

In-River Ground Improvement, Monitoring, Supplemental Test Dredge

Marine Construction Staging Plan and Marine
Communication Plan

Date June 9th 2025

Agenda

1. In-River Test Program

In-River Investigations/Test
Dredge

In-River Monitoring

2. Marine Construction Staging

Navigation Detours

Schedule

3. Marine Communication Plan

Communication
Plan

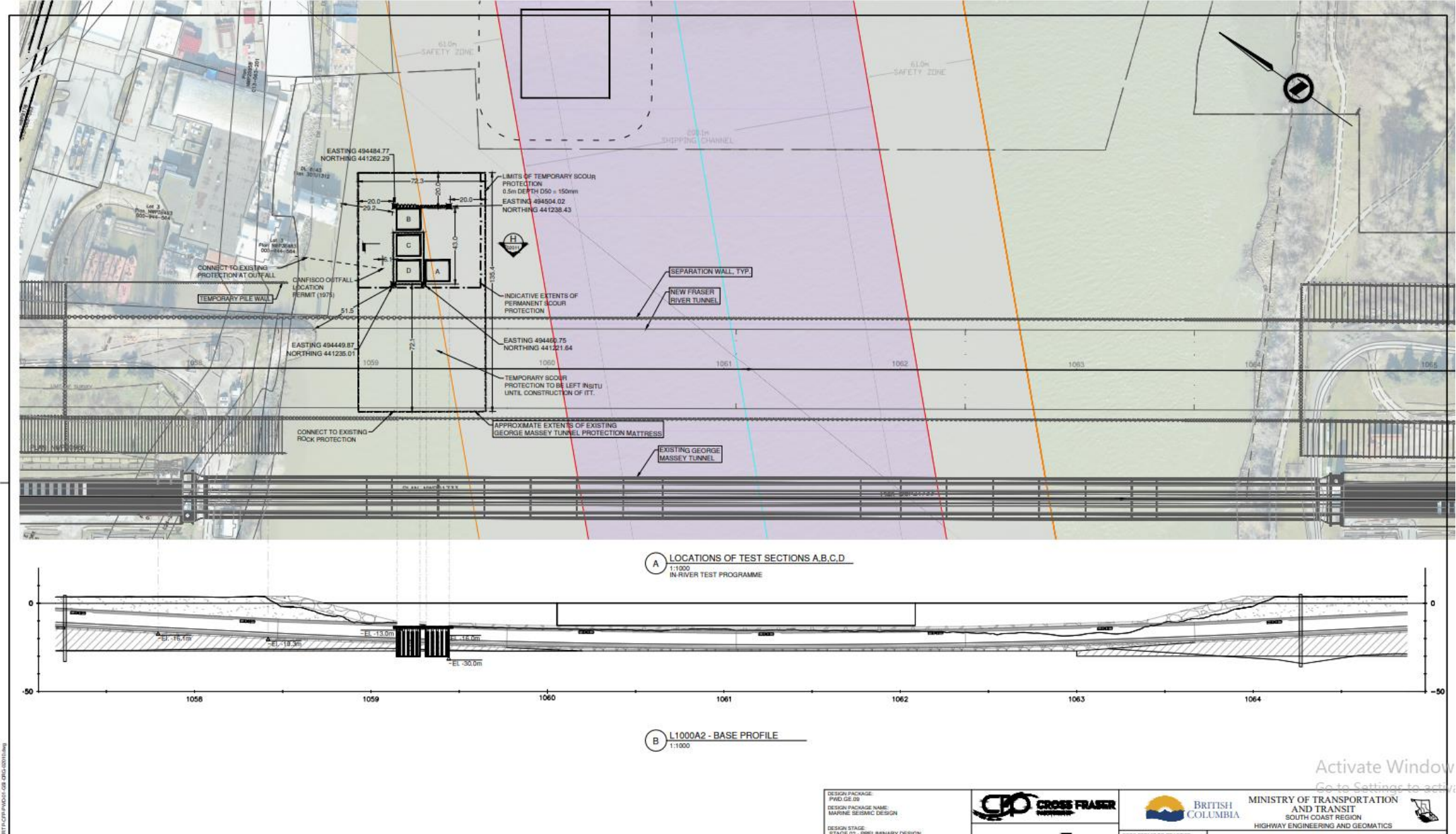
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Proposed Works and Plan Objectives

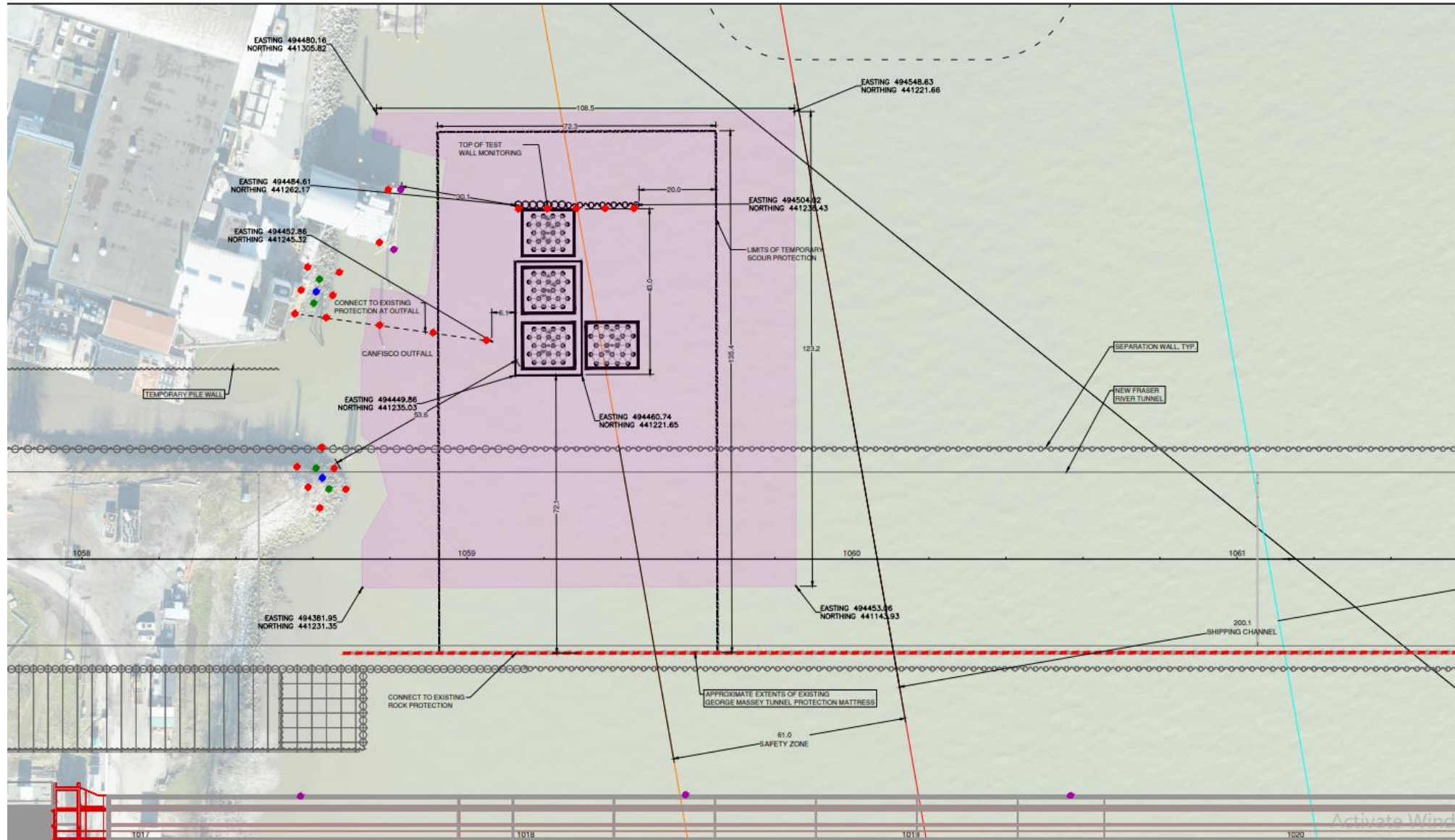
Cross Fraser Partnership (CFP) propose a Ground Improvement Program and Supplementary Test Dredge (the In-River Test Program) to support construction of the Fraser River Tunnel Project (F RTP). The works are:

1. Critical to determine scheduling and limit “interferences” to navigation regarding overall F RTP construction requirements
2. Verify constructability and effectiveness of selected ground improvement methods for densification. Works consist of ground improvement trials, combi-wall prototype installation and sheet pile cofferdam (optional)
3. The Supplemental Test Dredge is found necessary for addressing the data gaps as identified in the 2022 test dredge and to acquire additional data for supporting the design assumptions and construction methodologies for the Tunnel.
4. Information and results will be incorporated in the design and construction of the F RTP to reduce risk to project schedule and costs and limit navigation interferences.

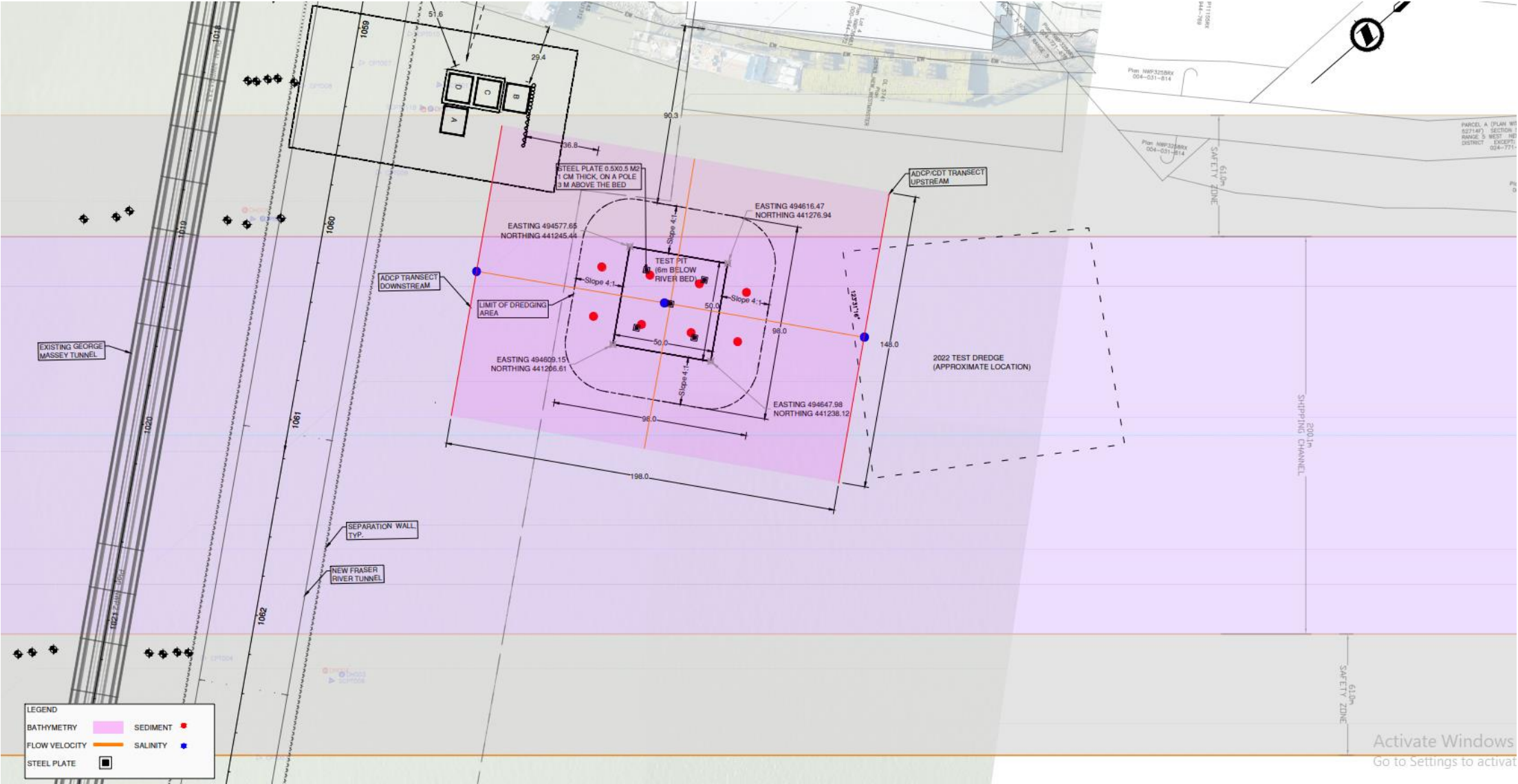
In-River Test Program – Ground Improvement



In-River Test Program – Scour Protection and Monitoring of Existing Infrastructure



Supplemental Test Dredge



In-water Monitoring for Data Collection

Up to two Acoustic Doppler Current Profilers (ADCP) will be installed for data collection.

An ADCP is a hydro-acoustic instrument used to measure the speed and direction of water currents.

The locations will:

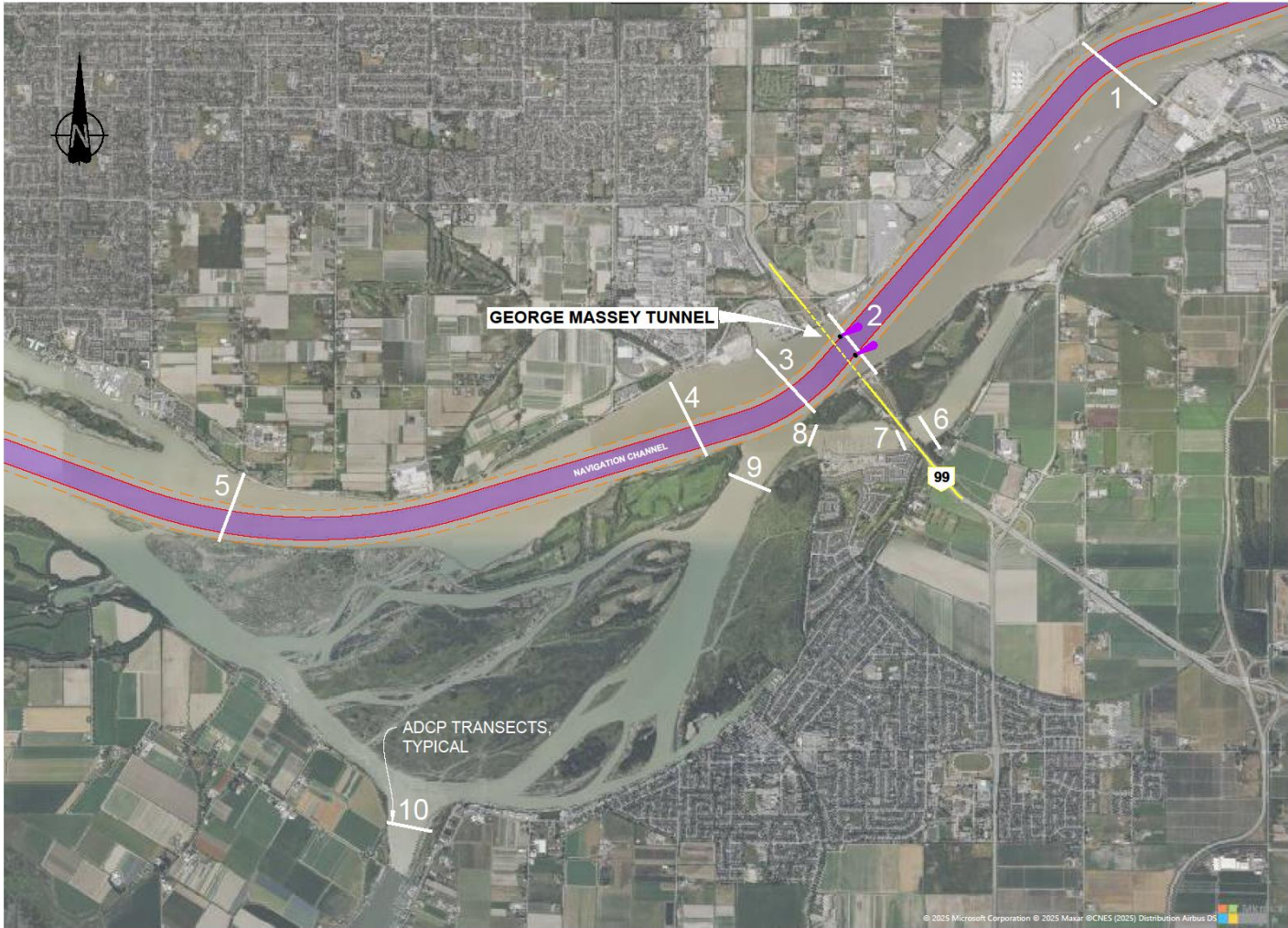
- Be representative for the general river flow.
- Provide a measured signal which is not affected by small scale irregularities. For this reason, measurements should not be performed too close to the riverbank, but in the deeper waters.

The locations are approximately at the new tunnel centerline and 5 m from the edge of the shipping channel (so inside the safety zone outside the navigation channel).

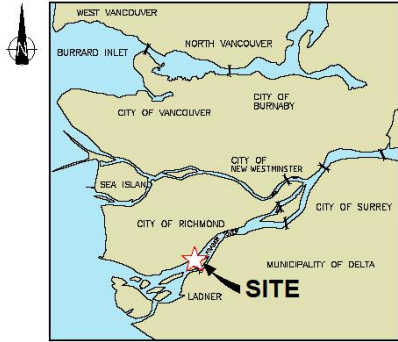
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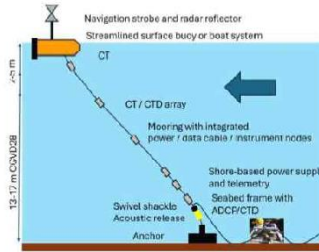
The ADCP's will be in place in July 2025 and in February 2026 (one month duration per data collection campaign)



LOCATION PLAN
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KEY PLAN
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BUOY SYSTEM

NOTES:

- SHORE-BASED H-ADCP SYSTEM WITH ~15m LONG INSTRUMENT CARRIER RAIL AND WINCH FOR H-ADCP WITH BED/BANK ANCHORING SYSTEM. DATA AND POWER INTEGRATED WITH MOORING.
- RIVERBED INSTRUMENT FRAME FOR UPLOOKING V-ADCP/CTD - INTEGRATED ARMOURED SUBMARINE CABLE RIVERBED ANCHORED TO SHORE AND INTEGRATED WITH SHORE-BASED SYSTEMS AND TAUTLINE MOORING.
- TAUTLINE SURFACE/SUBSURFACE MOORING (SUBS BUOY) / ARMOURED SUBMARINE CABLE (DATA AND POWER TRANSMISSION) WITH 8 UNDERWATER CONNECTOR NODES AND RIVERBED FRAME.
- MOORING WITH STRAIN RELEASES AT SURFACE AND BED SWIVEL SYSTEM ABOVE BED.
- SHORE-BASED WATER-PROOF ENCLOSURE ON CATAMARAN DECK FOR POWER SUPPLY BATTERIES, CELLULAR TELEMETRY, SOLAR, DATA ACQUISITION SYSTEM (CONTROLLER).
- SOLAR PANEL ARRAY.

LEGEND:

- PROJECT BOUNDARY
- IDENTIFIED WORK PACKAGE FOR NPD SUBMISSION
- MAIN NAVIGATION CHANNEL
- CHANNEL SAFETY ZONE
- MAIN NAVIGATION CHANNEL
- ADMINISTRATIVE SAFETY ZONE
- CTD

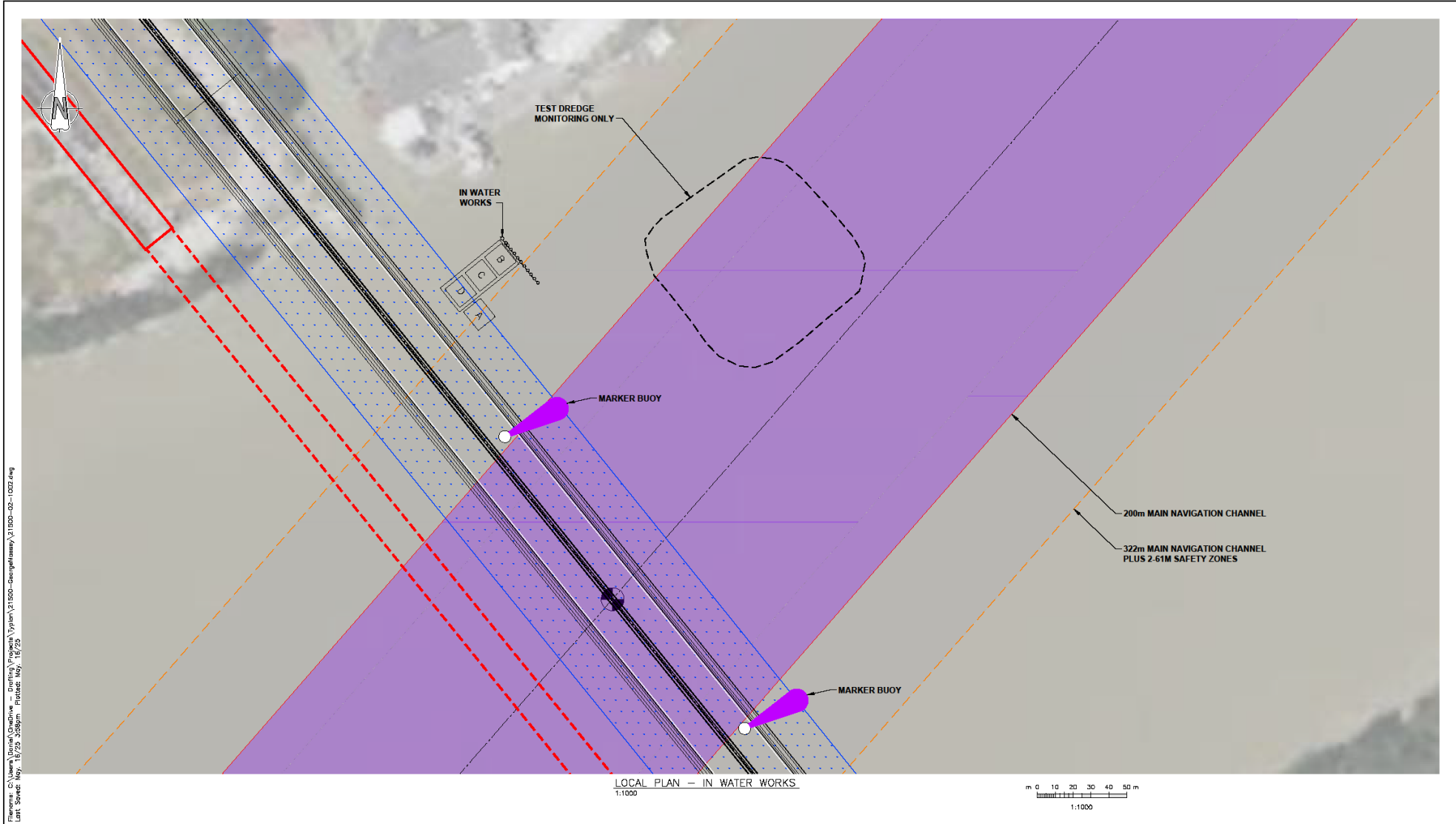
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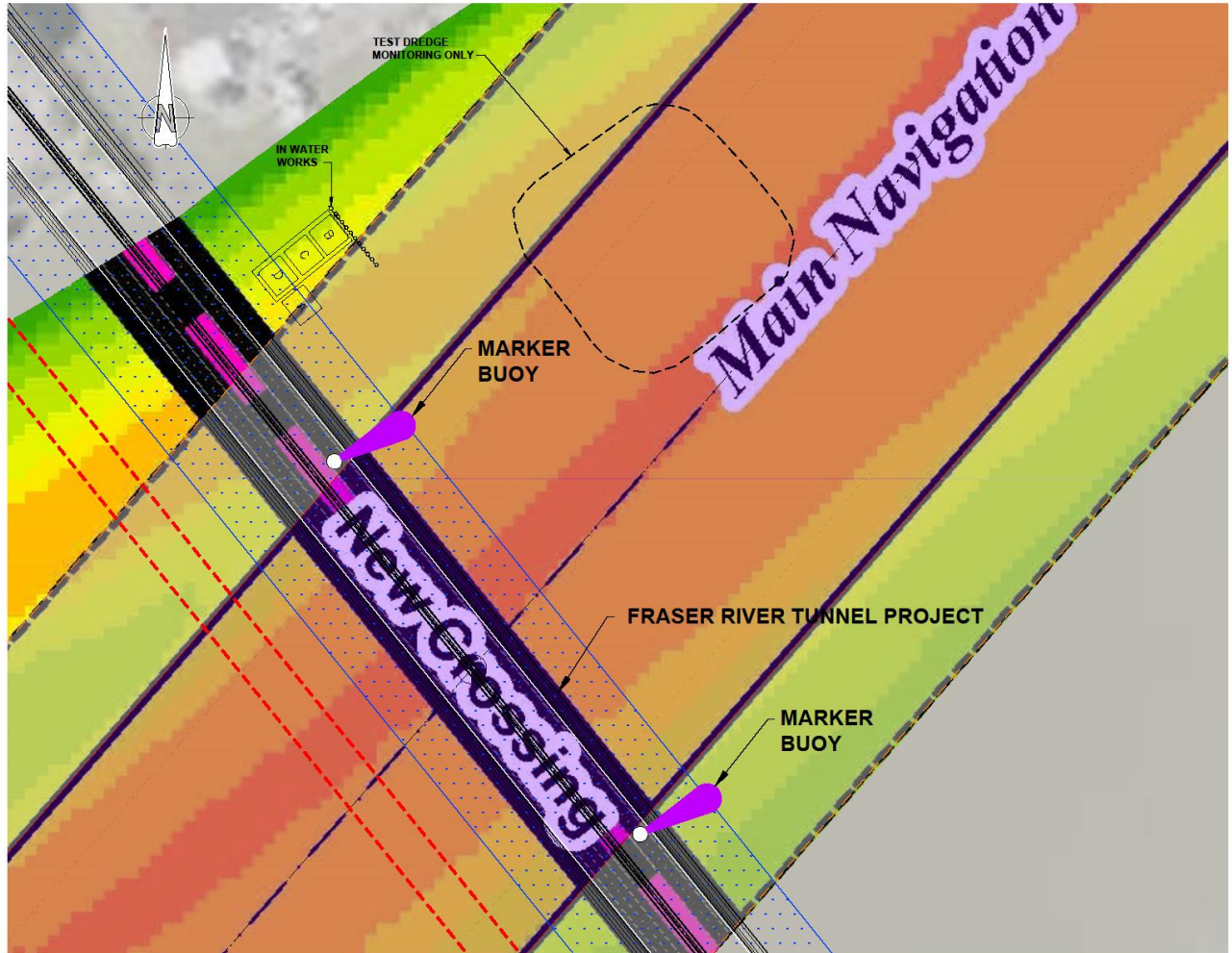
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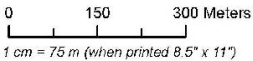
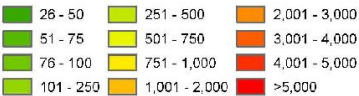
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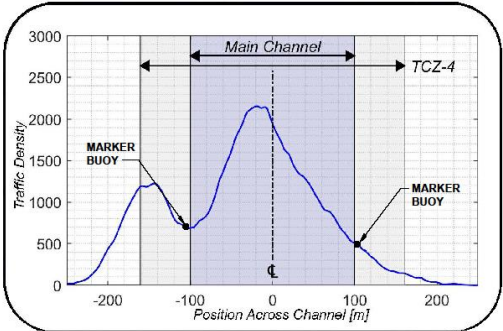


Local Traffic: 2017 - 2019

Vessel Traffic (number of vessel passes)



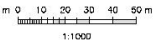
- Notes:
1. Traffic is shown based on AIS data and is subject to the accuracy of the information broadcast by each individual vessel.
 2. "Local Traffic" includes tug boats, fishing vessels, and all other vessels not classified as "Ferties" or "Deep Draft".
 3. Chart Source: CHS 3490 "Fraser River, Sands Heads to Douglas Island".






SECTION A-A



LOCAL PLAN - IN WATER WORKS
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Fraser River Tunnel Navigation Channel Detours Overview

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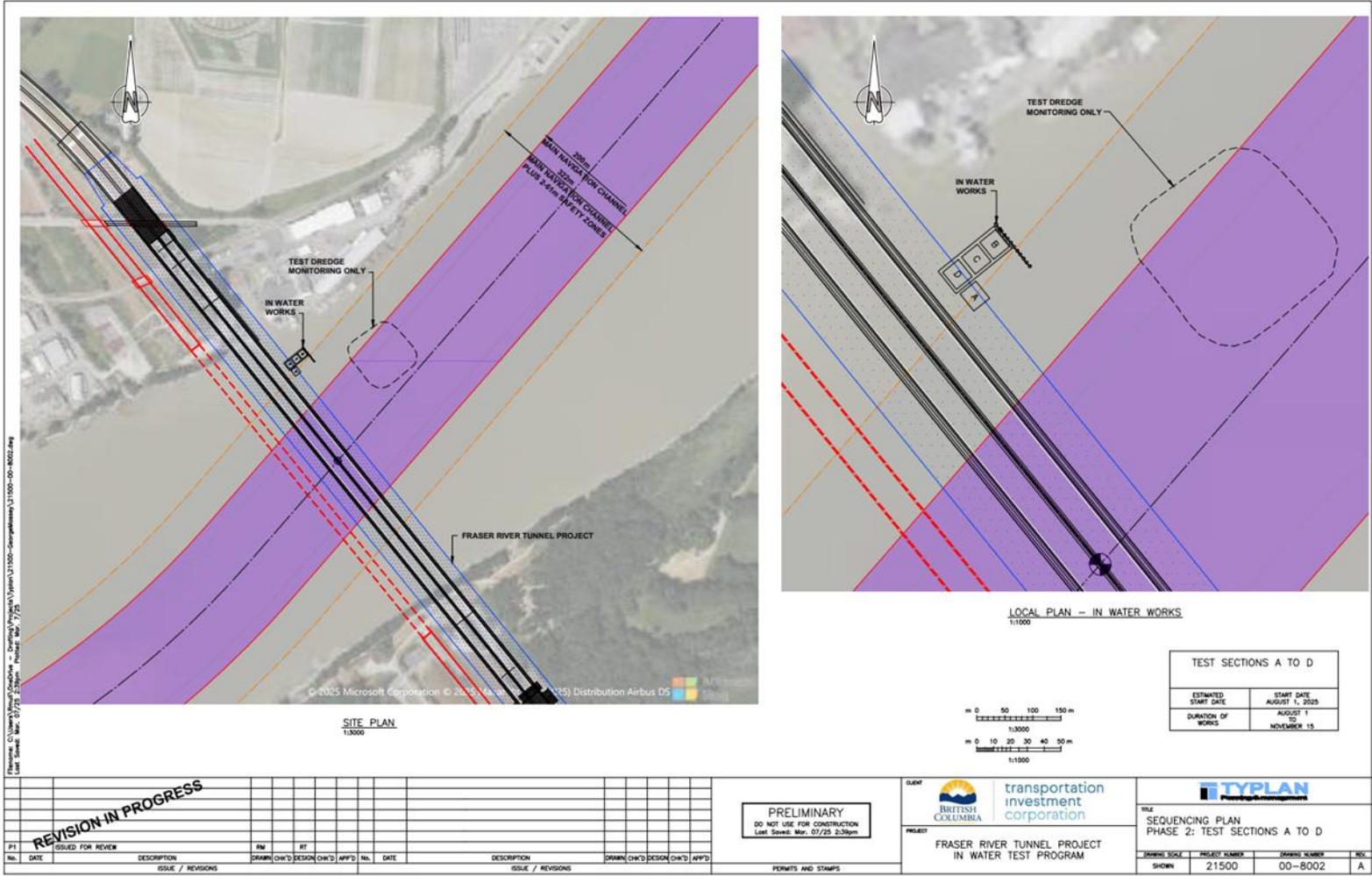




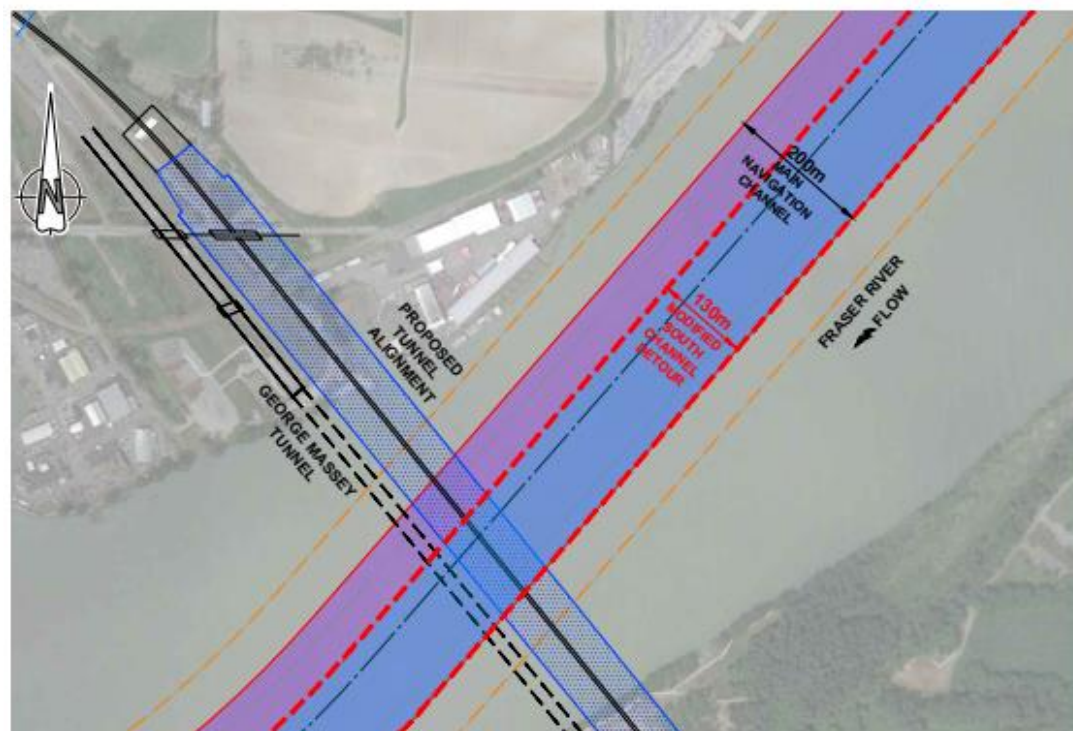
In-River Test Program Navigation Channel Detours

Modified South Navigation Channel Detour
South Navigation Channel Detour

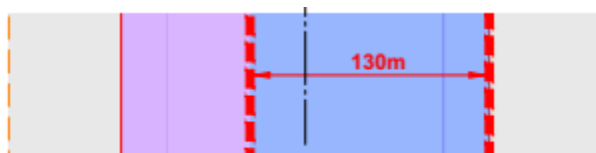
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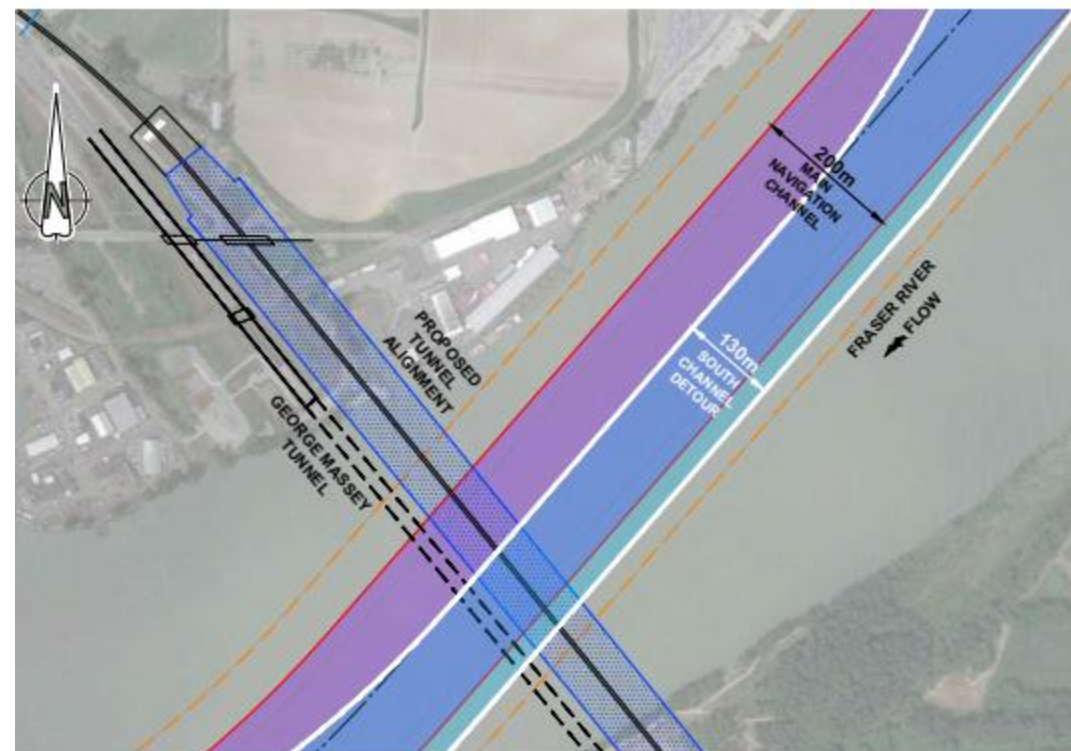
Navigation Channel Detours being Implemented for the In-River Test Program



MODIFIED SOUTH CHANNEL DETOUR
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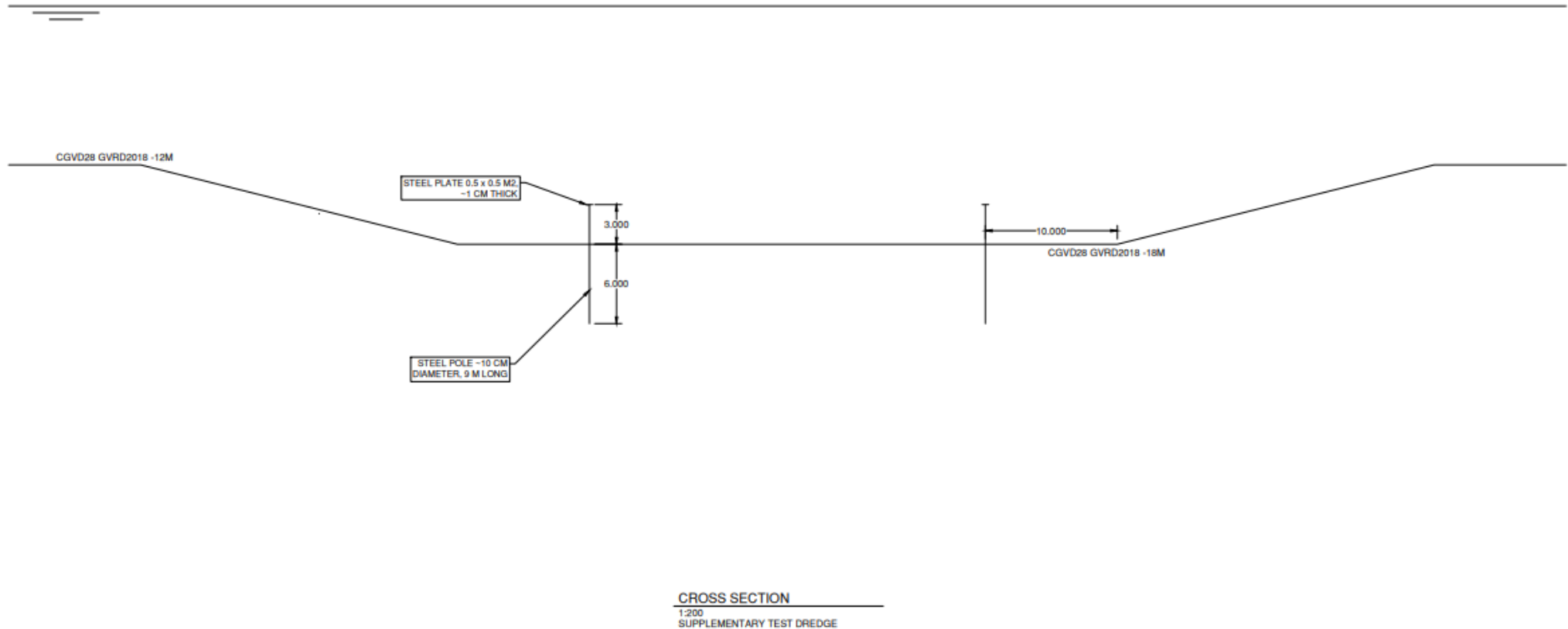


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SOUTH CHANNEL DETOUR

Supplemental Test Dredge Program Sedimentation Monitoring within the Test Dredge



Typical Marine Construction Staging Equipment Configurations





Marine Construction Staging Plan Schedule and Overview

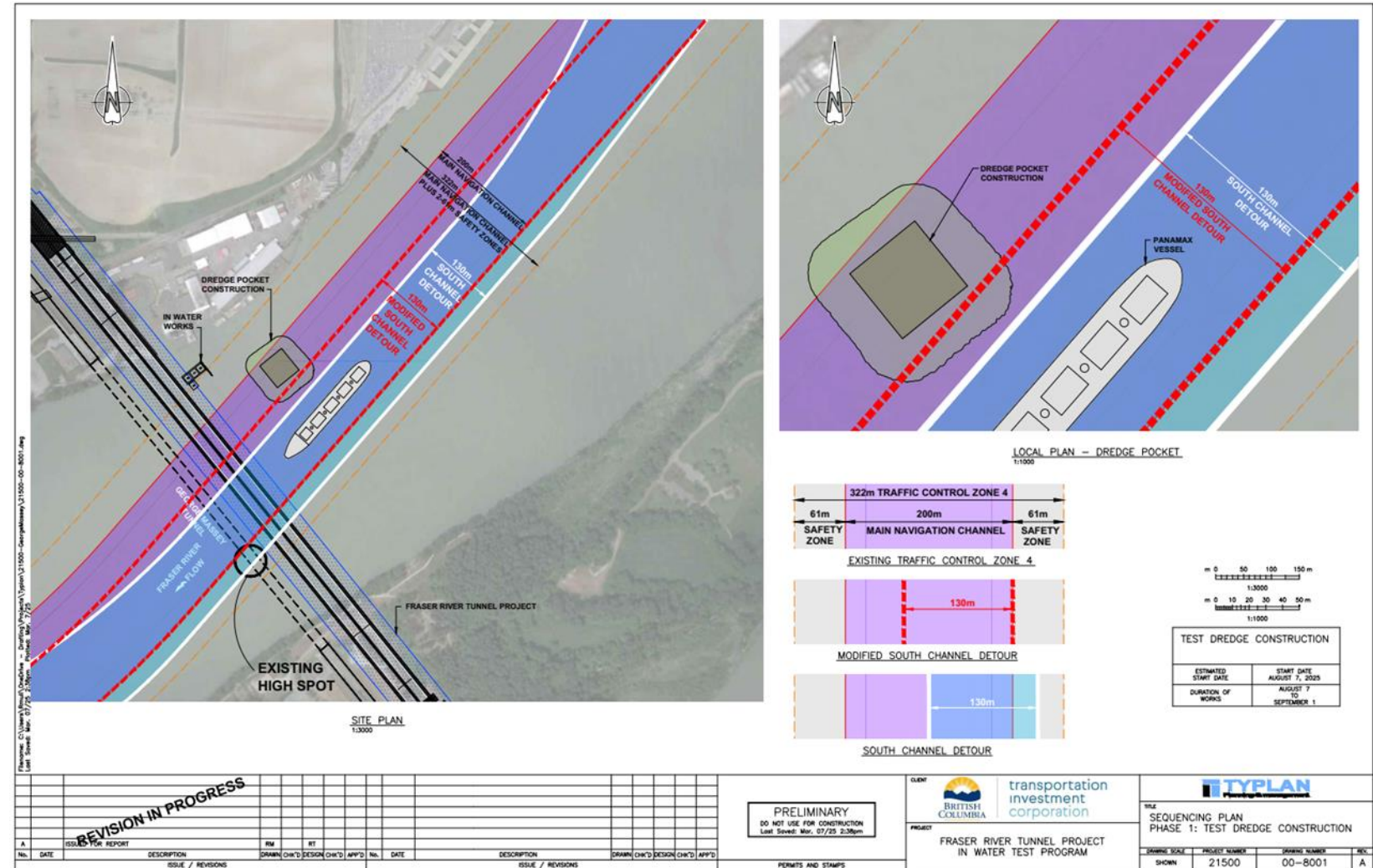
In-River Works and Supplemental Test Dredge

Fraser River Tunnel Project (F RTP)

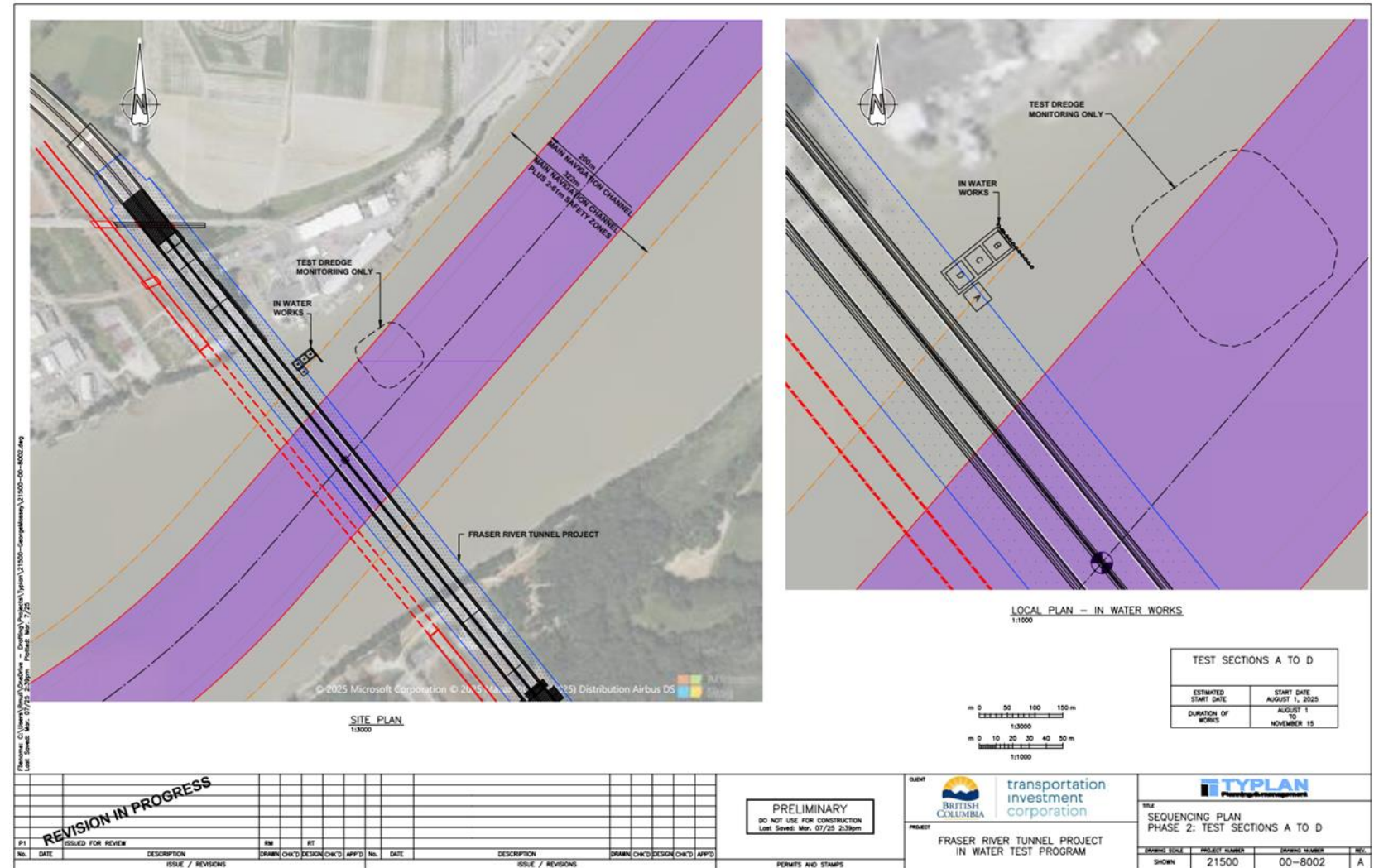
2025-2026 In- water works

Schedule	August				September				October				November				December				January			
	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4
Marine Mobilization																								
Monitoring Instrumentation																								
Combi wall Construction																								
Stone columns (no cofferdam)																								
CPT Testing																								
Demobilization																								
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In-fill and demobilization																								
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Navigation Channel Detour Implemented																								
Main Navigation Channel (Existing)																								
Modified 130m South Navigation Detour																								
Location of Works																								
Administrative Safety Zone																								
Portion of Main Navigation channel																								

Marine Construction Staging Plan Overview



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Lessons Learned: Geotechnical Investigations 2023-2024

Key marine safety issues with In-River Test Program



Direct communications on VHF channels between marine stakeholders and marine contractor required

Adherence to use of which navigation detour being implemented is critical

Wake from tug and tow and ferry operations effects marine construction vessels, especially support vessels for ground improvement activities

AIS must be provided on all marine construction staging vessels

Marine community awareness of works

Key Construction and Marine Safety Issues

Contractors Awareness

Number of transits and patterns in the general area of the works

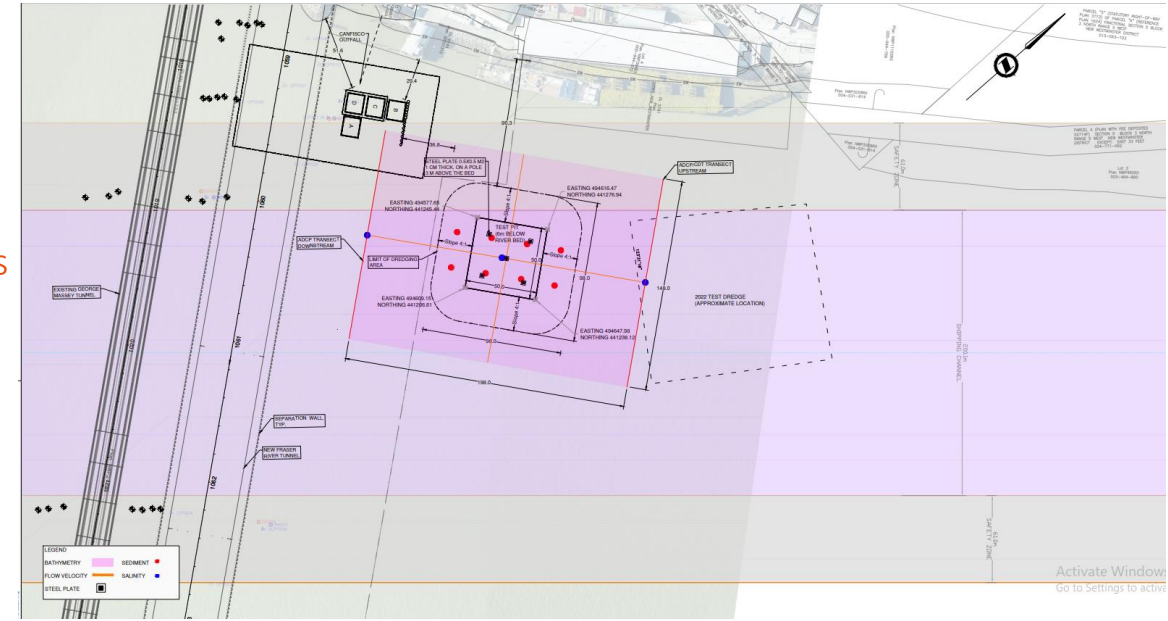
Scheduling related to implementation of South Navigation Channel Detour for test dredge creation and infill related to deep-sea transits

Marine Operators Awareness

Wake effects on support vessels

Modification of existing patterns of use to avoid In-river Test Program activities

CMC (Local Tug and Tow Operators) and Seaspan Ferries of cutting corners of the main navigation channel



South Modified Navigation Detour

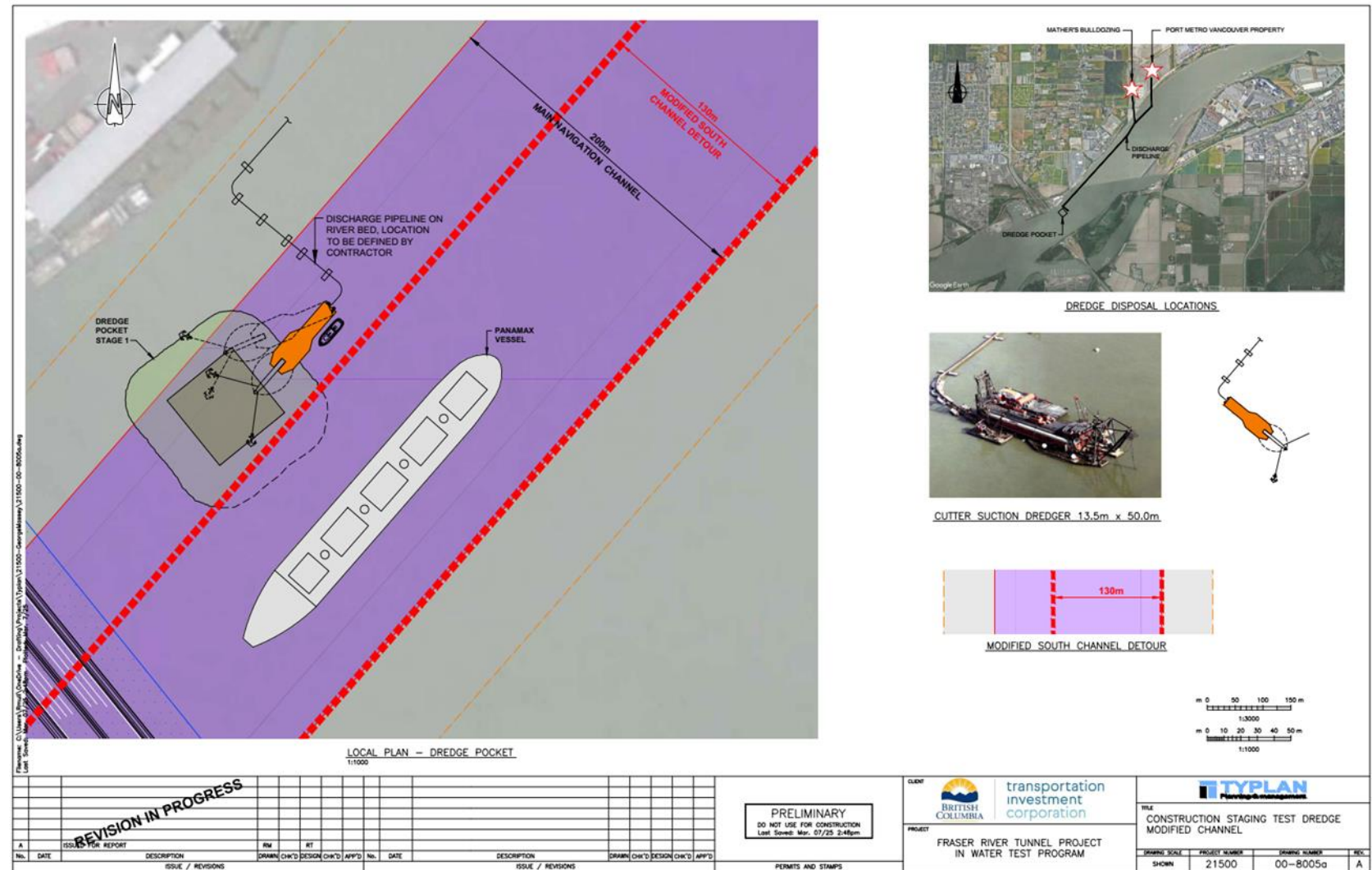
To Limit interferences to navigation the Modified South Navigation detour will be utilized as much as possible

The south Navigation Detour will only be utilized if required during the construction and infill of the Supplemental Test Dredge

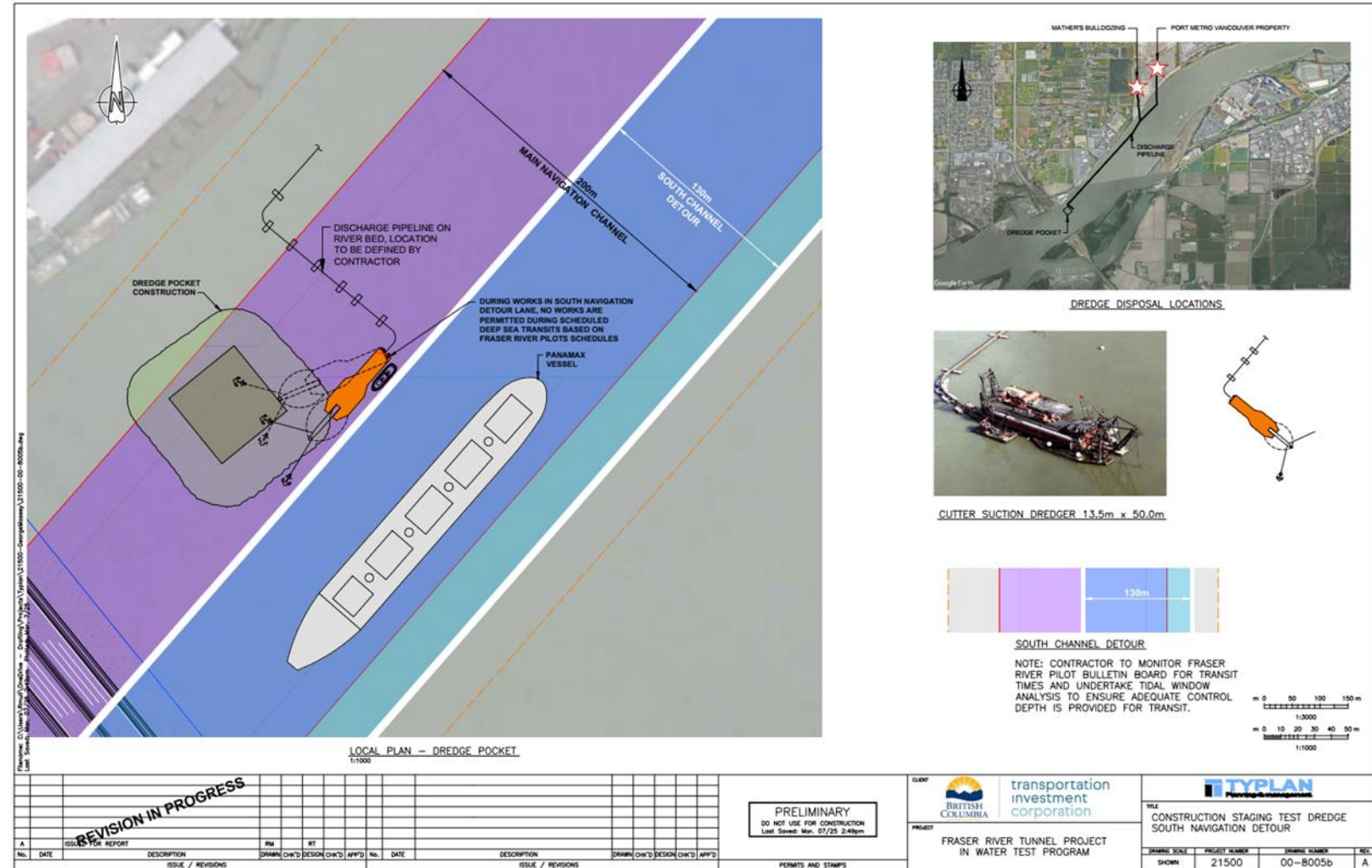


Marine Construction Staging Equipment

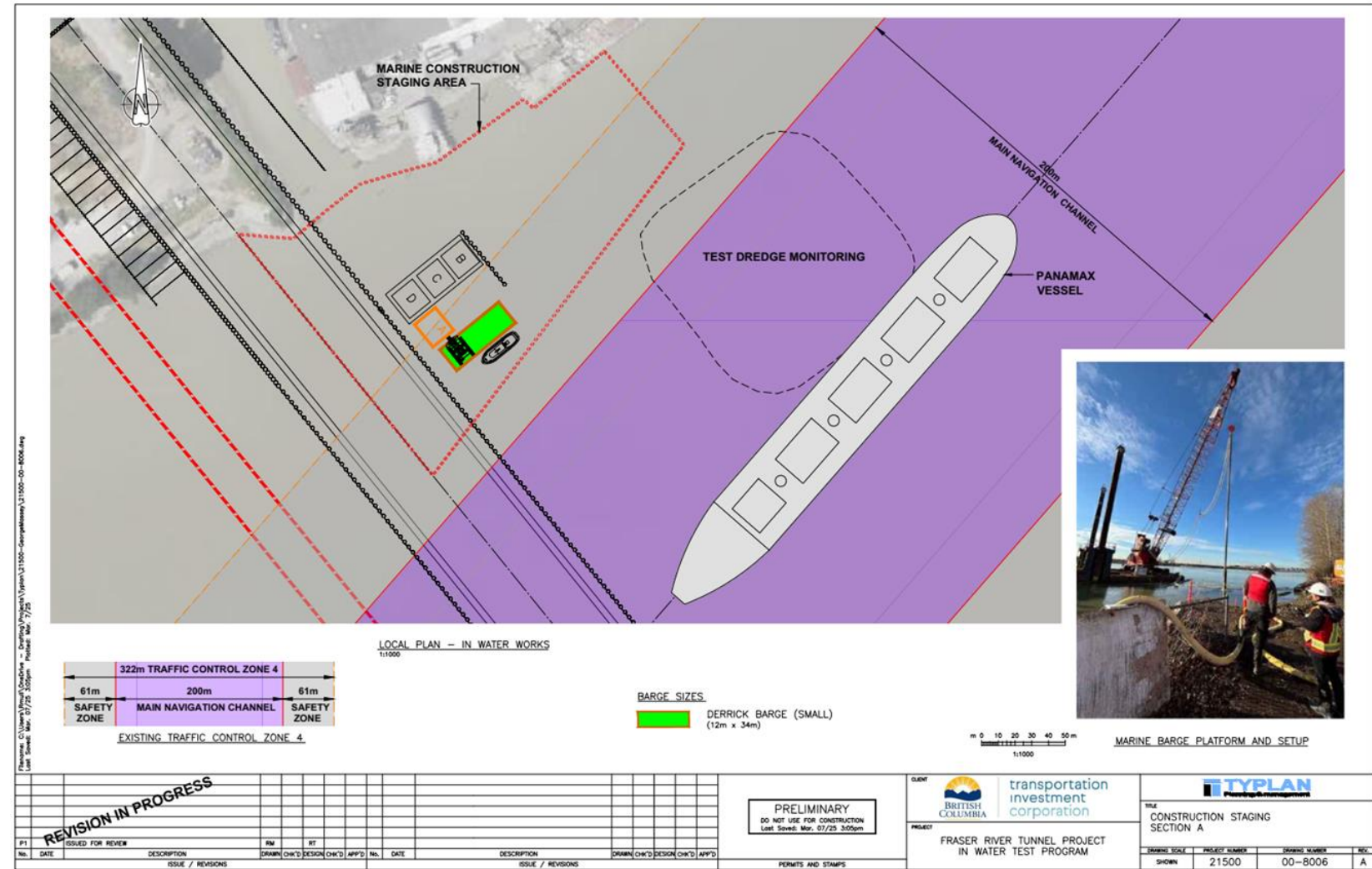
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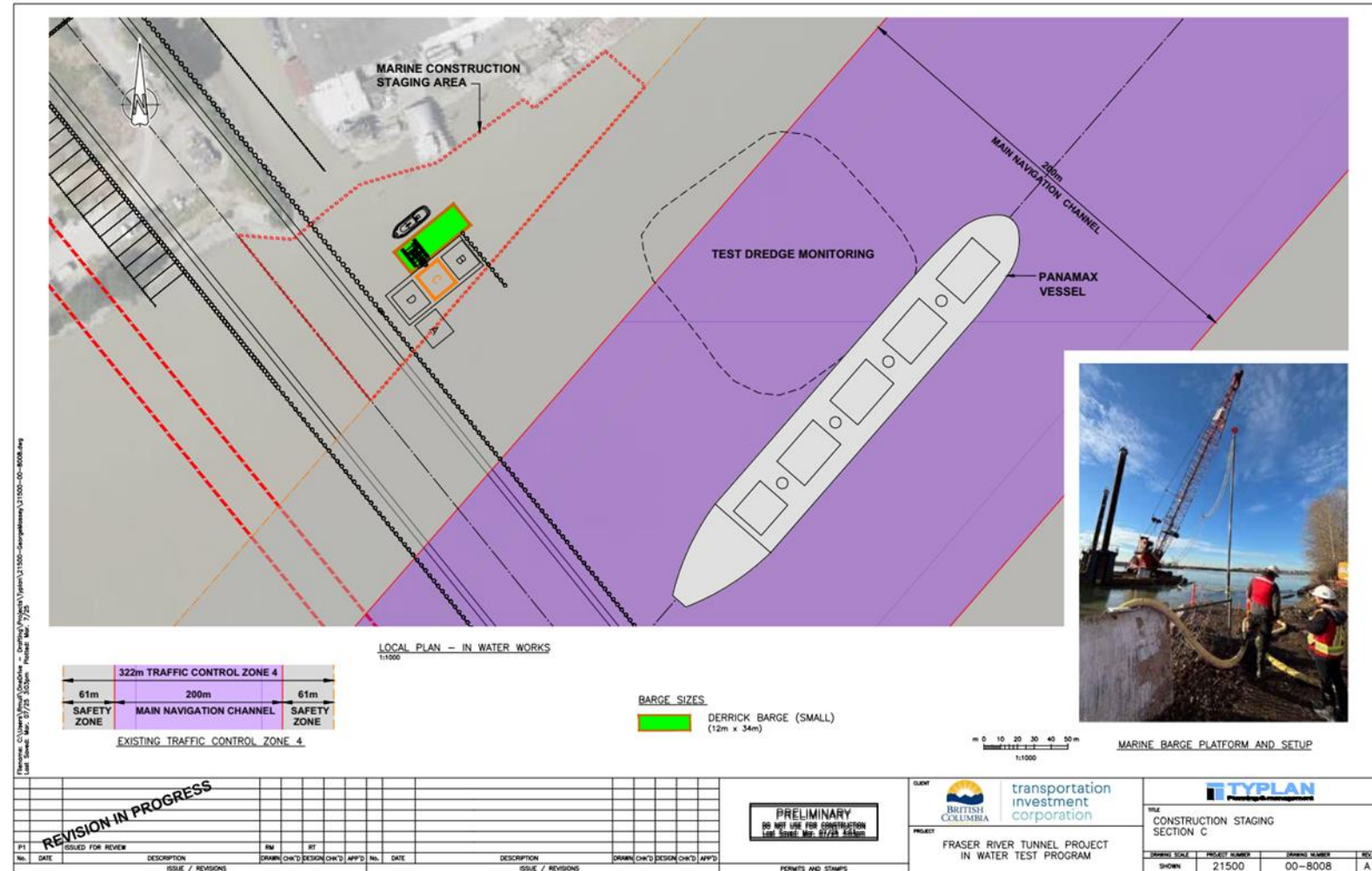
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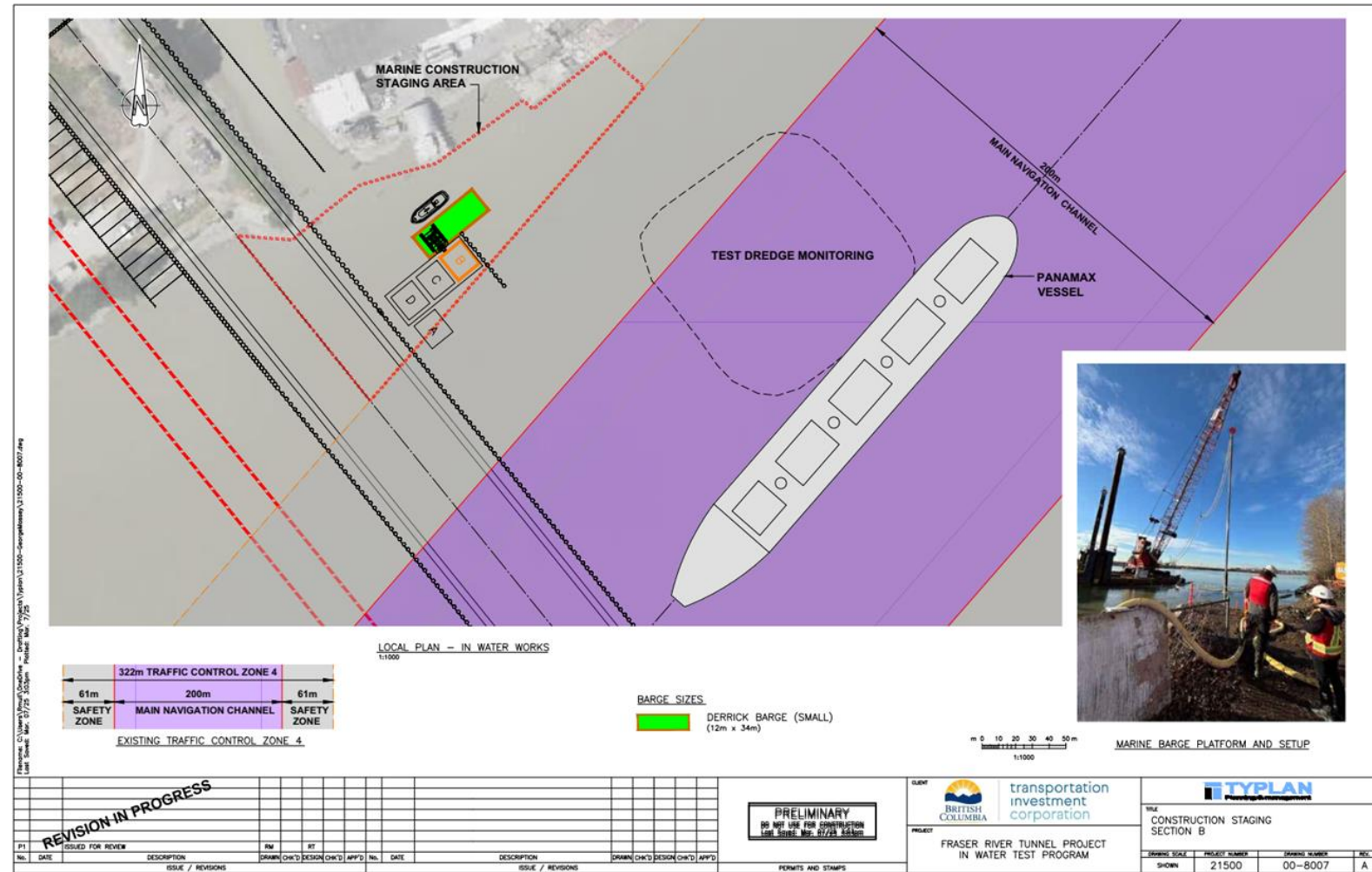
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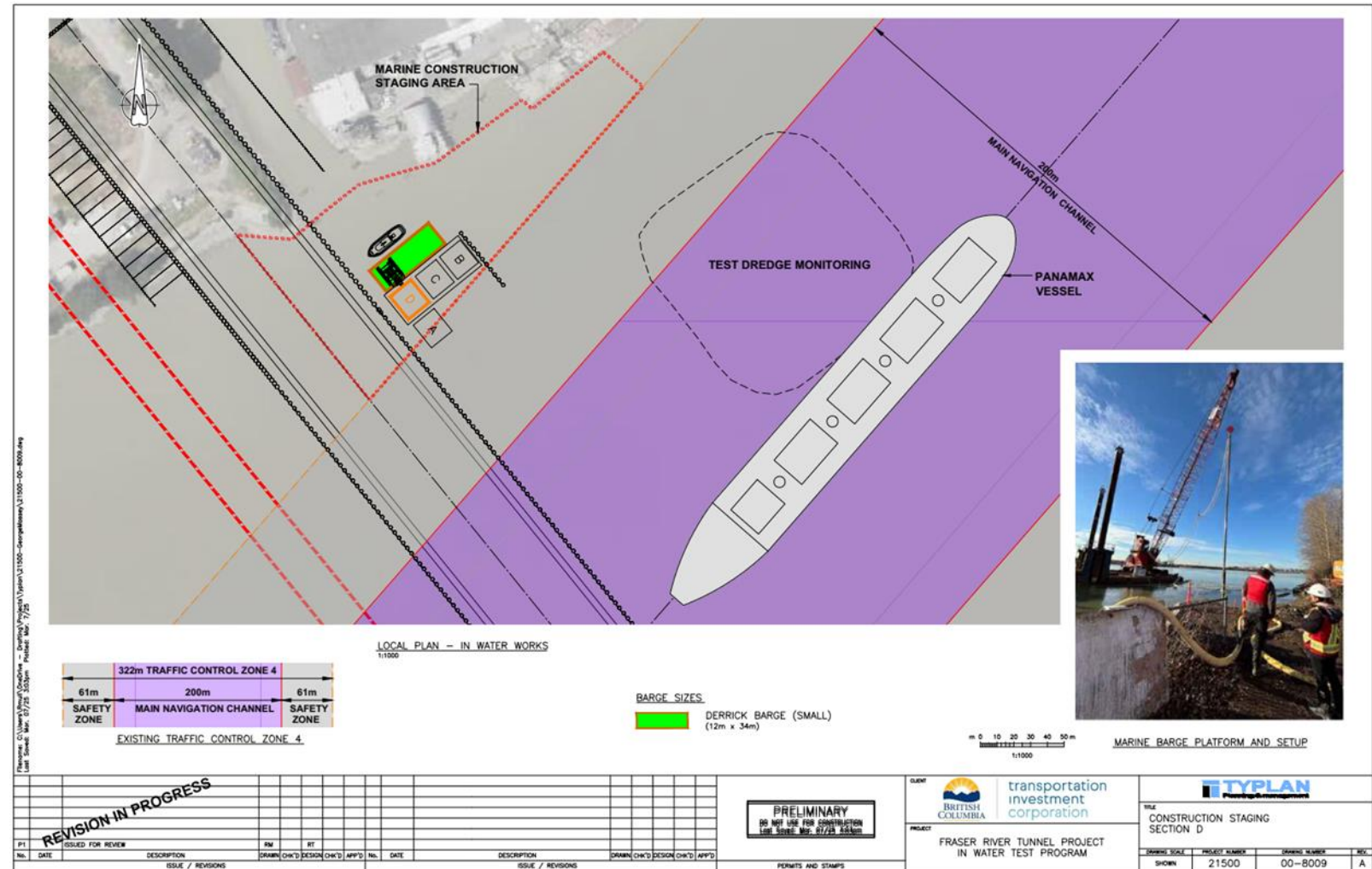
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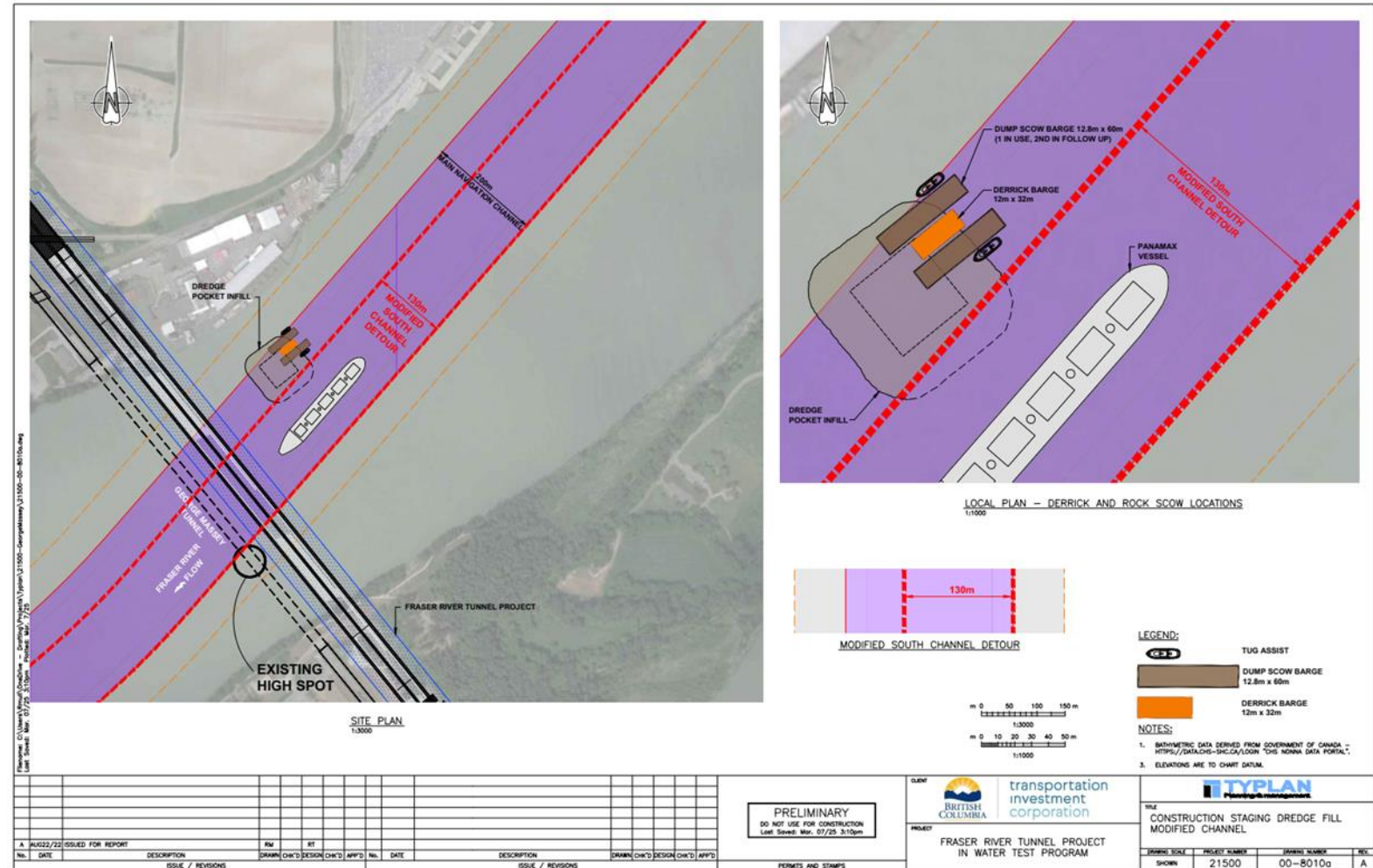
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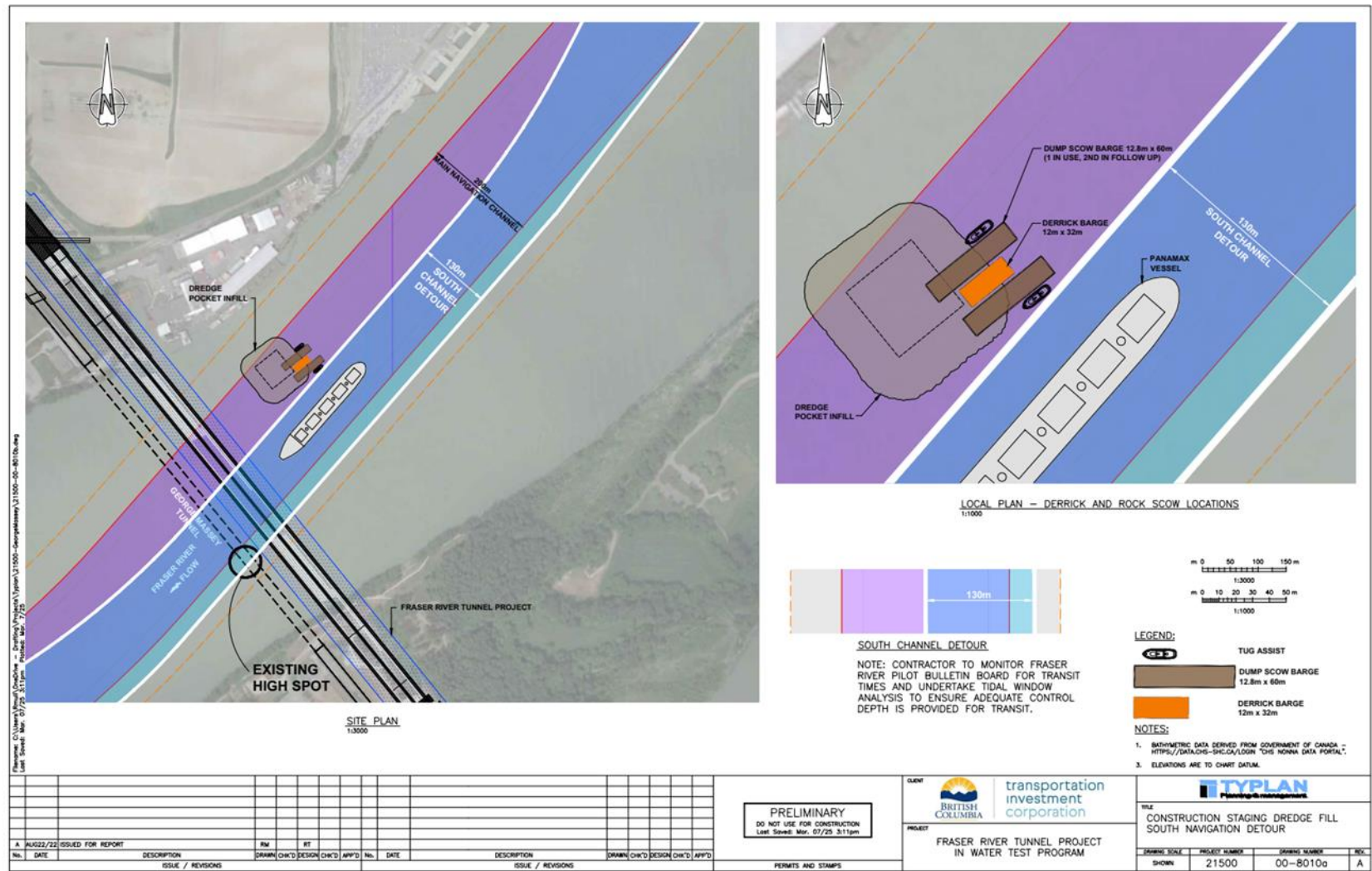
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Marine Communication Plan

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Contractor	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
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Marine Communications and Traffic Systems	TBD	TBD	TBD	http://www.ccg-gcc.gc.ca/Marine-Communications/Home
Transportation Investment Corporation	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Cross Fraser Partnership	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
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Marine User Groups	Various			

Test Program Marine Support

1000 HP Twin Screw Tug

Tug Assist

Smaller Support Craft

Support Vessel

TBD by contractor

Marine VHS Channels

Issuance of NAVWARNS

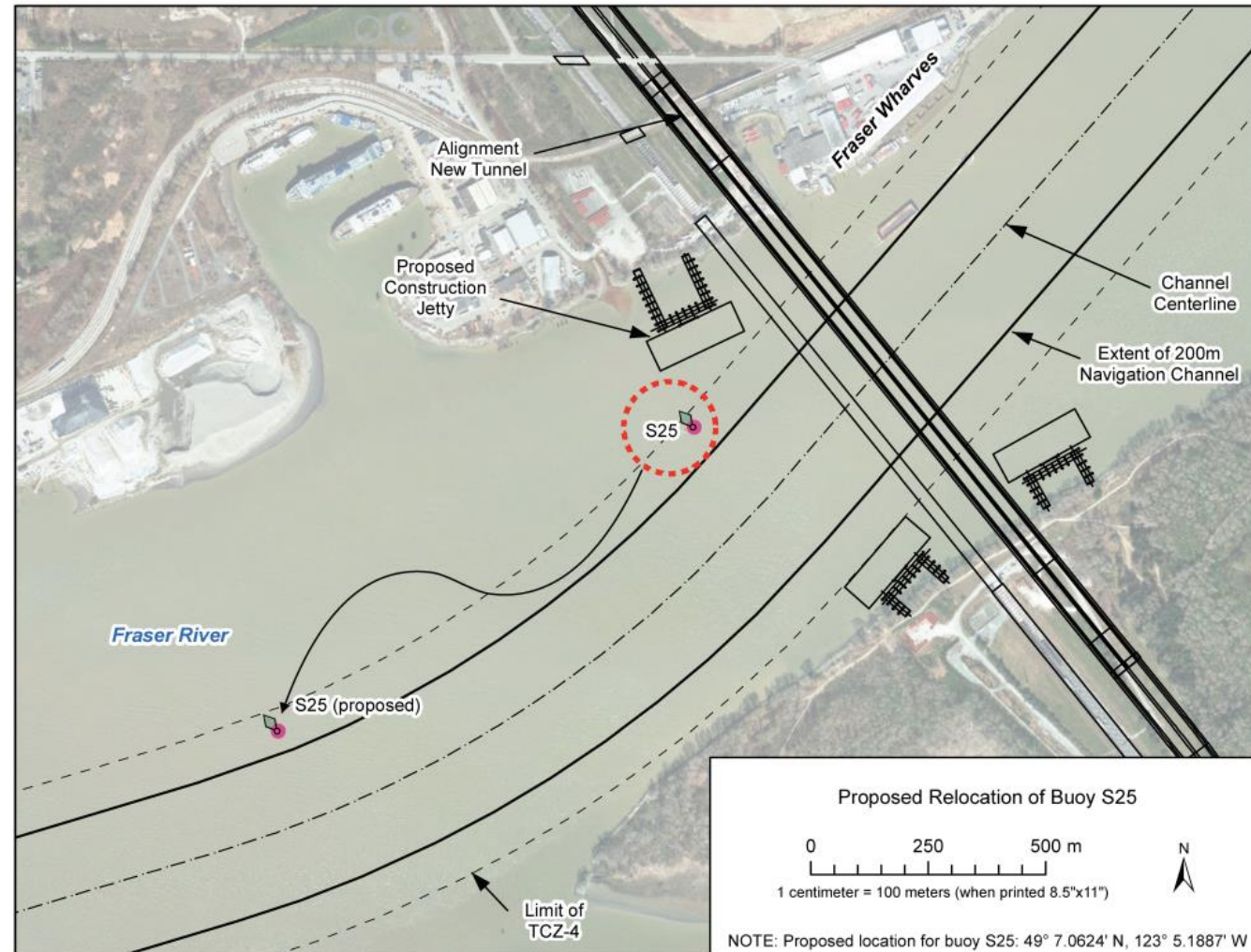
Project related daily issuance of Construction Notices will be provided to MUG membership (e.g., Seaspan Ferries, Council of Marine Carriers (CMC), Fraser River Pilots (FRP), Fraser River Industrial Alliance (FRIA))

MCTS CCG will receive weekly NAVWARN notices



Relocation of Buoy S25

Aids to Navigation Support



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