

Technical Note

Project Mayfield
Subject Well Investigation and Treatment Technical Note
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1 Introduction

The purpose of this technical note is to document the investigation, assessment and treatment of historic water wells at Mayfield Manchester. A historical plan of the Mayfield Print and Dye Works (supplied by RoC in the early stages of remediation) indicated there to be 10 No. wells in the vicinity of the Lawns Area, and BGS records indicated a further 2 wells in the vicinity of the former brewery. The wells were investigated where practical and safe by trial trenching and if found were assessed and either decommissioned in line with EA guidance or retained for potential future use as a source of washdown water for the park.

2 Background

A copy of the historic plan provided by RoC is included in Appendix A. A summary of the well locations overlain on a more recent aerial image is provided below in Figure 1.

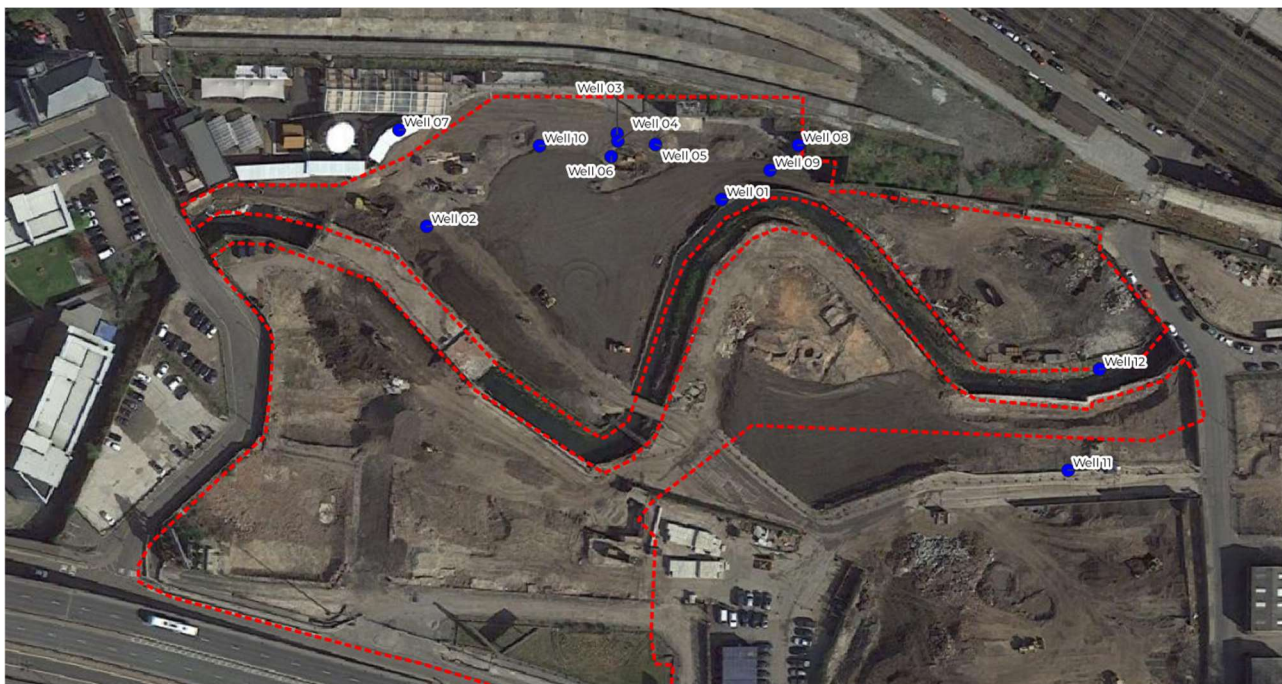


Figure 1 - Approximate locations of wells based on historical information

3 Summary Status of Wells

Intrusive investigation (trial trenching) was undertaken where possible in the areas around the locations shown in Figure 1 to expose and assess the historic well features. Where the wells plotted under buildings or steep embankments, investigations could not be carried out as this would destabilise existing structures or embankments. Where the wells were safely located, they were assessed for potential future use and either retained or decommissioned as summarised below.

Table 1 Well status.

Well Ref.	Information Source	Location	Encountered coordinates and ground level (mAOD)	Description / Status
Well 1	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Lawn	E385139.90 N397613.40 GL 33.18 (top of brickwork)	Description of well: Encountered. 2.1m diameter circular structure cut directly into sandstone. Rubble present in well shaft to near surface. Brickwork present above well, covering approximately half of the diameter. Status: Well decommissioned in line with EA guidance as shown in Civic Engineers Drawing 1076-14-CIV-XX-EW-DR-S-300, Appendix B.
Well 2	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Lawn	E385053.50 N397606.30 GL 33.10 (top of brickwork)	Description of well: Brick circular/conical structure. Inner diameter is 0.75m in the top 0.45m height, increasing to 1.00m diameter below 0.45m. Water level 3.60m below the top of the brick opening (29.50mAOD). Soft base to well recorded at 10.11m below the top of the brick opening (22.99mAOD). Status: Well retained as potential future source of washdown water, as detailed in Civic Engineers

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				drawing MAY101-WSC-EXT-CIV-DR-7020-0201, Appendix B.
Well 3	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Lawn batter	Not located (unsafe to excavate at this location due to steep embankment).	Description: N/A Status: Unable to investigate and impractical to cap due to location in batter – multi layer geogrid protection installed in near surface as detailed in Civic Engineers Drawing MAY101-WSW-EXT-CIV-DR-7060-5001, Appendix B.
Well 4	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Lawn batter	Not located (unsafe to excavate at this location due to steep embankment).	Description: N/A Status: Unable to investigate and impractical to cap due to location in batter – multi layer geogrid protection installed in near surface as detailed in Civic Engineers Drawing MAY101-WSW-EXT-CIV-DR-7060-5001, Appendix B.
Well 5	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Lawn batter	Not located (unsafe to excavate at this location due to steep embankment).	Description: N/A Status: Unable to investigate and impractical to cap due to location in batter – multi layer geogrid protection installed in near surface as detailed in Civic Engineers Drawing MAY101-WSW-EXT-CIV-DR-7060-5001, Appendix B.
Well 6	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Lawn	E385116.08 N397620.83 GL 33.46 (top of sandstone)	Description: The visible section of the well is carved directly into sandstone bedrock. The diameter of the well (at least the visible section) is approximately 2m. Depth to water was recorded as 3.4m below existing surface level (top of sandstone) (30.06mAOD). A soft bottom was encountered at around 10m. Status: Well retained as potential future source of washdown water, as detailed in Civic Engineers drawing MAY101-WSC-EXT-CIV-DR-7020-0201, Appendix B.
Well 7	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Freight Island	N/A	Description: N/A - plots beneath concrete slabs and retaining structures in Freight Island (beyond red line site boundary) – no investigation or treatment is practical at this location. Status: N/A
Well 8	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Outside Mayfield Depot	N/A	Description: Adjacent to Mayfield Depot – Difficult to investigate due to depth of overburden and proximity to foundations of the Depot – no investigation or treatment is practical at this location. Status: N/A

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Well 9	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Lawn	E385154.80 N397621.71 GL 34.76 (top of brickwork)	Description: Encountered, 0.80m diameter, brick circular structure. Well was full of soil and rubble at 2m depth. Depth of well unknown. Probed to approx. 4m with scaffold bar; base of soil not proven. Status: Well decommissioned in line with EA guidance as shown in Civic Engineers Drawing 1076-14-CIV-XX-EW-DR-S-301, Appendix B.
Well 10	Historical plan of Mayfield Print & Dye Works	Lawn	E385086.44 N397627.00 GL 34.10 (top of brickwork)	Description: Encountered. 1.60m diameter, brick circular structure. Soil and plastic sheeting within well near surface. Depth of well unknown. Attempted to probe with scaffold bar; unable to push in (potentially obstructed by loose bricks within fill material). Status: Well decommissioned in line with EA guidance as shown in Civic Engineers Drawing 1076-14-CIV-XX-EW-DR-S-301, Appendix B.
Well 11	BGS records	Brewery Basement	Co-ordinates & level TBC Location as plotted in Civic Engineers Drawing ref: MAY101-WSC-EXT-CIV-DR-7060-0200, Appendix B.	Description:- Well 11 descends into an open chamber approx 2m diameter and over 100m deep with water standing at 4.6m below ground level. The well included a steel rising main which was removed. Status: Well retained as potential future source of washdown water, as detailed in Civic Engineers drawing MAY101-WSC-EXT-CIV-DR-7020-0201, Appendix B.
Well 12	BGS records	Brewery Basement	N/A	Description: Extensive excavation in this area proved no well. Position considered unlikely to be correct and more likely to be a double plot of Well 11. Status: N/A

4 Retained Well Features.

Where wells have been retained as a potential source of washdown water for the park, the well manhole detail drawing MAY101-WSC-EXT-CIV-DR-7020-0201 confirms the level of protection provided.

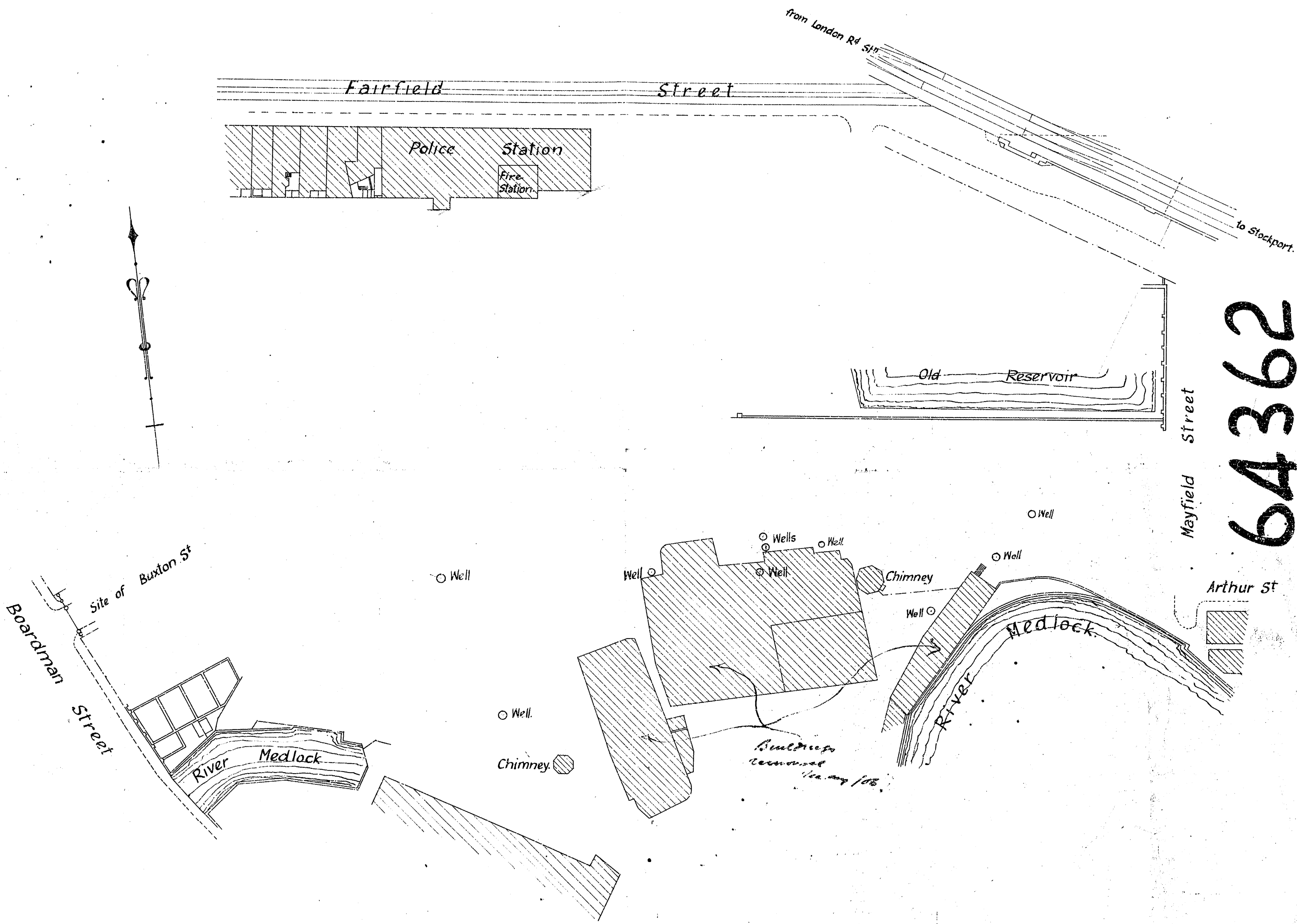
The tops of the existing well shafts were reduced to rockhead level and provided with a reinforced pre-cast concrete slab with a smaller diameter opening to be used as a base to provide future well access. The sides of the manhole chambers consist of pre-cast rings within a minimum 150mm surround of cast in-situ concrete, and the top detail comprises heavy duty precast concrete manhole sections bedded with mortar, proprietary bitumen, resin, mastic or sealant strips. The manholes to the retained wells are designed to resist vertical and lateral infiltration of surface water and shallow groundwater and will not transmit contaminants potentially present in surface water into the aquifer.

Surface water and shallow groundwater will be prevented from entering the wells by the presence of pre-cast and cast in situ concrete. The retained manholes are not considered to provide a pathway for any contaminants contained in surface water or shallow groundwater to enter the aquifer. Lateral migration of groundwater below the base level of the manhole installations will however continue unaffected.

Appendix A – Historic Well Location Plans

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Position of Old Wells at Mayfield Print Works

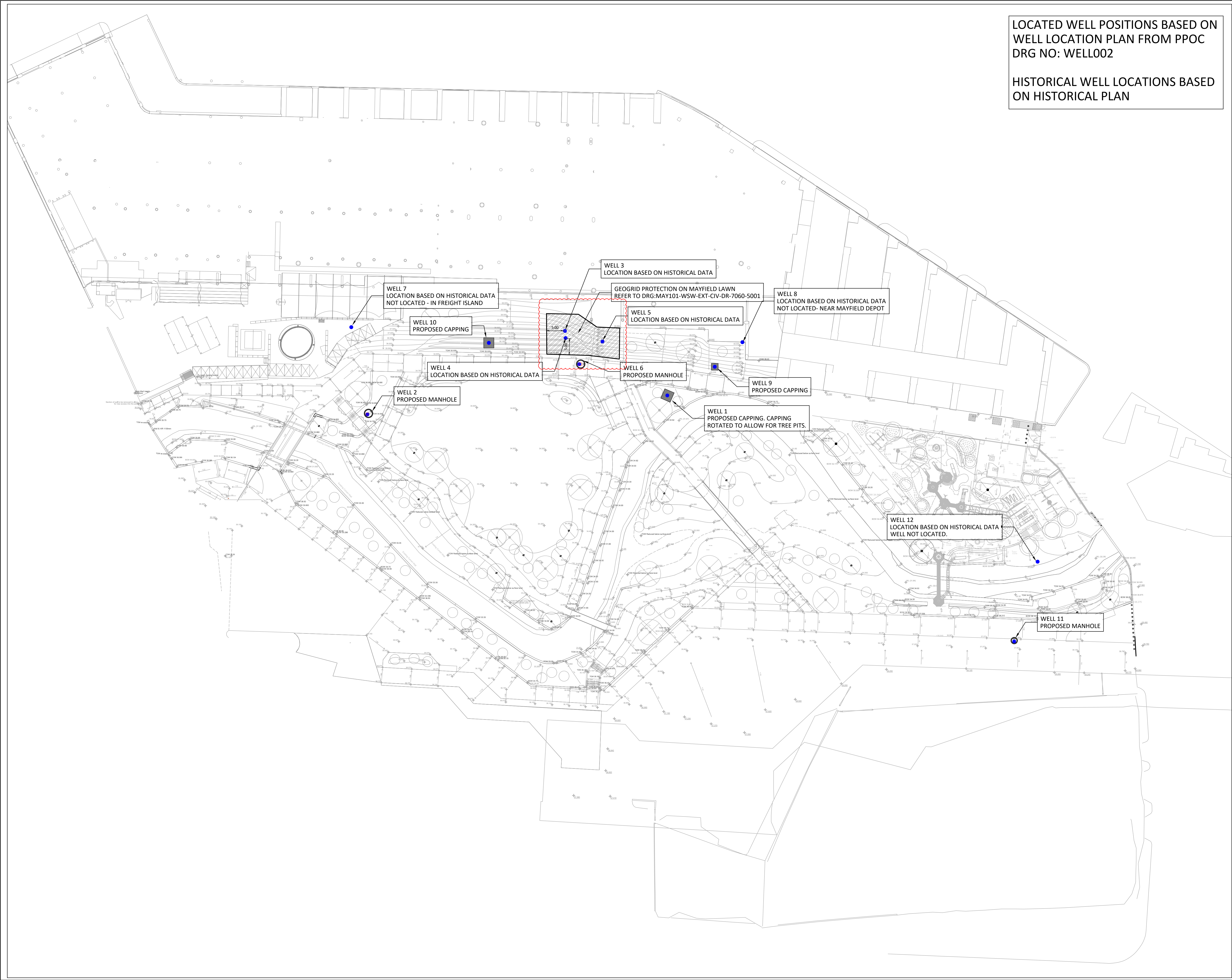


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Appendix B – Well Locations and Treatment Details



LOCATED WELL POSITIONS BASED ON
WELL LOCATION PLAN FROM PPOC
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HISTORICAL WELL LOCATIONS BASED
ON HISTORICAL PLAN

- Standard Notes
1. This drawing is to be read in conjunction with all relevant Architect's and Engineer's drawings and the specification.
 2. This drawing should not be scaled.
 3. All dimensions are to be verified by the contractor on site.
 4. All discrepancies should be reported to the C.A. prior to the commencement of the works.

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Notes and Keys

SEE DRAWING MAY101-WSC-EXT-CIV-DR-7060-0200
FOR MANHOLE CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

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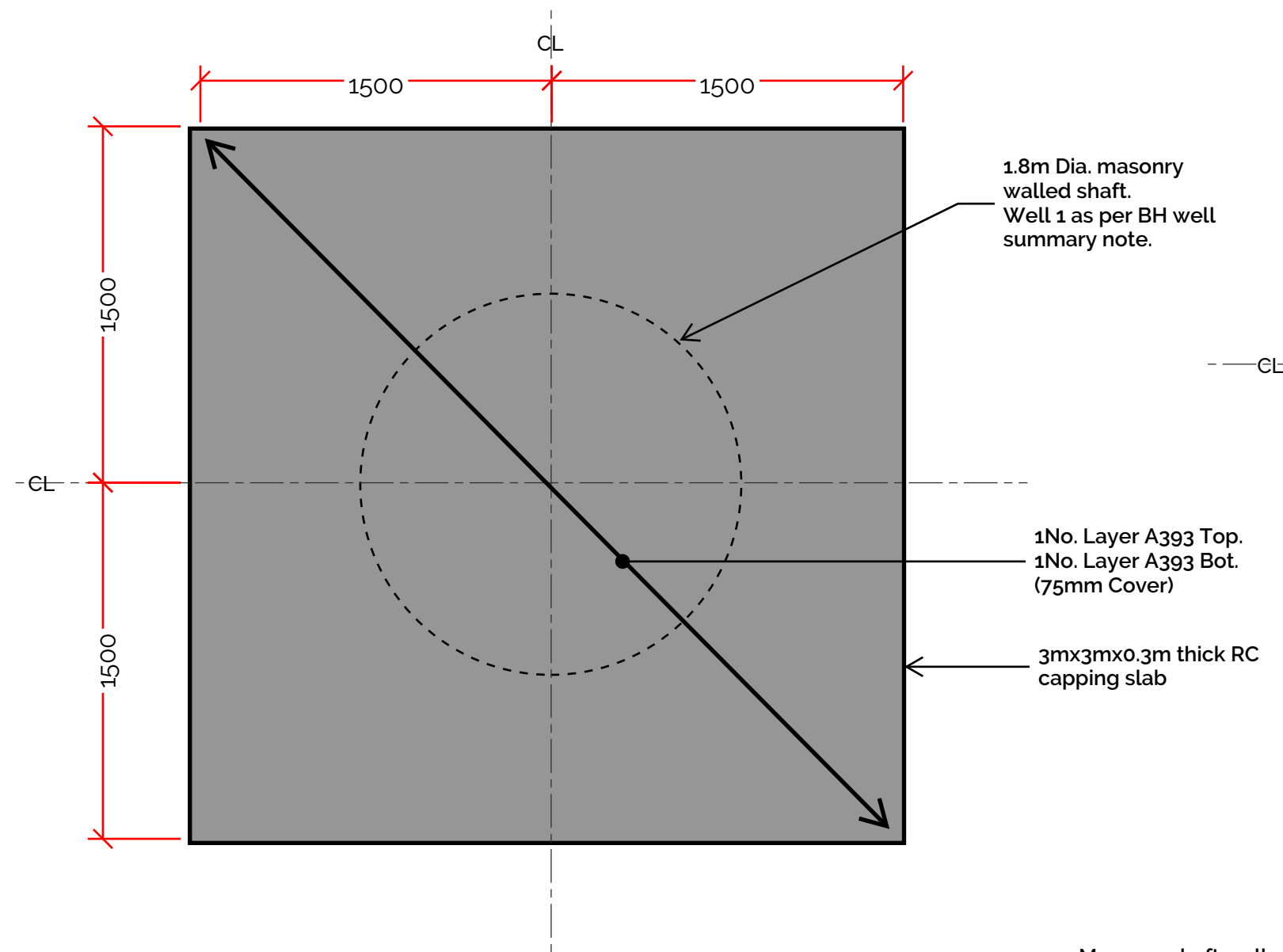
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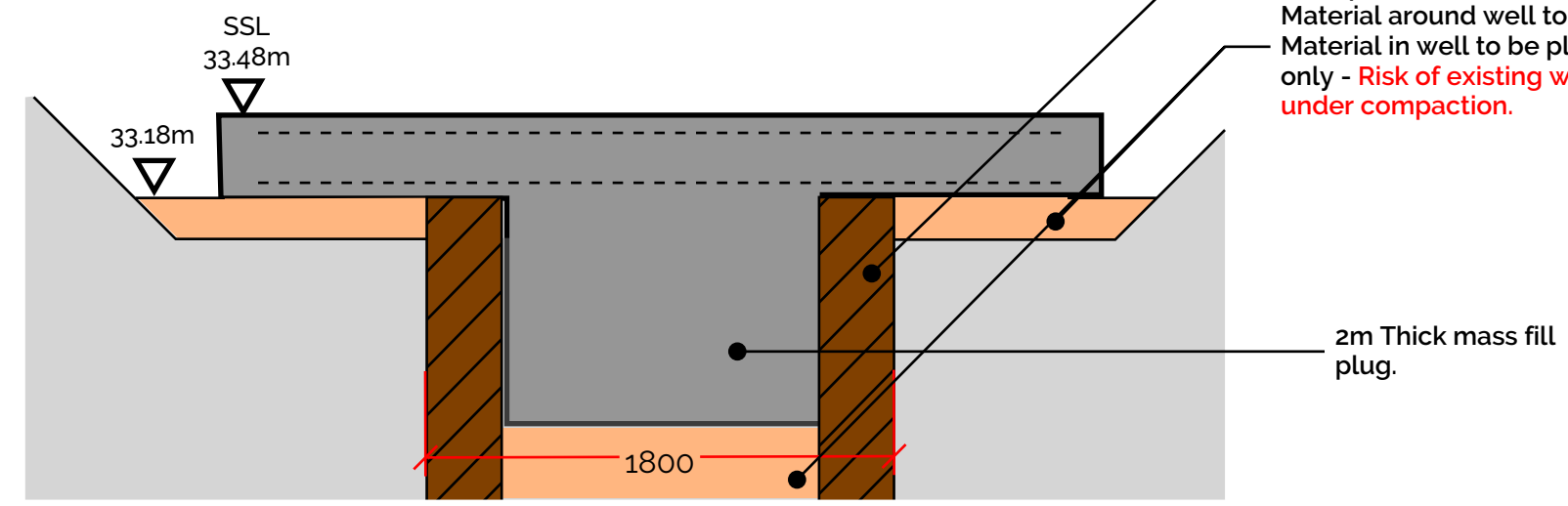
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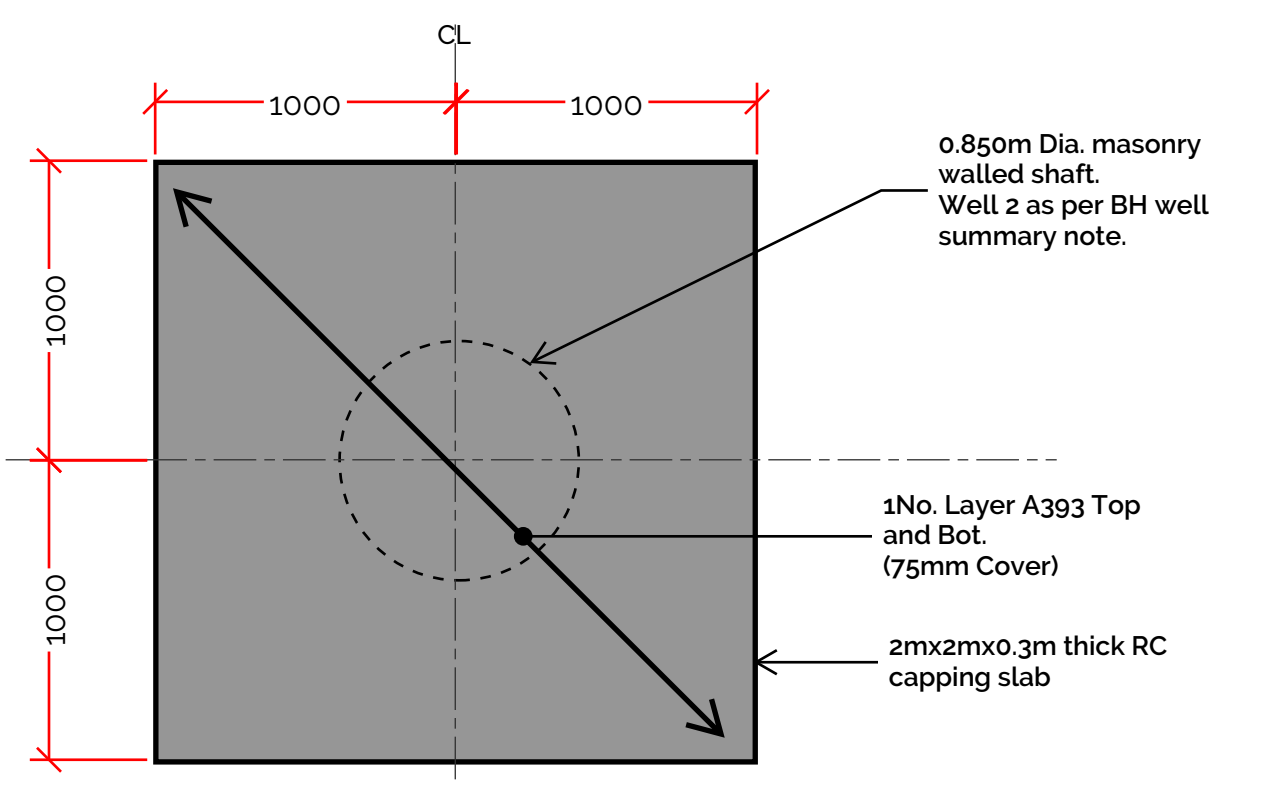
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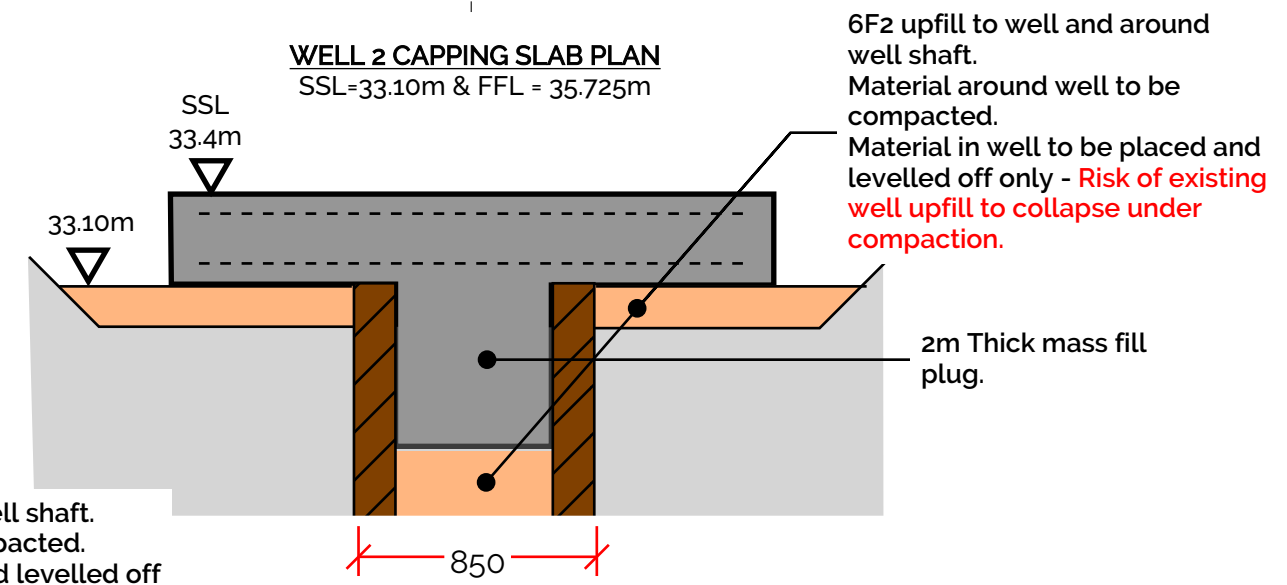
WELL 1 CAPPING SLAB PLAN
SSL = 33.48m & FFL = 34.486



SECTION A-A



WELL 2 CAPPING SLAB PLAN
SSL=33.10m & FFL = 35.725m



SECTION B-B

Notes

- Refer to Buro Happold Mayfield Well Summary report for position and condition of revealed relic wells.
- Concrete to be designated mix FND2 in accordance with BS8500-1 and suitable for class 2 sulphate conditions.
- Max aggregate 20mm
- All reinforcement to be Grade 500B UNO
- Minimum reinforcement lap length to be 40 x Dia.
- Any unsuitable / soft ground to be removed and upfilled in compacted 6F2 material except from within the shafts.
- Do not place concrete when there is risk of freezing or overheating.
- Levels provided by PPoC drawing C0408-EW001.

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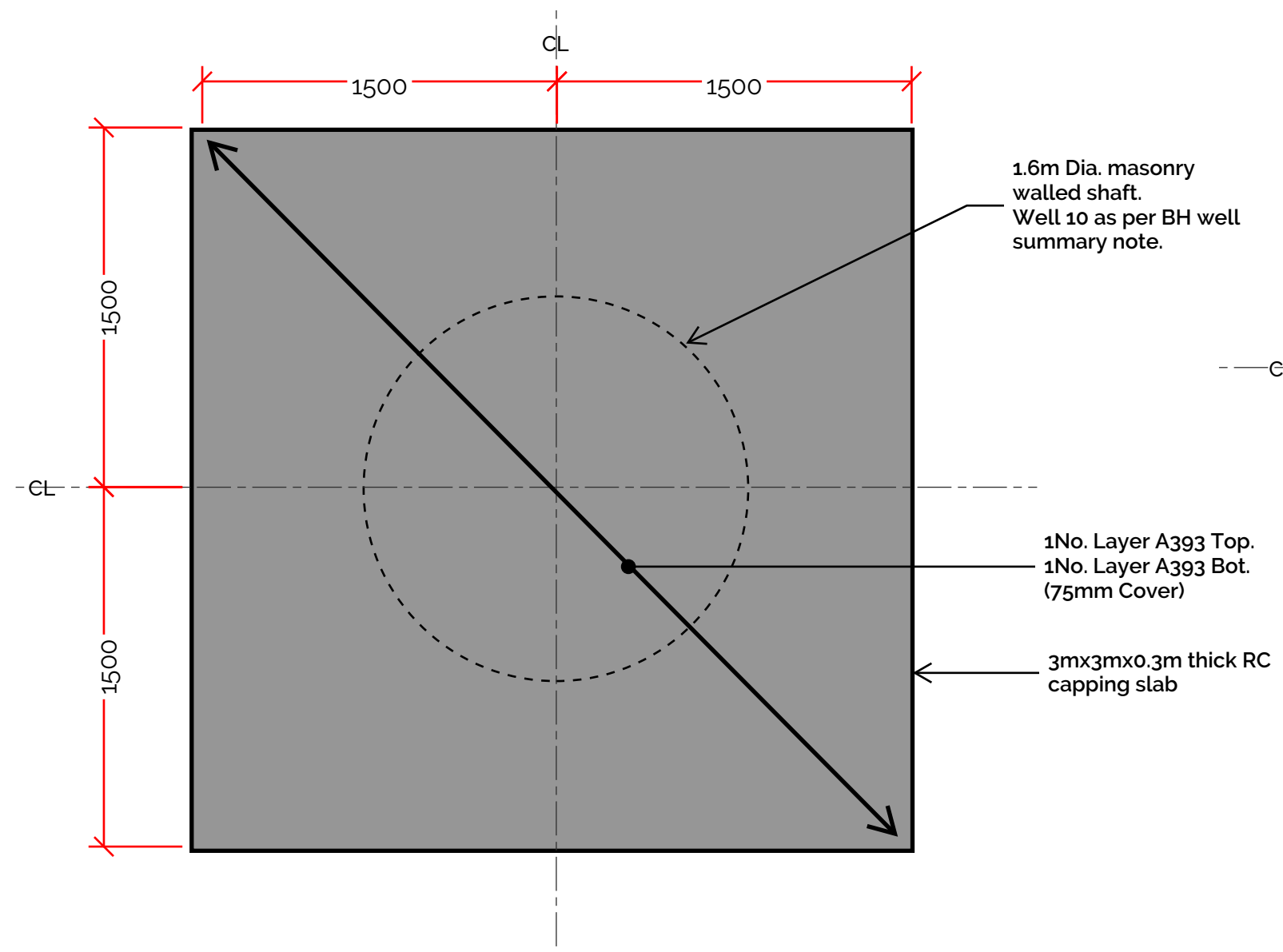
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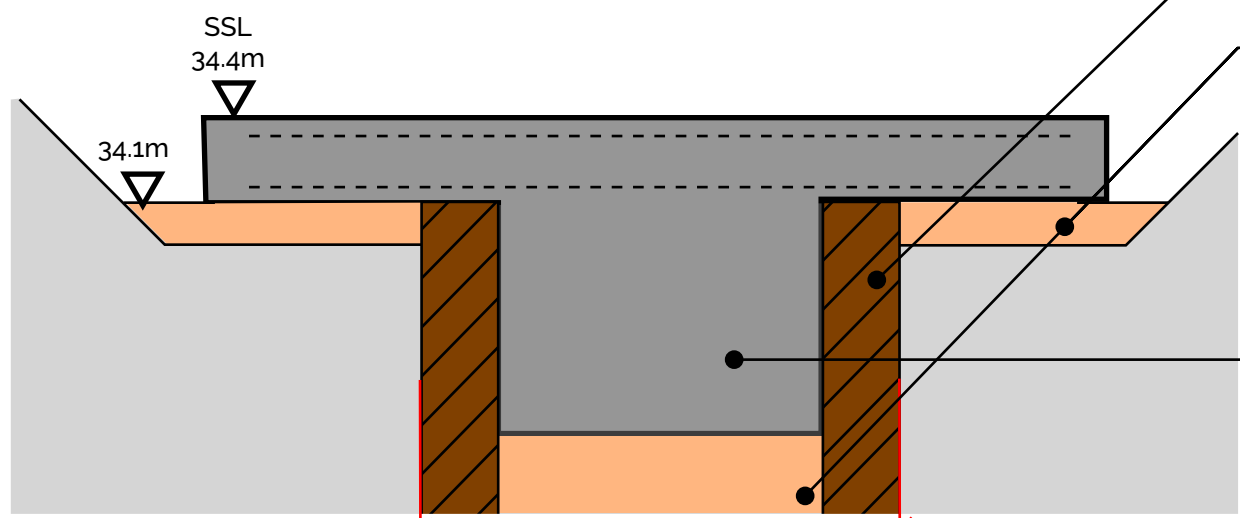
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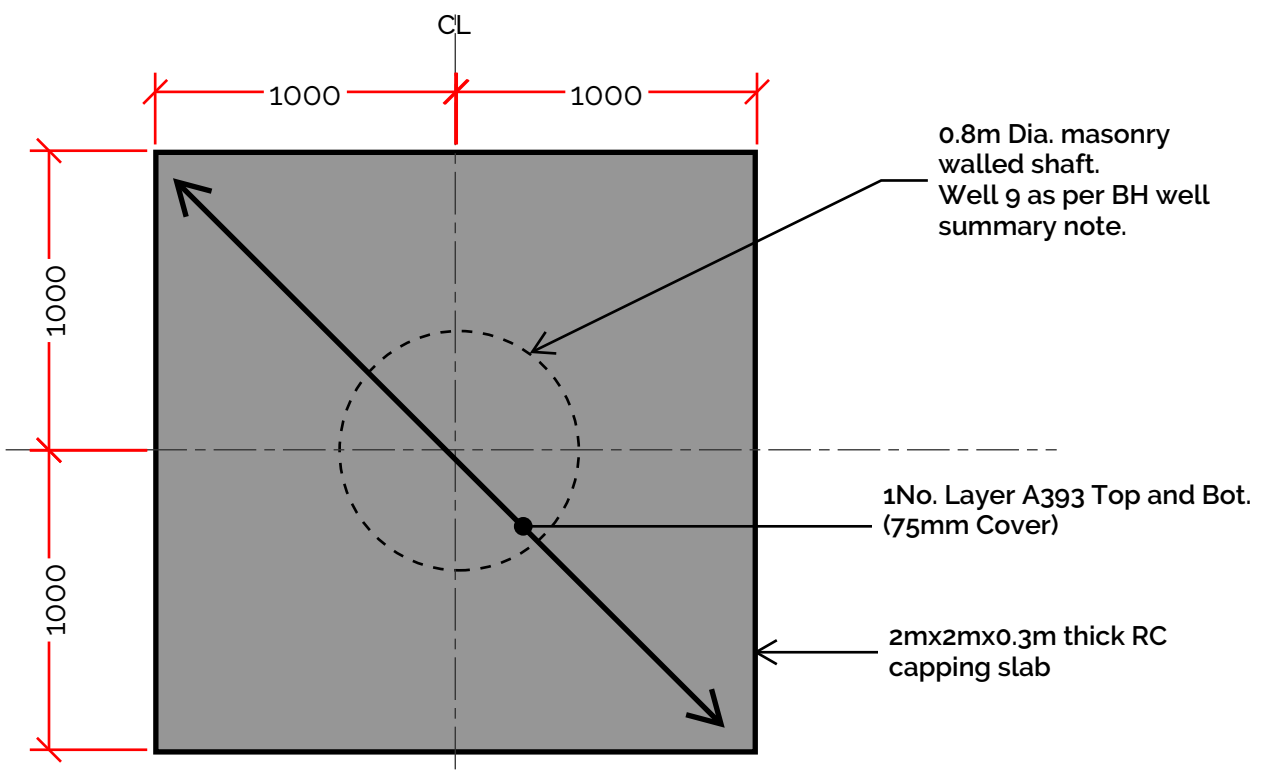
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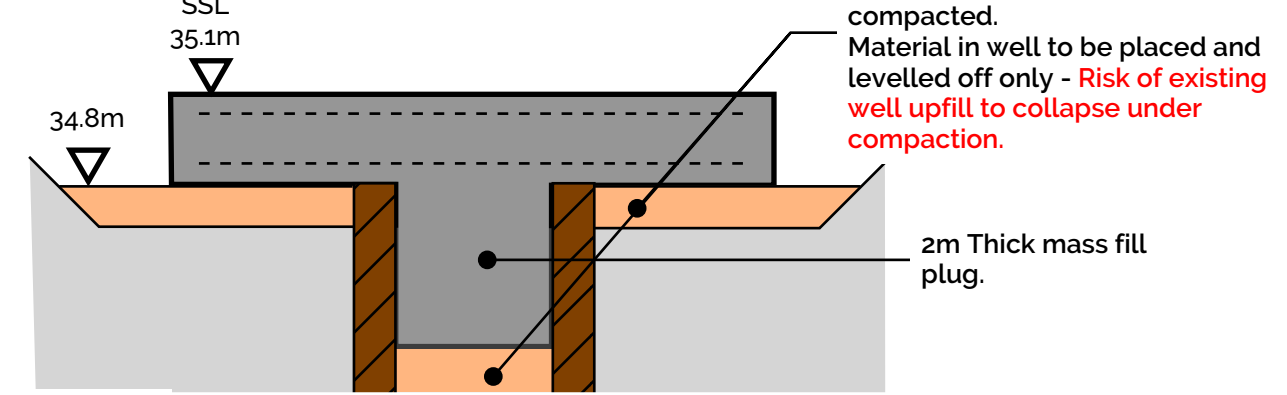
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SECTION C-C



WELL 9 CAPPING SLAB PLAN
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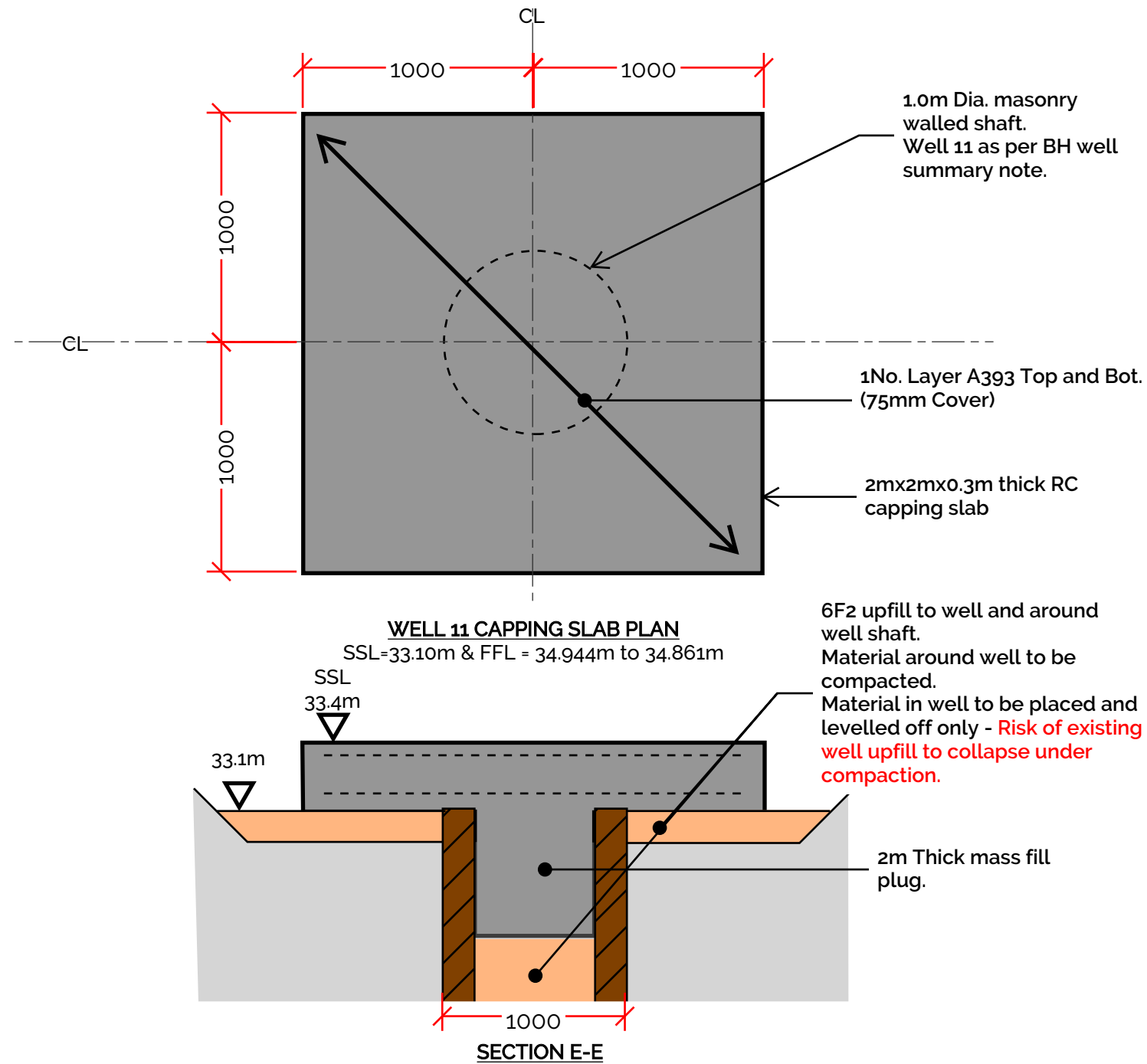


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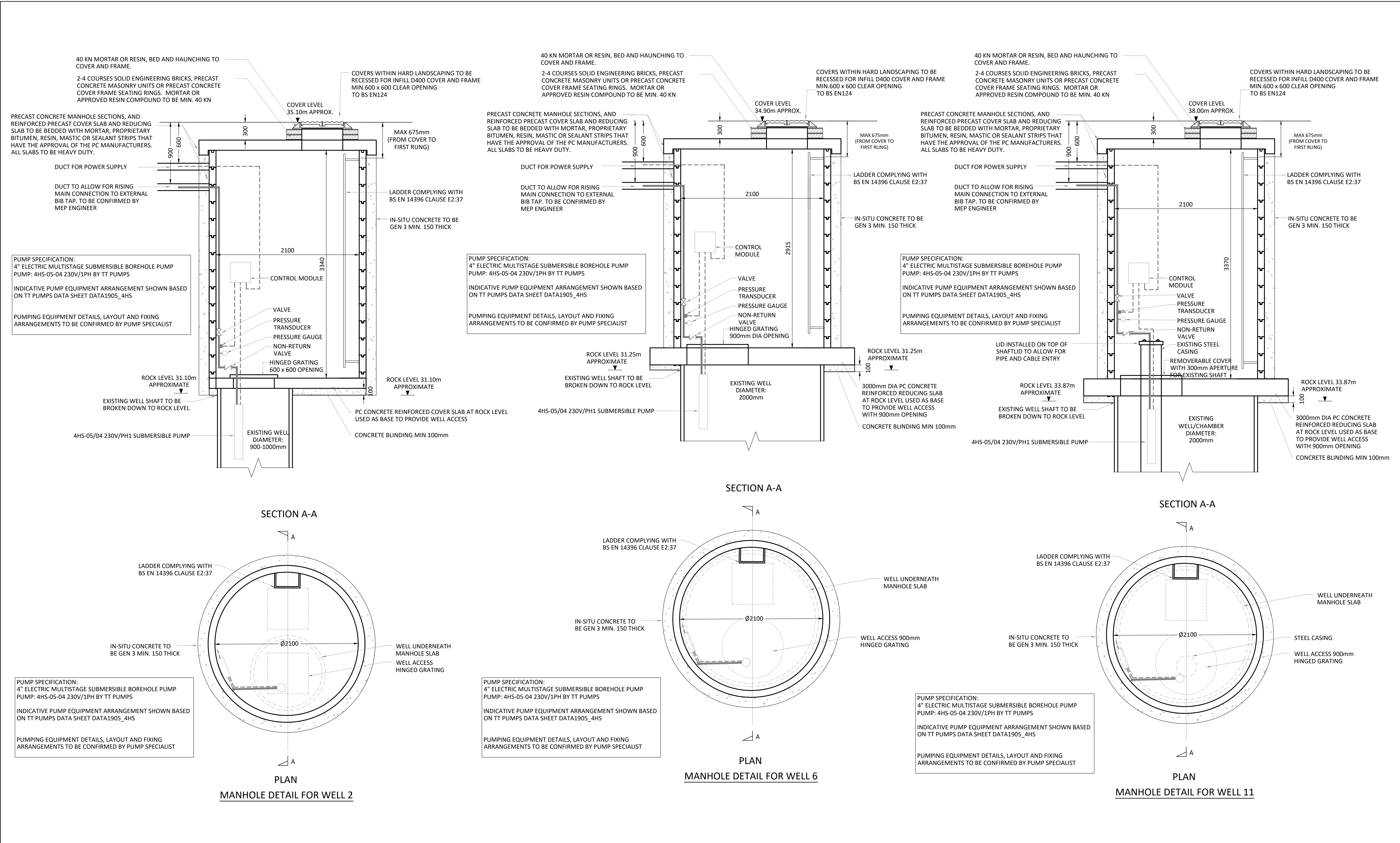
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