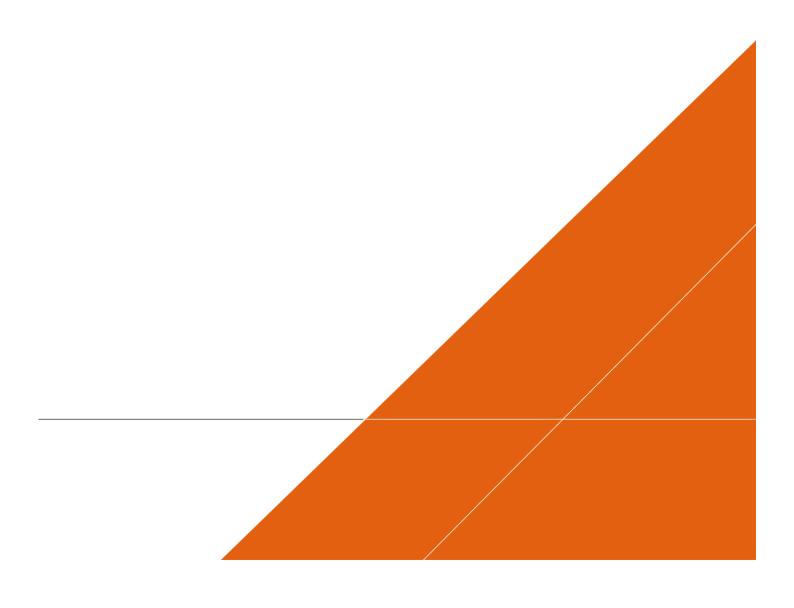


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Site Information- Porthloo

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#### 1. Introduction

This document forms the Site Information for the *works* at Porthloo on St. Mary's island, in the Isles of Scilly. It describes the existing conditions at the site and presents information collected during the concept and detailed design phases of the scheme.

There are three *works* sites on the main island of St. Mary's, namely Porthloo, Porth Mellon and Porth Hellick with each site having separate Site and Work Information documents. See drawing & document register for details.

#### 2. Site location & Access

Porth Loo is located on the western side of St. Marys. The bay measures approximately 300m and is flanked to the north and south by rocky outcrops. At southern end of the beach is a boat yard which is protected from wave run-up by an existing engineered dune which extends halfway along the beach. The northern extent of the beach is backed by an earth embankment which retains the road.

Nearest Postcode: TR21 0NF
Nation Grid Reference: SV9089011357



Figure 1: Porthloo beach & SSSI wetland area behind (Plymouth Coastal Observatory, 2016)

Porthloo beach is reached via Porthloo lane labelled as 'Road' in figure 1. There is no formal vehicle or pedestrian access to the northern end of the beach, but vehicular access is possible via the boat yard slipway although this will be subject to agreement with the boat yard operator/ land owner.

## 3. Site Photos



Figure 2: Looking south along Porthloo beach from the northern end. Note boatyard behind beach in the distance.



Figure 3: Looking toward the northern end of the beach. Note existing granite rock forming an ad-hoc revetment and Porthloo lane behind the beach.



Figure 4: Looking south at the midpoint of the beach showing the interface between the existing dune defence in the background and the ad-hoc revetment in the foreground.



Figure 5: View of the existing dune defence and its timber sleeper construction. Note the low spot of the existing bank in the foreground that was formerly used as a temporary beach access point during the St. Mary's quay extension works in 2014/15.



Figure 6: Boatyard slipway protected by stop-logs at the southern end of the beach. Logs branded with D of C (Duchy of Cornwall) who are believed to be responsible for slipway and existing dune defence.



Figure 7: Looking north along the existing informal revetment where it interfaces with the existing dune defence.

## 4. Topographic Survey

See Appendix A for topographic survey.

## 5. Services and Utility Search

See Appendix B for utility service plans

A Linesearch – 'before u dig' (LSBUD) search was conducted and of its members, only Western Power Distribution was found to have services but these located outside of the proposed works area.

Of its non-members, the following replies were received:

E-mail requests	Sent	Received	Utilities Found	Comments/Notes
ВТ	09/03/18	09/03/18	Yes	Outside of works area
CityFibre	09/03/18	-	-	Nil reply
Colt	09/03/18	20/03/18	No	
Isles of Scilly Council	09/03/18	14/03/18	Yes	
Energetics Electricity	09/03/18	14/03/18	No	
ENGIE	09/03/18	14/03/18	No	
GTC	09/03/18	-	-	Nil reply
GTT	09/03/18	-	-	Nil reply
Interoute	09/03/18	09/03/18	No	
KPN	09/03/18	12/03/18	No	
Level 3 Communications UK Ltd	09/03/18	-	-	Nil reply
Mobile Broadband Network Limited	09/03/18	-	-	Nil reply
Tata	09/03/18	-	-	Nil reply
Utility assets	09/03/18	-	-	Nil reply
Verizon Business	09/03/18	09/03/18	No	
Virgin Media	09/03/18	-	-	Nil reply
Vodafone	09/03/18	16/03/18	-	Nil reply

Vttesse Networks	09/03/18	-	-	Nil reply
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The Council of the Isles of Scilly is responsible for the maintenance of roads, land drainage, mains water and sewer services and details can be found in Appendix E.

See Appendix E for LSBUD results and utility service plans.

## 6. Ground Investigation

Trial pits were undertaken by the Council to determine the material type at the expected revetment toe foundation depth.

See Appendix C for trial pit plans & results at Porthloo.

### 7. Design Statements

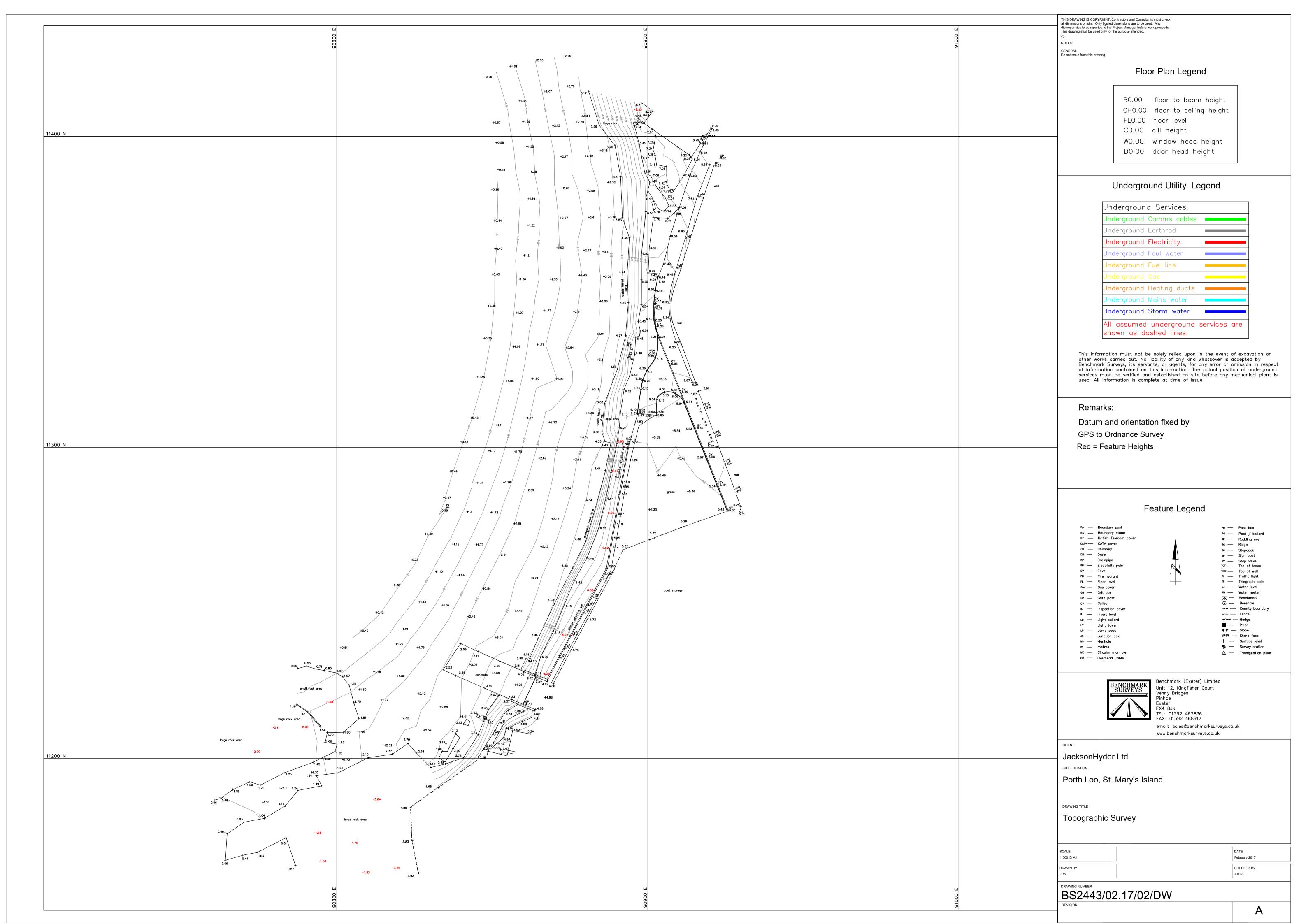
For background information on the designs and for remaining hazards see Appendix D for design statements.

### 8. Designer's Hazard Record

For residual designer identified hazards that remain at the site see Appendix E.

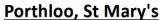
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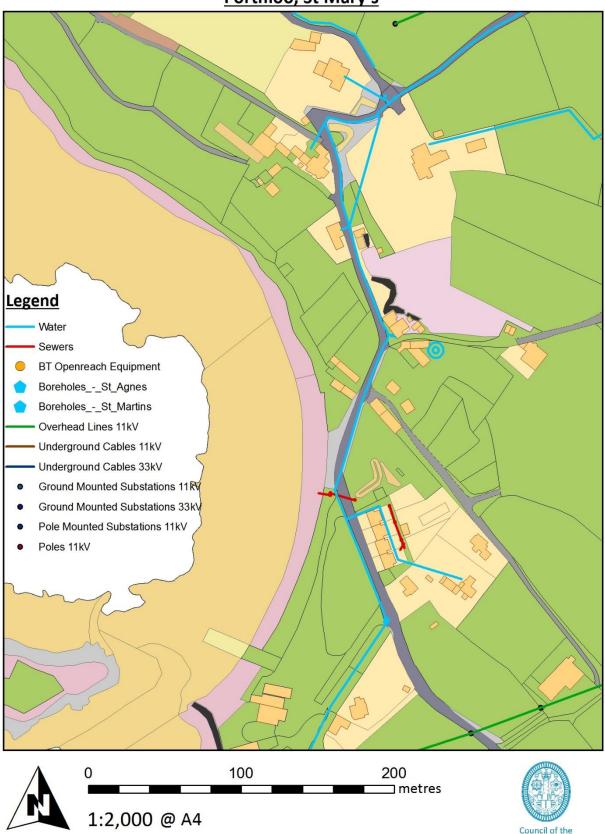
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## **APPENDIX B**

**Service Plans** 

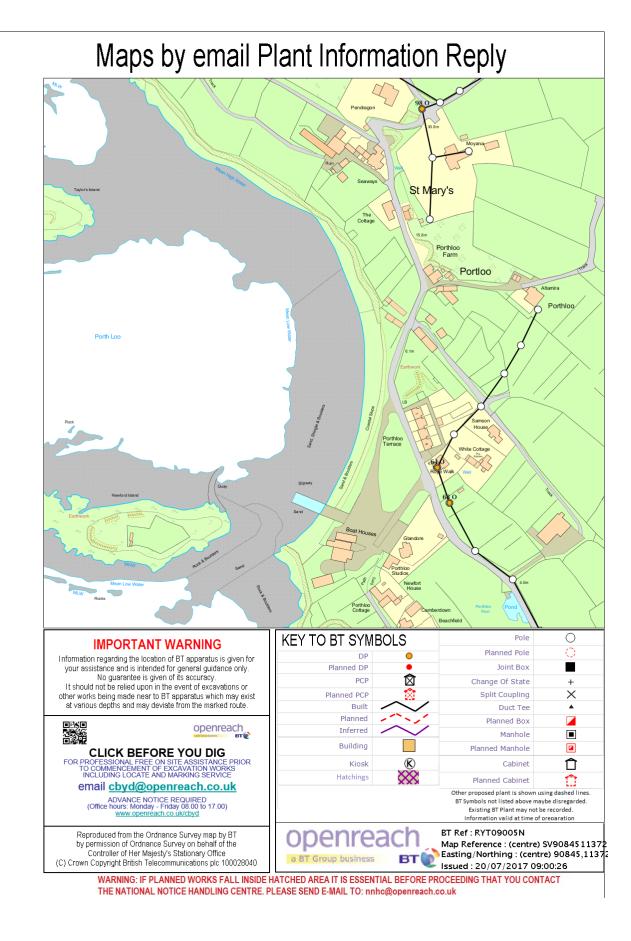




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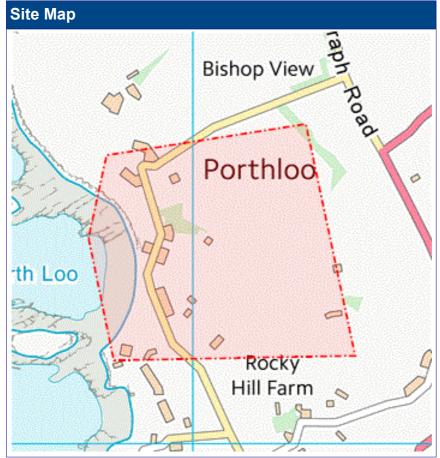


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Enquirer			
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Company	Arcadis	Mobile	Not Supplied
		Fax	Not Supplied
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Email	ryan.haselden@arcadis.com		
Notes	Please ensure your contact details are correct and up to date on the system in case the LSBUD Members need to contact you.		

<b>Enquiry Details</b>			
Scheme/Reference	isles of Scilly		
Enquiry type	Planned Works	Work category	Utility Works
Start date	09/03/2018	Work type	Multiple excavations site
End date	09/09/2018	Site size	219865 metres square
Searched location	XY= 90890, 11357 EPSG 27700 Easting/N	Work type buffer*	25 metres
Confirmed location	91038 11501		

<sup>\*</sup> The WORK TYPE BUFFER is a distance added to your search area based on the Work type you have chosen.



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List of affected LSBUD members			
Asset Owner Phone/Email Emergency Only Status			
Western Power Distribution	08000963080	08006783105	Await response

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AWE Pipeline	Gateshead Energy Company	Prysmian Cables & Systems Ltd (c/o Western Link)
BOC Limited (A Member of the Linde Group)	Gigaclear PLC	Redundant Pipelines - LPDA
BP Exploration Operating Company Limited	Gtt	RWEnpower (Little Barford and South Haven)
ВРА	Humbly Grove Energy	SABIC UK Petrochemicals
Carrington Gas Pipeline	IGas Energy	Scottish Power Generation
CATS Pipeline c/o Wood Group PSN	INEOS FPS Pipelines	Seabank Power Ltd
Cemex	INEOS Manufacturing (Scotland and TSEP)	SGN
Centrica Storage Ltd	INOVYN Enterprises Limited	Shell (St Fergus to Mossmorran)
CLH Pipeline System Ltd	Intergen (Coryton Energy or Spalding Energy)	Shell Pipelines
Concept Solutions People Ltd	Mainline Pipelines Limited	SSE (Peterhead Power Station)
ConocoPhillips (UK) Ltd	Manchester Jetline Limited	Tata Communications (c/o JSM Construction Ltd)
DIO (MOD Abandoned Pipelines)	Manx Cable Company	Total (Colnbrook & Colwick Pipelines)
E.ON UK CHP Limited	Marchwood Power Ltd (Gas Pipeline)	Total Finaline Pipelines
EirGrid	Melbourn Solar Limited	Transmission Capital
	National Grid Gas (Above 7 bar), National Grid	
Electricity North West Limited	Gas Distribution Limited (Above 2 bar) and	UK Power Networks
	National Grid Electricity Transmission	
ENI & Himor c/o Penspen Ltd	Northumbrian Water Group	Uniper UK Ltd
EnQuest NNS Limited	NPower CHP Pipelines	Vattenfall
EP Langage Limited	Oikos Storage Limited	Veolia ES SELCHP Limited
ESP Utilities Group	Ørsted	Westminster City Council
ESSAR	Perenco UK Limited (Purbeck Southampton Pipeline)	Wingas Storage UK Ltd
Esso Petroleum Company Limited	Petroineos	Zayo Group UK Ltd c/o JSM Group Ltd
Fulcrum Pipelines Limited	Phillips 66	
Gamma	Premier Transmission Ltd (SNIP)	



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CenturyLink Communications UK Limited	plantenquiries@instalcom.co.uk	02087314613	Not Notified	
CityFibre	asset.team@cityfibre.com	033 3150 7282	Not Notified	
Colt	plantenquiries@catelecomuk.com	01227768427	Not Notified	
Energetics Electricity	plantenquiries@energetics-uk.com	01698404646	Not Notified	
ENGIE	nrswa@cofely-gdfsuez.com	01293 549944	Not Notified	
GTC	https://pe.gtc-uk.co.uk/PlantEnqMembership	01359240363	Not Notified	
Interoute	interoute.enquiries@plancast.co.uk	02070259000	Not Notified	
Isles of Scilly Council	planning@scilly.gov.uk	01720424350	Not Notified	
KPN (c/-Instalcom)	kpn.plantenquiries@instalcom.co.uk	n/a	Not Notified	
Mobile Broadband Network Limited	mbnl.plant.enquiries@turntown.com	01212 621 100	Not Notified	
Sota	SOTA.plantenquiries@instalcom.co.uk		Not Notified	
Utility assets Ltd	assetrecords@utilityassets.co.uk		Not Notified	
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#### **LIST OF STREETS**

#### (Highways Maintainable At The Public Expense)

#### **Council of the Isles of Scilly**

All highways maintainable at the public expense (the streets listed) in the Isles of Scilly are located on the island of St Mary's. Please refer to the Attached Maps for the linear extents of the streets listed.

This List was last updated on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2016.

#### List, Part I - Roads

The streets listed in Part I (i. and ii.) are public roads.

i. Roads, classified 'A' (with or without dedicated footway(s) forming part of the road)

Reference	Names of street	<u>Route</u>
A3110	Telegraph Road, Town Lane, High Lanes, Carn	Circular – names listed clockwise
	Friars Lane, Tremelethen Hill, Parting Carn	from junction with the A3111
	Lane	Pump Road to the same junction
A3111	Pump Road, Telegraph Road (Porthmellon),	A3110 Telegraph Road/Parting
	Carn Thomas, Higher Strand, Lower Strand,	Carn Lane junction to the end of
	The Parade (North), Hugh Street, The Bank	the public road at The Quay
A3112	Old Town Lane, Old Town Road, Church Road,	A3110 Parting Carn Lane to the
	Church Street, The Parade (South)	A3111 The Parade (North)

ii. Roads, unclassified (with or without dedicated footway(s) forming part of the road)

Reference	Name or description of street	Running between
U01	Garrison Hill	U03 Jerusalem Terrace and end of road at the
		frontage of land owned by the Duchy of Cornwall
		(before the Garrison Gate)
U02	Garrison Lane	A3111 Hugh Street and U01 Garrison Hill
U03	Jerusalem Terrace	A3111 The Bank and U02 Garrison Lane
U04	Sally Port	U01 Garrison Hill south and end of road at
		frontage of 4 Sally Port and end of road at
		frontage of 29 Sally Port
U05	Little Porth Road	U04 Sally Port and U14 Silver Street
U06	Parsons Field (Service Road)	U05 Little Porth Road and end of road where it
		meets F02 Parsons Field To Garrison Lane (Upper)
		and F05 Parsons Field (Estate Paths)
U07	Little Porth Slipway	U05 Little Porth Road and end of road at
		Porthcressa Beach & Little Porth Beach
U08	The Bank (Car Park)	A3111 The Bank and A3111 The Bank
U09	Atlantic Hotel Slipway	A3111 The Bank and end of road at <i>Town Beach</i>
U10	Well Lane	A3111 Hugh Street and U02 Garrison Lane
U11	Back Lane (Off Garrison Lane)	U02 Garrison Lane and U10 Well Lane

U12	Thorofare	A2111 The Darade (North) and (in two places)
012	Inororare	A3111 The Parade (North) and (in two places)
		A3111 Hugh Street and ends of road (in two
1112	The Dorode (Fost)	places) at <i>Town Beach</i> A3111 The Parade (North) and A3112 The Parade
U13	The Parade (East)	• • •
U14	Silver Street	(South)
		A3111 Hugh Street and U16 Porthcressa Road
U15	Ingram's Opening	A3112 The Parade (South) and U16 Porthcressa Road
111.0	Double areas Pood	U14 Silver Street and U20 Buzza Street
U16	Portheressa Road	
U17	Porthcressa Road (Lane To	U16 Porthcressa Road and end of road where it meets F10 Porthcressa Promenade And
	South)	
U18	Doublesses	Connecting Ways U16 Porthcressa Road and U20 Buzza Street
	Porthcressa	
U19	Buzza Road	U20 Buzza Street and end of road where it meets
1120	Duran Chunch	F12 Porthcressa Terrace To Buzza Road
U20	Buzza Street	A3112 Church Street and U19 Buzza Road
U21	Ram's Valley	U20 Buzza Street and end of road at a private gate
1122	D. H	(road inclusive of frontage of <i>Arden House</i> )
U22	Porthcressa Terrace	U20 Buzza Street and U21 Ram's Valley
U23	Rechabite Slipway	A3111 Lower Strand and end of road at <i>Town</i>
112.4	Mall Coase	Beach
U24	Well Cross	A3111 Lower Strand and A3112 Church Street
U25	Back Lane (Off Well Cross)	U24 Well Cross and U26 Church Road (North)
U26	Church Road (North)	A3111 Carn Thomas and A3112 Church Street
U27	Branksea Close	A3112 Church Road and end of road where it
1130	Hespital Land	meets F15 Branksea Close (Estate Paths)
U28	Hospital Lane	A3112 Church Road and end of road where it
1130	Moor Well Lane	meets F13 Mill Hill
U29	woor well cane	A3111 Telegraph Road (Porthmellon) and end of road at entrance to the <i>Porthmellon waste</i>
U30	Porthmellon Industrial Estate	management site A3111 Telegraph Road (Porthmellon) and all ends
030	Roads	of road within the industrial estate
U31	Porthloo Lane	A3111 Pump Road and U33 Telegraph Road
031	Portinoo Lane	(North)
U32	Mount Flagon And Thomas'	U31 Porthloo Lane and end of road at the frontage
032	Porth	of Camberdown (inclusive)
U33	Telegraph Road (North)	A3110 Telegraph Road and U34 Pungie's Lane
U34	Pungie's Lane	U33 Telegraph Road (North) and A3110 High Lanes
<del>554</del>	. angle 3 Lane	(a forked junction)
U35	McFarland's Down	U34 Pungie's Lane and end of road immediately
333		before the junction with track leading to Long
		Rock
U36	Holy Vale	A3110 High Lanes and U37 Holy Vale Lane and
	1.0., 1.0.0	looping onto itself
U37	Holy Vale Lane	A3110 Telegraph Road and U36 Holy Vale
U38	Ennor Close (Estate Roads)	A3112 Old Town Lane and A3112 Old Town Lane
230		and the two ends of road which meet F19 Ennor
		Close (Estate Paths)
	l	Siose (Estate Faths)

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#### List, Part II – Footways

The streets listed in Part II are <u>public footways</u> or <u>public footpaths</u> (not forming part of a road)

Reference	Name or description of street	Running between		
F01	The Bank To Jerusalem Terrace	A3111 The Bank and U03 Jerusalem Terrace		
F02	Parsons Field To Garrison Lane	U06 Parson's Field (Service Road) and junction of		
	(Upper)	U02 Garrison Lane & U04 Sally Port		
F03	Parsons Field To Garrison Lane	U06 Parsons Field (Service Road) and U02 Garrison		
	(West)	Lane		
F04	Parsons Field To Garrison Lane	U06 Parsons Field (Service Road) and U02 Garrison		
	(East)	Lane		
F05	Parsons Field (Estate Paths)	U04 Sally Port and U05 Little Porth Road and U06		
FOC	Cally Boot Chang And Books	Parsons Field (Service Road)		
F06	Sally Port Steps And Passage	U04 Sally Port (in two places) and end of footway		
		at line of boundary of housing estate with land		
F07	Little Porth	owned by the Duchy of Cornwall U05 Little Porth Road and end of footway at		
107	Little Fortii	frontage of 29 Sally Port and U07 Little Porth		
		Slipway		
F08	Customs House To Town Beach	A3111 Lower Strand and end of footway at <i>Town</i>		
		Beach		
F09	The Parade To Porthcressa	A3112 The Parade (South) and U16 Porthcressa		
	Road	Road		
F10	Porthcressa Promenade And	U07 Little Porth Slipway and U14 Silver Street and		
	Connecting Ways	U16 Porthcressa Road and U17 Porthcressa Road		
		(Lane To South) and U18 Porthcressa and F11		
		Buzza Road Slipway		
F11	Buzza Road Slipway	U19 Buzza Road and end of footway at		
		Porthcressa Beach		
F12	Porthcressa Terrace To Buzza	U22 Porthcressa Terrace and U19 Buzza Road		
F4.2	Road	1140 Proses Panel and 1120 Hannited Land		
F13 F14	Mill Hill	U19 Buzza Road and U28 Hospital Lane		
F14	Hospital Lane To Dracaena	U28 Hospital Lane and end of footway at gate at the frontage of <i>Dracaena</i>		
F15	Branksea Close (Estate Paths)	U27 Branksea Close and looping onto itself (within		
113	Branksea close (Estate ratiis)	the housing estate)		
F16	Rear Of Museum	A3112 Church Street and A3112 Church Street		
F17	Strand Promenade And Way To	A3111 Higher Strand and A3111 Carn Thomas and		
	Lifeboat Station	ends of footway at the RNLI Lifeboat Station and		
		Town Beach		
F18	Carn Thomas To Church Road	A3111 Carn Thomas and U26 Church Road (North)		
	(North)			
F19	Ennor Close (Estate Paths)	U38 Ennor Close (Estate Roads) and U38 Ennor		
		Close (Estate Roads) and ends of footway within		
		the housing estate		
F20	Mermaid Inn Slipway	A3111 The Bank and end of footway at <i>Town</i>		
		Beach		

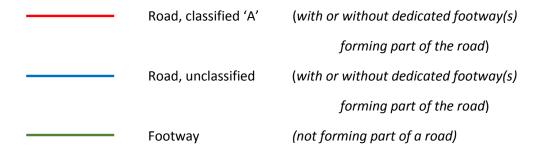
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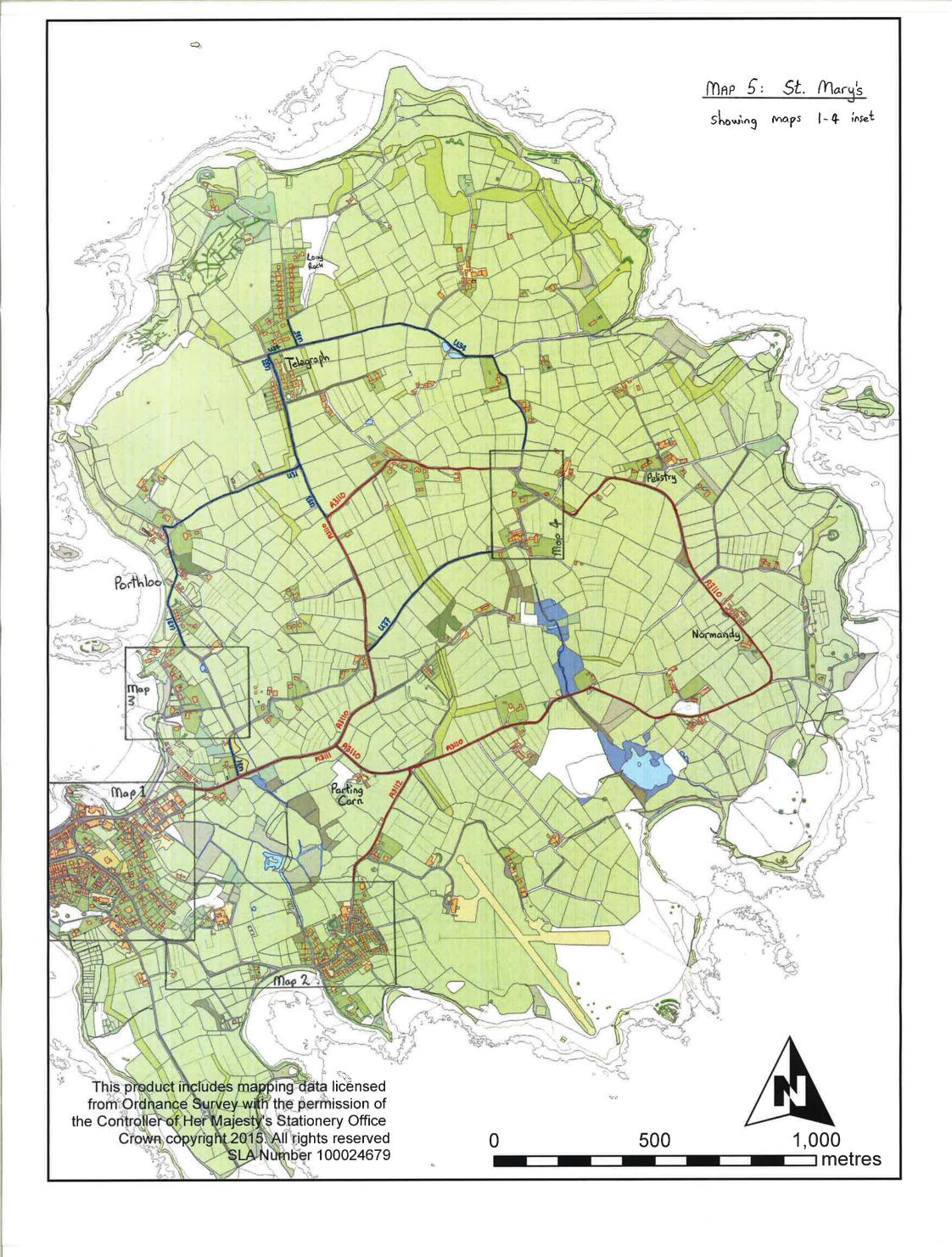
- 1. Hugh Town
- 2. Old Town
- 3. Mount Flagon and Thomas' Porth
- 4. Maypole and Holy Vale
- 5. St Mary's (showing maps 1 to 4 inset)

#### Key to the Attached Maps

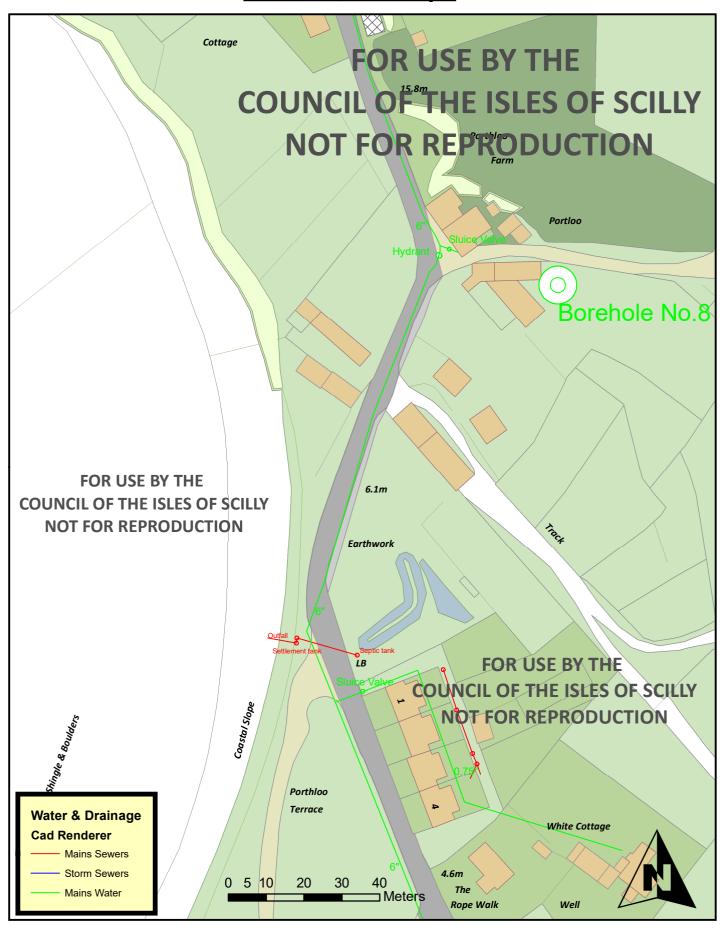
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The Reference for each street listed is written at least once by the particular street.



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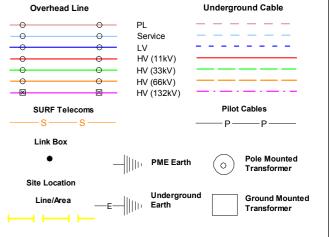
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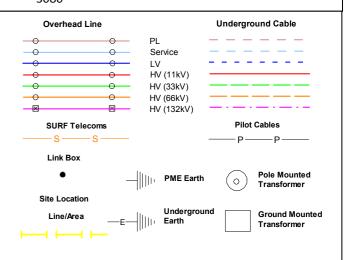
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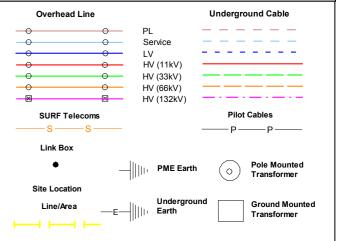
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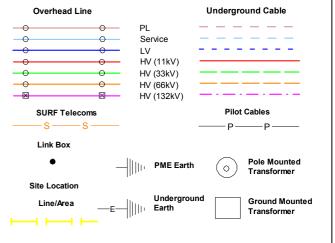
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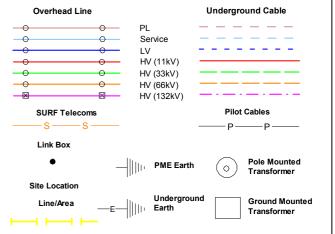
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## **APPENDIX C**

**Ground Investigation** 



#### TRIAL PIT - SUMMARY RESULTS Porthloo

#### PORTHLOO

Trial Pit Number	Depth from beach level to bottom of excavation	Ordnance Datum Newlyn Level of beach prior to trial pit being undertaken (See Site Plan for level info.)	
1	2m	c.3.2m (note sand levels appear lower than when topo survey undertaken)	
2	2m	c.3.7m (sand level locally raised at this site)	
3	2m	c.3.2m (sand levels appear lower than when topo survey was undertaken)	

#### Pit 1 Results

- 1.2 2m (Ground Level) Loose sand with loose boulders and large cobbles (local beach material)
- 0.4-1.2 Brown Ram (relatively unconsolidated) Medium dense gravel and sandy gravel with firm/stiff clay cement
- 0 (base of piot)-0.4m Light Grey Claystone, stiff to firm





Figs 1 and 2 – Pit 1



Fig 3 and 4 - Pit 1 mix of lumps of clay and ram from spoil heap



Fig 5 – Pit 1 Position beyond rocks at base of Bank

#### PIT 2

 $0.9-2.0 \mathrm{m}$  (ground level) Loose sand with individual boulders and large cobbles (local beach material)

0.3-0.9 Ram – sand, gravel and clay composite deposit (firm/stiff to dense/compact)

0.0 (base of pit) – 0.3 Stiff clay



Fig 6-7 – Pit 2



Fig 8 – Pit 8 position at base of rocks



Fig 9 – Lumps of ram from spoil heep

PIT 3

1.0-2.0 (ground level) Loose sand with loose boulders and large cobbles

0(base of pit) – 1.0m Stiff Clay



Fig 10 and 11 – Pit 3



Fig 12 – Pit 3 location



Fig 13 – Pit 3 – Clay in swing shovel

## **APPENDIX D**

**Design Statement** 

#### SHORT FORM DESIGN STATEMENT

ARCADIS   Design & Constitution of the constit	Design & Consultancy	Project Name	Number and Activity code	
	Isles of Scilly – Porthloo	UA008878-ARC-XX- XX-RP-CE-0260-P3		

#### **Brief Description:**

Porthloo is located on the western side of St. Marys. The bay measures approximately 300m and is flanked lo the north and south by rocky outcrops. At southern end of the beach is a boat yard which is protected from wave run-up by an engineered dune which extends half way along the beach. The northern extent of the beach is backed by an earth embankment which retains the road. The embankment is protected by an assortment of various size rocks and is currently susceptible to erosion and overtopping from wave events.



Figure 1: Porth Loo beach & wetland area which feeds into Lower Moors SSSI (Channel Coastal Observatory, 2016)

The aims of the scheme are to reduce the vulnerability of the embanked road from undermining, decrease the risk of coastal flooding to properties and the boat yard located behind the beach and to reduce saline intrusion into the Lower Moors SSSI. This will be achieved by formalising the de-facto rock defence along the northern half of the beach and tying into the existing engineered defence. Therefore the scheme will:

- Increase protection for critical infrastructure (Porthloo Road)
- Increase protection for properties and the boat yard situated behind the beach
- Increase protection for the Lower Moors SSSI

The project will not address any issues associated with the existing engineered defence protecting the boat yard.

#### **Assumptions:**

- The proposed works are located above the MHWS mark although the construction area could still be effected by storm events.
- Existing water levels:

	Chart Datum (CD) Ordnance Datum Local (ODL)	
HAT	6.3	3.39
MHWS	5.7	2.79
MHWN	4.3	1.39
MLWN	2.0	- 0.91
MLWS	0.7	- 2.21

- Numerical modelling using MIKE21 software was undertaken to identify the design parameters for the site. The design was undertaken using a 1:200yr joint probability wave and water level event with allowance for climate change, assuming a 50yr design life.
- It is assumed that the existing ground is suitable and accessible for the construction of the new revetment rock armour.
- It is assumed that ground conditions on the foreshore are suitable for placing rock armour without resulting in any significant settlement
- It is assumed that the revetment will tie into the cliffs north of the site and into the existing engineered dune to the south of the proposed works.

#### **Design Basis:**

Design water and wave conditions:

SWL (mAOD)	Hs (m)	Tm (s)	Comments
4.18	1.31	10.72	1:200yr joint probability

**Designer's Risk Assessment:** incl. Hazards that cannot be designed out. See Designer's Hazard Record for further information

- A- Working adjacent to water
- B- Soft & unstable ground
- C- Public beach
- D- Services
- E- Unstable rock armour
- F- Porth Loo SSSI

References: incl. references to NWR standard guides, British Standards and relevant Codes of Practice.

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## **APPENDIX E**

**Designer's Hazard Statement** 

## Health & Safety - Designer's Hazard Record

**ARCADIS** 

Project Title
Isles of Scilly Flood Defence and Dune Management
Project – Porth Loo

Project Code UA008878-ARC-XX-XX-HS-CE-0261-P2

#### **Assessment Coverage:**

The installation of a 110m rock armour revetment along the northern half of Porth Loo beach

#### 1. Scope of Commission and Assessment of Coverage:

The embankment along the northern half of Porth Loo beach is susceptible to erosion and overtopping during storm events. The loss of the embankment would lead to undermining of the road; would increase coastal flooding risk to properties and the boat yard as well increase the vulnerability of Lower Moors SSSI to saline intrusion.

Modelling of the water levels and wave environment has been undertaken for the Isles of Scilly to identify the 1 in 200-yr return events for Porth Loo beach. The modelling results have been utilised in the design of the rock armour revetment and the production of design drawings accordingly.

#### 2. Brief Description of the Works:

- 1. Carry out a walkover of the site and conduct a visual inspection of the existing conditions along the beach.
- 2. Design of a rock revetment, to provide protection for a 1:200-yr joint probability event.
- 3. Installation of new rock armour in accordance with the design to provide protection for the existing embankment

#### 3. Key Risk Reduction measures taken during design process:

1. Hazard markers added to drawings to identify know utility services or other known hazards.

#### 4. Significant Project Specific Hazards Remaining:

- A. Working adjacent to water. Risk that access or egress could be cut off. Working in an exposed location which could expose works area to wave/storm events.
- B. Soft & unstable ground. Risk excavations within tidal zone could flood and become unstable. Beach material likely to contain soft spots that could cause issues for machinery, especially during high tides.
- C. Public Beach. Risk of public entering the works area
- D. Services. There is an existing outfall located on the beach which is believed to be discontinued but unconfirmed.
- E. Unstable armour stone. Risk rocks may be unstable when initial placed. Rocks should be placed by a machine and their stability ensured before operative's approach
- F! Porth Loo SSSI. Cliff and foreshore designated a Site of Special Scientific Interest. Works shall not impact upon designation.

#### **5. Specific Construction Requirements**

1. Site access and works will be tide dependant and should be via the slipway in the boat yard (subject to approval).

2. Neither machinery or foot traffic is to pass over the existing embankment to avoid further degradation.					
3. At no time are the works to affect the ability for stop logs to be deployed across the slipway when required.					
6. Means by which significant hazards conveyed to contractors and others:					
1. Hazard markers added to drawings					
Date of Review					
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Assessed by:					
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Name G. McDonnell Signature Date 27/09/17					
Reviewed by:					
Name Ian Cooke Signature / Cooke Date 27/09/2017					



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Project Title:
Isles of Scilly Flood Defence and Dune
Management Project – Porth Loo

Assessor (Name): Gary McDonnell Assessor (Signature):

Date: Revision: 27/09/17 P2

Ref	Activity & Hazard	Level of Risk (optional)	Design Input to Eliminate or Reduce Hazards, and Hazards Remaining	Residual Hazard?
Α	Working adjacent to water – machinery could be cut off & possibility of inundation of the site due to wave action		This is an unavoidable consequence of the works and contractor is to mitigate the associated risks.	Yes
В	Soft & unstable ground – risk of machinery overturning		This is an unavoidable consequence of the works and contractor is to mitigate the associated risks	Yes
С	Public beach – risk of public entering the works area.		This is an unavoidable consequence of the works and contractor is to mitigate the associated risks.	Yes
D	Services – existing manholes on the beach. Other services may be present.		This is an unavoidable consequence of the works and contractor is to mitigate the associated risks.	Yes
Е	Unstable rock armour – rocks may be unstable when initial placed. Rocks should be placed by a machine and their stability ensured before operative's approach.		This is an unavoidable consequence of the works and contractor is to mitigate the associated risk.	Yes
F	Porth Loo SSSI- Works shall not impact upon designation		This is an unavoidable consequence of the works and contractor is to mitigate the associated risk.	Yes



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