   
 Comments & Details

Level 1 supervision daily geotechnical report summary  
A.S.JAMES LW053 (Fig 2) / REV 1 / 21/5/14

Operator: J.Murphy  
Date: 11/5/2020





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**JOB:**

Shortridge Drive  
Lucas

**Job No.**

120208

**Report No.**

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Lot 1414 test pit



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Site Location Plan	TESTED BY : J.Murphy CHECKED BY: A.White	FIGURE 2
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	Shortridge Drive	<b>Report No.</b> B021
	Lucas	<b>Date</b> 18-May-20

**Section Tested:** House Lot Fill

**FOR**  
 Pipecon Pty Ltd  
 48 Icon Drive  
 DELACOMBE VIC 3356

Test Number	87				
Date of Test	12/05/20				
Time of Test	14:12				
Location	Chainage:	See			
	Offset:	Sketch			
Depth of Test	300				
Probe Depth ( mm )	300				
Material Type	Silty CLAY, Gravelly				
Maximum Converted Wet Density (t/m3)	2.07				
Optimum Moisture Content (%)	21.5				
Field Wet Density (t/m3)	1.99				
Field Dry Density (t/m3)	1.64				
Field Moisture Content (%)	21.5				
Oversize Material (%)	0				
Compaction Type	Standard				
Oversize Retained on :	19mm				
Moisture Ratio (%)	98.5				
Moisture Variation (%)	0.5				
Wet/Dry of Optimum	Dry				
<b>Hilf Density Ratio</b>	<b>96.0</b>				

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**DAILY GEOTECHNICAL ACTIVITY REPORT**

On Site :- 13:45 Off Site : 14:15

Developer :	Constructor: Pipecon	Superintendent: Shaun
Testing Authority: A.S.James Pty Ltd	Level of GTA brief: Level one Supervision by Testing Authority	
Weather Conditions: Sunny, windy		

Equipment on Site	In Use	Not in Use		In Use	Not in Use
Excavator	√		Water cart (small)	√	
Pad Foot vibrating roller	√		D6 Dozer		
815 Compactor	√		Dump Truck (On Site)	√	
Grader	√		Scraper		

**Works in progress**

	Location
Stripping	
Excavating	
Filling	House Lot
Rolling	House Lot

**Comments, Details & Observations:**

The constructor has placed the next layer of material on house lot 1414. One test was carried out on this lot. Material appears well compacted and well moisture conditioned. The constructor was given approval to place the next layer.

**Inspections**

Inspection Type & Location:

Comments & Details:

**Material Type / Quality / Source / Approval:**

Site won material - CLAY, Silty, Gravelly, contains some oversize rocks

**Compaction Testing:**

Numbers performed	1	Test No.s	87	Location	House Lot Fill
Numbers performed		Test No.s		Location	
Numbers performed		Test No.s		Location	

**Specification Requirements**

Standard / Modified  
STD

Density Ratio (%)  
Moisture Ratio (%)

95  
85-115

**Compliance to Specification**

	Conforming Tests	Non Conforming Tests
Density	87	
Moisture	87	

**Site Instructions Given (Tick box)**

Approval to Place Fill  Filling Methods Approved  Rework / Re-roll required   
Stripped surface ~~Not~~ / Approved  Filled Area Under Review  Moisture Conditioning required   
Comments & Details





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Shortridge Drive  
Lucas

**Job No.** 120208

**Report No.** B021/1


**Date** 18-May-20

Lot 1414 test pad



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Site Location Plan	TESTED BY : J.Murphy CHECKED BY: A.White	FIGURE 2
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	Shortridge Drive	<b>Report No.</b> B023
	Lucas	<b>Date</b> 18-May-20

**Section Tested:** House Lot Fill

**FOR**  
 Pipecon Pty Ltd  
 48 Icon Drive  
 DELACOMBE VIC 3356

Test Number	92	93	94	95	96	
Date of Test	13/05/20	13/05/20	13/05/20	13/05/20	13/05/20	
Time of Test	14:39	15:03	15:05	15:07	15:09	
Location	Chainage:	See	See	See	See	See
	Offset:	Sketch	Sketch	Sketch	Sketch	Sketch
Depth of Test	FFL	FFL	FFL	FFL	FFL	
Probe Depth ( mm )	300	300	300	300	300	
Material Type	Silty CLAY, Gravelly	Silty CLAY, Gravelly	Silty CLAY, Gravelly	Silty CLAY, Gravelly	Silty CLAY, Gravelly	
Maximum Converted Wet Density (t/m3)	2.02	2.00	2.04	2.05	2.08	
Optimum Moisture Content (%)	25.0	25.0	27.0	23.5	21.5	
Field Wet Density (t/m3)	2.07	2.03	2.09	2.14	2.13	
Field Dry Density (t/m3)	1.64	1.60	1.65	1.73	1.74	
Field Moisture Content (%)	26.0	27.0	27.0	24.0	22.0	
Oversize Material (%)	2	0	2	0	0	
Compaction Type	Standard	Standard	Standard	Standard	Standard	
Oversize Retained on :	19mm	19mm	19mm	19mm	19mm	
Moisture Ratio (%)	104.0	109.0	100.5	101.5	101.0	
Moisture Variation (%)	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	
Wet/Dry of Optimum	Wet	Wet	Wet	Wet	Wet	
<b>Hilf Density Ratio</b>	<b>102.0</b>	<b>101.5</b>	<b>103.0</b>	<b>104.5</b>	<b>102.0</b>	

Notes: DEPTH OF TESTS TAKEN FROM FINISHED FILL LEVEL



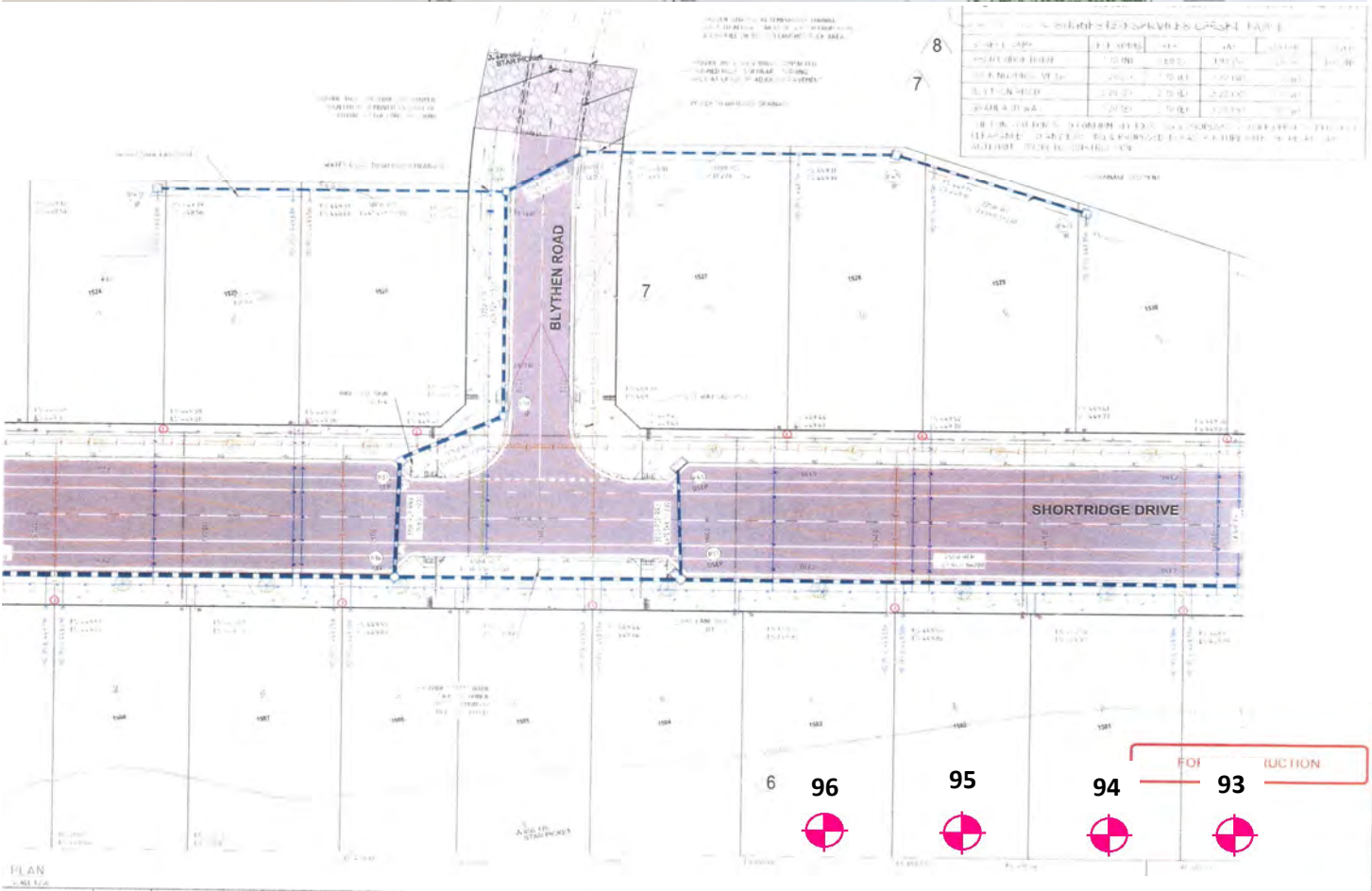
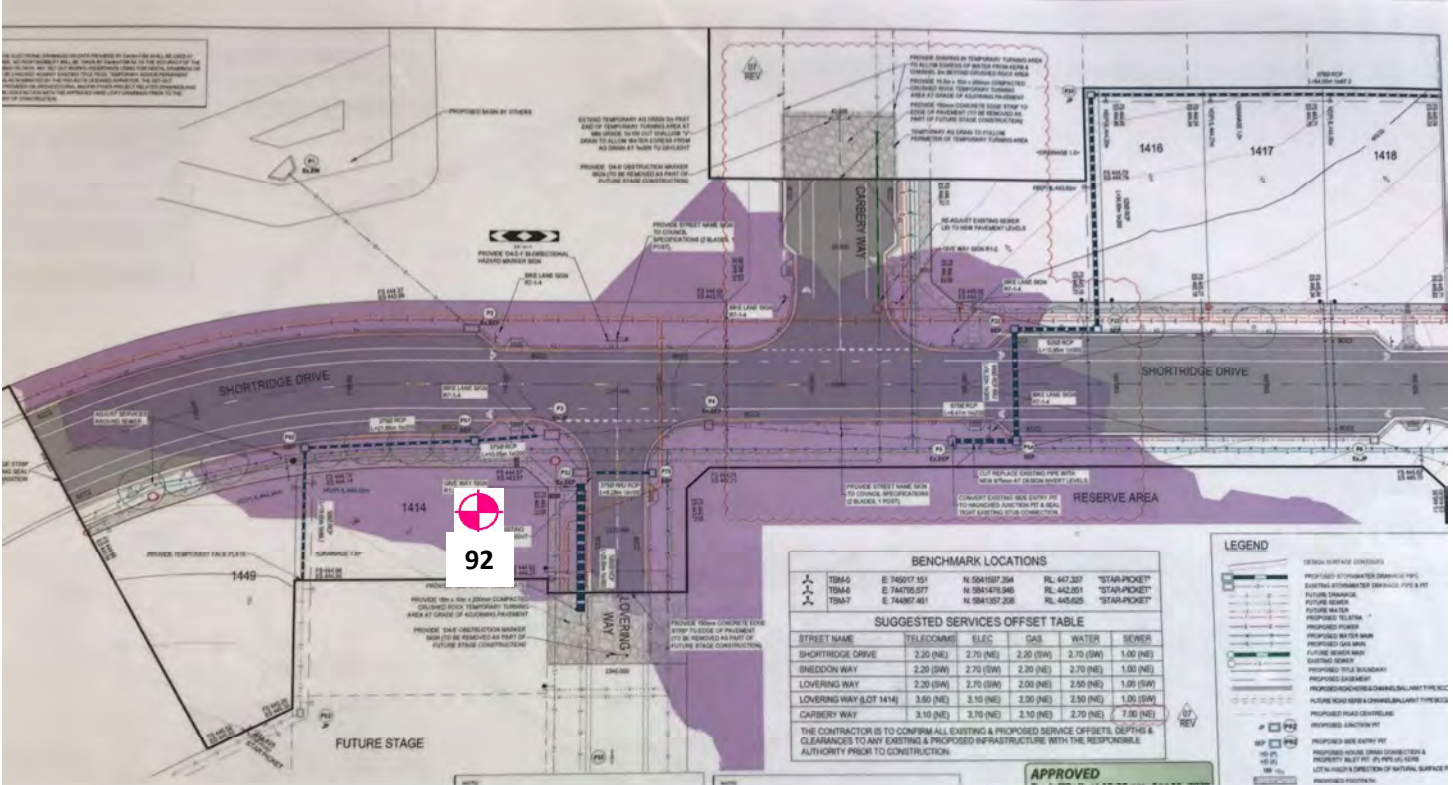
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**TEST LOCATIONS**  
 DISTANCES GIVEN IN METRES

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**DAILY GEOTECHNICAL ACTIVITY REPORT**

On Site :- 14:00 Off Site : 15:30

Developer :	Constructor: Pipecon	Superintendent: Shaun
Testing Authority: A.S.James Pty Ltd	Level of GTA brief:	Level one Supervision by Testing Authority
Weather Conditions: Sunny, windy		

**Equipment on Site**

	In Use	Not in Use		In Use	Not in Use
Excavator	√		Water cart (small)		√
Pad Foot vibrating roller	√		D6 Dozer		
815 Compactor	√		Dump Truck (On Site)	√	
Grader	√		Scraper		

**Works in progress**

	Location
Stripping	
Excavating	
Filling	House Lot
Rolling	House Lot

**Comments, Details & Observations:**

The constructor has placed the final layer of material on house lot 1414. One test was carried out on this lot. Material appears well compacted and well moisture conditioned.  
Testing was also carried out at finished fill level on lots 1500-1503. One test was taken on each lot with material appearing well moisture conditioned and well compacted.

**Inspections**

Inspection Type & Location:

Visual Inspection - Subgrade on lots 1500, 1501, 1502 & 1503

**Comments & Details:**

The constructor has excavated some test pits spread evenly across lots 1500-1503. The constructor has exposed the natural clay subgrade on each test pit. From the test pits excavated it appears as though the constructor has removed the majority of the topsoil/silt and exposed the suitable stiff underlying natural clay, however the exposed base was not inspected prior to commencement of filling works.

**Material Type / Quality / Source / Approval:**

Site won material - CLAY, Silty, Gravelly, contains some oversize rocks

**Compaction Testing:**

Numbers performed	5	Test No.s	92-96	Location	House Lot Fill
Numbers performed		Test No.s		Location	
Numbers performed		Test No.s		Location	

**Specification Requirements**

Standard / Modified	Density Ratio (%)	95
STD	Moisture Ratio (%)	85-115

**Compliance to Specification**

	Conforming Tests	Non Conforming Tests
Density	92,93,94,95,96	
Moisture	92,93,94,95,96	

**Site Instructions Given (Tick box)**

Approval to Place Fill  Filling Methods Approved  Rework / Re-roll required   
 Stripped surface ~~Not~~ / Approved  Filled Area Under Review  Moisture Conditioning required   
 Comments & Details





Lot 1500 test pit



Lot 1501 test pit



Lot 1502 test pit



Lot 1503 test pit

