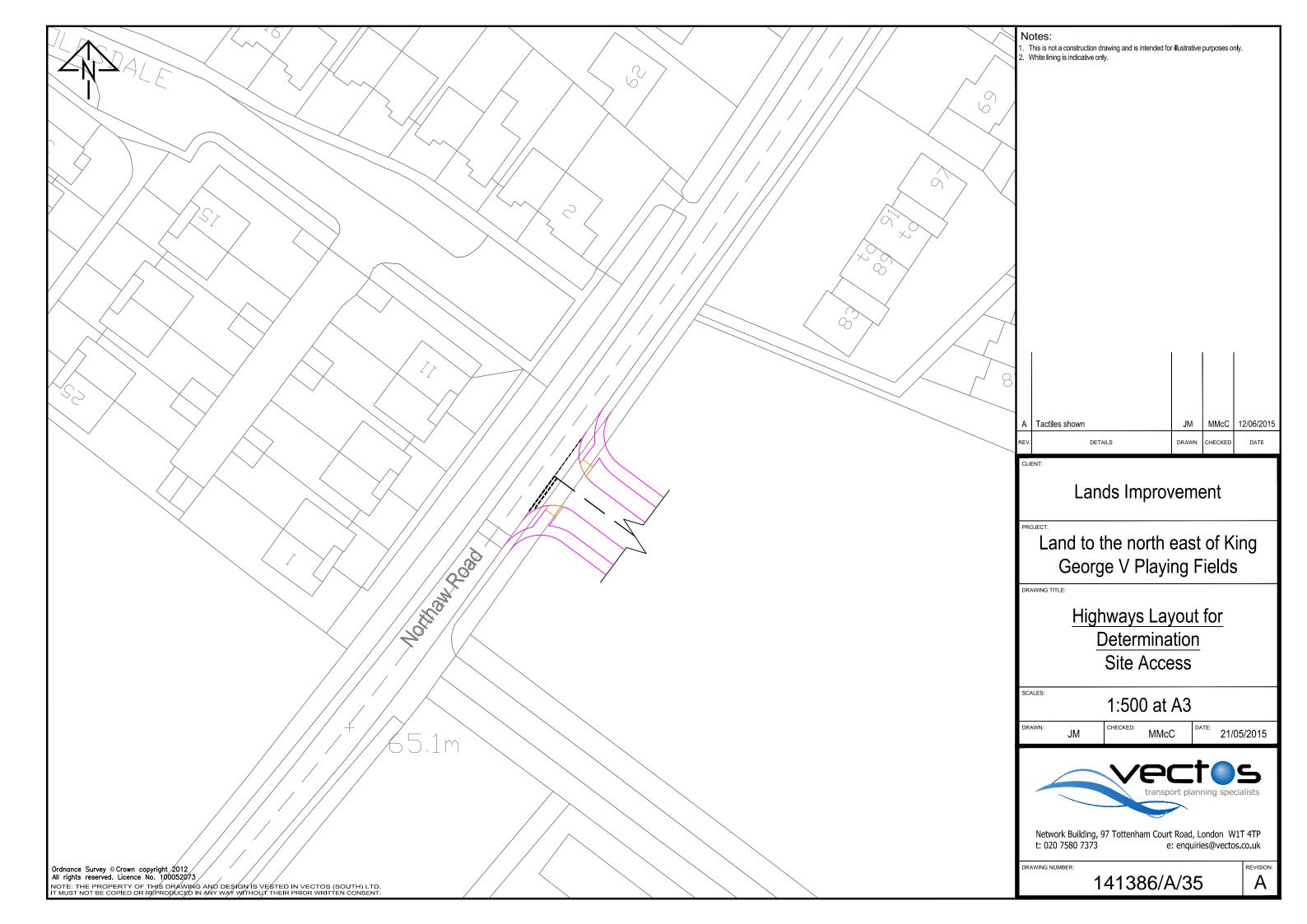
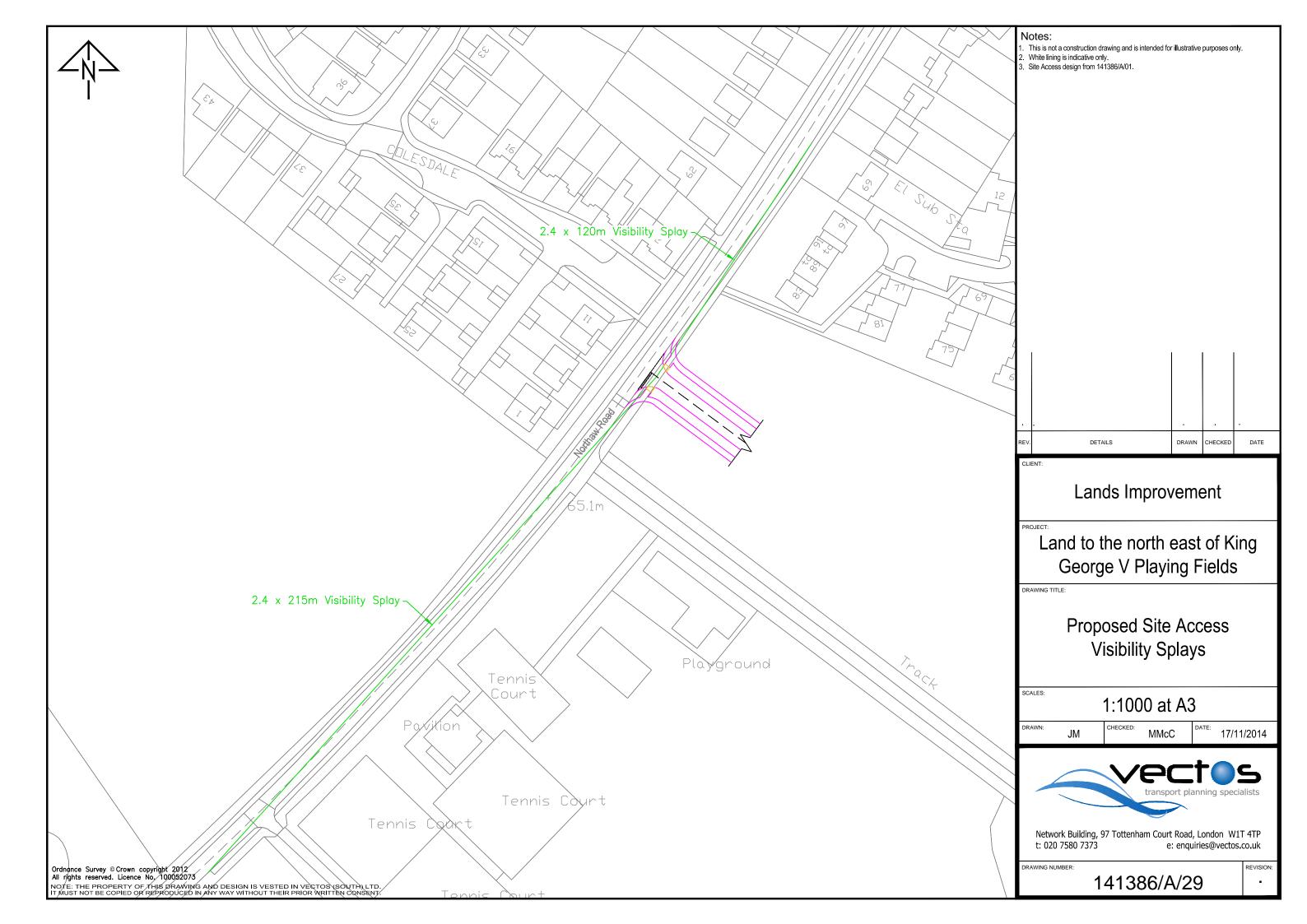
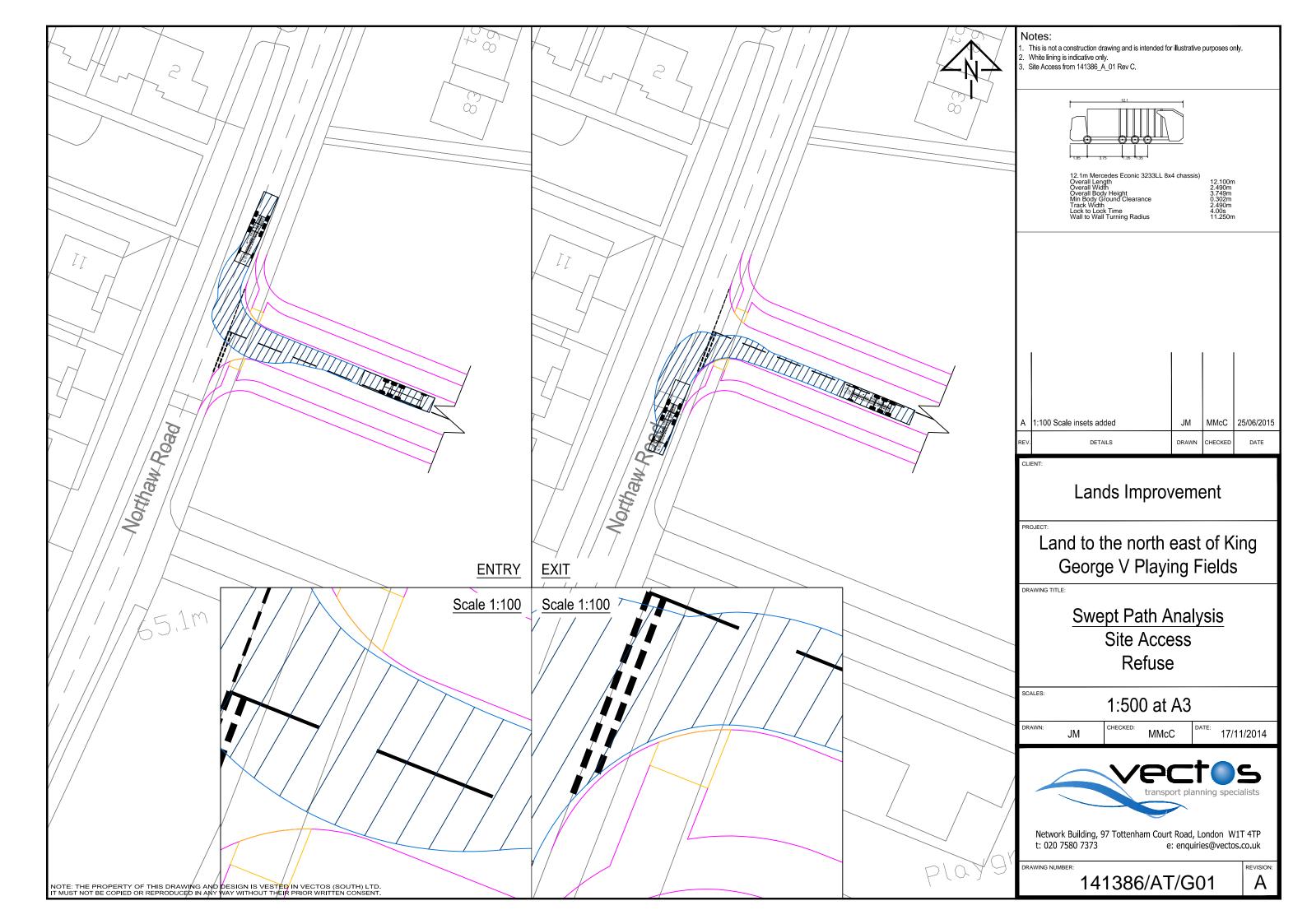
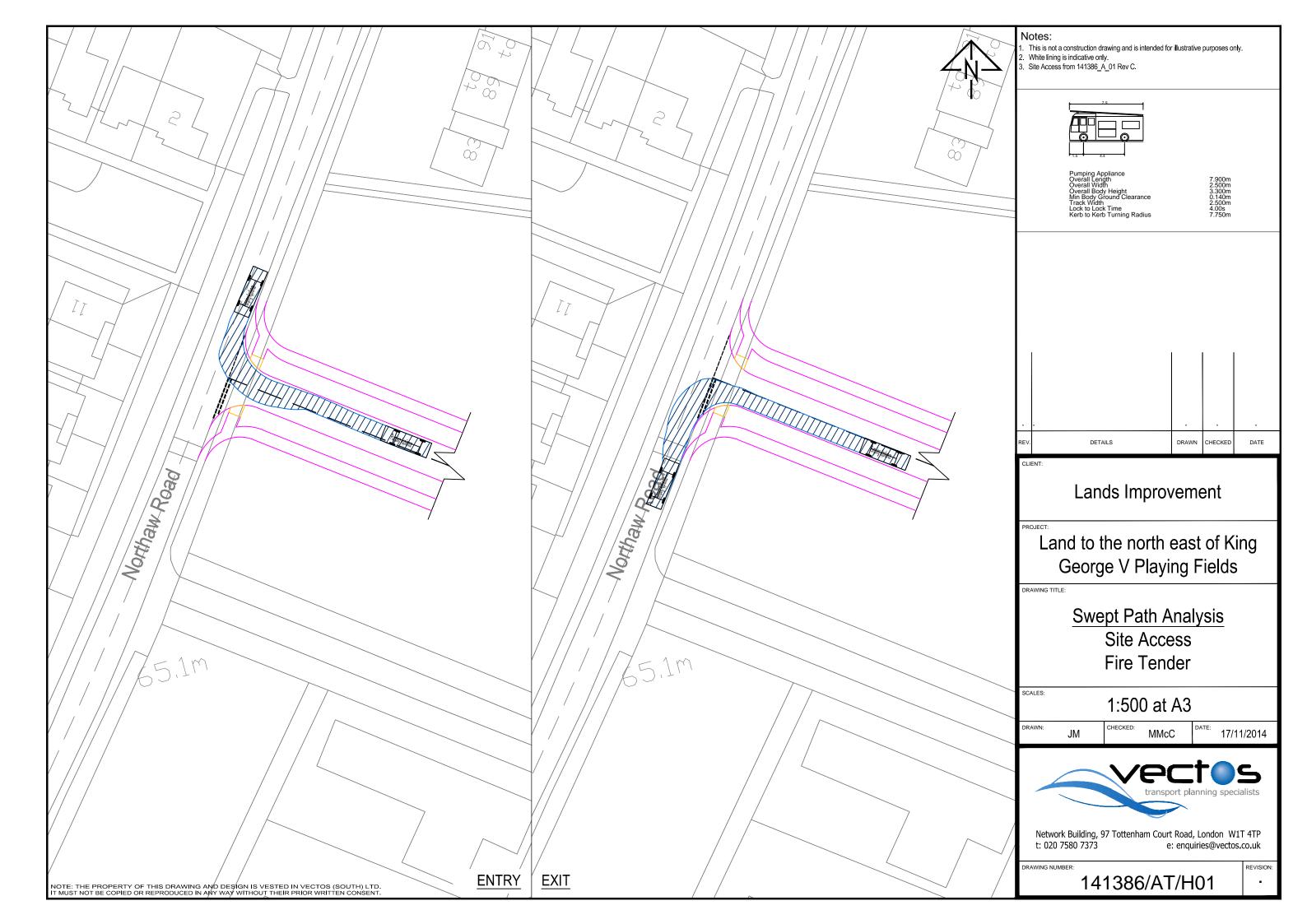
APPENDIX F

Proposed Site Access and Swept Path Analysis















APPENDIX G

Stage 1 Road Safety Audit and Designers Response



Land Improvement Holdings Limited

Northaw Road, Cuffley Proposed Site Access - Option 2

Stage 1 Road Safety Audit

November 2014



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1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 This report results from a Stage 1 Road Safety Audit (RSA) carried out on Tuesday 18th November 2014. The audit was carried out on the instructions of the Vectos Planning Team based in the London Office, on behalf of Lands Improvement Holdings Limited.
- 1.2 A site visit was undertaken on Tuesday 18th November 2014 at 14:30. The weather was dry and cloudy. Moderate levels of traffic were generally observed. A site location plan can be found at Appendix A of this report.
- 1.3 The terms of reference of the audit are as set out in HD 19/03 and the Chartered Institution of Highways and Transportation document "Road Safety Audit" 2008). Where appropriate, cognisance has also been taken of the Manual for Streets 1 and 2 (MfS1 and MfS2) and of the guidelines for reducing mobility handicaps. The writers have examined and reported only on road safety implications of the scheme as presented and have not examined or identified the compliance of the design to any other criteria.
- 1.4 The Audit Team has examined and reported only on the road safety implications of the scheme as presented and has not examined or verified the compliance of the designs to any other criteria. However, to clearly explain a safety problem or the recommendation to resolve a problem the Audit Team may, on occasion, have referred to a design standard without touching on technical audit.
- 1.5 The proposals are to provide a new access on to Northaw Road to serve a new residential development.
- 1.6 An audit brief has been provided including layout plans, traffic accident data and traffic flow data. For ease of reference, the following general arrangement can be found at Appendix B:
 - Vectos Drawing: W141386/A/01 Revision C



- 1.7 The Audit Team has reviewed the accident data provided. The accident data shows one serious accident involving a cyclist in the vicinity of the proposed site access (ref 2013-4100B0465). This accident would appear to be caused by rider error of the cyclist, overtaking other cyclists in the centre of the carriageway and colliding with the wing mirror of a northbound vehicle. Given this accident has occurred in isolation and there are no pattern of accidents within the vicinity of the site. The Audit Team do not believe there is an existing accident problem at this location.
- 1.8 Whilst recommendations have been made within this report, there may be equally satisfactory alternatives. The Audit Team will be pleased to consider alternatives if required.



2 QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE OF THE REPORT WRITERS

2.1 This Audit has been carried out by the following:

A J PLANT MCIHT, MSoRSA, HA Certificate of Competency – Audit Team Leader Associate

Vectos

M CHAMBERLAIN BSc (Hons) Env. Eng., MICE, MCIHT, MSoRSA - Audit Team Member Independent Road Safety Consultant

2.2 A summary of the team leader's qualifications and experience can be found in Appendix C of this report.



3 MATTERS ARISING FROM THIS AUDIT

Departures from Standards

3.1 The Auditors are not advised of any departures from standards.

Audit Issues

3.2 PROBLEM

Location: General.

Summary: Details of lighting, surface water drainage and tactile paving have not been

provided.

RECOMMENDATION

Ensure lighting, surface water drainage and tactile paving is provided in accordance with design standards.

3.3 PROBLEM

Location: General.

Summary: New service provision may be required for the proposed development and existing services may need to be diverted. Inspection covers which become polished by traffic action may create skid hazards for two-wheeled vehicles.

RECOMMENDATION

Ensure as far as practical that no manholes or inspection chambers are located where they are likely to be traversed by two-wheeled vehicles during turning manoeuvres. Where this is unavoidable, use skid resistant covers and ensure that they are regularly inspected and maintained.



3.4 PROBLEM

Location: General.

Summary: Swept path tracking has been provided for a refuse vehicle and fire tender. The swept path manoeuvre for the refuse vehicle is very tight and appears to cross over the footway on the western side of Northaw Road, resulting in potential conflict with pedestrians.

RECOMMENDATION

Ensure swept path manoeuvres can be accommodated within the carriageway.



4 AUDIT TEAM STATEMENT

4.1 I certify that this Audit has been carried out in accordance with the requirements of HD19/03.

Signed:

A J PLANT (Audit Team Leader)

Date: 21st November 2014

4.2 A summary of the team leader's qualifications and experience can be found in Appendix C of this report.

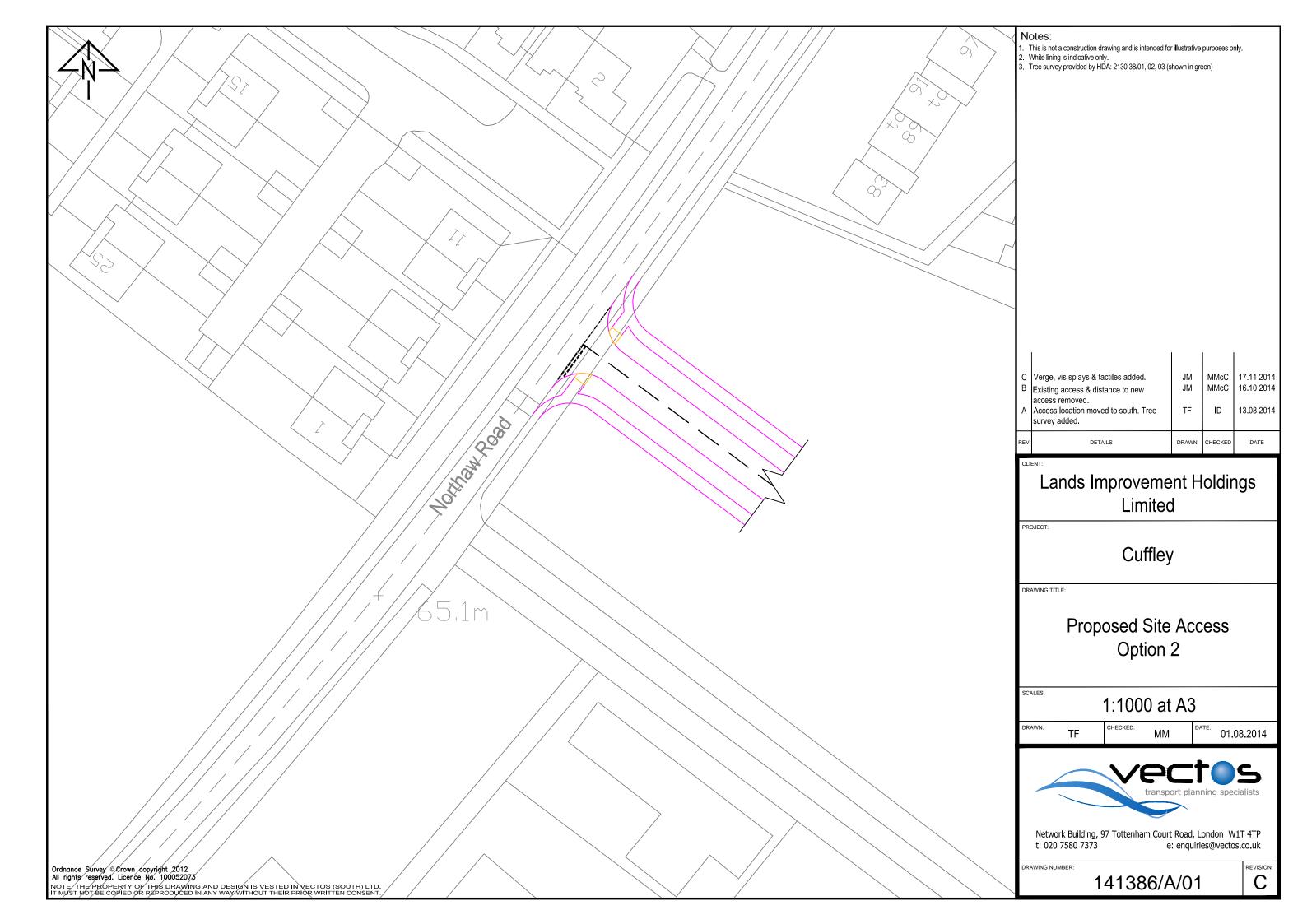
APPENDIX A

Site Location Plan



APPENDIX B

General Arrangement Plan





ROAD SAFETY AUDIT REPORT & DESIGNERS RESPONSE

Stage 1

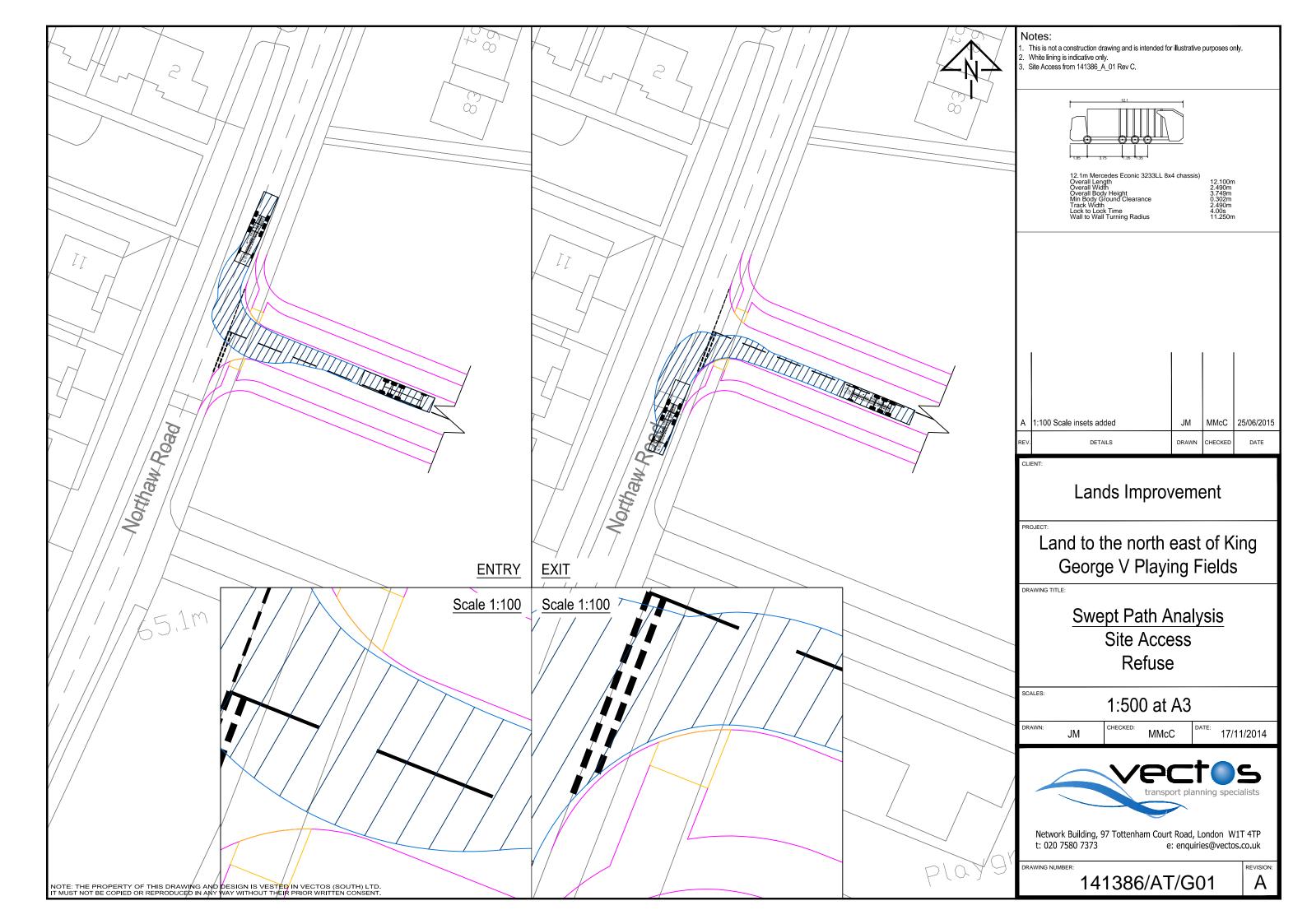
SCHEME TITLE

Land to the north east of King George V Playing Fields, Cuffley Proposed Access Junction

Paragraph Number	Problem	Recommendation	Designer's Response	
	Signalised Junction (141208/A/04 Rev C)			
3.2	Location: General Summary: Details of lighting, surface water drainage and tactile paving have not been provided.	Ensure lighting, surface water drainage and tactile paving is provided in accordance with design standards.	Agreed. The details of lighting, surface water drainage and tactile paving will be provided at detail design stage.	
3.3	Location: General Summary: New service provision may be required for the proposed development and existing services may need to be diverted. Inspection covers which become polished by traffic may create skid hazards for two-wheeled vehicles.	Ensure as far as practical that no manholes or inspection chambers are located where they are likely to be traversed by two-wheeled vehicles during turning manoeuvres. Where this is unavoidable, use skid resistant covers and ensure that they are regularly inspected and maintained.	Noted. Details of the location of any manholes or inspection chambers will be submitted and agreed at the detailed design stage.	
3.4	Location: General Summary: Swept path tracking has been provided for a refuse vehicle and fire tender. The swept path manoeuvre for the refuse vehicle is very tight and appears to cross over the footways on the western side of Northaw Road, resulting in potential conflict with pedestrians.	Ensure swept path manoeuvres can be accommodated within the carriageway.	Noted. The swept path analysis of the refuse truck has been checked and this confirms that the manoeuvres can be undertaken within the carriageway. The updated drawing is included at Appendix A .	

APPENDIX A

Updated Swept Path Analysis



APPENDIX C

CV of Asa John Plant

CV ASA PLANT, ASSOCIATE



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MSoRSA Member of the Society of Road Safety Auditors

ROSPA Road Safety Engineering Accreditation

HA / TMS Certificate of Competency

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SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE

Asa has some 10 years' experience in highway engineering and transport planning, including highway layouts, junction design, junction modelling and 8 years' experience in road safety and remedial engineering.

Asa has completed the RoSPA Road Safety and Accident Investigation and Prevention Course run by TMS and has maintained his CPD in this field. Asa's experience includes transport planning and highways design, including junction design and modelling, road safety and remedial engineering.

Responsible for project management and advising clients from both the public and private sectors in regard to highways, traffic, transportation and road safety matters relating to various land use development proposals, highway schemes and safety studies. This encompasses the following:

- Initial site appraisals
- Master Planning
- Travel Plans
- Transport Assessments / Highways Statements
- Highway design

He regularly acts as a Team Leader / Team Member on the preparation of Safety Audit Reports for Clients in both the Public and Private Sector.

He has attended numerous events providing CPD in the fields of safety audit and investigation. Including:

- ROSPA / TMS Road Safety Engineering Accident Investigation and Prevention 10 days
- University of Newcastle upon Tyne Accident Investigation and Prevention − 2 days
- TMS Road Safety Audit 1 day

Asa has obtained the Highways Agency Certificate of Competency in Road Safety Audit. He holds a CSCS Professionally Qualified Persons Card and has attended the HA site induction for Area 4.

RECENT CPD

- Highways Agency Certificate of Competency TMS 17th April 2012 to 18th April 2012 (2 days)
- Can We Make Our Roads Safer For Cyclists? TMS 14th May 2013 (1 day)
- Non-Motorised User Audits TMS 23rd May 2013 (1 day)
- Traffex Live 2014 15th May 2014 (1 day)
- TMS Roundabout Audit Workshop 10th June 2014 (1 day)

RECENT AUDITS

- Cane Hill, Coulsden S1/2 RSA May 2014
- Fornham All Saints Link Road S2 RSA April 2014
- Linpac Site, Woodley S1/2 RSA April 2014
- Fernham Road, Faringdon S1/2 RSA April 2014
- Rectory Park, Ealing S2 RSA February 2014

APPENDIX H

Proposed Gateway Feature



- Notes: This is not a construction drawing and is intended for illustrative purposes only.

 White lining is indicative only.

Existing

Proposed



Alternative Example



Example Location

Village Gateway Improvement

12/05/2015

NTS at A3

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APPENDIX I

Potential Off-Site Junction Mitigation Plans

