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Check the type of planning applie	cation(s) you are submitting.				
<ul> <li>□ Consent/Severance/Boundary Adjustment</li> <li>□ Surplus Farm Dwelling Severance and Zoning By-law Amendment</li> <li>□ Minor Variance</li> <li>□ Easement/Right-of-Way</li> </ul>					
Property Assessment Roll Numb	er:				
A. Applicant Information					
Name of Owner	Name of Owner				
It is the responsibility of the owner ownership within 30 days of such a	or applicant to notify the planner of any changes in change.				
Address					
Town and Postal Code					
Phone Number					
Cell Number					
Email					
Name of Applicant					
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В.	Location, Legal Des	scription and Prope	rtv Information
<ul><li>B. Location, Legal Description and Property Information</li><li>1. Legal Description (include Geographic Township, Concession Number, Lot Number, Block Number and Urban Area or Hamlet):</li></ul>			
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L	☐ Yes ☐ No If yes,	please specify:	
3. F	Present use of the sub	ject lands:	
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3.	Please describe <b>all proposed</b> buildings or structures/additions on the subject lands. Describe the type of buildings or structures/additions, and illustrate the setback, in metric units, from front, rear and side lot lines, ground floor area, gross floor area, lot coverage, number of storeys, width, length, and height on your attached sketch
5.	If an addition to an existing building is being proposed, please explain what it will be used for (for example a bedroom, kitchen, or bathroom). If new fixtures are proposed, please describe.
	whether they are to be retained, demolished or removed. If retaining the buildings or structures, please describe the type of buildings or structures, and illustrate the setback, in metric units, from front, rear and side lot lines, ground floor area, gross floor area, lot coverage, number of storeys, width, length, and height on your attached sketch which must be included with your application:



## C. Purpose of Development Application

Note: Please complete all that apply. Failure to complete this section will result in an incomplete application.

**1. Site Information** (Please refer to Zoning By-law to confirm permitted dimensions)

	Existing	Permitted	Provision	Proposed	Deficiency
Lot frontage					
Lot depth					
Lot width					
Lot area					
Lot coverage					
Front yard					
Rear yard					
Height					
Left Interior side yard					
Right Interior side yard					
Exterior side yard (corner lot)					
Parking Spaces (number)					
Aisle width					_
Stall size					
Loading Spaces					
Other					



Please explain w By-law:	rhy it is not possible to comply with the provision(s) of the Zoning
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Frontage:	
Depth: Width:	
Lot Area:	
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the lands to whic	h the parcel will be added:
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Depth:	



	Width:	
	Area:	
	Proposed Use:	
5.	<u>-</u>	welling Severances Only: List all properties in Norfolk County, and farmed by the applicant and involved in the farm operation
O۱	wners Name:	
Ro	oll Number:	
Tc	otal Acreage:	
W	orkable Acreage:	
Ex	kisting Farm Type:	(for example: corn, orchard, livestock)
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No	te: If additional	space is needed please attach a separate sheet.
D.	All Applications	: Previous Use of the Property
1.		n industrial or commercial use on the subject lands or adjacent ☑ No  ☐  Unknown
	If yes, specify the	e uses (for example: gas station, or petroleum storage):
2.		o believe the subject lands may have been contaminated by former or adjacent sites?□ Yes □ No □ Unknown
3.	Provide the inform	mation you used to determine the answers to the above questions:



4.	If you answered yes to any of the above questions in Section D, a previous use inventory showing all known former uses of the subject lands, or if appropriate, the adjacent lands, is needed. Is the previous use inventory attached? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No
E.	All Applications: Provincial Policy
1.	Is the requested amendment consistent with the provincial policy statements issued under subsection 3(1) of the <i>Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P. 13</i> ? $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No
	If no, please explain:
2.	It is owner's responsibility to be aware of and comply with all relevant federal or provincial legislation, municipal by-laws or other agency approvals, including the Endangered Species Act, 2007. Have the subject lands been screened to ensure that development or site alteration will not have any impact on the habitat for endangered or threatened species further to the provincial policy statement subsection 2.1.7? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No
	If no, please explain:
3.	Have the subject lands been screened to ensure that development or site alteration will not have any impact on source water protection? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No If no, please explain:
	Note: If in an area of source water Wellhead Protection Area (WHPA) A, B or C please attach relevant information and approved mitigation measures from the Risk Manager Official.



4.	All Applications: Are any of the following uses or features on the subject lands or within 500 metres of the subject lands, unless otherwise specified? Please check boxes, if applicable.
	Livestock facility or stockyard (submit MDS Calculation with application)
	☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Wooded area  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Municipal Landfill  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Sewage treatment plant or waste stabilization plant  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Provincially significant wetland (class 1, 2 or 3) or other environmental feature ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Floodplain  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Rehabilitated mine site  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Non-operating mine site within one kilometre  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Active mine site within one kilometre  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Industrial or commercial use (specify the use(s))  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Active railway line  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	Seasonal wetness of lands  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance
	<b>Erosion</b> □ On the subject lands or □ within 500 meters – distance
	Abandoned gas wells  ☐ On the subject lands or ☐ within 500 meters – distance



## F. All Applications: Servicing and Access

1.	Indicate what services are available or proposed:		
	Water Supply		
	☐ Municipal piped water		Communal wells
	☐ Individual wells		Other (describe below)
	<del></del>		
	Sewage Treatment		
	☐ Municipal sewers		Communal system
	☐ Septic tank and tile bed in good working order		Other (describe below)
	Storm Drainage		
	☐ Storm sewers		Open ditches
	☐ Other (describe below)		
2.	Existing or proposed access to subject lands:		
	☐ Municipal road		Provincial highway
	☐ Unopened road		Other (describe below)
	Name of road/street:		
G.	All Applications: Other Information		
1.	Does the application involve a local business? $\ \Box$	Yes	s □ No
	If yes, how many people are employed on the subj	ject	lands?
2.	Is there any other information that you think may b application? If so, explain below or attach on a se		
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## H. Supporting Material to be submitted by Applicant

In order for your application to be considered complete, folded hard copies (number of paper copies as directed by the planner) and an **electronic version (PDF) of the site plan drawings, additional plans, studies and reports** will be required, including but not limited to the following details:

- 1. Concept/Layout Plan
- 2. All measurements in metric
- 3. Existing and proposed easements and right of ways
- 4. Parking space totals required and proposed
- 5. All dimensions of the subject lands
- 6. Dimensions and setbacks of all buildings and structures
- 7. Location and setbacks of septic system and well from all existing and proposed lot lines, and all existing and proposed structures

In addition, the following additional plans, studies and reports, including but not limited

- 8. Names of adjacent streets
- 9. Natural features, watercourses and trees

o, <b>may</b> also be required as part of the complete application submission:
$\square$ On-Site Sewage Disposal System Evaluation Form (to verify location and condition)
□ Environmental Impact Study
☐ Geotechnical Study / Hydrogeological Review
☐ Minimum Distance Separation Schedule
□ Record of Site Condition

Your development approval might also be dependent on Ministry of Environment Conservation and Parks, Ministry of Transportation or other relevant federal or provincial legislation, municipal by-laws or other agency approvals.

All final plans must include the owner's signature as well as the engineer's signature and seal.



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## **Permission to Enter Subject Lands**

Permission is hereby granted to Norfolk County officers, employees or agents, to enter the premises subject to this application for the purposes of making inspections associated with this application, during normal and reasonable working hours.

#### Freedom of Information

For the purposes of the <i>Municipal Freedom of Information</i> I authorize and consent to the use by or the disclosing the formation of the second	sure to any person or public body any
information that is collected under the authority of t	he Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.
13 for the purposes of processing this application.	July 15 2022 July 15 2022
Owner/Applicant/Agent Signature	Date
J. Owner's Authorization	
If the applicant/agent is not the registered owner of	f the lands that is the subject of this
application, the owner must complete the authoriza	ation set out below.
1/We Abram and Mary Froese am/	are the registered owner(s) of the
lands that is the subject of this application.	3(-,
I/We authorize Mary Elder of Elder Plans Inc.	to make this application on
my/our behalf and to provide any of my/our person	
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authorization for so doing.	,
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Owner	Date

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Owner Date

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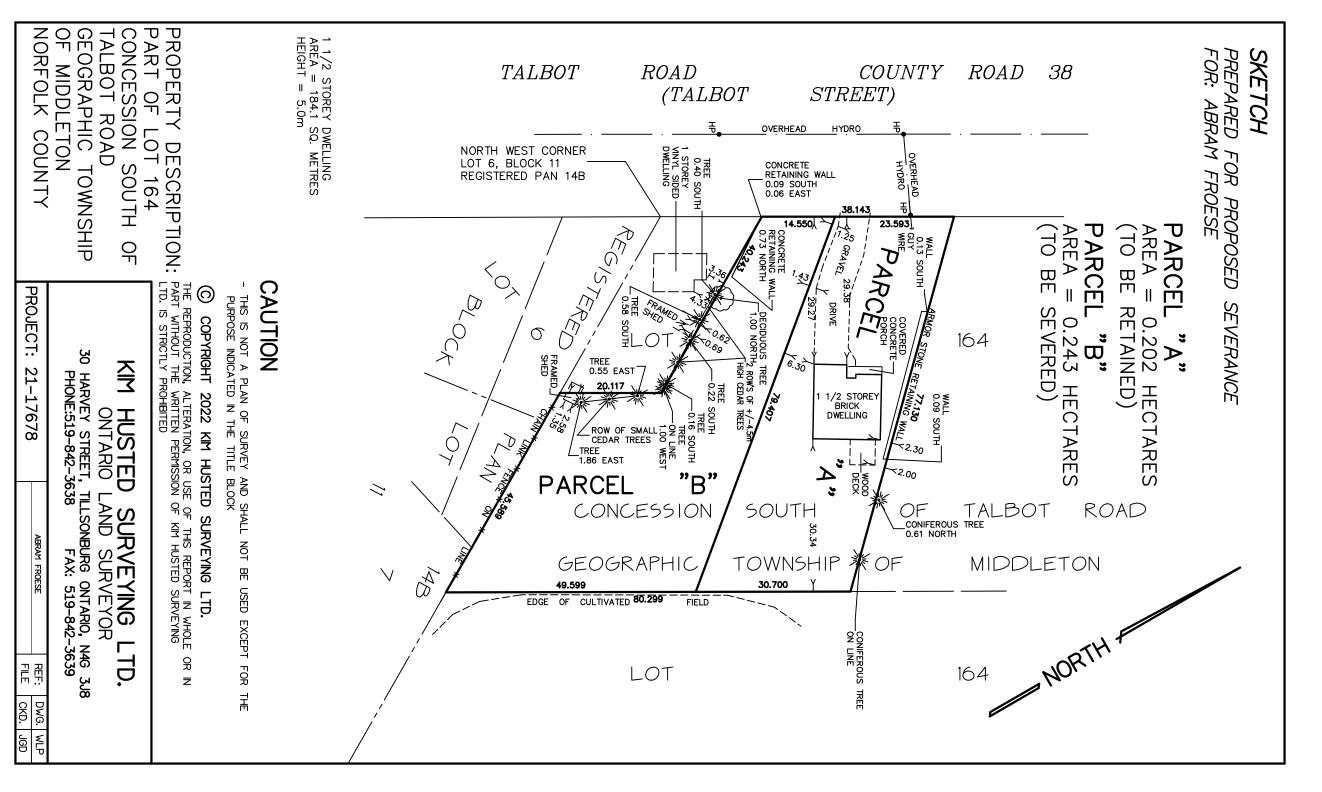


K. Declaration I, Mary Elder	of Norfolk County
solemnly declare that:	
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# Instructions for Completing the Evaluation Form for Existing On-Site Sewage Systems

General Information Applicable to Sewage Evaluations:

- 1. Please complete the following form by checking appropriate lines and filling out blanks.
- This Evaluation Form must be completed by a "Qualified" person engaged in the business of constructing on site, installing, repairing, servicing, cleaning or emptying sewage systems.
- If sewage system malfunctions are found during an evaluation (surfacing or discharge of improperly treated sewage effluent) which indicate a possible health hazard or nuisance, orders may be issued for correction.
- 4. Evaluations should be scheduled accordingly so as not to delay the application process.
- Completed Forms <u>MUST</u> be submitted no later than 30 days prior to the scheduled public meeting. Failure to meet this date may cause the application to be deferred.
- 6. Completed Forms must be returned to:

#### **Building Division**

Simcoe Office 8 Schellburg Ave. Simcoe, ON N3Y 2J4 Fax: (519) 426-1186 Langton Office 22 Albert St. Langton, ON N3Y 2J4 Fax: (519) 875-4789

- 7. Evaluation Forms will become part of the property records of Norfolk County Building Division.
- 8. No On-Site Sewage System Evaluation will be conducted where:
  - snow depth exceeds two (2) inches, or
  - · grass and brush exceeds twelve (12) inches
- The comments that are given as a result of this evaluation are rendered without complete knowledge or observation of some of the individual components of the sewage system and applies only to the date and time the evaluation is conducted.

Revised: March 24, 2011



# Evaluation Form for Existing On-Site Sewage Systems

Date: July 2009	1		And the state of a		The state of			
OFFICE USE ONLY	FILE No.:				DATE RECEIVED:			
PROPERTY INFORMATION	Municipal Address:   0,2 TPLBST ST , COURTIALD ,   Concession:							
Owner: ABE FROESE					Lot:			Concession:
Lot Area:	Lot Frontage: Assessment Roll No.							
PURPOSE OF EVALUATION	□ Consent □ Minor Variance □ Site Plan					an		
Chr. (1985)	□ Zoning □ Other							
BUILDING INFORMATION	Residential Commercial Industrial Agricultural					☐ Agricultural		
Building Area:	No. of	Bedrooms:	ns: No. of Fixture Un		its: Is the building currently occupied? Yes / No If No, how long?			
EVALUATOR'S INFORMATION	Evaluator's Name: RICHARD MILLEN				Company Name: MILLEN CONSTRUCTION			
Address: 1507 NCR	45 LA	Liston	-du.	,	Postal Code: Noe 190 Phone: 19403 859			
Email: millencor				T	BCIN# 46141			
SITE EVALUATION	Ground Cover (trees, bushes, grass, impermeal				le surfac	ce):	Soil Ty	pe: _^Y
Site Slope: 🗆 Flat 🔀	Moderate □	Steep Soil C	onditions:	Wet		1 1 1 1		/ater Table:ft.
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Tank: ☑ Pre-cast ☐ Plastic							Pump: Yes (No	
Distribution System: Area: ☐ Trench Bed 🂢	No. of Tile	No. of Tile Runs: Tot		tal Length of Tile: Dis			stance Between Tile Runs:	
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Distance to Bodies of Water (ft)	5°			DEKS C	NA.			
Distance to Nearest Well (ft)	Mone	ARK W	BOTO	4	5			
Distance to Proposed Property Lines	Front <u>47</u> Rear <u>150</u> Side <u>280</u> Side <u>20</u>			20	Front <u>25</u> Rear <u>170</u> Side <u>28</u> Side <u>20</u>			

	/					
OVERALL SYSTEM RATING	VERALL SYSTEM RATING System Working Properly / No Work Required					
Anna Control	☐ System Functioning / Mainte	enance Required				
☐ System Not Functioning / Minor Repair Required						
2.45	□ System Failure/Major Repair / Replacement Required					
GOOD.	Note:					
	Any repair/replacement of an on site sewage system requires a building permit. Contact the Norfolk County Building Division at (519) 426-4377 for more information.					
	Additional Comments:					
	they bear promoting on the					
VERIFICATION						
OWNER:						
The owner is responsible	for having a site evaluation cond any way exempt the owner(s) from	ducted of the above mentioned property. Neither the evaluation nor the m complying with the Ontario Building Code or any other applicable				
L	(the owner of the s	subject property) hereby authorize the above mentioned evaluator to act				
on my behalf with respect	t to all matters pertaining to the e	existing on-site sewage system evaluation.				
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Owner Signature	I Land of the	Date				
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provide a DIMENSIONED sketch drawing a of all existing buildings, location of existi	indicating EXISTING AND PROPOSED property lines, existing wells, and location of existing septic tanks and tile beds.	ng roads and drivewa
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NOTE: The above sketch is not to exact scale.

Tel: 519.233.3500 Fax: 519.233.3501 P. O. Box 299 Clinton, Ontario NOM 1L0

November 8, 2021

Mr. Richard Millen Millen Construction 1507 Norfolk County Road 45 Langton, ON N0E 1G0 Wilson Associates

Consulting Hydrogeologists

Dear Mr. Millen:

Re: Hydrogeological Assessment - Proposed Residential Severance

192 Talbot Street, Community of Courtland, Norfolk County

It is proposed to sever one residential lot from the existing 0.44ha property at 192 Talbot Street in the community of Courtland. The proposed severed lot will occupy the vacant southern half of the existing lot, and the retained lot will occupy the northern half of the existing lot. The attached sketch shows the location and layout of the site.

It is proposed to service the new lot with water from the Courtland municipal water supply and an individual subsurface sewage disposal system.

To support the development proposal, a hydrogeological study was conducted involving the following:

- Exploratory test pits were completed within the proposed new lot area to collect representative soil samples for percolation rate analyses and to identify shallow groundwater conditions.
- Sewage system development density assessment under current Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP) Procedure D-5-4 "Technical Guideline For Individual On-Site Sewage Systems: Water Quality Impact Risk Assessment", commonly known as the "nitrate guideline".

The above hydrogeologic investigative requirements were addressed through a test pit and groundwater sampling program conducted October 12, 2021 and a subsequent background hydrogeologic analysis. This report provides a summary of background hydrogeologic information, the results of the soils suitability study and comment regarding sewage impact potential.

## SITE SETTING, GEOLOGY AND HYDROGEOLOGY

The proposed lot is located within the southeastern portion of the Community of Courtland, on the southeast side of Talbot Street, about 215m southwest of Main Street. Total frontage of the existing lot on Talbot Street is about 38m and the depth of the existing lot is about 74m. The existing lot is cleared and grassed, and contains one single family house in the lot's north half. The site exhibits a relatively flat relief, with a slight slope to the south or southeast. Lands to

the west, north and south are occupied by residential or commercial lots. Lands to the east are in agricultural use.

No surface water bodies are located on or in the close vicinity of the site, the closest being Little Otter Creek about 700m to the east of the site.

The site is located within the Norfolk Sand Plain physiographic region of southern Ontario. According to the Ontario Geological Survey Map 2473 "Quaternary Geology of the Tillsonburg Area", the upper overburden in the vicinity of the site consists of glaciolacustrine shallow water deposits of fine sand likely underlain by Port Stanley Till, a silt to silty clay glacial till. Historical well records indicate that the upper sands are locally in the range of 0.9m to 2.4m deep. The overburden is regionally indicated to be approximately 50m deep, with the remainder of the overburden typically consisting of fine-grained deposits.

The bedrock beneath the site consists of limestone and dolostone of the Dundee Formation and the Detroit River Group.

Regionally the majority of local groundwater supplies are obtained from the upper granular deposits, where sufficiently deep. However, historical local wells have been completed in the bedrock aquifer due to the locally thin character of the upper granular deposits. The lower overburden typically provides little to no potential for groundwater supply due to its fine-grained character, and the bedrock is usually less often utilized due to the expense of deep drilling and the potential of obtaining aesthetically poor-quality water.

Shallow groundwater on the site will follow local drainage patterns, with a probable slight gradient to the south or east, towards Little Otter Creek.

#### **SOILS INVESTIGATION**

#### Test Pits:

Two exploratory test pits were excavated within the proposed lot area on October 12, 2021. The test pits were each completed to a depth of 1.5m, the soil profile was logged in each pit and representative soil samples were collected from each identified soil horizon for subsequent classification, analysis and storage. The attached diagram shows the approximate test pit locations. The following table provides a summary of the analytical results for representative soil samples.

Table 1: Summary of Soil Analytical Data

Test	Depth	Grain-Size Distribution			Grain-Size Distribution		Grain-Size Distribution				T-Time
Pit/ (m) Sample		Clay %	Silt %	Sand %	Gravel %	(cm/sec)	(min/cm)				
TP1 S1	0.3	3	13	84	0	1x10 <sup>-3</sup>	12				
TP2 S2	1.2	36	56	8	0	10 <sup>-7</sup>	>50				

Note: The above coefficients of permeability ("k" values) and T-times (percolation rates) are estimates based on field observation, laboratory grain-size analysis, experience with similar soils and guidelines of the Ontario Building Code.

In summary, the soil profile at the test pits consisted of a fine sand with some silt (Unified Soil Classification Type "SM"), which is interpreted to exhibit a percolation rate in the range of 12 minutes/cm, overlying a clayey silt (Unified Soil Classification Type "CL"), which is interpreted to exhibit a percolation rate in excess of 50min/cm due to clay content.

The grain-size analysis curves are attached. The following provides a summary of the test pit logs:

Depth (m)	<u>Material</u>
0 - 0.20	black TOPSOIL
0.20 - 0.71	red-brown, loose, dry to wet fine SAND with some silt and traces of clay
0.71 - 1.52	grey-brown, dense, wet clayey SILT with traces of sand
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TEST PIT 2	
Depth (m)	Material

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0.23 - 0.45 red-brown, loose, dry to wet fine SAND with some silt and traces of clay

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### **Shallow Groundwater Conditions:**

Emergent groundwater was observed below 0.5m in both test pits. Evidence of seasonally elevated groundwater conditions (i.e. soil discolouration and/or mottling) was observed in each soil profile below 0.4m.

#### Septic System Design:

**TEST PIT 1** 

Under the Ontario Building Code, for a Class 4 sewage disposal system to operate effectively, the leaching bed must be located in soil with a percolation rate (T-time) of between 1 and 50 minutes per centimetre and the base of the absorption trenches must be situated at least 0.9m above the high ground water table, bedrock or a soil with a permeability of greater than 50

minutes per centimetre. To achieve a normal, in-ground installation, the high groundwater table, rock or soil with a permeability of greater than 50 min/cm must be situated at least 1.5 to 1.8 metres below grade.

Due to indications of elevated watertable conditions, the bases of tile trenches should be set no lower than 0.5m above current grade. Due to the limited thickness of the upper fine sand, a native soil design percolation rate of >50min/cm is recommended for design purposes, as applicable.

A standard fill-based sewage disposal system will require a contact area based on a loading rate of 4L/m²/day (i.e. 400m² for a standard 3-bedroom home with a design sewage flow of 1,600L/day, or 500m² for a standard 4-bedroom home with a design sewage flow of 2,000L/day).

It is understood that the County typically requires that a full sewage system reserve area be utilized in lot design. As the lots will each be in excess of 2,000m² in area, sufficient area should be available for a 400m² or 500m² primary sewage disposal area, 400m² or 500m² reserve sewage disposal area, depending on house design. Lot design will need to address setbacks to the house envelope and property lines.

#### SEWAGE SYSTEM IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Under the current MECP "Technical Guideline For Individual On-Site Sewage Systems: Water Quality Impact Risk Assessment" (Procedure D-5-4, also known as the "nitrate guideline"), each proposed development of five lots or greater utilizing individual on-site sewage systems requires an assessment of groundwater impact potential. The purpose of the assessment is to ensure that the discharge from the individual on-site sewage systems will have a minimal effect on groundwater and the present or potential use of adjacent properties. The assessment involves a three-step process, with the need to advance to the next step dependant on the requirements of the previous step. Where the background nitrate content of shallow groundwater exceeds 10 mg/L, additional development cannot normally be supported.

A background nitrate content of 1mg/L is assumed for this analysis, based on the relatively large local residential lots.

Under Step 1 of the guideline, for developments where the lot size for each private residence within the development is one hectare or larger (with no lots being less than 0.8ha in area), the risk that the limits imposed by the guideline may be exceeded is considered acceptable with no additional hydrogeologic assessment. Step 1 of the guideline is not applicable.

Step 2 of the guideline is applicable where groundwater resources can be confidently demonstrated to be hydraulically isolated from potential sewage pathways. While the upper sands are locally relatively thin, records of shallow wells are indicated in the vicinity of the site, and therefore Step 2 of the guideline does not apply.

Under Step 3 of the guideline, a mass-balance calculation is used to determine the minimum size of the proposed lots. Under the current MECP guideline only infiltrating precipitation and the volume of water contained in the sewage may be considered as dilutants for the nitrate contained in septic effluent. To establish the infiltration rate, the percentage of the local water surplus which may infiltrate is calculated using the Rational Method approach. According to the soil evaluation, the upper soil profile consists of sand (infiltration factor 40%), the overall relief is flat to rolling (infiltration factor 25%) and the cover is cleared (infiltration factor 10%), all resulting in an infiltration factor of 75%. According to the 2009 Long Point Region, Kettle Creek and Catfish Creek Integrated Water Budget Final Report, the water surplus for the area is in the range of 435mm per year (Little Otter Creek sub-watershed, precipitation 970mm/year, evapotranspiration 535mm/year). As such, the annual infiltration rate will be 326mm (75% of 435mm), representing 34% of average annual precipitation in the sub-watershed.

The following mass-balance formula is used to calculate the maximum density of the proposed retained and severed lots (total area of parcel = 0.44ha) under the MECP guideline:

$$Q_TC_T = Q_SC_S + Q_PC_P$$

Where:

 $Q_T$  = Sum of  $Q_S$  and  $Q_P$ 

 $C_T$  = Nitrate concentration (10mg/L, maximum permitted under the guideline)

Q<sub>s</sub> = Volume of sewage (2 lots @ 1000 L/day/lot, per MECP guideline)

 $C_s$  = Nitrate content of sewage (40 mg/L)

 $Q_P = Infiltration (326mm/year x 0.44ha x 10,000L/mm/ha = 1.43x10^6L/yr)$ 

C<sub>P</sub> = Nitrate content of shallow groundwater (1mg/L assumed, see above)

Therefore:

 $(Q_s + 1.43x10^6L/yr) \times 10mg/L = (Q_s \times 40mg/L) + (1.43x10^6L/yr \times 1mg/L)$  $Q_s = 4.29x10^5L/year$ 

Number of Lots =  $4.29x10^5$ L/yr ÷ 1,000 L/day/lot ÷ 365 days/yr = 1.1 Lots

Based on the MECP-specified daily volume of sewage for the purposes of the Procedure D-5-4 assessment, and an infiltration rate of 326mm/year, the maximum number of lots on the parcel (0.44ha total) under the MECP guideline is 1 using conventional sewage disposal systems.

The above assessment approach, conducted in accordance with MECP guidelines, does not consider sewage dilution by groundwater flow-through nor does it consider denitrification processes in the subsurface. As such, the assessment will over-estimate the actual degree of groundwater impact of the proposed lots, this considered a safety factor.

For the two lots to be viable under the guideline, either both of the lots will be required to utilize an individual subsurface sewage disposal system equipped with tertiary treatment capable of nitrate reduction (to an N-I level of nitrate reduction (50%) under CAN/BNQ 3680-600) or one of the lots will be required to utilize an individual subsurface sewage disposal system equipped with tertiary treatment capable of nitrate reduction (to an N-II level of nitrate reduction (75%) under CAN/BNQ 3680-600). The use of such systems is not contemplated for this purpose (or

any other purpose) in the MECP guidelines due to the age of the guidelines (*ca.* 1996), however nitrate reducing treatment systems are now commonly used in the Province under CAN/BNQ 3680-600 Certified Treatment Technologies for total nitrogen reduction. The above mass-balance formula is revised to assume the use of nitrate reduction technology (to an N-II level of nitrate reduction (75%) under CAN/BNQ 3680-600) on one of the lots.

$$Q_TC_T = Q_SC_S + Q_PC_P$$

Where:

 $Q_T = Sum of Q_S and Q_P$ 

 $C_T$  = Maximum nitrate concentration (10mg/L)

Q<sub>s</sub> = Volume of sewage (2 lots @ 1000 L/day/lot, per MECP guideline)

C<sub>s</sub> = Nitrate content of sewage (one lot untreated at 40mg/L and one lot treated

to 10mg/L, averaging 25mg/L)  $Q_P = Infiltration (1.43x10^6L/yr)$ 

C<sub>P</sub> = Nitrate content of groundwater (1mg/L)

Therefore:

 $(Q_s + 1.43x10^6L/yr) \times 10mg/L = (Q_s \times 25mg/L) + (1.43x10^6L/yr \times 1mg/L)$  $Q_s = 8.58x10^5L/year$ 

Number of Lots =  $8.58 \times 10^5 \text{L/yr} \div 1,000 \text{ L/day/lot} \div 365 \text{ days/yr} = 2.4 \text{ Lots}$ 

Based on the above, the sewage system on the proposed severed lot will be required to utilize nitrate reduction technology capable of an average nitrate reduction of at least 75% (i.e. 10mg/L nitrate, to an N-II level of nitrate reduction (75%) under CAN/BNQ 3680-600). Municipal support and long-term maintenance agreements for individual sewage treatment units are required.

Based on the above, if treatment to an N-I level of nitrate reduction (50%) under CAN/BNQ 3680-600 is utilized, both lots will be required to incorporate nitrate reduction treatment to an N-I level, which will actually reduce the overall level of impact from using an N-II level of treatment on one of the lots as the average nitrate content of sewage from the two lots will be reduced to 20mg/L.

#### **CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 1. The soil profile consisted of a fine sand with some silt (Unified Soil Classification Type "SM"), which is interpreted to exhibit a percolation rate in the range of 12 minutes/cm, overlying a clayey silt (Unified Soil Classification Type "CL"), which is interpreted to exhibit a percolation rate in excess of 50min/cm due to clay content.
- 2. Due to indications of elevated watertable conditions, the bases of tile trenches should be set no lower than 0.5m above current grade.

- 3. A standard fill-based sewage disposal system will require a contact area based on a loading rate of 4L/m²/day (i.e. 400m² for a standard 3-bedroom home with a design sewage flow of 1,600L/day, or 500m² for a standard 4-bedroom home with a design sewage flow of 2,000L/day).
- 4. Under MECP Procedure D-5-4, for the two lots to be viable, one of the lots will be required to utilize an individual subsurface sewage disposal system equipped with tertiary treatment capable of an N-II level of nitrate reduction (75%) under CAN/BNQ 3680-600. If treatment to an N-I level of nitrate reduction (50%) under CAN/BNQ 3680-600 is utilized, both lots will be required to incorporate nitrate reduction treatment to an N-I level.
- 5. Based on the findings of the preceding analysis, development of the subject lands as two residential lots serviced by private sewage disposal systems is considered viable, subject to the conclusions, limitations and recommendations outlined in this report.

Should there be any questions regarding the above information and discussion, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

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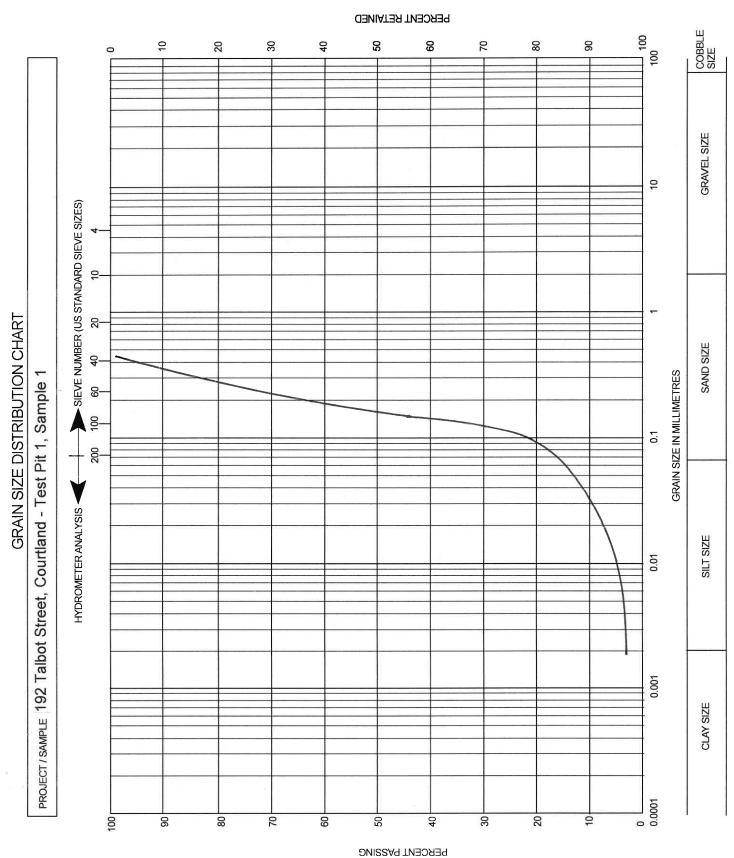
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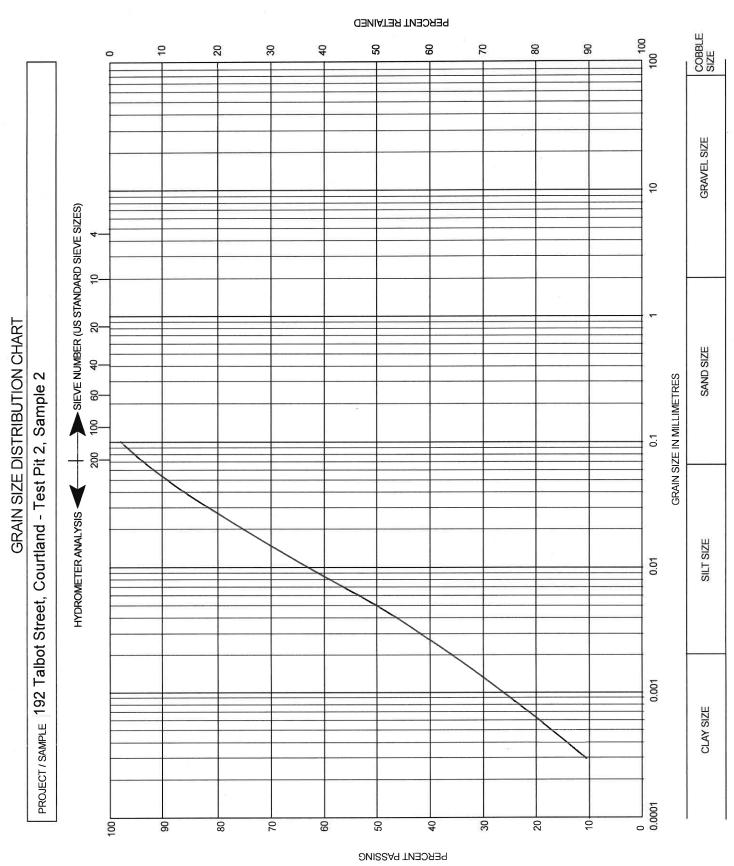
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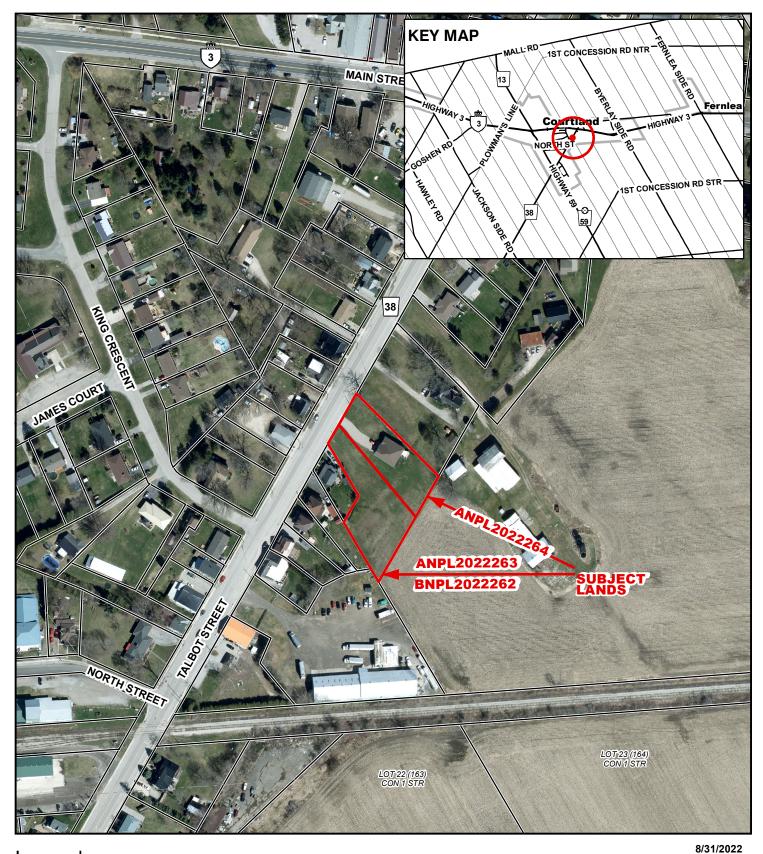


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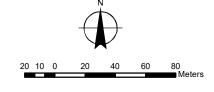
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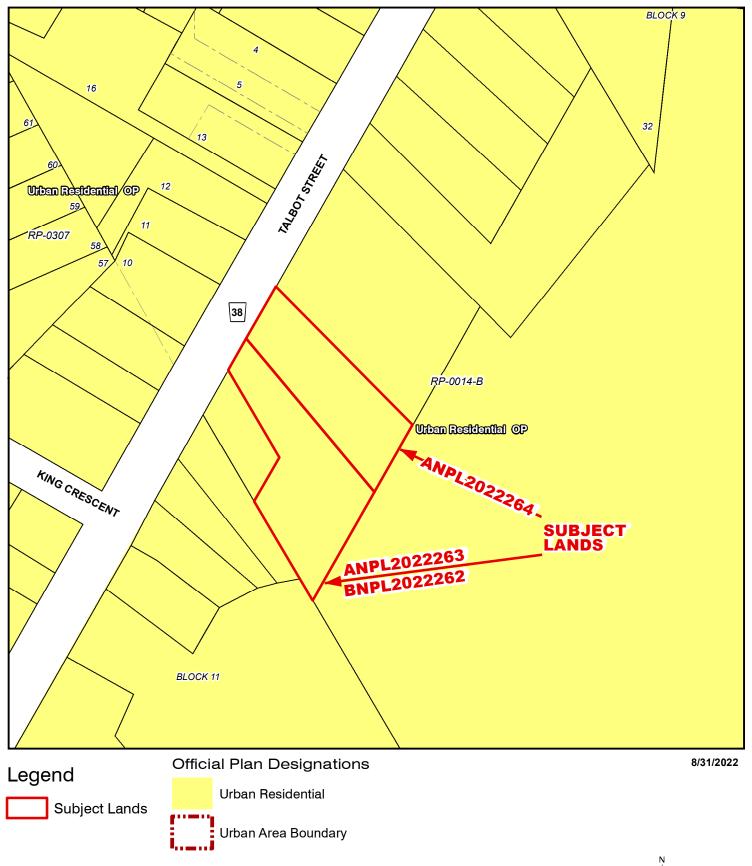
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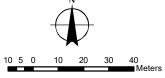
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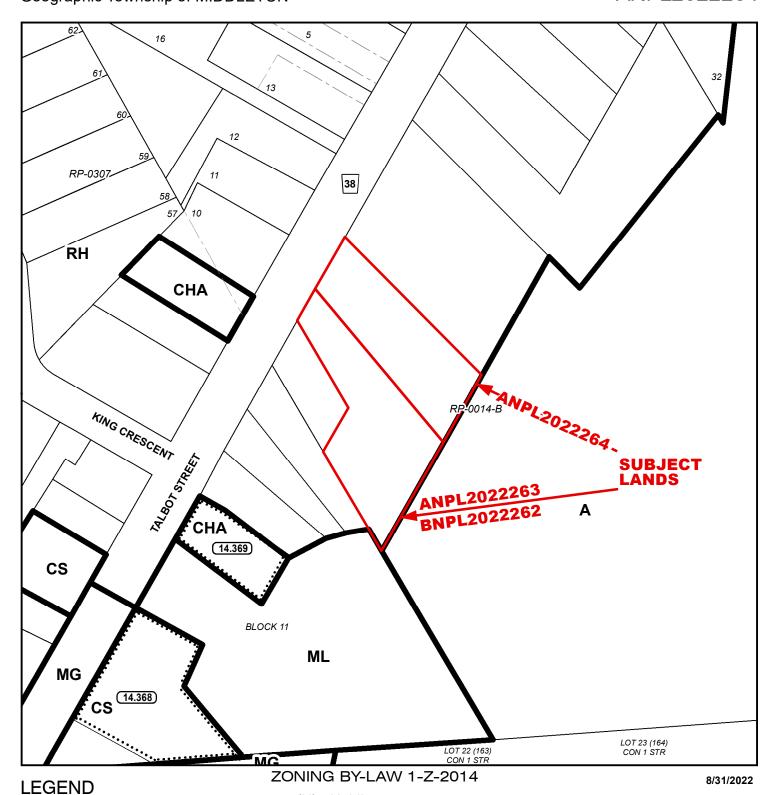


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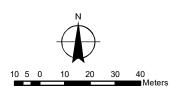
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CS - Service Commercial Zone

MG - General Industrial Zone

RH - Hamlet Residential Zone

ML - Light Industrial Zone

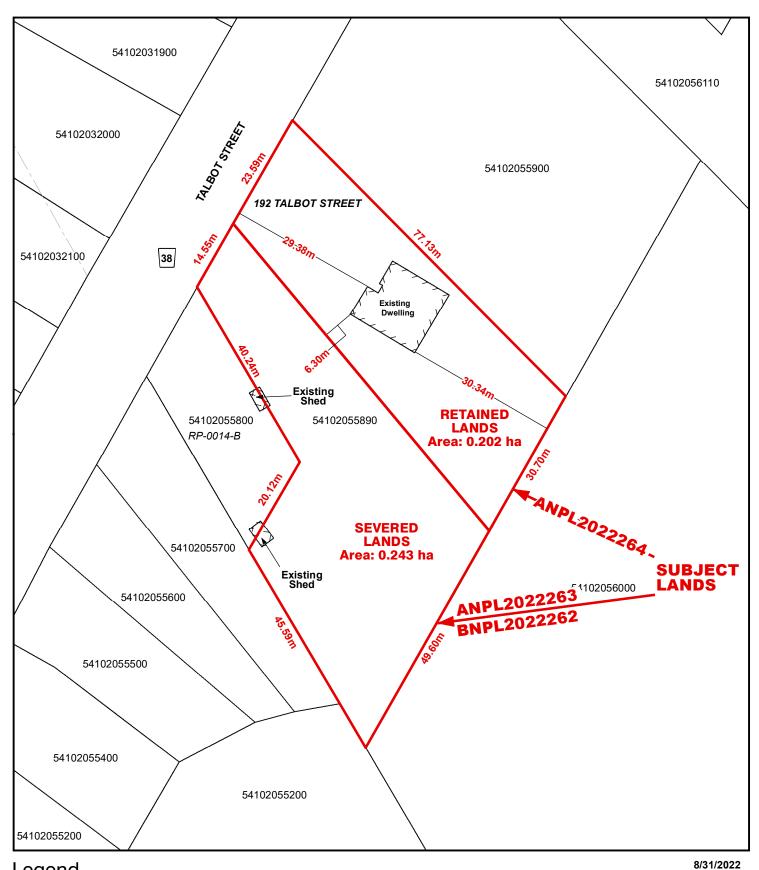


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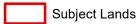
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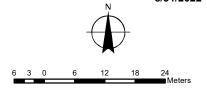
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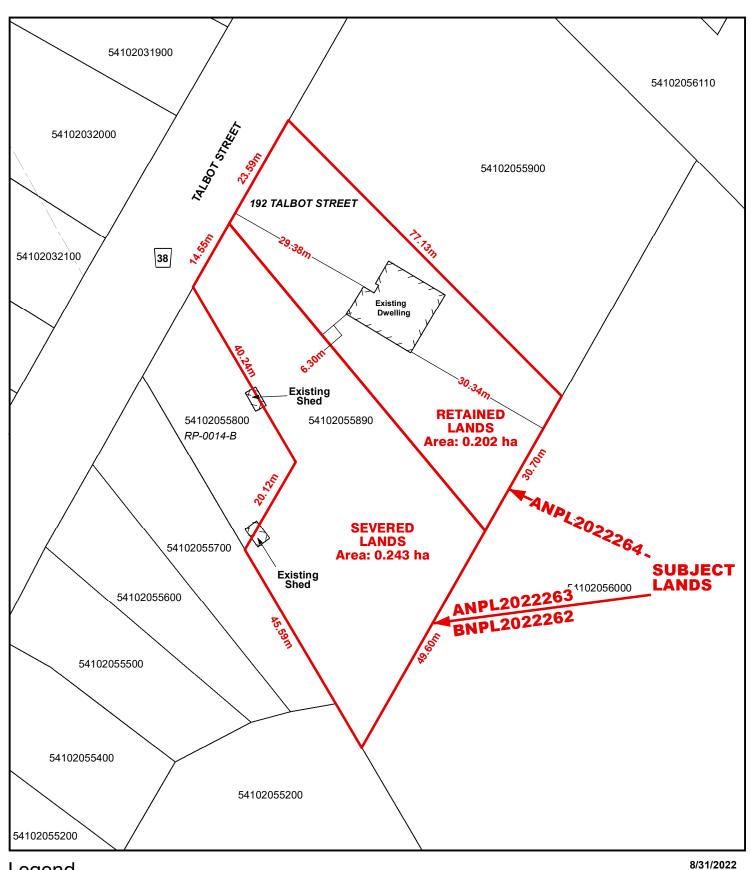


## **LOCATION OF LANDS AFFECTED**

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