

ELECTROMAGNETIC INTERFERENCE (EMI) SURVEY AND MANAGEMENT PLAN

<u>PERTAINING TO</u>

2634, 2636, 2640, 2642, & 2654 EGLINTON AVENUE WEST & 1856 & 1856A KEELE STREET

PREPARED FOR

FORA DEVELOPMENTS 2440 DUNDAS ST W #200, TORONTO, ON M6P 1W9

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<u>REPORT DATE</u>

SEPTEMBER 13TH, 2022

SURVEY DATE

SEPTEMBER 7TH, 2022









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1.0) Scope of Work and Information Relevant to the Survey

Brosz Technical Services Inc. was retained by Fora Developments to conduct an Electromagnetic Interference (EMI) survey at 2634, 2636, 2640, 2642, and 2654 Eglinton Avenue West and 1856 and 1856A Keele Street, Toronto Ontario. Our scope of work was to conduct this survey for the lot shown on the KRCMAR Surveyors Ltd. topographical drawing titled "PLAN OF SURVEY SHOWING TOPOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION OF PART OF LOT A REGISTERED PLAN 285 (FORMERLY CITY OF YORK) CITY OF TORONTO", dated April 21, 2022. This drawing is included in Appendix III. The lot being issued for development is on the North side of Eglinton Ave W, and West of Keele Street, in Toronto. We took atmospheric EMF measurements around the property line, where possible, as shown on the Layout map of measurement locations included in Appendix I.

2.0) Sources of ElectroMagnetic Interference (EMI)

Electromagnetic interference at the subject property can originate from either low frequency sources or high frequency sources.

The most significant low frequency electromagnetic interference, near the property in scope, was suspect to originate from the underground subway rail running East-West along Eglinton Ave W, South of the property line. Power lines, household wiring, and any device that uses electricity can generate electric and magnetic fields. It's found that power lines can generate a highly intense magnetic field, and the strength of an electric field is proportional to the voltage of the line while the magnetic field strength is proportional to the current in the lines.

The high frequency EMI sources in the subject property can be from broadcasting antennas, wireless LAN (Wi-Fi), CN Tower, cellular phones of pedestrians, and other communication equipment. The area is open to the atmosphere, the high frequency interference can vary considerably from one location to another, depending on the interference from general atmospheric sources, and at different times.

We took measurements around the property line and along the South and West side of Keele Station, West of the property line, to ascertain the potential concern of EMI emitting from the subway station railway.

The key measurements were taken along the property border and are included in the Appendix I of this report.

3.0) Test equipment & frequency range

3.1) Low frequency EMI Test Equipment and Frequency Range

3.1.1) Utah-based AlphaLab Inc., manufacturer of 3-axis AC Milli-Gauss Meter, Model UHS which has ELF¹ + VLF² electromagnetic radiation frequency range of 13 Hz to 75 kHz. The electromagnetic radiation from the power frequency (60 Hz) and its harmonics (180 Hz, 300 Hz, 540Hz, etc fall in this range). The accuracy of readings is +/- 3%.

The 3-axis instrument obviates the need for calculation of the square root of $X^2 + Y^2 + Z^2$ used in the older models of single-axis instruments where readings in the X, Y and Z axis had to be recorded and the resultant electromagnetic interference (milli-Gauss) had to be calculated at every position of the instrument on the area surveyed.

3.1.2) Utah-based AlphaLab Inc., Trifield EMF Meter Model TF2. This instrument is also 3-axis and is similar to the Model UHS - however it is also capable of electric field measurements in addition to magnetic field measurements. It covers a range of 40Hz to 100kHz for both field measurements.

3.2) High frequency EMI Test Equipment and Frequency Range

- 3.2.1) The instrument used in our survey is ElectroSmog Meter Model TES-92 which detects frequencies in the range of 50 mega-hertz to 3.5 giga-hertz supplied by TES Electrical Electronic Corporation. The instrument is set to measure the electric field strength in millivolts per meter of the resultant 3-axis vector, as recommended by the manufacturer where the nature of the electromagnetic field is unknown.
- 3.2.2) The Trifield EMF Meter Model TF2 also has RF measurement capabilities and covers a range of 20MHz to 6 GHZ.

4.0) Criterion of Electromagnetic Interference Level - Effect on Humans

Regulations and guidelines for exposure limits related to electric and magnetic fields have been studied by many global organizations over the decades. This work is still ongoing with numerous stakeholders and as such new standards and guidelines are becoming available. This work has been studied in more depth for higher frequency EMF fields related to situations such as medical instrument in hospitals, military communication instruments, and safety-related instrumentation and control in nuclear power plants. However, new research and studies have led to the development of new standards such as the "IEEE C95.1-2019 Standard for Safety Levels with Respect to

¹ ELF denotes electromagnetic radiation of extremely low frequency (in the range of 3 Hz to 3kHz).

² VLF denotes electromagnetic radiation of very low frequency (normally 3 kHz to 30 kHz).

Human Exposure to Electric, Magnetic, and Electromagnetic Fields – 0Hz to 300GHz". This standard now also covers limits for the high and low frequency fields related to human safety for non-transient (longer term) exposures in uncontrolled environments.

5.0 Tabulation of Measurements and Associated Drawings

A tabulation of EMI measurements with the associated plan drawing, including a layout showing the locations where measurements were taken, are provided in the report Appendix I. The locations were overlaid on a satellite image of the site, for reference. Photos of the future development area are included in Appendix II. The drawing provided by FORA Developments, is provided in appendix III.

6.0 Results

All the measured points remained well below the standard limits. The largest low frequency electromagnetic radiation levels measured were found at the corner of Eglinton Ave W and Keele Street, adjacent to the Southeast corner of the property line. This was from an underground Toronto Hydro distribution line that was carrying a significantly high enough electrical current to produce electromagnetic fields. Nevertheless, the values were well below the maximum IEEE standard limits³ for exposure to the public in an uncontrolled environment. There was no significant concern of low frequency electromagnetic interference, located at or near the site, during the time of testing.

The results of this survey should be passed onto the electrical system designers for their review and consideration in the overall power system design of the proposed development as needed.

Based on the EMI results measured at the time of our survey, we do not believe any mitigation efforts or a management plan will be necessary for this development site.

The Eglinton Crosstown LRT line was not active during the time of testing since the new railway system is not yet completed. It is advised to conduct this study again once the Eglinton Crosstown LRT subway line is operational and running at full capacity.

³ We consider all exposure limits including the worst-case scenario limits – i.e. values for human head and torso have lower limit requirements compared to those for limbs.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our office.

Yours Truly,

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APPENDICES

Appendix I

- Electromagnetic Interference Survey Results
- Layout Map of Measurement Locations

Appendix II

- Captioned Photos

Appendix III

- Reference Drawings

APPENDIX I

- Electromagnetic Interference Survey Results
- Layout Map of Measurement Locations

BROSZ Technical Services - Electromagnetic Interference Survey								
Location Number (Refer to	•		High Frequency [mV/m]		Low Frequency [MilliGauss][V/m]		Location Coordinates	
DWG)		Maximum	Average	Magnetic	Electric	Latitude	Longitude	
1	Northwest corner of property	840.0	517.0	0.2	0.0	43.6906408	-79.4746495	
2		598.0	475.0	0.2	0.0	43.6906692	-79.4745625	
3		990.0	737.0	0.4	0.0	43.6907098	-79.4744868	
4		855.0	663.0	0.3	0.0	43.6907215	-79.4743912	
5		655.0	523.0	0.3	0.0	43.6907497	-79.4742933	
6		1508.0	1116.0	2.1	0.0	43.6907832	-79.4742262	
7	Northeast corner of property	1020.0	747.0	1.8	0.0	43.6907891	-79.4741065	
8		355.0	195.0	1.6	0.0	43.6907384	-79.4740895	
9		315.0	109.0	1.5	1.0	43.6906603	-79.4740689	
10		190.0	105.0	1.4	0.0	43.6905655	-79.4740224	
11	Southeast corner of property	318.0	251.0	3.1	0.0	43.6905028	-79.4740542	
12		405.0	289.0	2.7	0.0	43.6904803	-79.4741950	
13		1323.0	292.0	0.6	0.0	43.6904484	-79.4743363	
14	Southwest corner of property	454.0	320.0	0.2	0.0	43.6903978	-79.4744830	
15	Southeast cornerof Keele Station	551.0	340.0	0.2	0.0	43.6903881	-79.4746296	
16		608.0	514.0	0.8	0.0	43.6903285	-79.4747997	
17	Southwest corner of Keele Station	583.0	334.0	0.1	0.0	43.6903245	-79.4749524	
18		430.0	227.0	0.1	0.0	43.6904164	-79.4750268	
19		1014.0	484.0	0.1	0.0	43.6905518	-79.4751021	
20	Northwest corner of Keele Station	562.0	334.0	0.1	0.0	43.6907299	-79.4751802	
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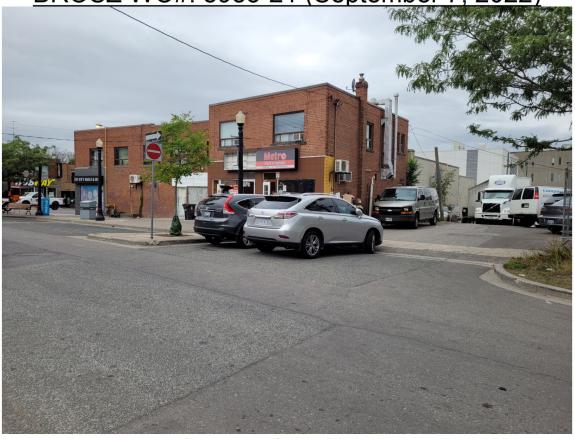
2636-2654 Eglinton Avenue W, Toronto, ON -- Layout Map of Measurement Locations -- EMI Survey



APPENDIX II

• Captioned Photos

<u>GROUND ELECTRODE FALL OF POTENTIAL TESTING</u> <u>2636-2654 EGLINTON AVE W.</u> <u>BROSZ WO#: 8985-21 (September 7, 2022)</u>



Northeast Corner of 2636 Eglinton Ave W



Southeast Corner of 2636 Eglinton Ave W

<u>GROUND ELECTRODE FALL OF POTENTIAL TESTING</u> <u>2636-2654 EGLINTON AVE W.</u> <u>BROSZ WO#: 8985-21 (September 7, 2022)</u>



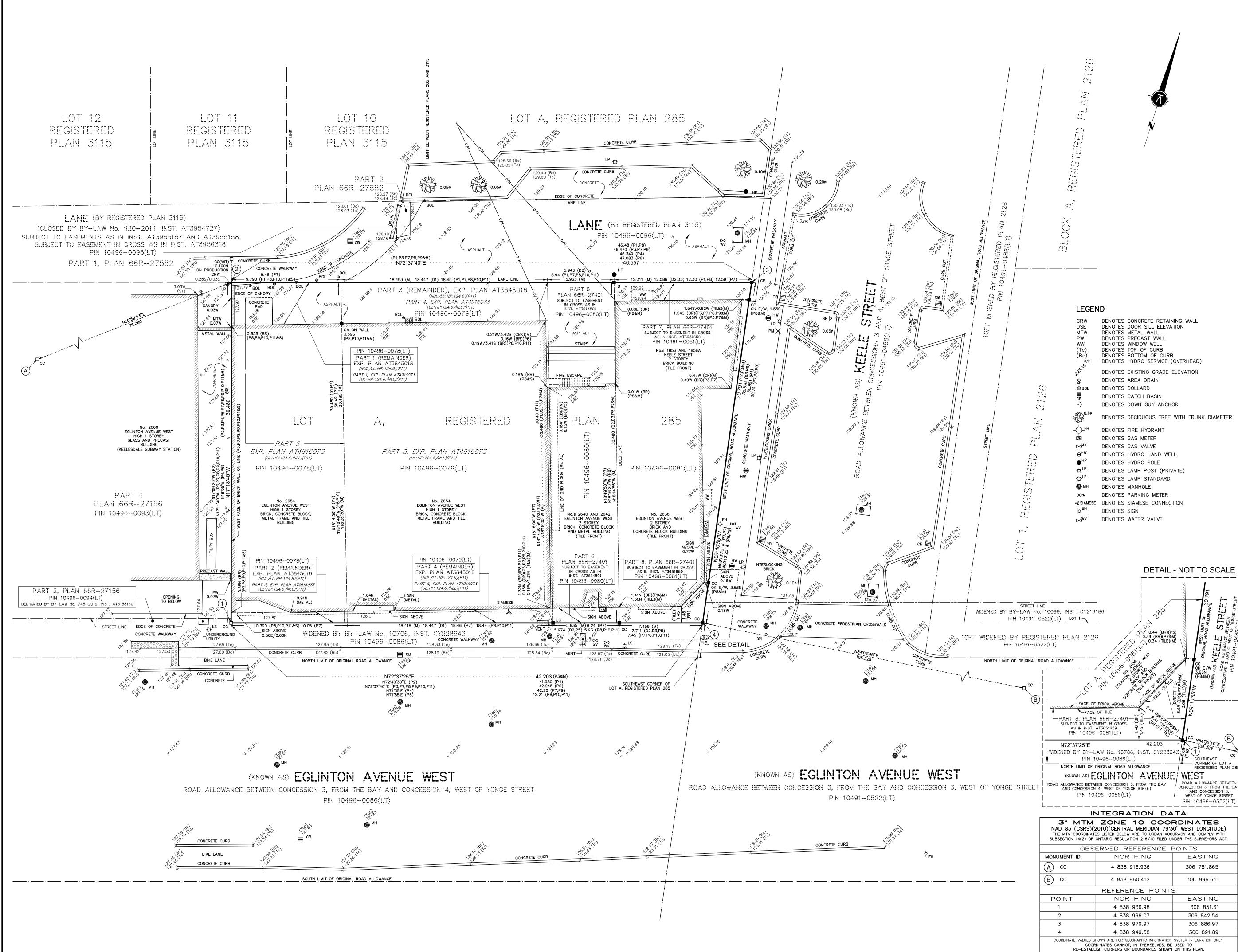
Southwest Corner of Keelesdale Station



Northwest Corner of Keelesdale Station

APPENDIX III

• Reference Drawings



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● ^{HP} DENOTES HYDRO POLE	
☆ ^{LP} DENOTES LAMP POST (PRIVATE)	
☆ ^{LS} DENOTES LAMP STANDARD	
MH DENOTES MANHOLE	
XPM DENOTES PARKING METER	
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ELEVATIONS SHOWN HEREON ARE GEODETIC AND ARE RELATED TO CITY OF TORONTO BENCHMARK No. YT259, HAVING AN ELEVATION OF 140.711 METRES (CGVD28:PRE78).

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ALL FOUND MONUMENTS ARE BY CITY OF TORONTO SURVEYS (TOR), UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

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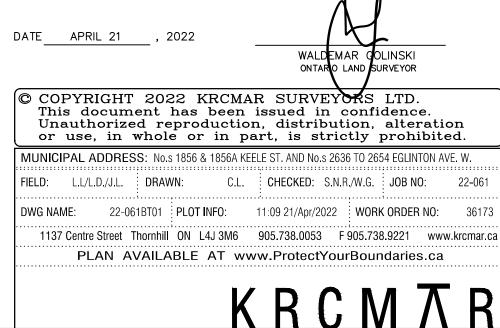
SURVEY REPORT

- 1. THE RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY BOUNDARIES IS BASED ON INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE RELEVANT TITLE DOCUMENTS, REGISTERED PLANS AND ON THE EVIDENCE OF PRIOR SURVEYS FOUND DURING THE COURSE OF PREPARING THE SUBJECT SURVEY.
- 2. THE TYPE AND LOCATION OF THE EXISTING BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS, FENCES ETC., ON OR NEAR THE SUBJECT PROPERTY ARE AS SHOWN ON THE SURVEY PLAN.
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- 10496-0080(LT) AND 10496-0081(LT).
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- 6. PIN 10496-0079(LT) SUBJECT TO TEMPORARY EASEMENT OVER PARTS 3 AND 4, EXPROPRIATION PLAN AT3845018 AS IN INST. AT3945018, EXPIRED DECEMBER 31, 2020; SUBJECT TO TEMPORARY EASEMENT OVER PARTS 4, 5 AND 6, EXPROPRIATION PLAN AT4302593 AS IN INST. AT4302593, EXPIRED DECEMBER 31, 2021; SUBJECT TO TEMPORARY EASEMENT OVER PARTS 4, 5 AND 6, EXPROPRIATION PLAN AT4916073 AS IN INST. AT4916073, EXPIRED DECEMBER 8, 2019.
- 7. PIN 10496-0080(LT) SUBJECT TO EASEMENT IN GROSS OVER PARTS 5 AND 6, PLAN 66R-27401 AS IN INST. AT3614801.
- PIN 10496-0081(LT) SUBJECT TO EASEMENT IN GROSS OVER PARTS 7 AND 8, PLAN 66R-27401 AS IN INST. AT3651659.

TOTAL SITE AREA = 1352.6 m^2

SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE

- I CERTIFY THAT:
- 1. THIS SURVEY AND PLAN ARE CORRECT AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SURVEYS ACT, THE SURVEYORS ACT AND THE REGULATIONS MADE UNDER THEM.
- 2. THE SURVEY WAS COMPLETED ON THE 20th DAY OF APRIL, 2022



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