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## HIGHWAYS TECHNICAL NOTE

Site: Land at Dodworth Green Road, Dodworth

Reference: 2022/0591

Client: Newett Homes

Date: 13<sup>th</sup> December 2022

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### INTRODUCTION

This Highways Technical Note has been prepared by Andrew Moseley Associates (AMA) in response to comments provided by Barnsley Council (BC) in relation to the above application.

Each of the comments raised is addressed in turn below and the BC consultation response is attached at **Appendix A**.

### HIGHWAY RESPONSE

#### BC Comment 1 – Site Description

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Footway width varying from 1m to 2m are not unusual for settlements such as Dodworth and is not considered reasonable grounds for objection to a proposed residential development on the grounds of failing to comply with policies NPPF 9: Promoting Sustainable Transport and Barnsley Local Plan (January 2019) Policy T3 New Development and Sustainable Travel.

Residential development of the site previously had planning permission in 2016 so the principle of this land use class was established including the acceptability of the surrounding pedestrian infrastructure.

As noted, there is an alternative route to Dodworth Railway Station via Baslow Crescent, Bamford Close and Champany Fields. This route allows pedestrians to access Station Road from which Dodworth Railway Station is served.

It is unclear as to why the bus stops to the south of the site on Dodworth Green Road were positioned in the current location. As part of the proposed highway works we would reposition the bus stops further north where the footway provision is wider. The proposed positions are shown on the plan attached at **Appendix B**.

## BC Comment 2 – Access

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*of development, details shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority of arrangements which secure the following highway improvement works: Alteration of the existing kerbed junction radii at the junction of Baslow Crescent and Green Road'. Drawings showing the reduced radii should therefore be provided to comply with these conditions which should also be imposed upon any approval for the current application.*

### **AMA Response 2 – Access**

A speed survey was undertaken on Dodworth Green Road to the north and south of the proposed site access positioned on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2022. The results showed that the southbound 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speed was 32mph. The northbound 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speed was 30mph. The results are attached at **Appendix C**.

Based on the Manual for Streets 2 (MfS2) formula for calculating the appropriate Stopping Sight Distance (SSD), the required visibility splay to the right of the site access equates to 47m. The required visibility splay to the left of the site access equates to 43m.

The proposed carriageway width of 5.5m is considered appropriate to serve a residential development of this scale.

As part of the proposals, the Baslow Crescent / Dodworth Green Road junction will be amended as shown on Drawing No. AMA/21123/SK003 attached at **Appendix B**.

### **BC Comment 3 – Highways Capacity**

*The applicant has provided a Transport Statement which includes a TRICS assessment of the capacity of the proposed junction for the development using edge of town and suburban sites which will be acceptable and concludes that the development is likely to generate an additional 30 vehicle movements per hour during peak times which would be equal to 1 vehicle movement every 2 minutes, however, vehicles do not travel at regular intervals and are more likely to travel in patrols or clusters. It is particularly noted that whilst the peak time is 0800-0900 as shown in Transport Statement Appendix E: TRICS Data, high trip rates also occur between 15-00 and 18.00 which is likely to be the effect of school runs where vehicles are more likely to arrive and leave in patrols which has not been considered in the analysis.*

*Whilst the Transport Statement concludes that the effects of the development will have a minimal impact on the highway network concerns are raised regarding the crossroad junction of B6449 Dodworth Green Road where it becomes B6449 Barnsley Road with B6009 High Street and B6009 Station Road where existing capacity problems have not been considered in the Transport Statement but are evident due to the queueing that occurs as vehicles wait to cross towards Dodworth railway station to the west and the shops and services located on the High Street to the east. A capacity analysis for this junction should be provided which should include the capacity of the existing junction and the impact of the proposed development.*

*The access proposals in their current form are therefore unacceptable and fail to comply with*

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- 2. NPPF 110 which states that in assessing sites that may be allocated for development in plans, or specific applications for development, it should be ensured that safe and suitable access to the site can be achieved for all users;*
- 3. NPPF 112 which states Within this context, applications for development should:*
  - a) give priority first to pedestrian and cycle movements, both within the scheme and with neighbouring areas; and second – so far as possible – to facilitating access to high quality*

*public transport, with layouts that maximise the catchment area for bus or other public transport services, and appropriate facilities that encourage public transport use;*

*b) address the needs of people with disabilities and reduced mobility in relation to all modes of transport;*

*c) create places that are safe, secure and attractive – which minimise the scope for conflicts between pedestrians, cyclists and vehicles, avoid unnecessary street clutter, and respond to local character and design standards;*

4. *Barnsley Local Plan (January 2019) Policy T3 New Development and Sustainable Travel which states that new development will be expected to be located and designed to reduce the need to travel, be accessible to public transport and meet the needs of pedestrians and cyclists*
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6. *South Yorkshire Design Guide: N5 Street pattern and movement structure The design of all new development must be based on an appraisal of the surrounding network of streets and pattern of movement through the area*

### **AMA Response 3 – Highway Capacity**

The requirement for a Transport Statement (TS) is to assess the AM and PM peak periods. This is typically 8am – 9am and 5pm to 6pm. On this basis, the impact upon the local highway network associated with 51 dwellings would be negligible.

Of the trips travelling to / from the site during the peak periods, a small number would travel south with the majority travelling north. This would result in less than 30 two-way trips travelling through the junction with Barnsley Road, High Street and Station Road, therefore, no capacity analysis is considered necessary.

### **BC Comment 4 – Layout**

*Access to the site is gained over a 5.5m carriageway bounded by 2m footways which is an acceptable form of layout, although a 6m carriageway would be preferred. Drawing Z087.002 C Planning Layout shows the proposal which incorporates some trees however, the proposal fails to comply with NPPF 131 which requires that new streets are tree lined. Revised drawings will be required which should also include maintenance proposals to secure future retention. Trees and planting must not encroach upon pedestrian or vehicular visibility splays which must also be considered. Plots 37-40 are provided with hedges to the boundary between the dwellings and the adoptable highway which are likely to encroach upon visibility splays and will therefore be required to be low growth species that will not provide an obstruction over 0.6m within the visibility splays or removed.*

*The access road heads southwards where it becomes a shared surface street to the south-west of the private drive serving Plots 17-19 retaining a 5.5m carriageway but with 0.5m margins and terminates in a cul de sac by Plot 25 where a turning head is provided. Drawing AMA/21123/ATR004 Large Vehicle Swept Path Analysis shows the swept path analysis for an 11.125m refuse vehicle which demonstrates satisfactory access and will be acceptable. The change from conventional street to shared surface street is clearly differentiated by a change in materials providing a block paved surface that defines the difference in road type by texture and colour contrast which will be acceptable.*

*The application proposes to provide 2 x private drives serving Plots 17-19 and Plots 20-23. The South Yorkshire Residential Design Guide B.1.1.11 Dimensions requires that private drives have a maximum*

*length of 20m without a turning facility suitable for a fire appliance. The drives should therefore be amended to provide a suitable turning head or reduced in length. The proposed parking for Plot 19 will be unacceptable requiring over long reversing manoeuvres to exit the spaces and should be amended to provide a turning area. The private drives will be accessed over dropped kerb footway crossings which will maintain pedestrian priority and will be acceptable, however, the application proposes to surface the private drives in bitumen macadam suggesting a higher road hierarchy and this should therefore be changed to a block paved surfaced, differing in colour to the shared surface cul de sac, to denote the different and lower type and hierarchy of the drives.*

#### **AMA Response 4 – Layout**

A 5.5m carriageway to serve a development of 51 dwellings is considered appropriate. A 6m carriageway width at the site access would be more appropriate to serve a development of above 200 dwellings. Any trees will not impact upon pedestrian or vehicular visibility splays. Any landscaping will not provide an obstruction over 0.6m in height.

Some trees are proposed along the back of the footway across the layout, however, a boulevard type layout with treelined verges separating the carriageway from footway is not considered necessary in this location for this scale of development.

The private drives have been amended so that they are below 20m in length. The private drive serving Plot 19 now has a turning area. The revised site layout plan is attached at **Appendix D**.

#### **BC Comment 5 – Parking**

*A parking analysis has been undertaken which demonstrates that each dwelling has been provided with parking to comply with Barnsley Local Plan Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) Parking which requires that 1-2 bedroom dwellings are provided with 1 parking spaces and 3-4 bedroom dwellings are provided with 2 spaces. It is noted that some plots have garages which do not comply with South Yorkshire Residential Design Guide B1.1.23 which requires that garages have internal dimensions of 3m x 6.5m to be included as a parking space, however, all dwellings with sub-standard garages have a satisfactory level of off-street parking which will be acceptable.*

*The Parking SPD requires that 1 visitor space per 4 dwellings is provided. Drawing Z087.002 C Planning Layout shows 7 visitor spaces which will not be acceptable. 12 visitor spaces will be required and should be shown on revised drawings.*

#### **AMA Response 5 – Parking**

The layout has been amended to include 10 visitor spaces as shown on the revised site layout plan attached at **Appendix D**. The proposed provision of 10 visitor spaces is considered sufficient for the development given that there is a sections of the carriageway that is 5.5m wide which can comfortably accommodate on street parking.

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The provision of 1 x secure, undercover cycle parking space for each dwelling that doesn't have a garage can be dealt with by planning condition.

## CONCLUSION

The additional information / clarification provided in this HTN address the BC comments appropriately. On this basis, there are considered to be no reasonable highway reasons for refusal of this planning application.

## **Appended Documents**

**Appendix A – BC Comments**

**Appendix B – Speed Survey Results**

**Appendix C – AMA/21123/SK004**

**Appendix D – Revised Site Layout Plan**

## Alex McGarrell

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**From:** Griffiths , Ana <AnaGriffiths@barnsley.gov.uk>  
**Sent:** 12 July 2022 11:54  
**To:** Ward , Elaine (SENIOR PLANNING OFFICER)  
**Cc:** HighwaysPInGApps; Griffiths , Ana  
**Subject:** FW: 2022/0591 Dodworth Green Road  
**Attachments:** Screenshot from Page 12 D&A Statement.png; 16\_0268 6751-001A Proposed highway improvements.pdf

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Dear Elaine

**SUBJECT:** Application 2022/0591 Dodworth Green Road  
**DESCRIPTION:** Residential development of 50no dwellings and associated works including means of access, parking, landscaping, drainage infrastructure, reconfiguration of the existing dwelling known as Hillside and demolition of domestic outbuildings  
**LOCATION:** Land off Dodworth Green Road, Dodworth, Barnsley, S75 3RR

I refer to the above planning application ref 2022/0591 which was received on 28 June 2022 and to previous applications 2012/0797 and 2016/0797 for similar developments for this site which were both approved with conditions although would not necessarily comply with current standards including the National Planning Policy Framework (2021), Barnsley Local Plan (2019) and Supplementary Planning Documents.

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### **Recommendation**

I would therefore raise an objection to this application on highway safety and sustainability grounds and recommend refusal.

Yours sincerely

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Site 1 Northbound

Sample	Speed	Veh Cat	Sample	Speed	Veh Cat	Sample	Speed	Veh Cat	Sample	Speed	Veh Cat
1)	24	C	26)	27	C	51)	29	C	76)	23	C
2)	25	LGV	27)	24	LGV	52)	23	C	77)	23	LGV
3)	28	LGV	28)	29	C	53)	28	C	78)	28	LGV
4)	24	C	29)	27	C	54)	27	C	79)	30	C
5)	26	C	30)	27	C	55)	30	C	80)	28	LGV
6)	23	C	31)	25	C	56)	29	C	81)	25	OGV1
7)	24	C	32)	26	LGV	57)	26	C	82)	21	C
8)	28	C	33)	25	C	58)	36	MC	83)	25	C
9)	26	C	34)	24	OGV1	59)	25	C	84)	23	C
10)	27	C	35)	29	C	60)	28	C	85)	24	C
11)	28	LGV	36)	29	LGV	61)	33	LGV	86)	26	C
12)	26	C	37)	31	C	62)	22	C	87)	27	C
13)	26	C	38)	29	C	63)	30	C	88)	21	C
14)	19	C	39)	31	C	64)	31	C	89)	27	C
15)	24	C	40)	31	C	65)	22	C	90)	23	C
16)	28	C	41)	33	C	66)	25	C	91)	24	C
17)	25	C	42)	32	C	67)	25	C	92)	29	C
18)	20	C	43)	28	C	68)	22	C	93)	30	C
19)	23	C	44)	27	C	69)	28	C	94)	31	C
20)	24	C	45)	26	C	70)	20	C	95)	29	LGV
21)	34	C	46)	25	LGV	71)	27	C	96)	27	OGV1
22)	26	LGV	47)	29	C	72)	30	C	97)	27	C
23)	27	C	48)	31	C	73)	29	C	98)	26	LGV
24)	26	C	49)	26	C	74)	26	C	99)	25	C
25)	26	C	50)	30	C	75)	21	LGV	100)	29	C

Speed limit (mph) 30  
 Weather Sunny,Dry  
 Date 25/10/2022  
 Time period 10:00- 12:00

Incidents: None

85th Percentile 30.0  
 Average speed 26.6  
 Vehicles above limit 11  
 Vehicles 15mph above limit 0

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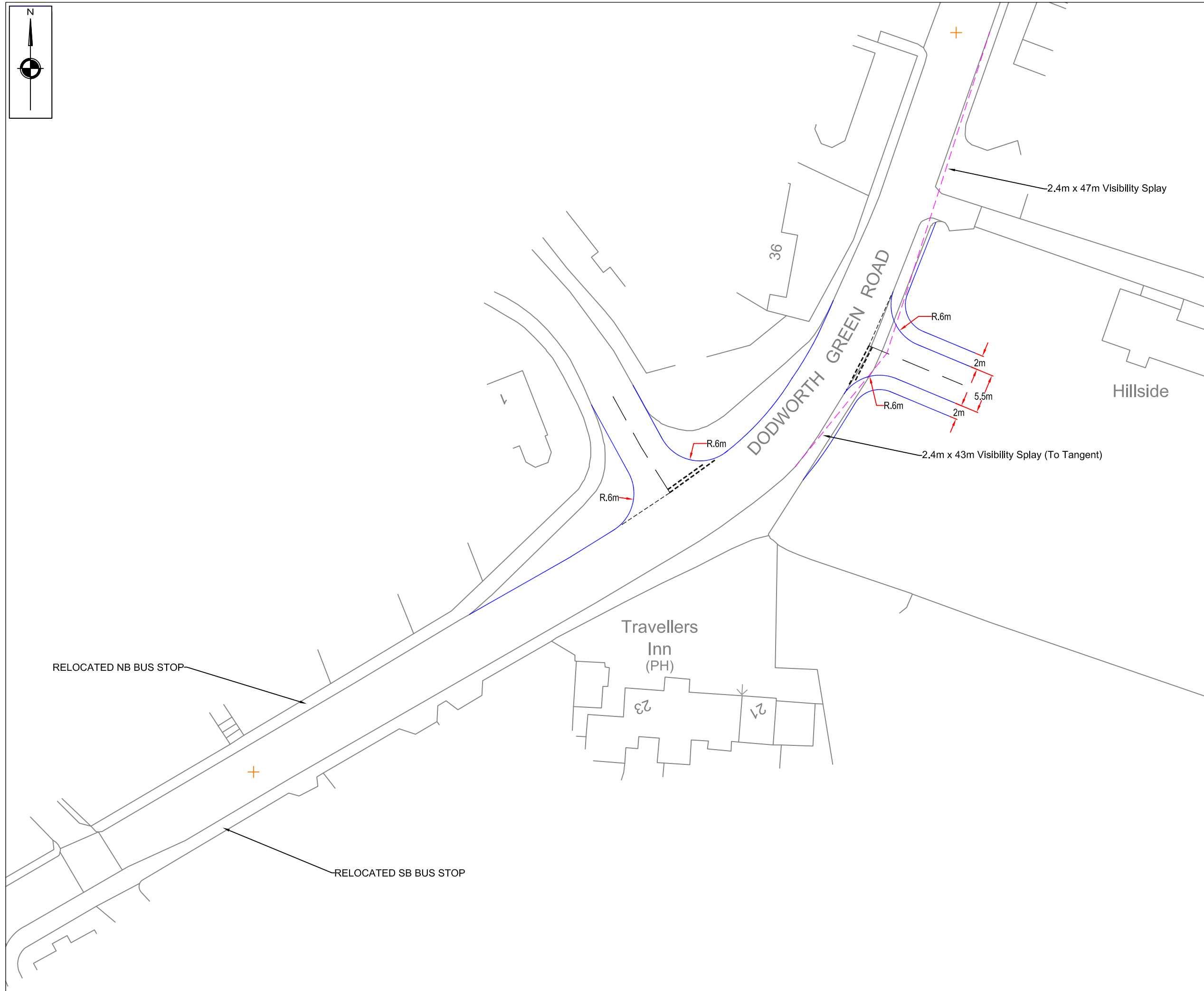
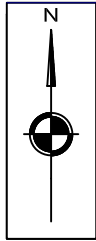
Site 1 Southbound

Sample	Speed	Veh Cat	Sample	Speed	Veh Cat	Sample	Speed	Veh Cat	Sample	Speed	Veh Cat
1)	23	LGV	26)	25	C	51)	29	C	76)	27	C
2)	22	LGV	27)	31	C	52)	32	C	77)	26	C
3)	33	C	28)	31	OGV1	53)	35	C	78)	26	LGV
4)	28	LGV	29)	29	C	54)	33	C	79)	26	C
5)	26	C	30)	30	LGV	55)	31	C	80)	32	LGV
6)	23	LGV	31)	29	C	56)	26	LGV	81)	28	C
7)	28	C	32)	30	C	57)	23	C	82)	27	C
8)	26	C	33)	32	C	58)	27	C	83)	26	C
9)	20	C	34)	34	C	59)	24	C	84)	22	C
10)	25	C	35)	28	C	60)	27	C	85)	29	C
11)	23	C	36)	30	C	61)	32	C	86)	25	C
12)	27	BUS	37)	32	C	62)	28	C	87)	31	C
13)	30	C	38)	27	LGV	63)	28	C	88)	32	C
14)	31	C	39)	30	LGV	64)	32	LGV	89)	22	C
15)	24	C	40)	30	C	65)	28	LGV	90)	33	C
16)	26	LGV	41)	26	LGV	66)	35	C	91)	28	C
17)	23	OGV2	42)	32	C	67)	26	LGV	92)	26	LGV
18)	25	LGV	43)	21	LGV	68)	26	C	93)	27	LGV
19)	26	LGV	44)	33	C	69)	31	C	94)	24	C
20)	29	C	45)	29	LGV	70)	27	C	95)	25	C
21)	27	C	46)	34	C	71)	33	C	96)	32	C
22)	25	C	47)	26	C	72)	35	C	97)	27	LGV
23)	25	C	48)	31	LGV	73)	29	LGV	98)	30	C
24)	21	LGV	49)	27	LGV	74)	27	C	99)	26	C
25)	24	C	50)	29	LGV	75)	29	LGV	100)	26	C

Speed limit (mph) 30  
 Weather Sunny,Dry  
 Date 25/10/2022  
 Time period 10:00- 12:00

Incidents: None

85th Percentile 32.0  
 Average speed 27.9  
 Vehicles above limit 26  
 Vehicles 15mph above limit 0



REVISIONS

REV	DESCRIPTION	DATE	BY
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Project:  
**DODWORTH GREEN ROAD  
 DODWORTH**

Client:  
**NEWETT HOMES**

Drawing:  
**PROPOSED HIGHWAY WORKS**

Drawn By: **GDM** Date: **07/12/22**

Checked: **ATM** Scale: **1:500 @ A3**

Drawing No. **AMA/21123/SK004** Rev. **-**

ACCOMMODATION SCHEDULE

Market Units					
House type	Beeds		Storey Height	Number	2 Bed %
N201	2	Semi	2	8	16%
<b>Total</b>				<b>8</b>	<b>16%</b>
House type					
House type	Beeds		Storey Height	Number	3 Bed %
N302	3	Detached	2	1	
N303A	3	Semi	2	5	
N303B	3	Semi	2	4	
N305	3	Detached	2	3	
SL03 ALT	3	Semi	3	6	
N306	3	Detached	3	2	
N308	3	Detached	2	6	
N313	3	Semi	2.5	9	
<b>Total</b>				<b>36</b>	<b>71%</b>
House type					
House type	Beeds		Storey Height	Number	4 Bed %
N400	4	Detached	2.5	4	
N402	4	Detached Integral	2	1	
N404	4	Detached Integral	2	1	
N405	4	Detached Integral	2	1	
<b>Total</b>				<b>7</b>	<b>14%</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL:</b>				<b>51</b>	<b>SCFT</b>

- Key**
- Site Location
  - Proposed dwelling
  - Category A Tree
  - Category B Tree
  - Category C Tree
  - Root Protection Area
  - Mine Adit
  - Existing Building to be retained
  - Listed Building

