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1.0 Introduction

Most of the Hamilton LRT B-Line will be constructed along existing City roads allowances. To provide storm drainage, it is proposed to connect the LRT to the existing City storm drainage systems, wherever possible. It is necessary to determine if the existing storm sewers are capable of accepting these flows. Where the existing system has insufficient capacity or is not in an appropriate location, modifications or additions to the storm sewer network may be required.

The City prefers to have no active utility pipes within the zone of loading influence under the LRT. Potential conflicts between the LRT and storm/combined sewer alignments in this regard have been identified previously. The required storm and combined sewer relocations are presented on the utility re-location plans.

This scope of the preliminary drainage assessment is:

- Definition of existing storm drainage systems in proximity to the LRT alignment,
- Definition of drainage catchment boundaries along the LRT alignment,
- Identification of upstream drainage areas contributing to the affected storm sewers,
- Calculation of the additional pavement area resulting from LRT construction in each catchment,
- Estimation of the potential impacts on the existing storm sewers due to increased runoff and,
- Identification of locations where the existing storm drainage system needs to be analysed in more detail due to potentially significant drainage impacts from the LRT.

This purpose of this document is to present a screening assessment of the potential hydrologic impact of the LRT construction on the existing storm drainage systems along the alignment and to identify those locations where additional capacity may be required. However, the analysis of the additional requirements is not included in this report. This will be done at the next stage of design.

There are two locations where more detailed drainage assessment and design will be required. The first one is at west end of the project at McMaster University, the LRT traverses areas that are currently grassed. A separate stormwater management analysis will be required to address the LRT drainage at this location. The second location is the LRT overpass at Highway 403, a new drainage system will be required for the new bridge and the area adjacent to the grade separation. These studies are not included in this report.

2.0 Project Configuration

The B-Line consists of 13.9 km of dual track, 16 on-street stops and two terminals (See Figure 2.1). The project begins at McMaster University in the west and travels along Main Street to the Highway 403 overpass. After crossing Highway 403, the alignment swings north and follows King Street to the eastern terminus west of Centennial Parkway. At the time of writing this document, the Maintenance and Storage Facility (MSF) has yet to be determined.

From a drainage perspective the relevant design information for the LTRT is

- the design of the LRT trackwork, platforms and other structures,
- its alignment and placement within the road allowance
- the degree of imperviousness of the new construction compared to the existing areas it replaces and
- the relationship to existing drainage infrastructure

The preliminary design has identified the proposed LRT alignment and numerous track and platform configurations for specific locations and conditions. The alignment is shown in the design drawings which are under separate cover. Typical cross-sections along the guideway showing the track and platform locations are shown in Appendix A.



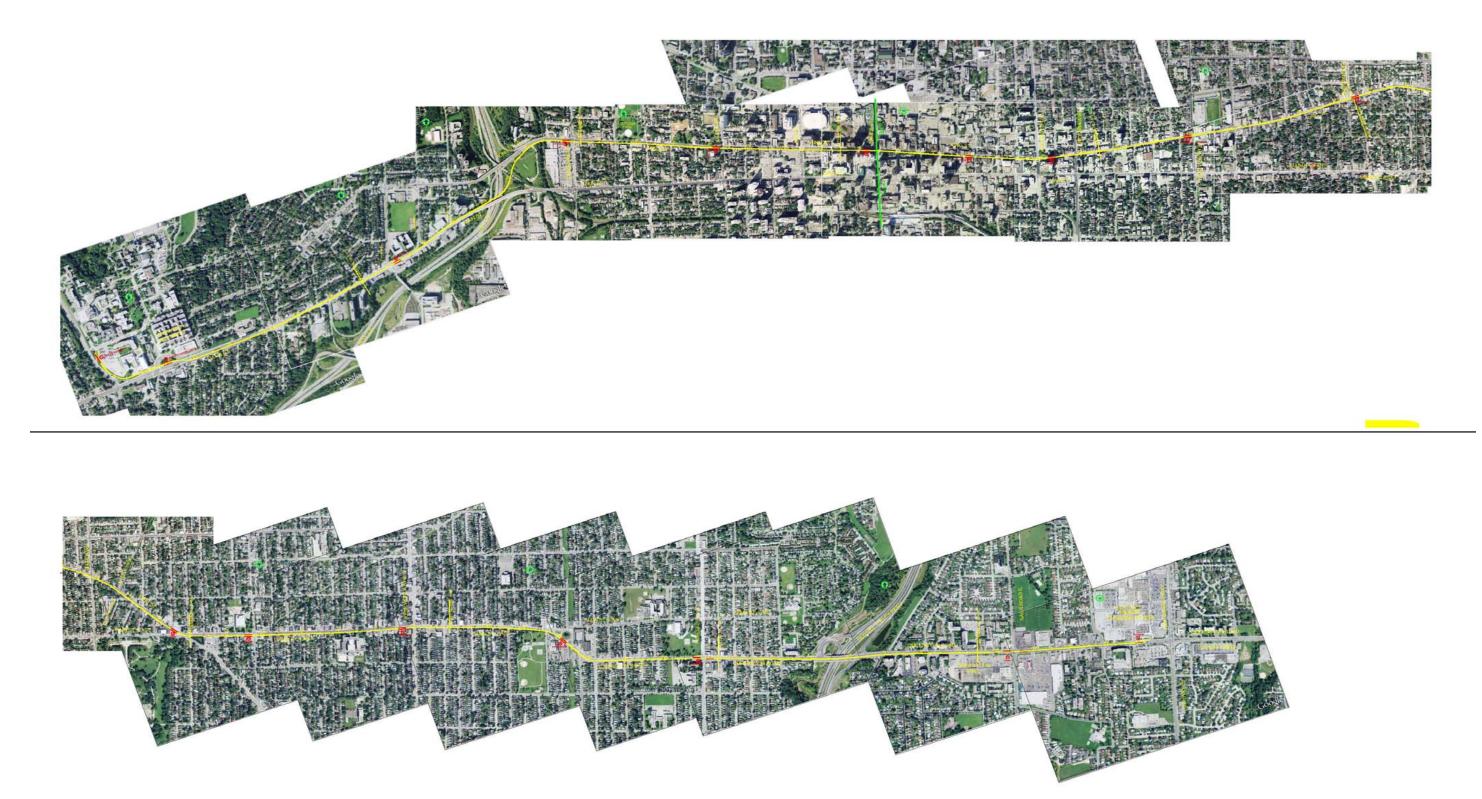


FIGURE 2.1 Proposed Hamilton B-Line from Sta 0+000 to 13+900

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3.0 Existing Storm Drainage Systems

3.1 Storm and Combined Sewers

The existing storm drainage along the LRT alignment contains both combined and separated storm sewers. West of Redhill Creek, the system consists of combined sewers with numerous storm relief sewers. East of Redhill Creek, the system is entirely separated.

3.2 Catchment Boundaries

Most of the drainage flows from south to north across the Main Street and King Street alignments. Catchment boundaries have been defined based on the existing major drainage outlets and the existing storm and combined sewer pipes along the alignment.

The basis for the catchment areas was the combined sewer catchment boundary plan obtained from the City of Hamilton. There is some overlap between the boundaries due to the storm relief sewers that cross some of the combined sewer areas. These areas have been combined for the purposes of this preliminary assessment. This has resulted in 25 outlet catchments, which were used for the impact analysis.

4.0 Potential Drainage Impacts

4.1 LRT Drainage

The cross sections in Appendix A indicate the proposed storm drainage concepts for each of the design configurations. It has been assumed initially that the LRT drainage would be taken to the existing local storm sewers and that the storm sewers will have sufficient capacity to accept these connections. This assumption needs to be verified at all locations along the alignment.

4.2 Increased Impervious Areas

The LRT system will consist of a dual track on a concrete guideway. The alignment is located on one side of the existing road for most of the length. However, there are sections where the new guideway is located on the existing boulevard or down the central median of the road.

The principle impact on the hydrologic regime from LRT construction is the conversion of areas from grass (pervious) to pavement (impervious). This occurs mainly where the alignment is located on the boulevards and medians that are currently not paved. To a lesser extent, there are small areas of additional pavement where the LRT requires minor widening of the existing roads and adjustments at intersections. In some locations, these adjustments will also result in an increase in impervious area

All of the areas of increased imperviousness have been compiled and quantified on a block-to-block basis for all sections of the LRT B-Line alignment, with the exception of the connection to the maintenance yard and the maintenance yard site because the preliminary design is not yet available.

The impervious area calculations are summarized in Table 1.

Additionally, the McMaster University area has been quantified based on a conceptual design as sufficient base information was not available at the time of this assessment.



Table 1A

Design			Outlet	Pervious	Converted	to Impervio	ous (m^2)	Impervior	us Convert	ed to Pervio	ous (m^2)	Net Imp.
Sheet	Location	Segment	No.	North	South	Center	Total	North	South	Center	Total	Area
0	McMaster	Leland to Emerson		5626			5626					
1	McMaster	Emerson to Bowman		903			903					
2	Main Street	Bowman to Stroud	1A + 1B		41		41				0	6886
3	Main Street	Stroud to Dalewood			26		26					
3	Main Street	Dalewood to Gary		104	56	96	257					1
3	Main Street	Gary to Haddon		33	149	14	196				1	
4	Main Street	Haddon to Cline	2		44	44	88					624
4	Main Street	Cline to Dow		191	374		564				-	-
4	Main Street	Dow to Newton		180	477	29	686					
5	Main Street	Newton to Paisley	3A + 3B	278	279	90	648					
6	Main Street	Paisley to Bond	+ 3C	132	66	58	256					3204
6	Main Street	Bond to Longwood		83		16	99					
6	Main Street	Longwood to Paradise	-	735		627	1362			37	37	
7	Main Street	Paradise to Macklin	= 4A	5	61		66					66
8	Main Street	Macklin to 403 Overpass	44		402		402					- 00
10	King Street	Breadalbane to Dundurn		155	73		229					
11	King Street	Dundurn to New		23	8		31					
11	King Street	New to Strathcona		2	26		28					
12	King Street	Strathcona to Locke	= 4B		32		32					379
12	King Street	Locke to Pearl			2		2					1
13	King Street	Pearl to Ray	-	57			57					7



Table 1B

Design			Outlet	Pervious	Converted	to Impervio	ous (m^2)	Impervior	us Convert	ed to Pervi	ous (m^2)	Net Imp.
Sheet	Location	Segment	No.	North	South	Center	Total	North	South	Center	Total	Area
13	King Street	Ray to Queen	= 5	242	100		342	2				342
14	King Street	Queen to Hess			56		56					0.000
18	King Street	John to Catherine	7	13			13					13
19	King Street	Ferguson to Spring	8		1		1					203
20	King Street	Wellington to West	Ů	189	13		202					203
25	King Street	St. Clair to Sherman	12	5	3		8	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				8
26	King Street	Barnesdale and Carrick			13		13					
26	King Street	Carrick to Spadina			10		10					1
27	King Street	Spadina to Melrose	13	94			94					431
27	King Street	Melrose to Prospect			66		66					
27	King Street	Prospect to Leinster		205	43		248					1
28	King Street	Leinster to Balsam		14	27		41	·				1
28	King Street	Connaught to Gage	-		6		6					
28	King Street	Gage to Fairview			9		9					1
29	King Street	Fairview to East Bend	14		24		24					193
29	King Street	East Bend to Dunsmure			5		5					
30	King Street	Glendale to Belview			4		4					1
30	King Street	Belmont to Kensington		37		66	104					1
31	Main Street	Kensington to Rosslyn			35		35					T
31	Main Street	Balmoral to Grosvenor	15	4	17		21					76
32	Main Street	Grovenor to Ottawa		10	11		21					
33	Main Street	Graham to Houghton			29		29					
34	Main Street	Houghton to Wexford	16		19		19					54
35	Main Street	Tuxedo to Kenilworth	-		6		6	-				1

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Table 1C

Design			Outlet	Pervious	Converted	to Impervio	ous (m^2)	Imperviou	us Convert	ed to Pervio	ous (m^2)	Net Imp.
Sheet	Location	Segment	No.	North	South	Center	Total	North	South	Center	Total	Area
35	Main Street	Garside to Cameron	17		6		6					6
36	Main Street	Cameron to Barons			26		26					
36	Main Street	Barons to Tragina	18		50		50					111
36	Main Street	Tragina to Weir	1		34		34					1
37	Main Street	Weir to Berry		j	91		91				1	
37	Main Street	Berry to Bell/Strathearne	19	23	34	396	453			543	543	141
38	Main Street	Queenston Circle	19			941	941			1168	1168	141
38	Queenston Road	Bell/Strathearne to Cochrane	1	82	59	226	367					
38	Queenston Road	Rosewood to Craigroyston		34	15		49				<u></u>	
39	Queenston Road	Walter to Jefferson	20	23	108		132					1866
39	Queenston Road	Jefferson to Isabel/Termoli	20	135	173		309					1000
40	Queenston Road	Isabel/Tormoli to Parkdale	1	759	618		1377					
41	Queenston Road	Parkdale to Glassco			78		78					
41	Queenston Road	Delena to Beland	21		20		20					583
42	Queenston Road	Reid to SB Hwy ramp	21	238	147		385					
43	Queenston Road	SB Hwy ramp to NB Hwy ramp		82	18		100					
44	Queenston Road	NB Hwy ramp to Pottruff	22	167	202		369					1541
44	Queenston Road	Pottruff to Woodman		436	736		1172					1541
45	Queenston Road	Woodman to Nash	22	821	1289		2109					3311
47	Queenston Road	Nash to Clapham	23	614	588		1202					- 3311
47	Queenston Road	Clapham to Kenora		483	79		562					2270
48	Queenston Road	Kenora to Centanial	24	2451	357		2808	2812			2812	3370

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5.0 Impact Assessment

5.1 Method

The method of determining potential impacts is based on computing the incremental change in impervious area within the catchment of each existing drainage outlet. The capacity of the local sewers was not evaluated. It has been assumed that either the existing local sewer will accommodate the new drainage requirements or a new storm sewer will be installed to connect to the existing outlets.

Catchment areas were measured from the City combined sewer catchment boundary plan at a scale of 1:10 000. The total drainage areas and the size of the existing sewers (outlets and local sewers) were included in the evaluation table. Existing average impervious ratios were estimated from the aerial photos for each catchment.

The potential impacts of the LRT were estimated by determining the percentage increase in impervious area compared to the existing impervious area for each drainage outlet location. Since larger pipes are less sensitive to increased runoff, the size of the sewers and total catchment area were also tabulated to provide additional information for assessment.

5.2 Results

The results of the assessment are given in Tables 2A and 2B. They are also presented graphically in Figures 5-1A, 5-1B and 5-1C. In general the increase in impervious area is very small and will not have any impact on the runoff to the existing drainage system. In most cases the increase is negligible (less than 0.3%). Only at outlets 1, 2 and 3 are the increases greater than about 1%. These areas represent about 1800m of alignment length compared to 13, 483m total project length (13%).

Outlet 1

At the west end of the project from McMaster University to Dalewood Ave. (Outlet 1), the alignment enters the university property on what is now a grass boulevard. The estimated increase in impervious area at this location 6.4%. The available existing outlet sewers are a 750mm combined sewer and a 1350mm storm relief sewer. In general, it would be preferable to connect any new/increased drainage to the separated storm sewer to minimize potential impacts on the combined sewer overflows in the system. Although the existing storm relief sewer may have sufficient capacity to accept the additional runoff, a stormwater management study is recommended for this area to explore possible mitigation measures for both peak flow control and water quality treatment for the new runoff generated from the LRT construction.

Outlet 2

At the Outlet 2 catchment (Dalewood to Dow), the increase is about 7.3%. One reason for the large relative impact at this location is the small catchment area (7.3ha). The actual amount of new impervious area is quite small (0.32ha). The available outlets for this section are a 450mm combined sewer and a 1050storm relief sewer. Because the area is small it is expected that the large existing storm relief sewer has sufficient capacity to absorb the potential flow increase. However, the existing catchment area for the storm relief sewer should be reviewed in detail at the next design stage and measures to minimize the flow increase should also be explored, if necessary.

Outlets 4A and 4B

Outlets 4A and 4B are on the east and west sides of Highway 403. This is the location of the proposed LRT overpass over the highway. The preliminary design plan and profile plates for the overpass showing the existing drainage outlets in the area are presented in Appendix C. At Outlet 4A from Paradise Ave. to the east side of Highway 403, the LRT-Highway 403 overpass results in an increase in impervious area of 4.9% for this small catchment area (11.0ha). A large 4200mm x 3000 pipe that conveys Chedoke Creek through this area crosses under the LRT alignment close to the profile sag. This pipe will be able to absorb this small increase in runoff at this location.



On the east side of the bridge, the relative increase in impervious area is very small due to the large catchment area (44.0ha). It is not possible to connect the drainage from the east side to the large storm sewer on the west side due to the intervention of Highway 403. There is a 1200mm combined sewer on King Street that probably has the capacity to accept the new drainage from the bridge

Drainage options for the 403 bridge are discussed further in the Section 6.



Table 2A

E	xisting C	onditio	ns	L	RT Impa	act		E	Existing Sew	vers	
Outlet No.	Toal Catch- ment Area	Est. Imp. Ratio	Exist. Imp. Area	New Imp. Area	% of Total Area	% Change in Imp. Area	Туре	Largest Local Sewer	Outlet Sewer Size	Existing Outlet Sewer Location	Commemt
	(ha)		(ha)	(ha)	(%)	(%)		(mm)	(mm)		
1A + 1B	19.6	0.55	10.78	0.689	3.5	6.4	Combined	750	750	Forsyth Ave.	Address with McMaster
	10.0	0.00	10.70	0.000	0.0	0.4	Storm Relief	750	1350	Brookhouse Ave.	Area SWM plan
2	10.6	0.55	5.83	0.062	0.6	1.1	Combined	450	450	Clive Ave.	Increase not significant
-	10.0	0.00	0.00	0.002	0.0	343	Storm Relief	-	-		increase not significant
3A + 3B	7.3	0.60	4.38	0.320	4.4	7.3	Combined	300	375 / 450	Newton Ave. & Paisley Ave	
+ 3C	1.5	0.00	4.30	0.520	4.4	1.5	Storm Relief	900	1050	Longwood Rd.	Probably adequate.
4A	11.0	0.55	6.05	0.295	3.0	4.9	Combined	375	600	Tope Cresc.	LRT Overpass (West) -
40	11.0	0.55	0.00	0.285	3.0	4.5	Storm Relief		4200x3000	403/Tope Cresc.	Detailed Study needed.
4B	44.0	0.55	24.20	0.153	0.5	0.6	Combined	1200	1200	Tope Cresc.	LRT Overpass (East) -
40	44.0	0.55	24.20	0.155	0.5	0.0	Storm Relief	900	-		Detailed Study needed.
5	24.0	0.65	15.60	0.034	0.1	0.2	Combined	1050	1050 (est.)	Bay St.	No Impact
3	24.0	0.05	15.00	0.034	0.1	0.2	Storm Relief	1050	1350	McNab St.	No impact
6	10.1	0.75	7.58	0.000	0.0	0.0	Combined	1345	1345	James St.	No Impact
0	10.1	0.75	1.50	0.000	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief	Unknown	1300	John St.	No impact
7	30.3	0.75	22.73	0.001	0.0	0.0	Combined	1345	1345	Catherine St.	No Impact
1	30.3	0.75	22.13	0.001	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief	-	-		No Impact
8	31.1	0.75	23.33	0.020	0.1	0.1	Combined	375 / 450	1350	Jarvis	No Impact
0	31.1	0.75	23.33	0.020	0.1	0.1	Storm Relief	600/450	-	Jarvis	No impact
							Combined	300	450	Victoria St.	
9	15.2	0.65	9.88	0.000	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief	450	1800 x 1500 + 1850	West Ave. & Victoria St.	No Impact
10	20.2	0.65	00.00	0.000	0.0	0.0	Combined	375	920	Tisdale Ave.	No Impact
10	36.3	0.65	23.60	0.000	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief	525	525	East Ave.	No Impact
44	09.4	0.66	62.00	0.000	0.0	0.0	Combined	450	1300	Sanford Ave.	No Impact
11	98.1	0.55	53.96	0.000	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief	1200x1350	1500	Wentworth St.	No Impact

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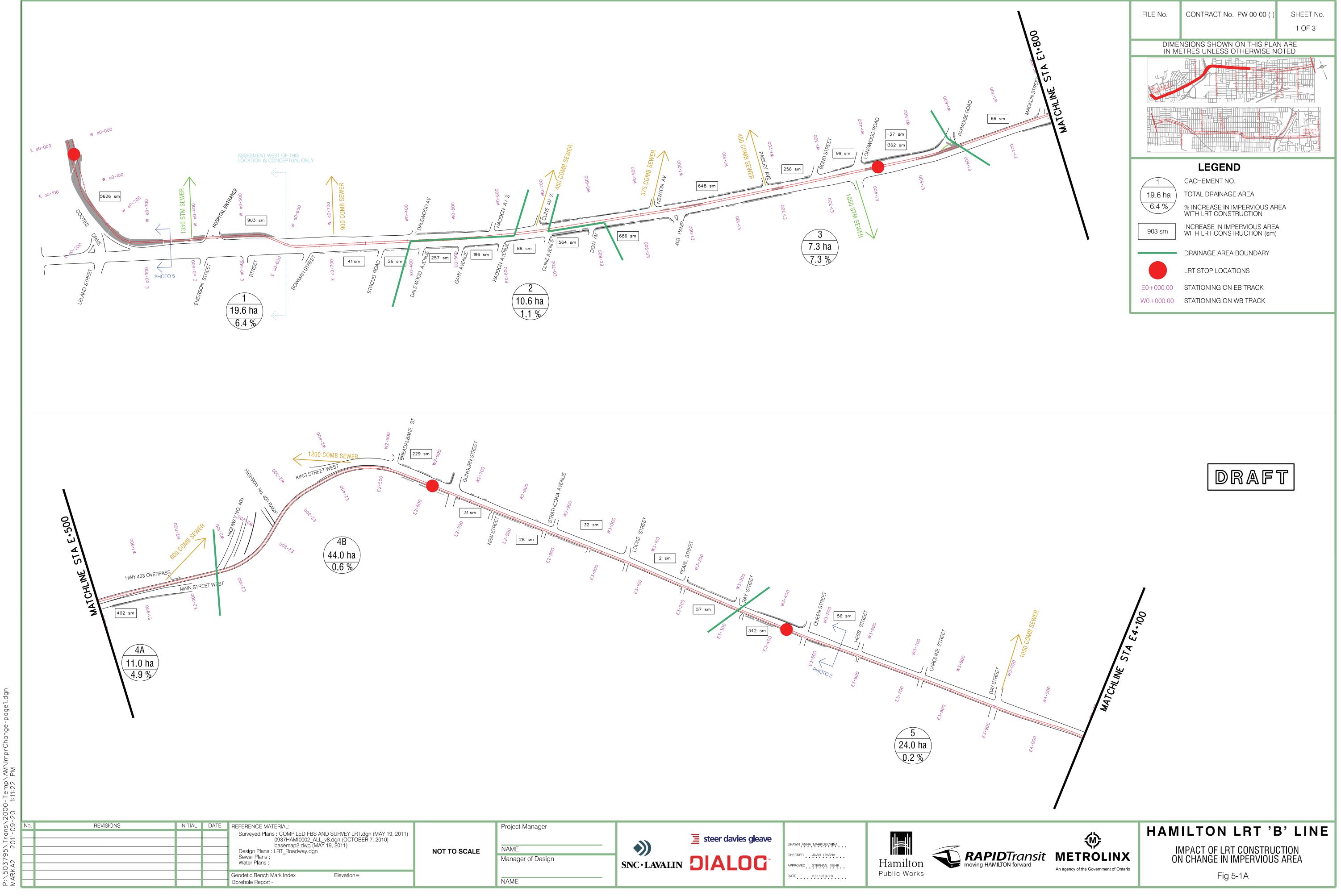


Table 2B

E	xisting C	ondition	ns	L	RT Impa	ict		E	xisting Sew	ers		
Outlet No.	Toal Catch- ment Area (ha)	Est. Imp. Ratio	Exist. Imp. Area (ha)	New Imp. Area (ha)	% of Total Area (%)	% Change in Imp. Area (%)	Туре	Largest Local Sewer (mm)	Outlet Sewer Size (mm)	Existing Outlet Sewer Location	Commemt	
	C 20020 - 1	0.55		1000000000	1.5.6	0.0	Combined	300	450	Sherman Ave.	No Impact	
12	16.5	0.55	9.08	0.001	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief	525	600	Sherman Ave.	No impact	
1000			11.05	0.040		0.0	Combined	600/375	900	Lotridge	Increase not significan	
13	25.9	0.55	14.25	0.043	0.2	0.3	Storm Relief	525	600	Bransdale Blvd.	increase not significan	
346							Combined	600/450	1200	Gage St.	No Impact	
14	107.9	0.55	59.35	0.019	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief		1350	Gage St.	No impact	
1.2			00.00	0.000		0.0	Combined	375	600	King St.	No Impact	
15	71.6	0.55	39.38	0.008	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief	750	1500	Kensington Ave.	No impact	
			10.04	0.005		0.0	Combined	500	1800x1350	Edgemont St.	No Impact	
16	90.8	0.55	49.94	0.005	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief	-	1650x1275	Edgemont St.	No impact	
		0.55	40.07	0.004	0.0	0.0	Combined	1150	900	Kenilworth Ave.	No Impact	
17	36.3	0.55	19.97	0.001	0.0	0.0	Storm Relief		-		No impact	
	05.0	0.55	44.05	0.044	0.0	0.1	Combined	900	525	Cope Ave.	No Impact	
18	25.9	0.55	14.25	0.011	0.0	0.1	Storm Relief	-	-		NO IMPACE	
40	00.0	0.45	40.00	0.014	0.1	0.1	Combined	1200	1200	Strathearne Ave.	No Impact	
19	28.0	0.45	12.60	0.014	0.1	0.1	Storm Relief				No impact	
20	49.0	0.55	28.00	0.187	0.4	0.7	Combined	1200	1200	Rosewood Rd.	Increase not significant	
20	48.9	0.55	26.90	0.167	0.4	0.7	Storm Relief	-	-		increase not significant	
04	10.7	0.50	9.85	0.058	0.3	0.6	Combined	375 / 1500	1500	Adair Ave.	Increase not significant	
21	19.7	0.50	9.65	0.056	0.3	0.0	Storm Relief	1500	1500	SB Ramp to 403	inter oddo riot algrinioani	
20	84.0	0.55	25.24	0.154	0.2	0.4	-	-	-	Separated system	Increase not significar	
22	64.2	0.55	35.31	0.154	0.2	0.4	Storm	1350	1350	NB Ramp to 403	incidade not algrinican	
22	37.5	0.55	20.63	0.331	0.9	1.6	-	-		Separated system	Increase not significant	
23	37.5	0.55	20.63	0.331	0.9	1.0	Storm	600/750	1350	Nash Rd.	niorodoo not olgrinioani	
24	58.7	0.55	32.29	0.337	0.6	1.0	-	-	-	Separated system	Increase not significant	
24	56.7	0.55	32.29	0.337	0.0	1.0	Storm	450 / 600	1200	Kenora Dr.	increase not significa	



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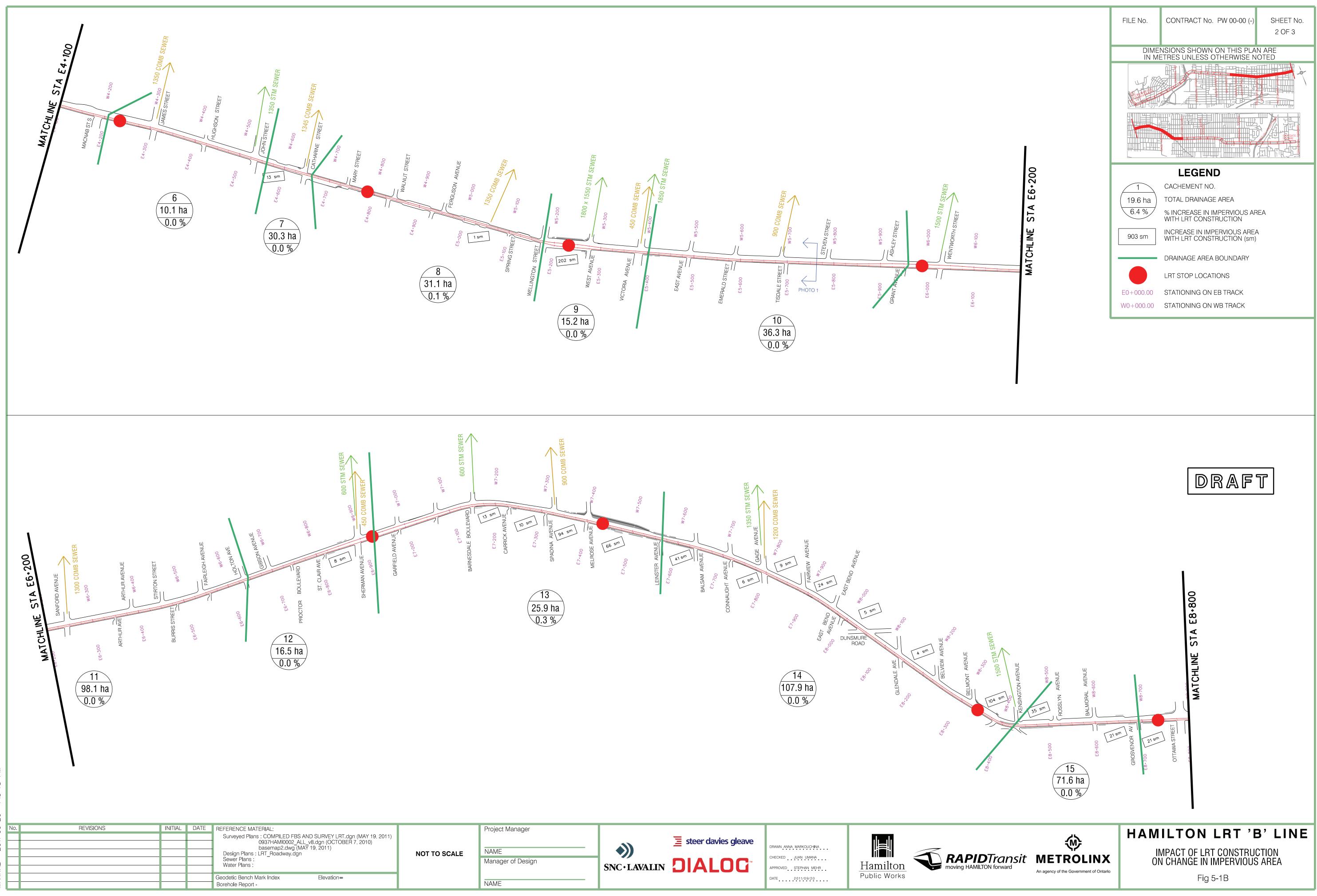
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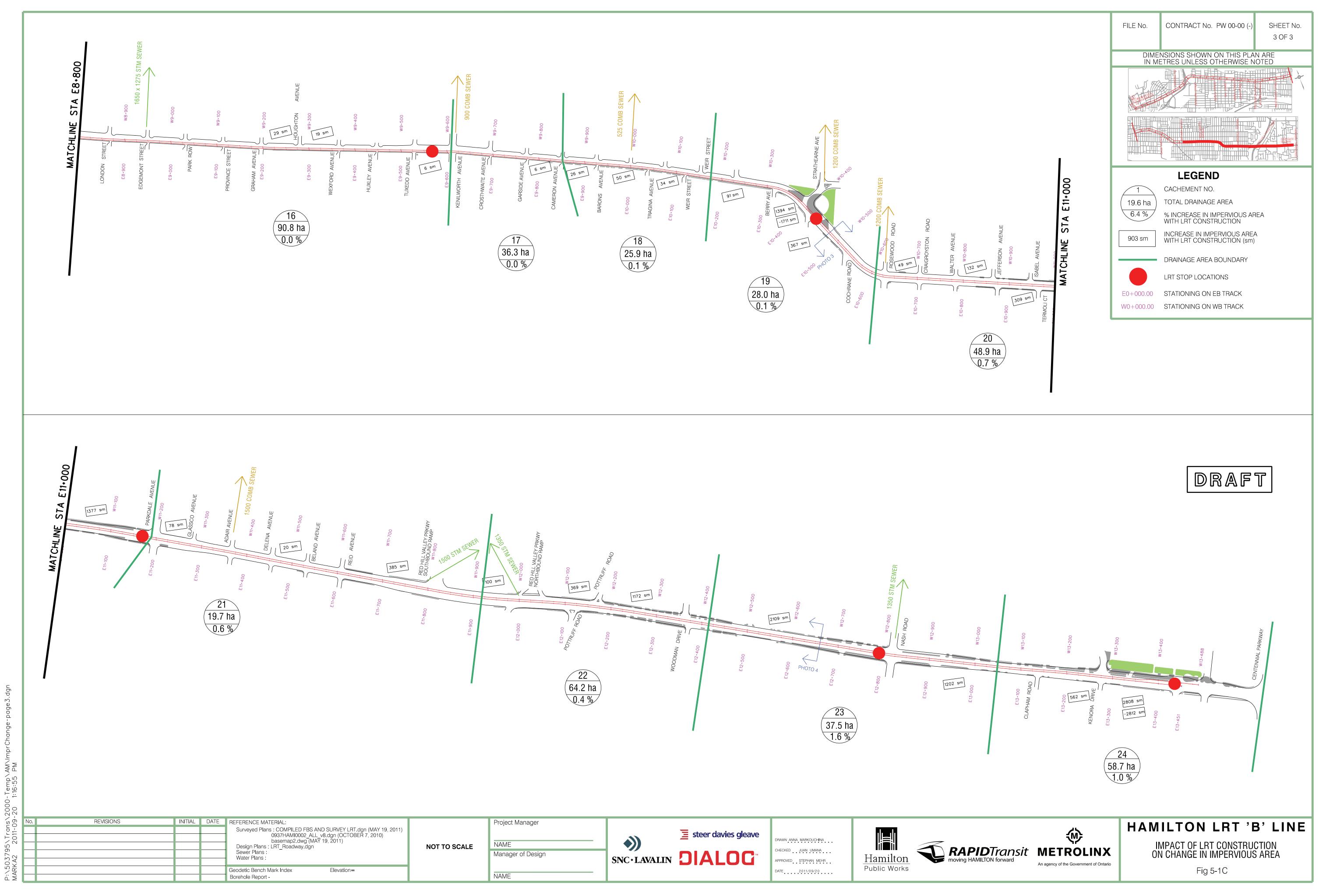
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6.0 Highway 403 Overpass

The proposed LRT 403 overpass structure is about 525m in length. The drainage from the overpass bridge will be divided unevenly between the east and west outlets with 375m draining west to Main Street and 150m draining east to King Street. The west outlet is at a sag in the profile at Sta1+850 that will collect runoff from an additional 324m of LRT guideway from the west. The design plates for the overpass location are given in Appendix C.

A new storm sewer is proposed at this location to connect the sag drainage to the 4200 x 3000 Chedoke Creek culvert that passes below Main Street at this location. The proposed scheme is shown conceptually in Figure 6.1. The design flow calculations are presented in Appendix C "Bridge over Highway 403 Overpass Design Data" and summarized in Table 3. The 5-yr design flow for the west sag is 136L/s and the 100-yr flow is 240L/s. Assuming a pipe slope of 1.0%, the required pipe sizes for storm drainage are 375mm and 450mm respectively for the 5-yr and 100-yr design.

The connection to the Chedoke Creek culvert appears to be the most convenient but it might be difficult due to the depth of the pipe and the need to break into the large concrete structure. Other options for the sag drainage are to discharge to the surface between Tope Crescent and the 403 ramp or piping all the way to Chedoke Creek, perhaps on Tope Avenue. The feasibility of these options would have to be examined through further study.

At the east end, the guideway runoff will spill on to King Street, which slopes down to the west at this location. The estimated runoff rates from the east end of the bridge are 30L/s and 53L/s for the 5-yr and 100-yr design respectively. These small flows can probably be accommodated in the King Street drainage systems. However, this should be confirmed at the next design stage.

	Table 3 403 Overpass Design Flows													
	5-yr 100-yr													
Location	From	То	Total Area	Design Q	Pipe Size	Design Q	Pipe Size							
	(m)	(m)	(m²)	(L/s)	(mm)	(L/s)	(mm)							
Main St. West Sag 1+850	1+536	2+225	5291	136	375	240	450							
King St. 2+375	2+225	2+375	1152	30	Connect to King St. STM	53	Connect to King St. Major System							



7.0 Other Drainage System Impacts

7.1 Alignment Conflicts

The City of Hamilton criteria for utility and underground services conflicts are summarized in Table 4. The City does not allow storm or combined sewers to be located within the zone of loading influence under the transit guideway. The conflicts with storm and combined sewers have been identified and they are documented in the Utility re-location drawings.

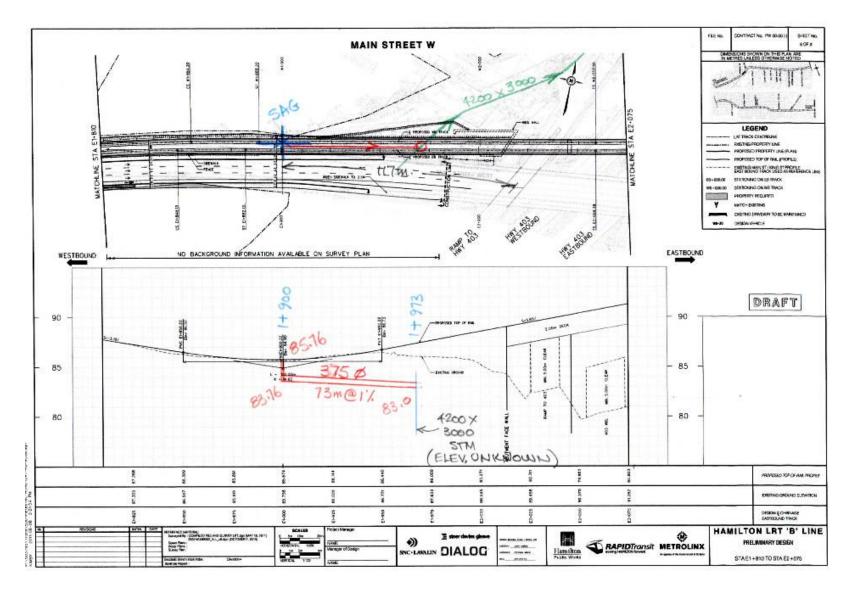
7.2 Catch Basin Relocations

In many locations, the LRT construction will require the re-location of catch basins to maintain the existing roadway drainage. This could be minor re-locations to accommodate road widening or intersection improvements or new locations where the LRT is in conflict with the existing catch basin locations. These relocations will be identified at the detailed design stage.

8.0 Conclusions

- 1. A screening level analysis has been carried out to determine the relative magnitude of the potential impacts of the LRT B-Line construction on the existing drainage systems along the alignment. It was found that there will be a negligible increase in impervious areas for about 87% of the project length. As a result, there will be no impact on the existing storm drainage systems in these areas.
- 2. Potential impacts on the storm drainage system have been identified at three locations:
 - At the west end of the project from McMaster University to Dalewood Ave. (Outlet 1), the estimated increase in impervious area at this location 6.4%. A stormwater management study is recommended for this area to explore possible mitigation measures for both peak flow control and water quality treatment for the new runoff generated from the LRT construction.
 - At the Outlet 2 catchment (Dalewood to Dow), the increase is about 7.3%. The existing 1050mm storm relief sewer appears to have sufficient capacity to absorb this increase. However, the catchment area for the storm relief sewer should be reviewed in detail at the next design stage and measures to minimize the flow increase should also be explored, if necessary.
 - At Outlet 4A from Paradise Ave. to the east side of Highway 403, the LRT-Highway 403 overpass results in an increase in impervious area of 4.9%. However, the 4200mm x 3000 Chedoke Creek culvert is available in the area, which will be able to absorb this small increase in runoff at this location.
- 3. The overpass at Highway 403 will require a new storm drainage system on the west side of the structure. A preliminary drainage concept has been developed including a new storm sewer outlet to the Chedoke Creek culvert at Sta 1+973. The feasibility of this connection needs to be confirmed at the next design stage. Other options for drainage at this location include piping to a surface outlet between Tope Crescent and the 403 ramp or piping to Chedoke Creek.
- 4. On the east side of the 403 overpass, the small amount of additional runoff from the new structure can be accommodated in the existing King Street drainage systems.





Proposed Storm sewer outlet at West End of 403 Overpass

Figure 6.1



Table 4Utility Clearance Criteria

	ROW	Offset to Transitway Edge	Storm/Sanitary Sewer (outer edge)	Watermain (outer edge	Hydro Ducts	Gas Main	Bell Ducts	Notes
ROW	-		-					
Storm/Sanitary Sewer (outer edge)	3 m	not in transitway loading zone	0.5 m minimum	2.5 m minimum; if less, must have 0.5 m vertical clearance	-	-	-	3 m to ROW - assumption from AECOM life cycle report; 0.5 m min and 2.5 min from City of Hamilton Standards
Watermain (outer edge)	3 m	not in transitway loading zone	2.5 m minimum; if less, must have 0.5 m vertical clearance	-	-	-	-	
Hydro Ducts	1.75 m	not in transitway loading zone	-	some vertical clearance required		-		
Gas Main	0.75 m	not in transitway loading zone		-	-			
Bell Ducts	1.75 m	not in transitway loading zone		-	-			



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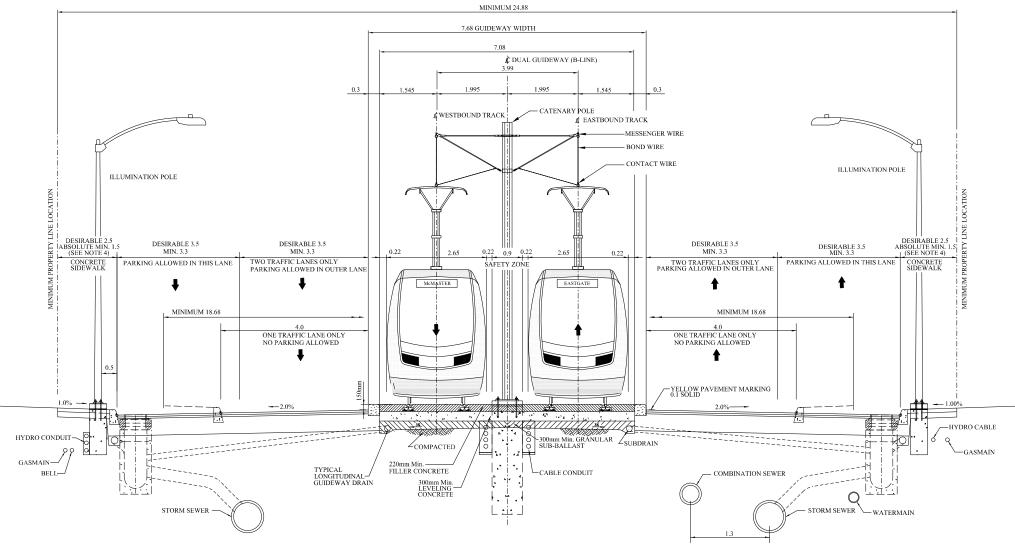


Appendix A Typical LRT Cross Sections



Appendix B Photographs of Typical LRT Sites and Related Impervious Area Impacts





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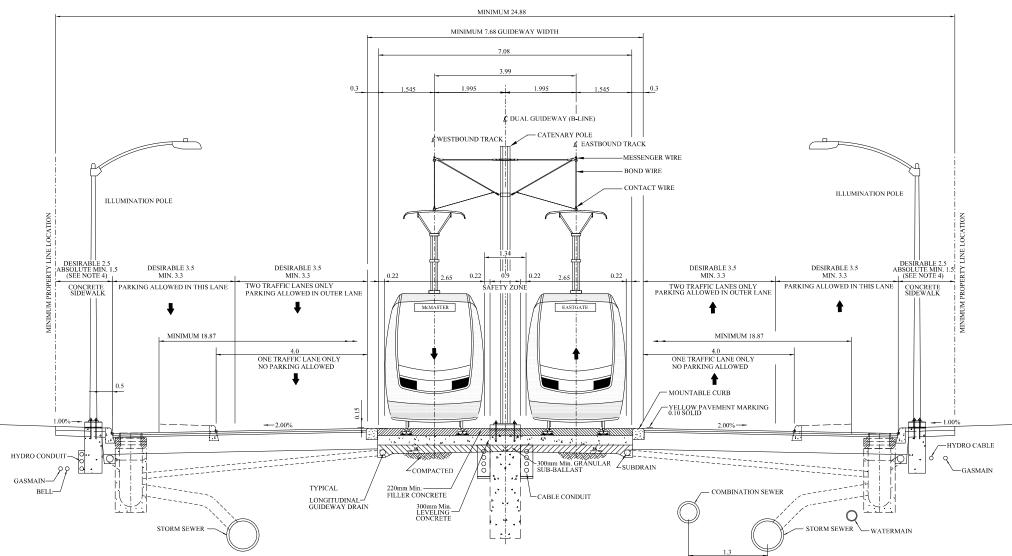
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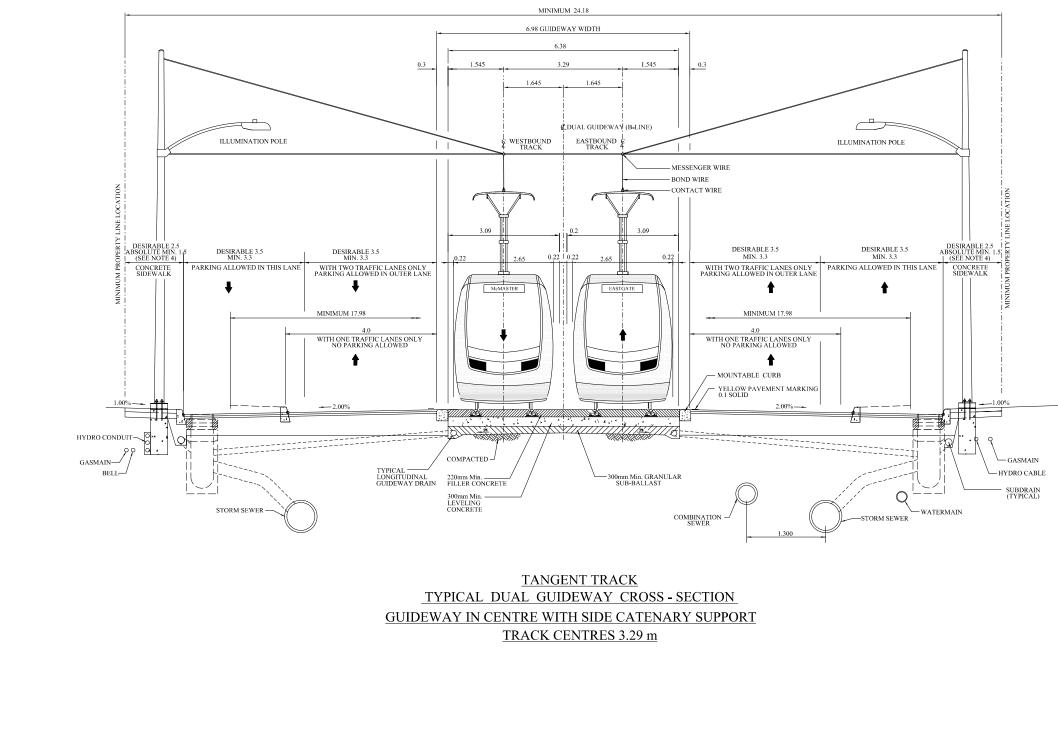
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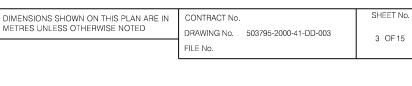
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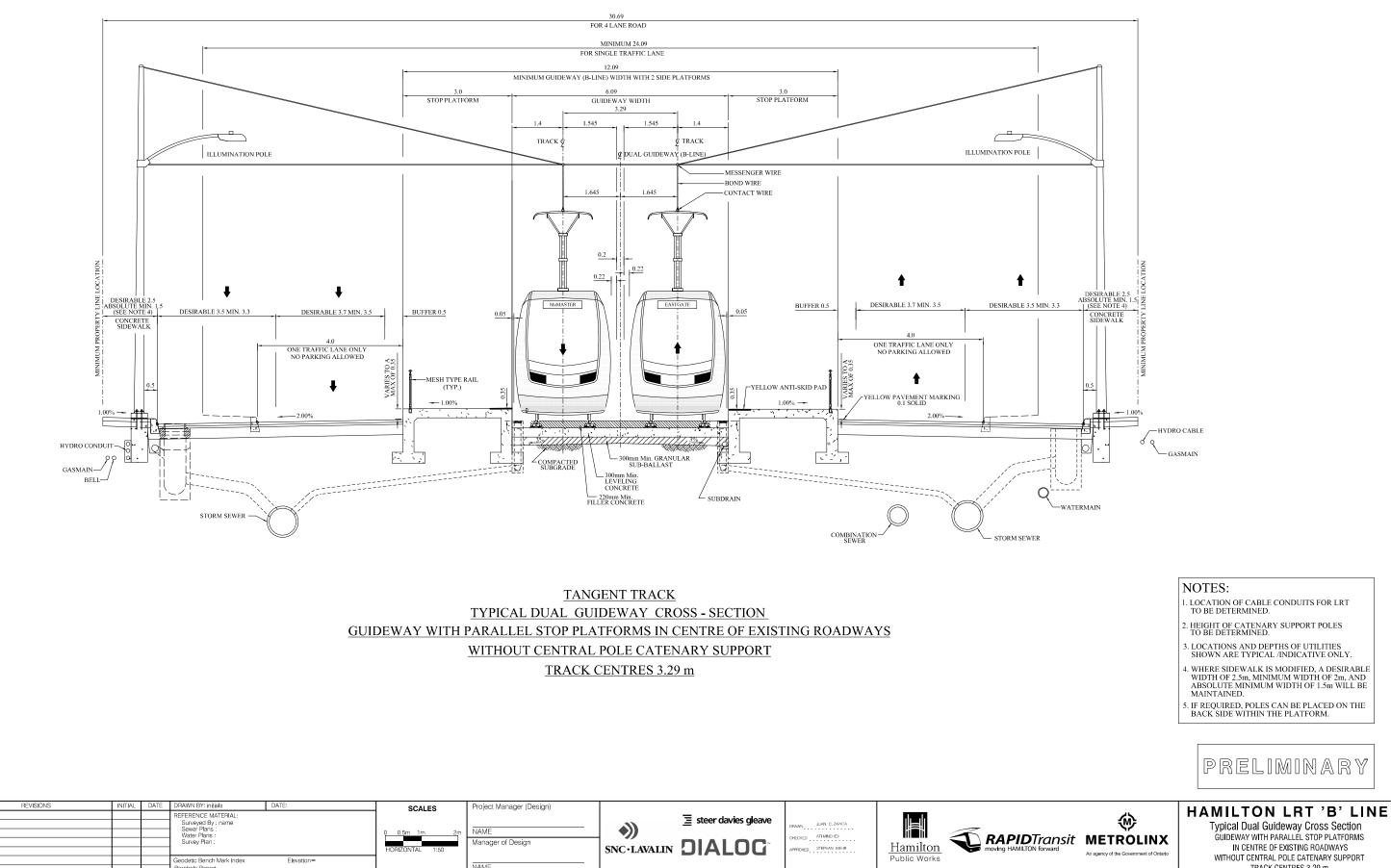
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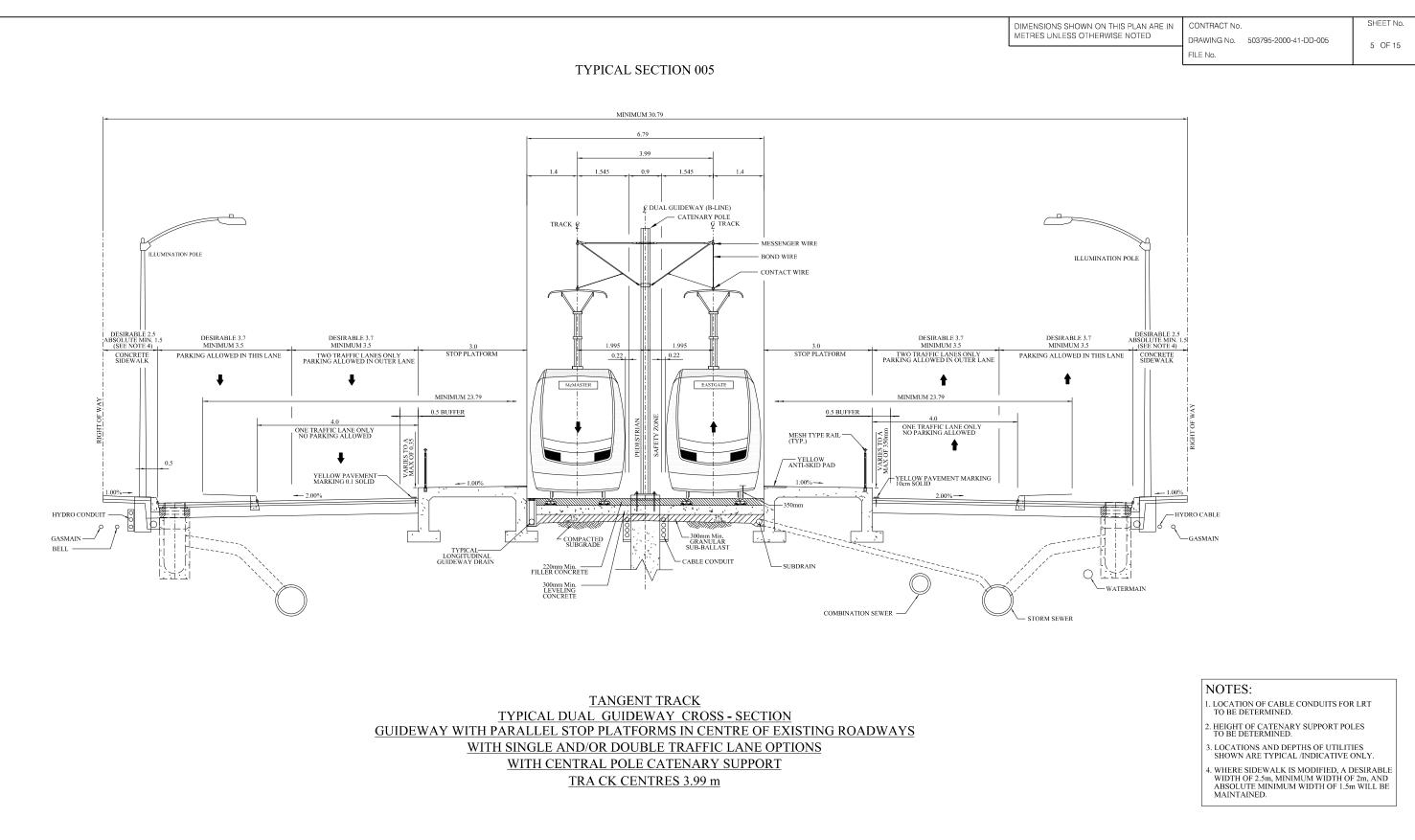


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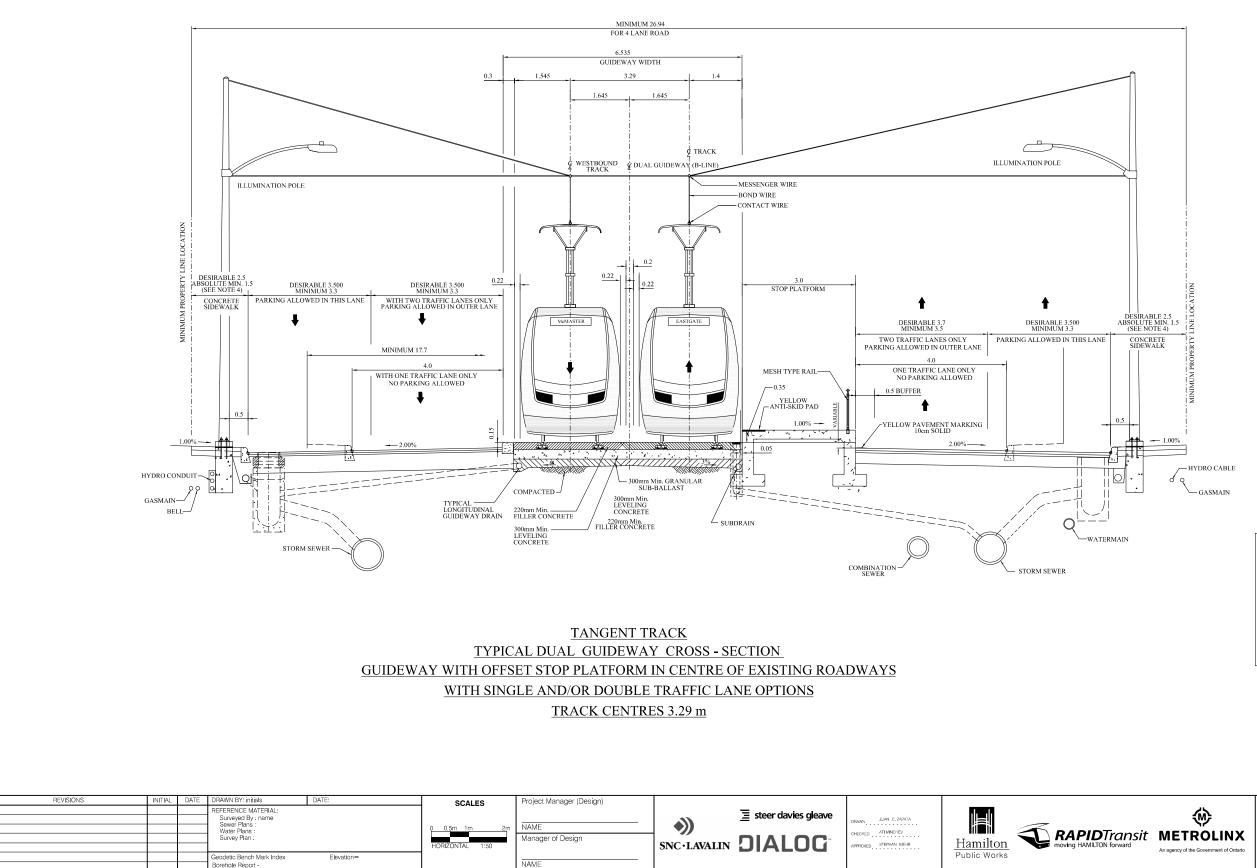


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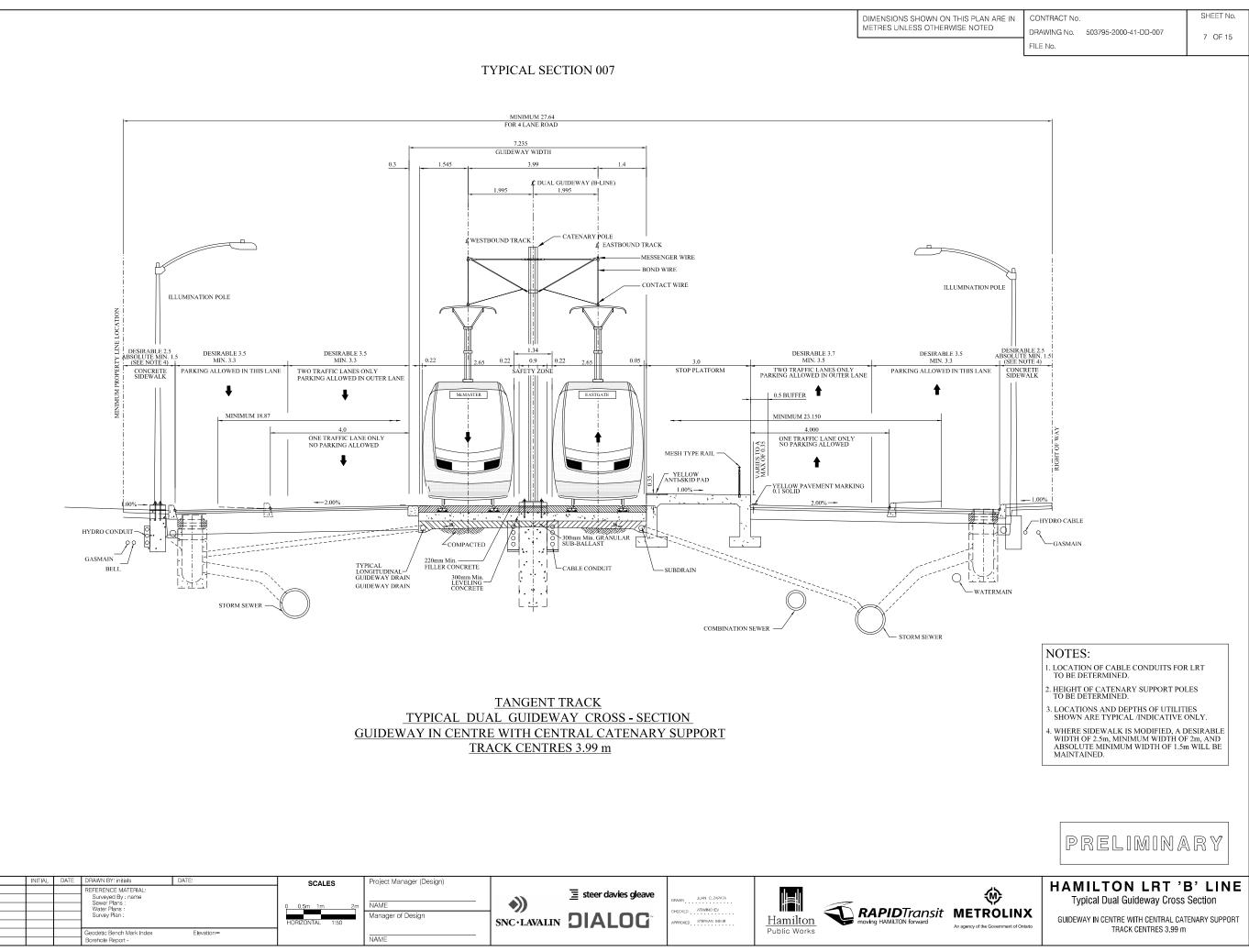
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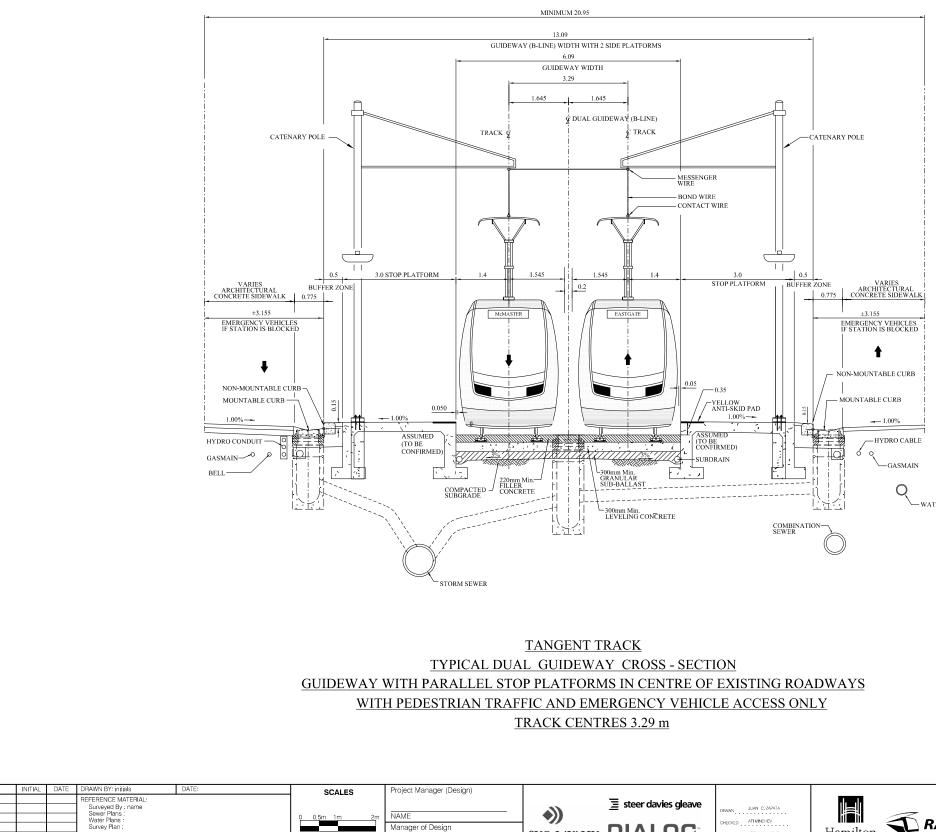


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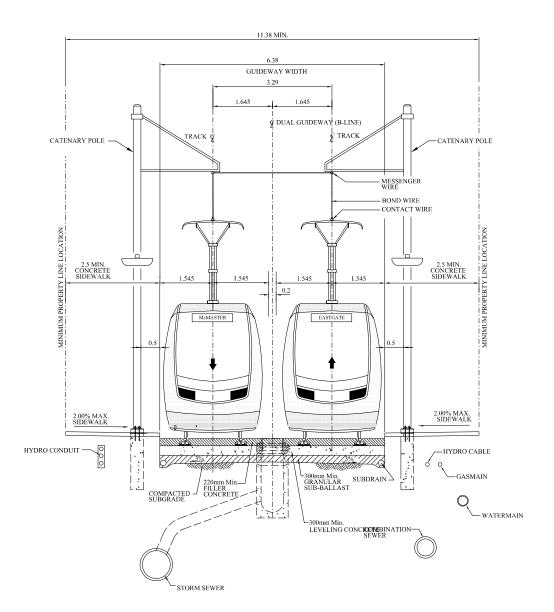
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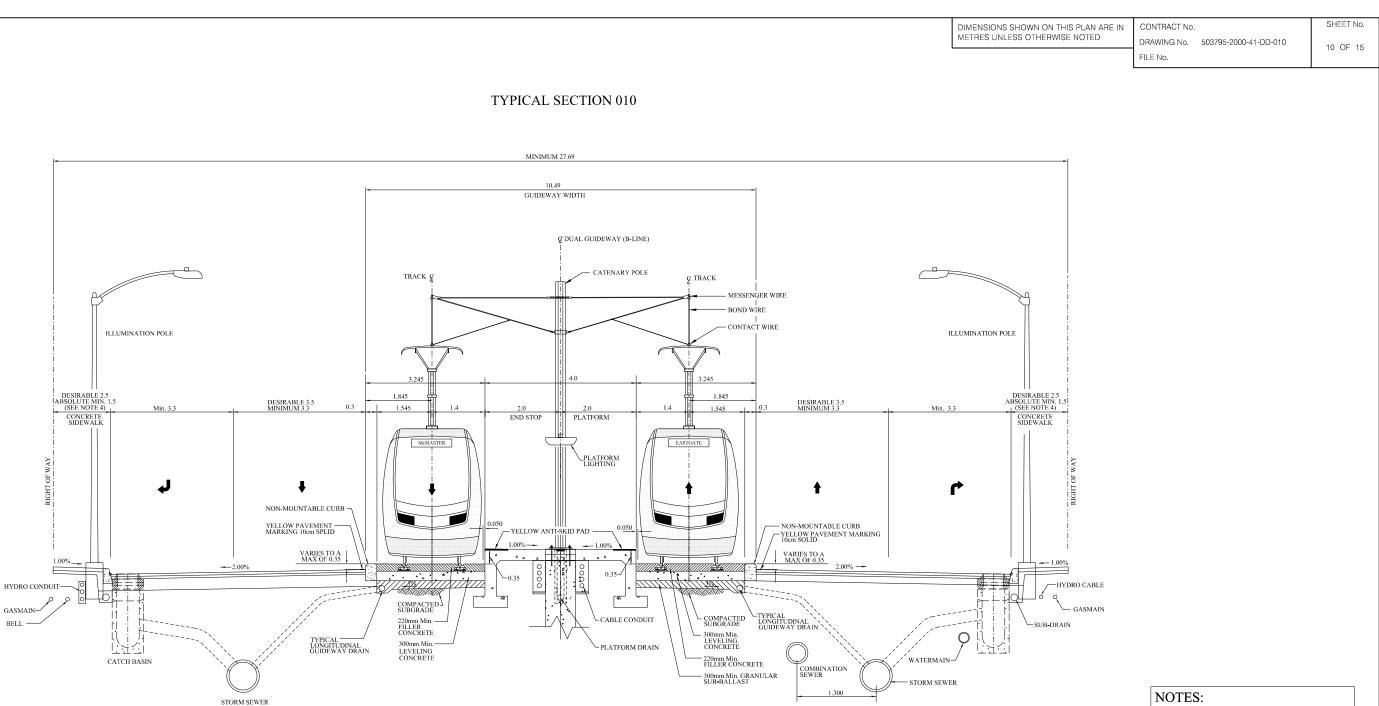
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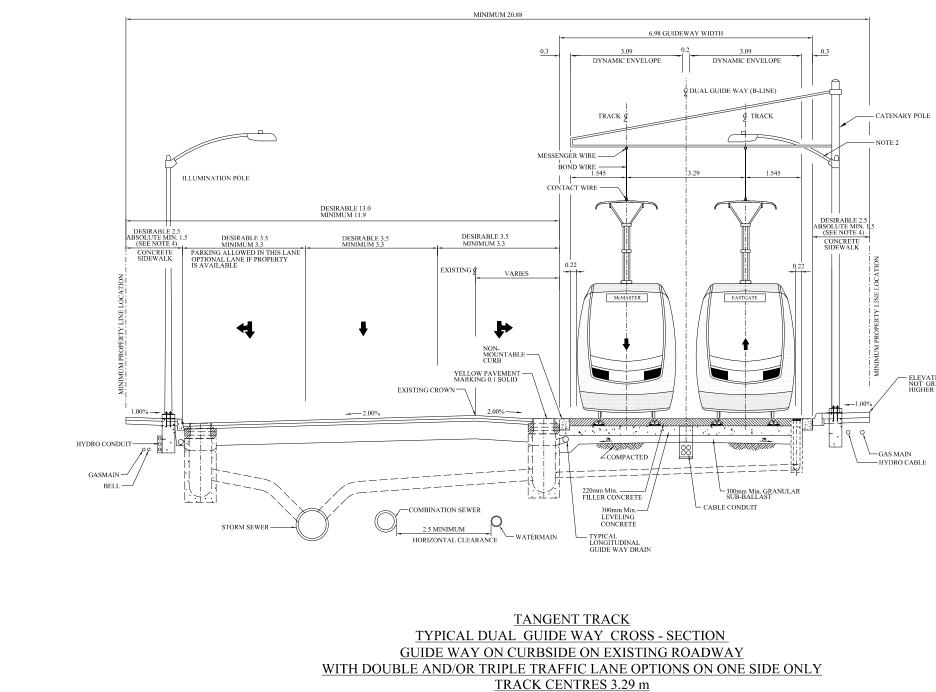
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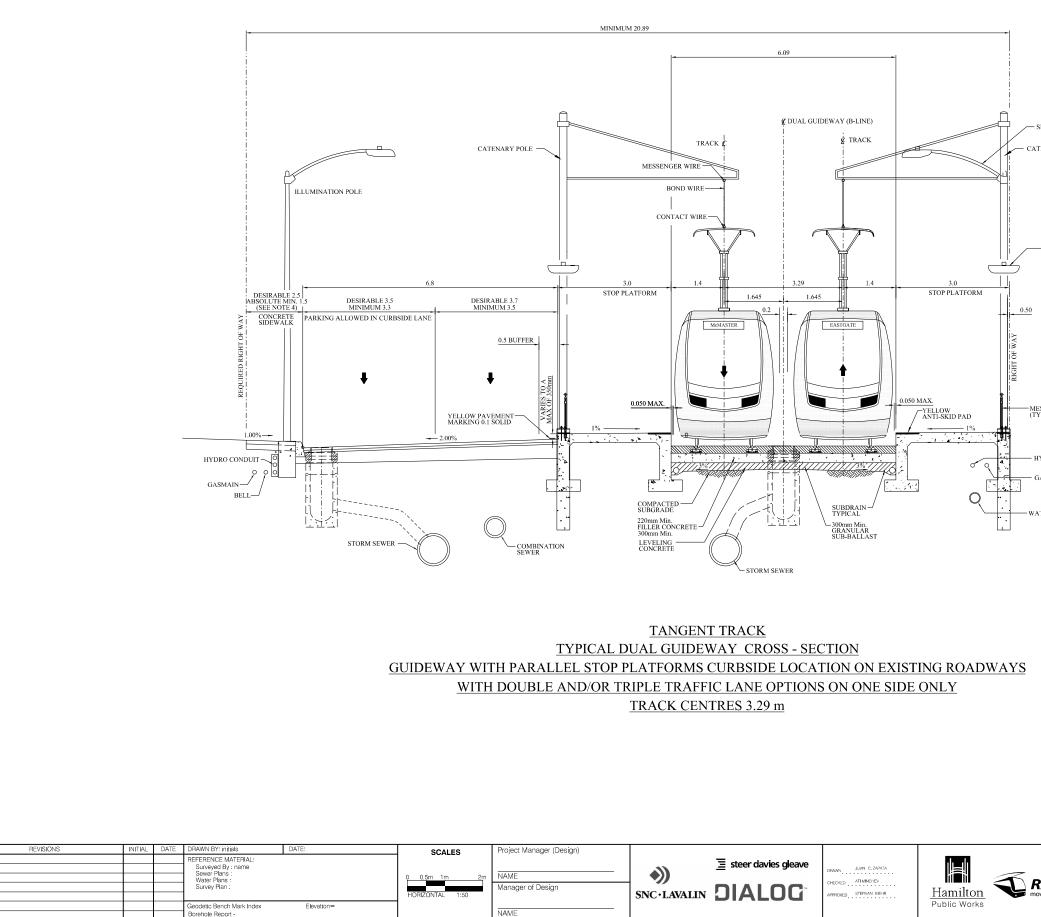
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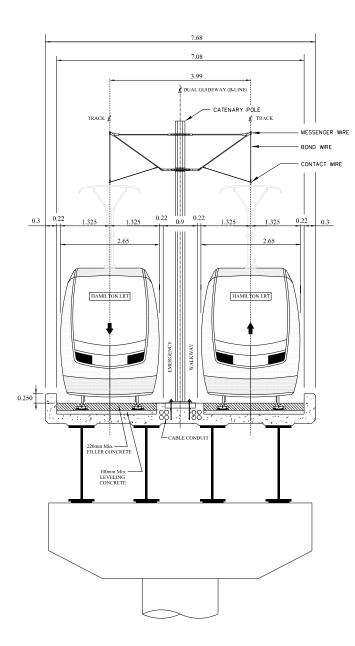
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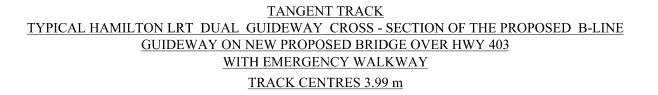
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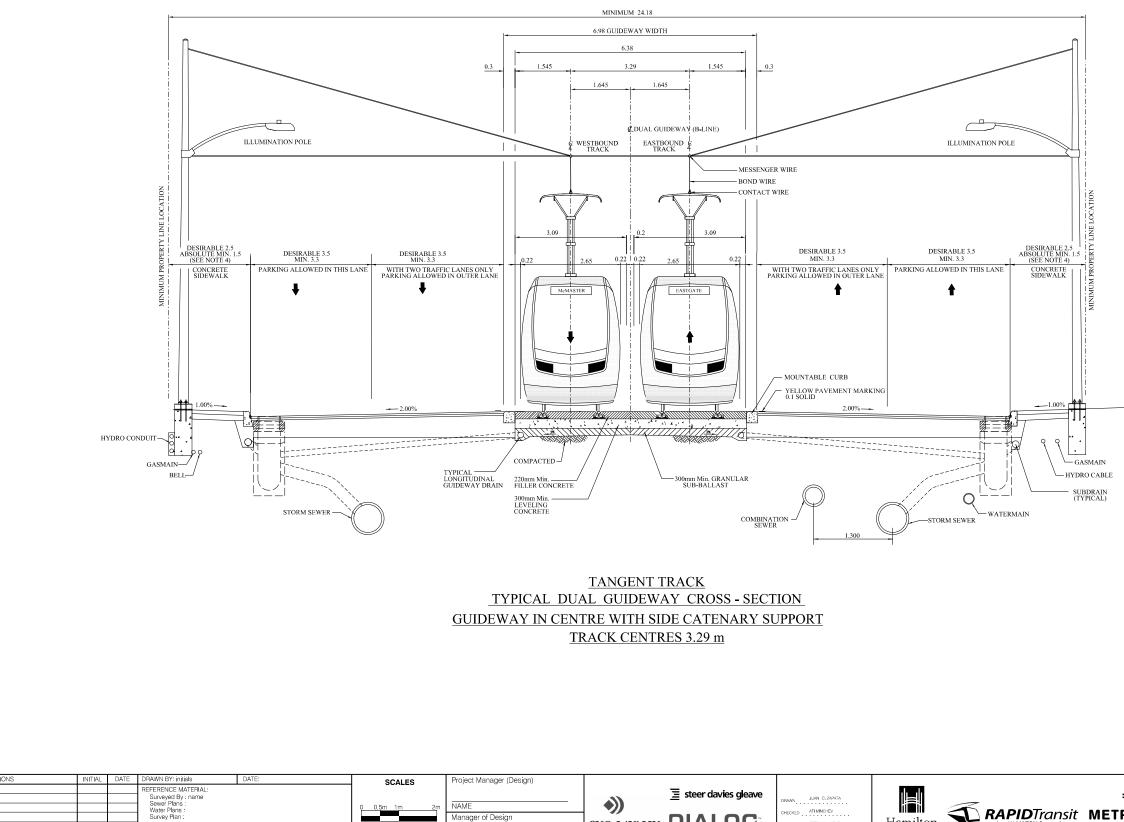
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HAMILTON LRT 'B' LINE Typical Dual Guideway Cross Section

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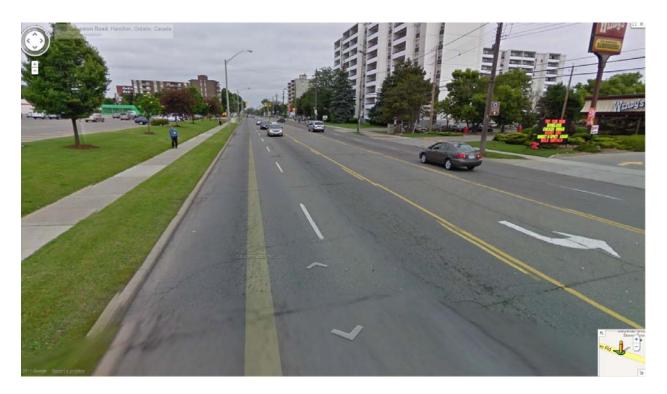


2) Location with 56m² Increased Impervious Area





3) Location with 367m² Increased Impervious Area



4) Location with 2109m² Increased Impervious Area



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5) Location with 5626m² Increased Impervious Area



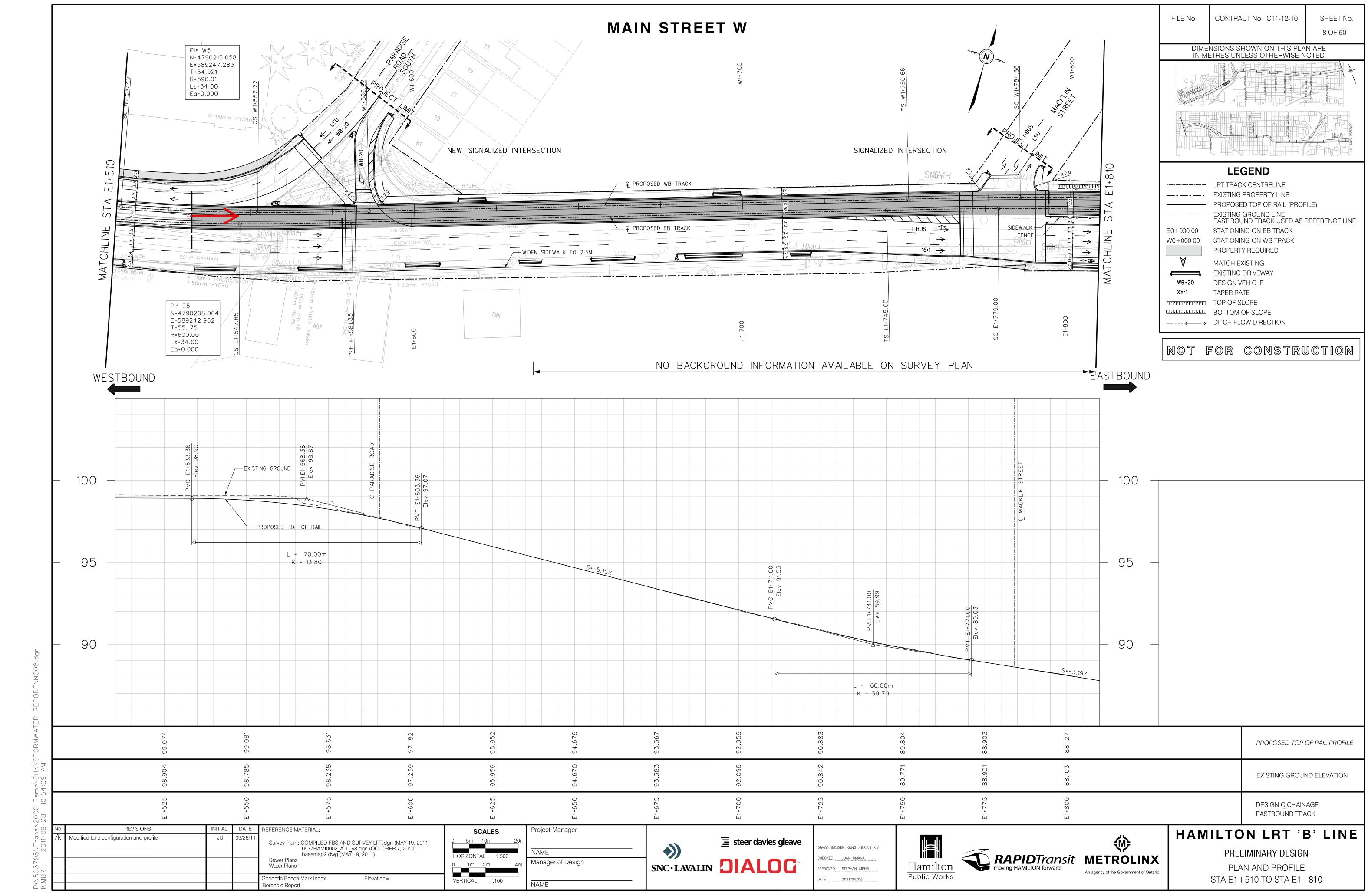
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Bridge over Highway-403 Overpass: Aerial Photo Preliminary Design Plates and Existing Drainage Outlets



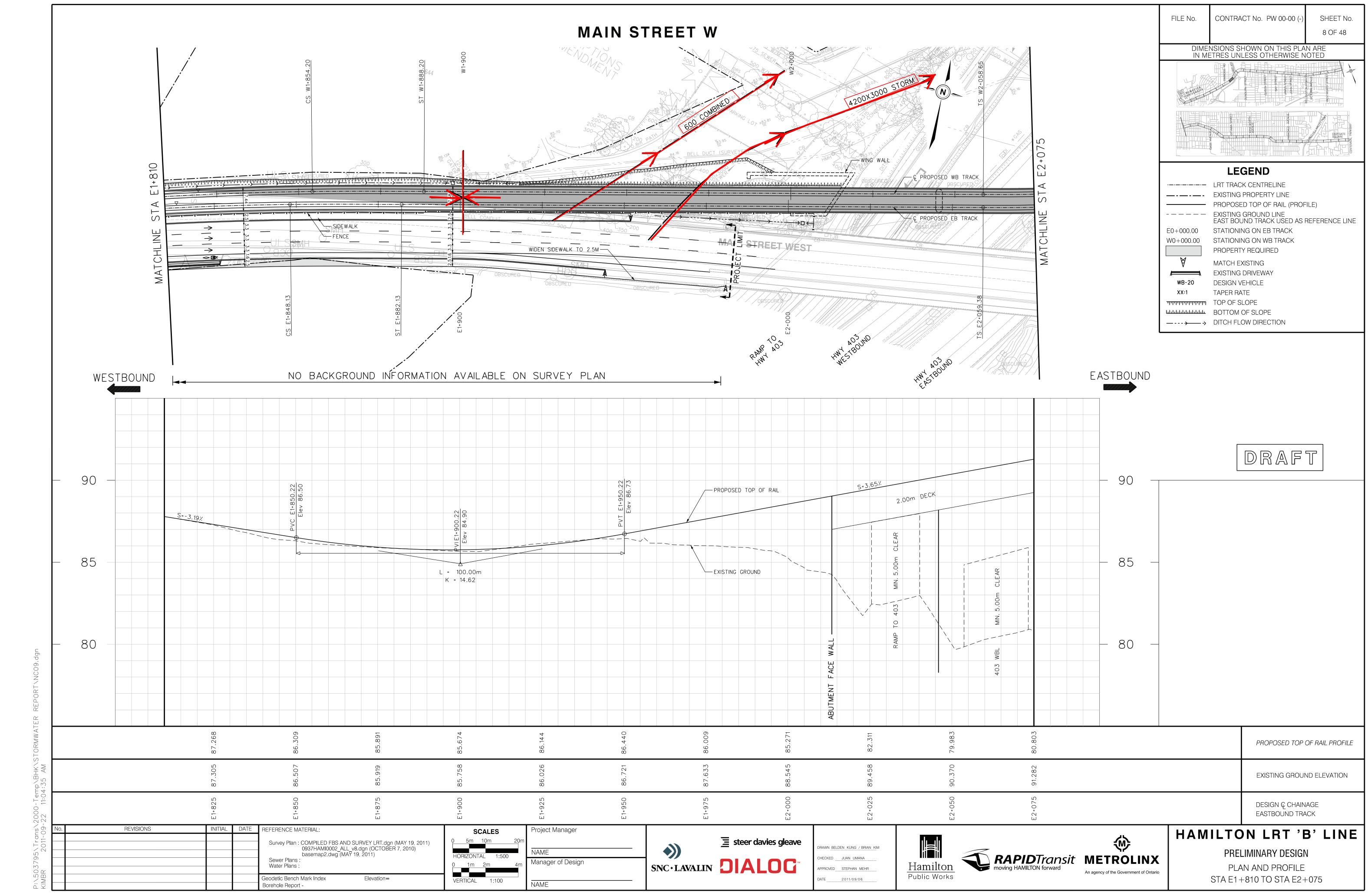


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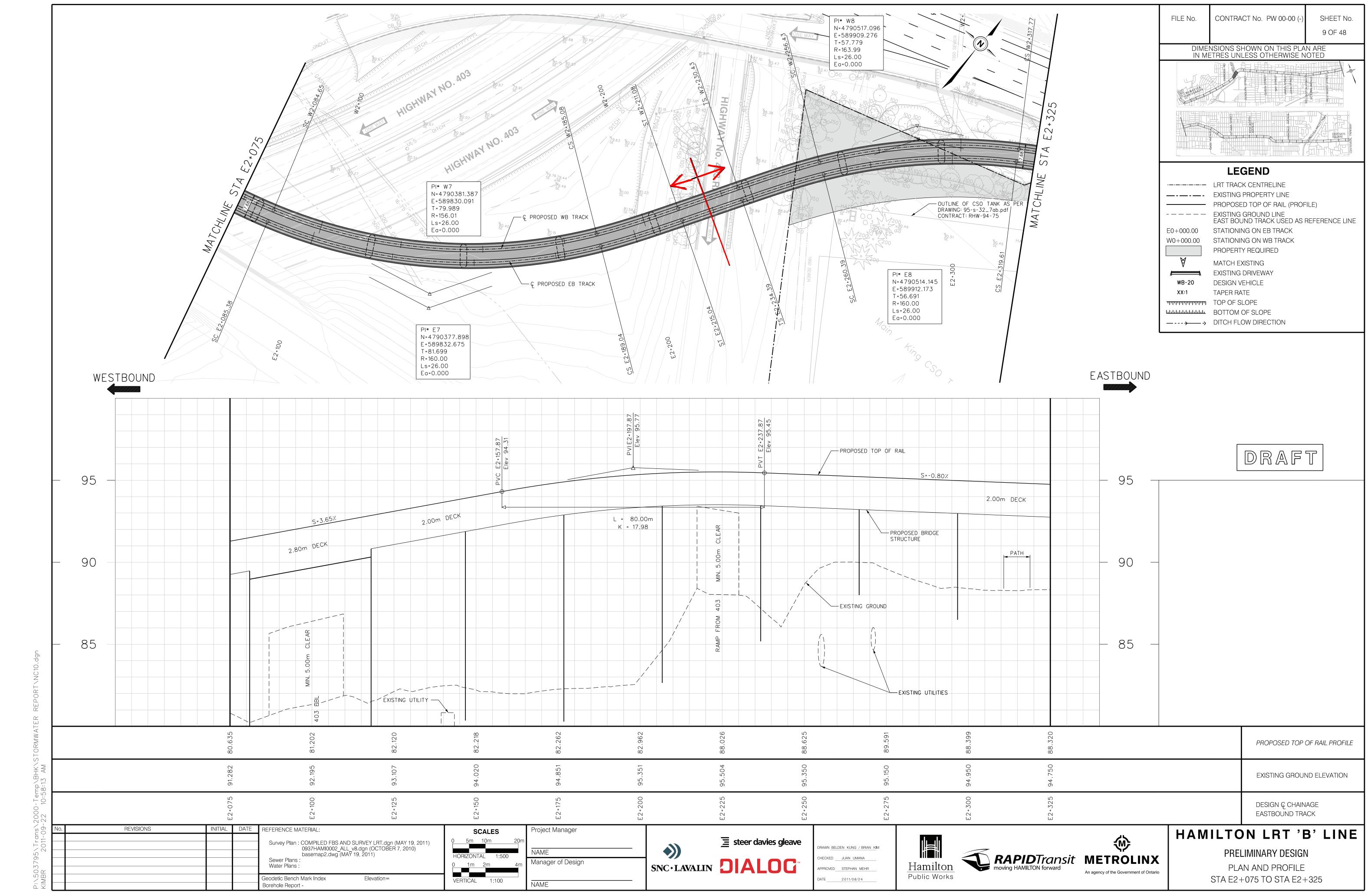


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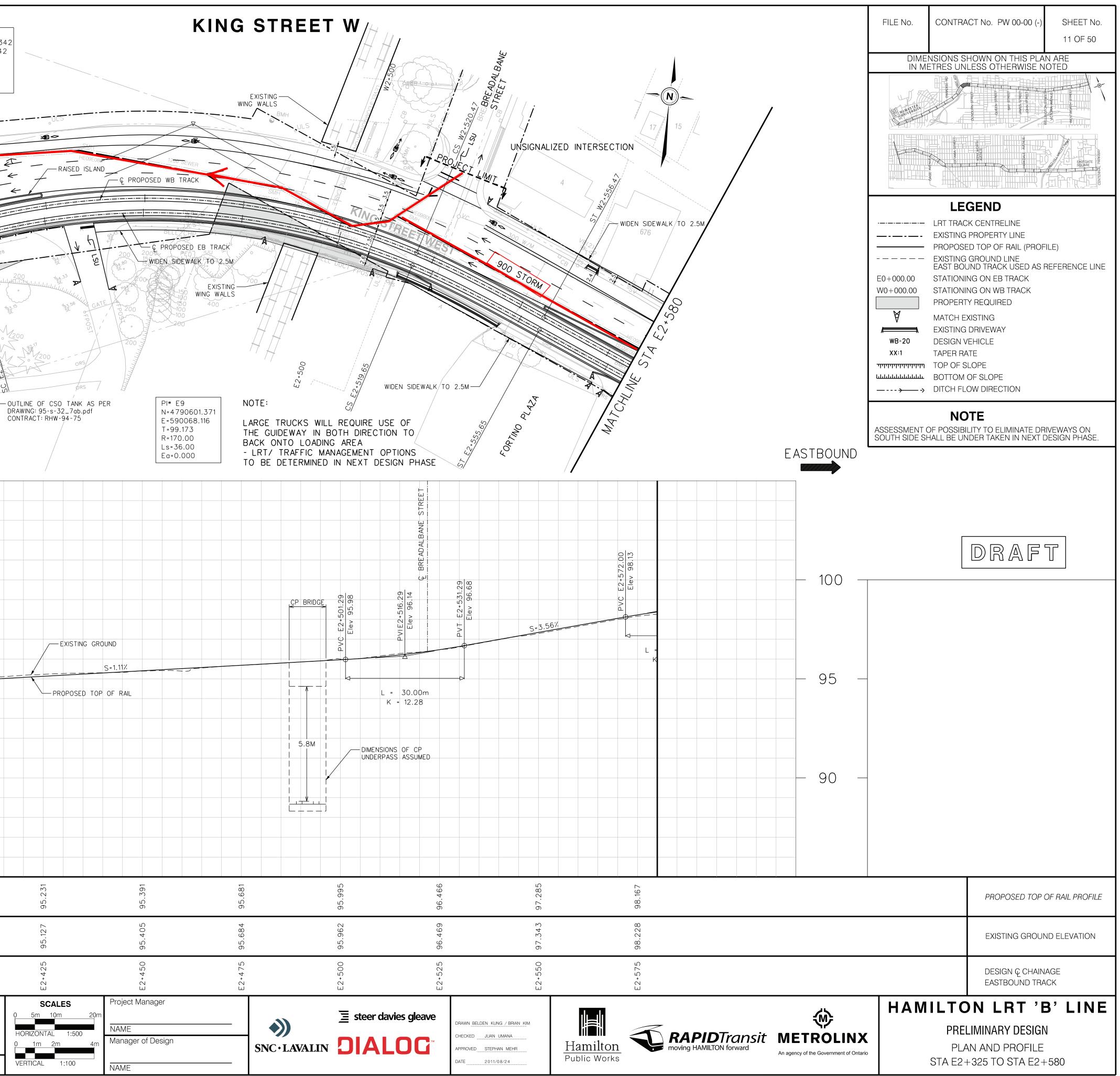


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Hamilton LRT

403 Bridge Drainage

0.11		
Guideway	y width =	7.68 m

Rainfall IDF Paramet	ters (Mount Hope St	ation):	
	Α	в	С
5 Year	1049.5	8	0.803
100 Year	2317.4	11	0.836

					DRAINAGE AREA				RUNOFF						
FROM		то				Ci Ci	Cumul.	Тс	Intensity	Q 5yr	Intensity	Q 100yr	Design Flow		
LOCATION	Flow	Sta.	Flow	Flow Sta.	CA	16	l 5-yr	(2.778*CIA)	l 100-yr	(2.778*CIA)					
Node Sta.	Sta.	Node	Sta.	(Ha)		Total		(min)	i) (mm/h)	(l/s)	(mm/h)	(l/s)	(I/s)		
Main St.					0.40	0.65	0.90	a1*0.4+ a2*0.5+				被私当任			
Main St.		a3*0.85													
West Sag 1+900	1	1+536	2	1+850			0.241	0.217	0.217			建設 法 公			
East Sag 1+900	3	2+225	2	1+850			0.288	0.259	0.476			新学会は			
Total Sag 1+900									0.476	10.0	103.04	136.3	181.81	240.4	
King St West Sag 2+375	3	2+225	4	2+375			0.115	0.104	0.104	10.0	103.04	29.8	181.81	52.5	

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