Hogarth Roundabout

Outcomes Definition Study Technical Note



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1. BACKGROUND/CONTEXT

The design brief had set the context, requirements and scope of works for high level outcome definition work within the 'Vision Zero' Safer Junctions programme.

The Safer Junctions programme is prioritising 73 junctions across London that have the poorest collision cords for safety led improvements. Based on location and mix of users, the Safer Junctions Programme has identified Hogarth Roundabout as potentially benefitting from more significant transformational change, where a range of Mayors Transport Strategy (MTS) & Healthy Streets Approach outcomes (walking, cycling and public transport) can be achieved alongside road danger reduction.

Hogarth Roundabout is situated at the junction of The A4, A316, Dorchester Grove and Church Street.



Figure 1: Existing Layout

2. SCOPE

Roads, Streets and Places (RSP) have been commissioned by Delivery Planning in conjunction with Surface Strategy and Network Development to investigate the following:

"This Brief requests optioneering at the three junctions, all of which are key nodes in London's road network. Optioneering must scope out the breadth of possible design options available that could address the recognised road danger challenge and realise identified Healthy Streets outcomes, covering the range of intervention scales from pragmatic to transformational change."

The project objectives need to promote the Mayors Transport Strategy (MTS) of schemes' commitments to the 'Vision Zero' approach along with encouraging efficient and sustainable travel.

Outcome Definition design development

Key task: Scope a range of potential design options for each junction.

Key stage outcome: consider a breadth of possible design options that could address the recognised road danger challenge and realise identified Healthy Streets outcomes, covering the range of intervention scales from pragmatic to transformational change.

3. EXISTING INFORMATION

Existing bus facilities

- There is currently one bus route that serves the area between Chiswick High St and Richmond (via Hogarth's Roundabout). A bus stop servicing buses towards Richmond is located approximately 175m from the junction on Dorchester Grove. It's located on a segment of footway where there are no dropped kerbs and accessibility to the bus stop would be problematic, particularly for wheelchair users.
- On Burlington Lane, there are bus stops serving both directions in close proximity to the flyover. Both stops are served as inset bus stops and accessibility to them appears to be good.

The Table below shows the bus route and frequencies:

Bus Route	Buses per hour (Peak time operation)	Total buses per hour (Peak time operation)
		operation)
190	Every 15 mins	4

Table 1 – existing bus routes and frequencies

Existing pedestrian and cycle facilities

The main cycle and pedestrian movements around the roundabout are accommodated by a series of subways that connect beneath Hogarth Roundabout to enable cyclists and pedestrians to cross without any conflicts with traffic (as shown below).







Shared pedestrian and cycle routes are provided on each approach, although some of these are relatively narrow and may need to be considered for improvement as part of the project to enhance the healthy streets aspects of the area.

Hogarth Lane has a shared footway on the northern side which is approximately 3m wide, followed by a 3m wide grass/brick verge in between the carriageway and footway.

The footway on the southern side of Hogarth Lane is approximately 4-5m wide. It has a 3-4m wide grass/concrete verge between the footway and carriageway, with trees planted within.





Hogarth Lane western arm

Hogarth Lane eastern arm

Existing Road Network

Hogarth Roundabout is a 4 armed roundabout, with a three lane approach and exit on the eastern and western arms, and a two lane approach on the northern and southern arms. The southern arm has a two lane exit and the northern arm has a single lane exit. The roundabout is signalised on all four approaches as well as internally, while a single lane width restricted flyover on Burlington Lane allows northbound traffic to bypass the roundabout and join the A4 in the eastbound direction.

Following on from discussions with the Network Performance Delivery team corridor manager, the following has been raised:

The roundabout operates mostly at or over capacity, especially during the peaks. The westbound queue can reach Hammersmith gyratory at times. ASTRID profile graphs and DoS data for the entry approaches to Hogarth Roundabout show the following below:

Westbound	AM: 90%	PM: 100%
Eastbound	AM: 100%	PM: 100%
Northbound	AM: 140%	PM: 120%
Southbound	AM: 140%	PM: 140%

Table 2: ASTRID data

The circulatory movements obviously operate at a lower DoS to keep the gyratory moving. There are no signalised pedestrian facilities at the gyratory. Bus route 190 is the only route to use the gyratory and that goes north/southbound. This shows that there are/aren't existing delays on the network during the peak hours, and that most of the options presented would require some form of modelling if the scheme were to be taken to feasibility stages.

Collisions analysis

A collision analysis undertaken for Hogarth Roundabout and its vicinity over the past 36 months (01/08/2014 to 31/07/2017) shows 58 collisions taking place.

Severity	Pedestrian	Pedal cycle	Motorcycle	Other	Total
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0
Serious	0	0	3	2	0
Slight	0	0	16	69	0

Table 3 – Injury severity by road user type

There were no collisions involving either pedestrians or cyclists (which could be attributed to a lack of at grade facilities) and there were 18 collisions involving motorcyclists. The majority of collisions on the roundabout were sideswipes as a result of poor lane discipline and vehicles changing lanes, as well as shunt collisions from sudden stopping. Weather and lighting do not appear to be factors, as most collisions occurred during the day and in dry weather, without winds.

There doesn't appear to be any trend as to which arm has more collisions. The collisions appear to be scattered throughout all sections of the roundabout.

4. DESIGN DEVELOPMENT

Quick win scheme -

Option 1 – Minor kerb works and amended road markings

- Cheap to implement and a quick win scheme
- Would resolve the significant side swipe and shunt collisions taking place at the roundabout by guiding vehicles into their correct lanes on entry to the roundabout
- Reduction of speed to 30mph with new signage the main A4 east and western arms
- Maintains existing subway facility with no at-grade crossings
- West-east movement would be have splitter island on the roundabout
- Expected reduction of capacity due reduced circulatory lanes means modelling would be required
- Few healthy street improvements so is expected to result in low uplift in Healthy Street Check for Designers score
- This option not a transformational scheme and is mainly focussed on collision reduction
- Would cost <£1M approximately to construct

Further potential options:

Option 1a – Option 1 + Pedestrian and Cycle facilities at grade

- All the potential benefits and disbenefits highlight for Option 1
- Potential to maintain both subway as well as provide at-grade toucan crossings connecting the Thames path to Chiswick High St via Devonshire Road in the north-west
- Improved feeling of security at street level with better lighting
- Potential to convert the roundabout area into a 'place,' to reduce the high speed and daunting existing scenario
- Not direct delays to cyclists and pedestrians when crossing at grade
- Needs modelling as new stop line at the exit of the western arm will be required

- Internal stop line at the roundabout junction with the eastern arm reduces the length for vehicle stacking – potentially blocking back onto Dorchester Grove exit arm
- There were no pedestrian and cycle collisions in the area so by introducing atgrade crossings, interaction with vehicles may possibly increase these types of collision
- Would cost between £1-2M approximately to construct

Option 2 – 4 Lane approach

- All the potential benefits and disbenefits highlight for Option 1
- Would resolve the significant side swipe and shunt collisions taking place at the roundabout by guiding vehicles into their correct lanes on entry to the roundabout
- Maintains 3 lane east / west movements on the A4 to minimise impact to capacity compared to Options 1 & 1a
- Needs modelling as new stop line at the exit of the western arm will be required
- Internal stop line at the roundabout junction with the eastern arm reduces the length for vehicle stacking – potentially blocking back onto Dorchester Grove exit arm
- Construction of right turn slip in vicinity of bridge support will provide challenging
- Would cost between £2-5M approximately to construct

Option 3 – Signalised Junction

- Would be a transformational scheme for the area
- Reduces the side swiping/stopping collision types
- Improves on the Healthy Streets criteria
- Improved feeling of security at street level with better lighting
- Controlled crossings at surface level for pedestrians and cyclists
- Opportunities for SUDS and planting trees along with urban realm improvements for the area
- Pedestrian crossings not direct and will take longer than using the subway
- Significant land available for potential development
- Expected to reduce traffic capacity so possibly longer delays to traffic
- Removal of flyover will provide challenge
- Works to implement scheme will be challenging due to traffic management required on the A4
- Potentially an increase in congestion

 Would be expensive to implement (between £5-10M approximately to construct)

Option 4 – 2 Lane each direction underpass or flyover

- This option would be a significant transformational scheme which covers key aspects of the MTS objectives, provides significant opportunities for Urban Realm, pedestrian and cycle facilities as well as potentially improving delays to the road network
- Removes a major junction and pinch in the network between Heathrow and The City
- Smoother traffic flow for the A4 network
- Option mitigates the majority of existing collision types
- Improved cycle link between Thames Path and Chiswick High St
- · Controlled crossings at surface level for pedestrians
- Opportunities for planting trees and providing SUDS solutions
- Significant land available for potential development
- Potential to improve air quality due to less congestion
- Modelling would be required for the slip road queue lengths due to single lane
- 2nd most expensive of the options
- Pedestrian crossings not direct and will take longer than using the subway
- Potential non-compliance to signals by cyclists and pedestrians
- Would cost upwards of approximately £100M to construct if the underpass option were to go ahead.
- Wider footways for pedestrians
- Potential savings on bus journey times with better signal operation for the junction (subject to modelling)
- Better lighting should ensure a more safer environment (compared to the subways)
- Removal of subway would reduce maintenance cost
- There is no existing cycle or pedestrian collisions in the area so by introducing this interaction with vehicles it may possibly increase

Option 5 – 3 Lane each direction underpass or flyover

- All the potential benefits and disbenefits from Option 4
- Most expensive of the options, costing upwards of £125M to construct if they underpass option were to go ahead
- Land take (potential CPO) would be required for the northwest section of the roundabout

It is important to note that when analysing the Options Appraisal Table in Appendix B, the RAG colouring status was determined by how RSP expect the existing and proposed options perform, and not by comparing the proposed options to the existing, which would have produced a different colour grid. The options have been banded by a RAG status of Dark Green, Green, Amber, Red, and Dark Red – where Dark Green is extremely beneficial and Dark Red having the most Disbenefit.

The scoring of the options has been broken down into three categories which are:

User Impacts: This focuses on the high level impact expected from the option to all user modes.

Values/Benefits: This focuses on Security and Crime, Safety, Healthy Streets indicators and Air Quality.

Deliverability: This focuses on the technical feasibility of constructing the scheme and the high level estimated cost of constructing the scheme.

5. CONCLUSION & RECOMMENDATIONS

The Brief requested the options for Hogarth Roundabout to ".... scope out the breadth of possible design options available that could address the recognised road danger challenge and realise identified Healthy Streets outcomes, covering the range of intervention scales from pragmatic to transformational change."

The designs presented by RSP range from a 'Do minimum' option to a vast transformation scheme which requires tunnelling for the underpass option or construction of a six lane flyover.

With the exception of Option 1 and 1a, the other proposed options have benefits ranging from minor to significant, when judged against achieving Mayoral priorities that are set out in the Mayor Transport Strategy 2018. Each option would need to be assessed during the feasibility stage, calculating benefits against the cost of build to determine which provides the most value for money and which will have most support from stakeholders.

Some options may be cheaper to construct and would be expected to mitigate some of the existing collisions. However, they may also reduce capacity and in essence, potentially worsen the air quality if there is a significant increase in congestion.

RSP have analysed the proposed options at a high level for the Hogarth Roundabout, and the assessment is shown in Appendix B of this report. Consequently, RSP recommend that:

- As Options 1 and 1a are considered to be relatively inexpensive, these could be considered quick win solutions that address the main collision types and are likely to be fairly straight forward to implement. However, they could result in a reduction in traffic capacity.
- If the reduction in traffic capacity resulting from Options 1 and 1a are not palatable, then Option 2 could be considered. This provides an additional lane on the A4 westbound approach which would help to offset some of the reduction in traffic capacity. It would be more expensive to implement and carry greater complexity and risk than Options 1 and 1a.

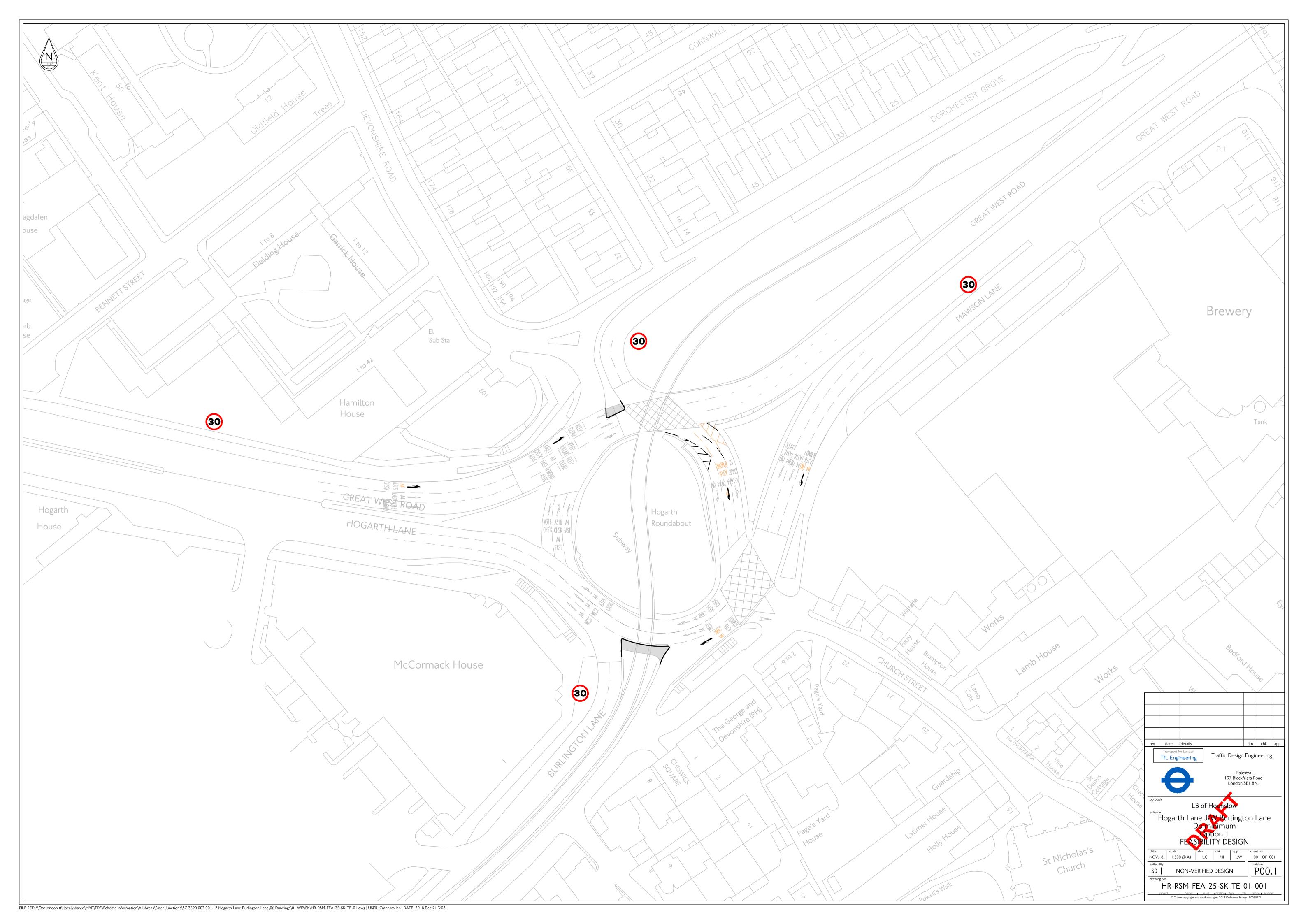
Therefore, in the short term, Options 1, 1a and 2 should be taken into feasibility design to further assess the viability of each.

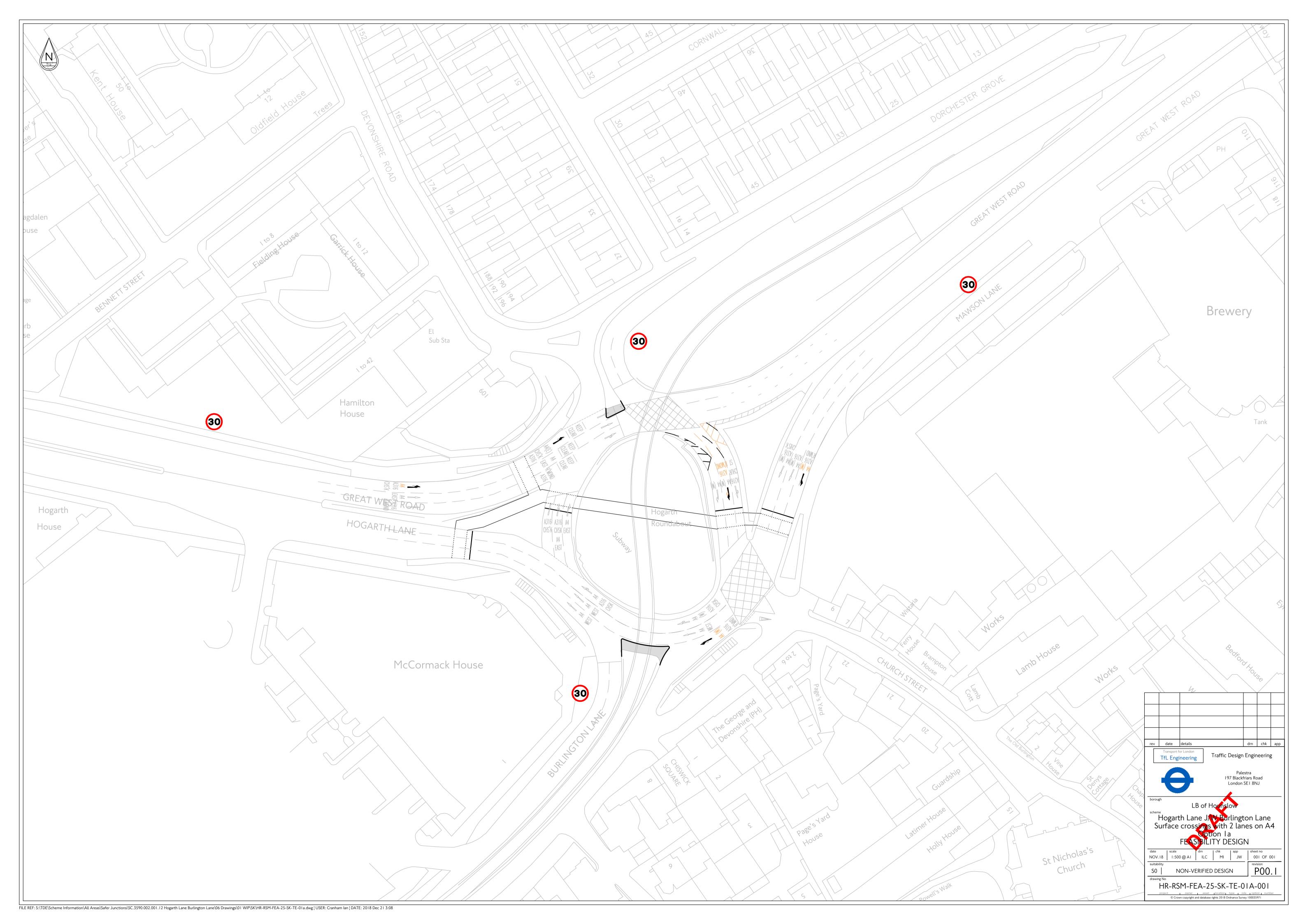
However, Option 1, 1a and 2 do not provide a significantly transformational scheme at the junction. If there is the political and financial appetite to introduce a truly transformational scheme at the junction then Options 3-5 could be considered.

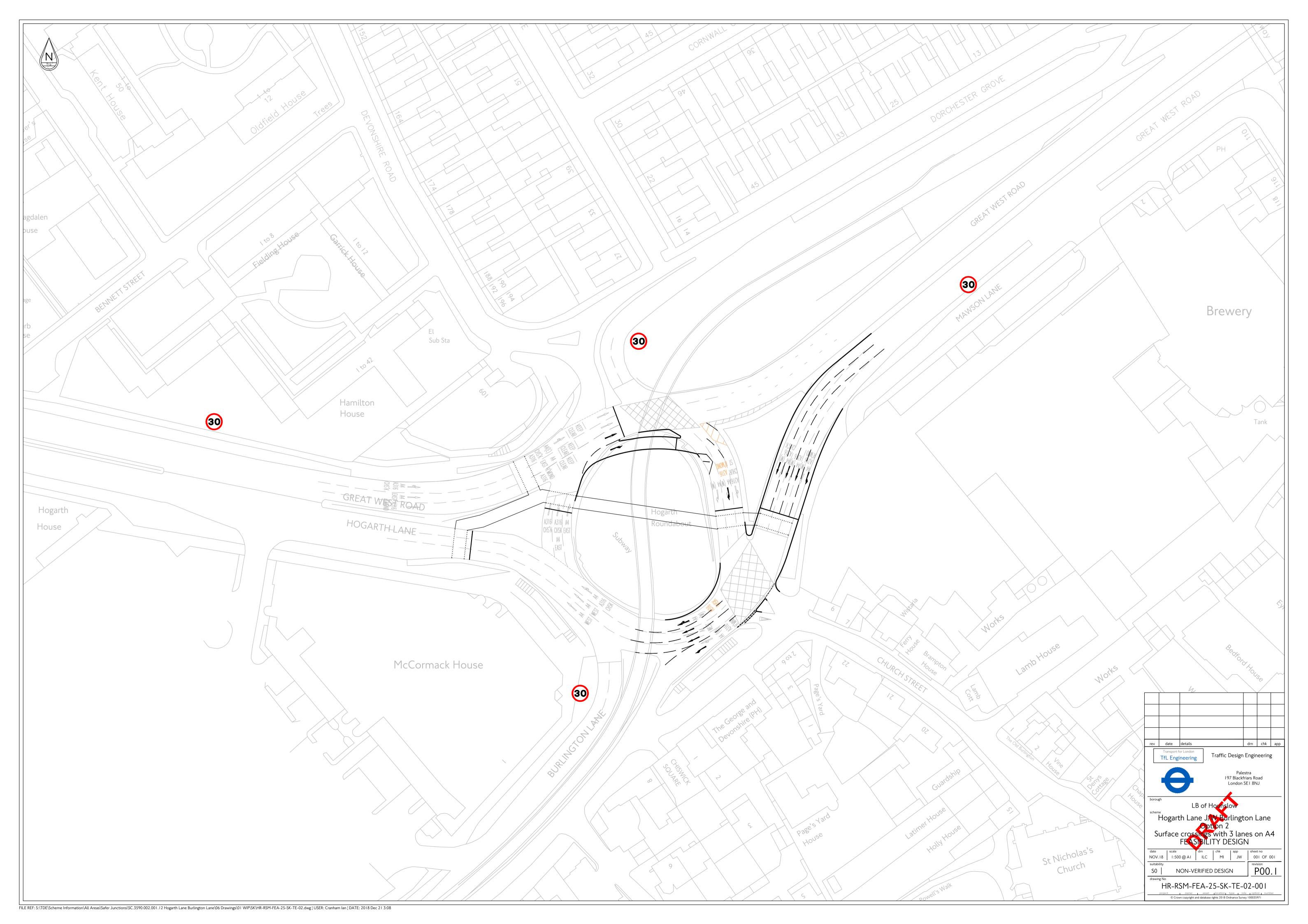
- Option 3 completely removes the gyratory and flyover, providing significant opportunities for new developments and urban realm, cycling and pedestrian improvements. It would be cheaper to build than Options 4 and 5 and have lower future maintenance costs than the current flyover has. However, it would be expected to have the highest impact on general traffic flow in the area, although this would need to be confirmed by modelling. This could have a significant detrimental impact to air quality.
- Options 4 and 5 provide significantly greater traffic capacity at the junction, particularly for traffic on the A4, and would address many of the collisions that currently occur at the junction. They would also provide significant opportunities to improve pedestrian and cycle facilities in the locality.
- However, both options would be very expensive and complex to build and introduce new maintenance obligations for TfL. Depending on which option was chosen, land take requirements could add significant time and risk to the programme.

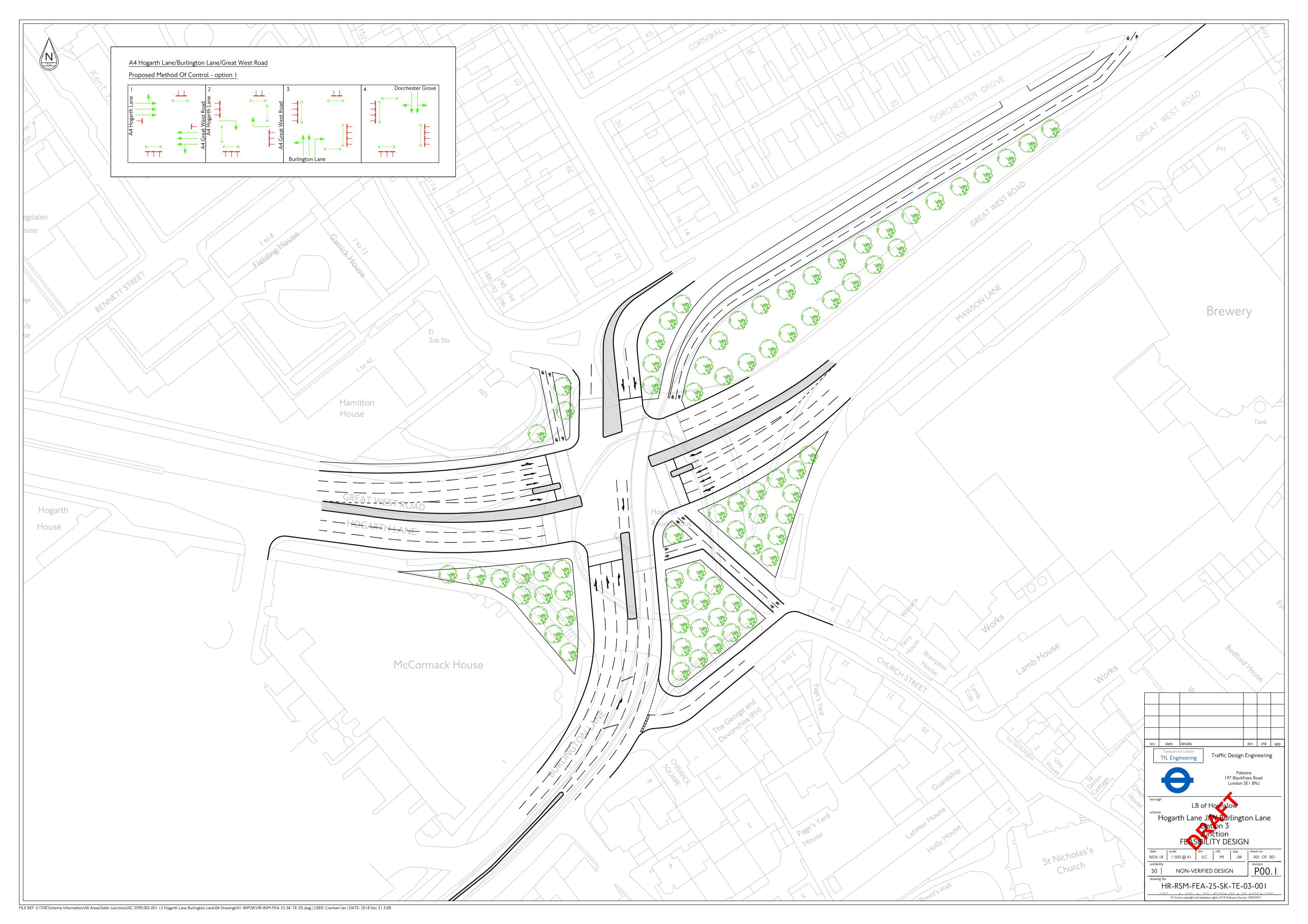
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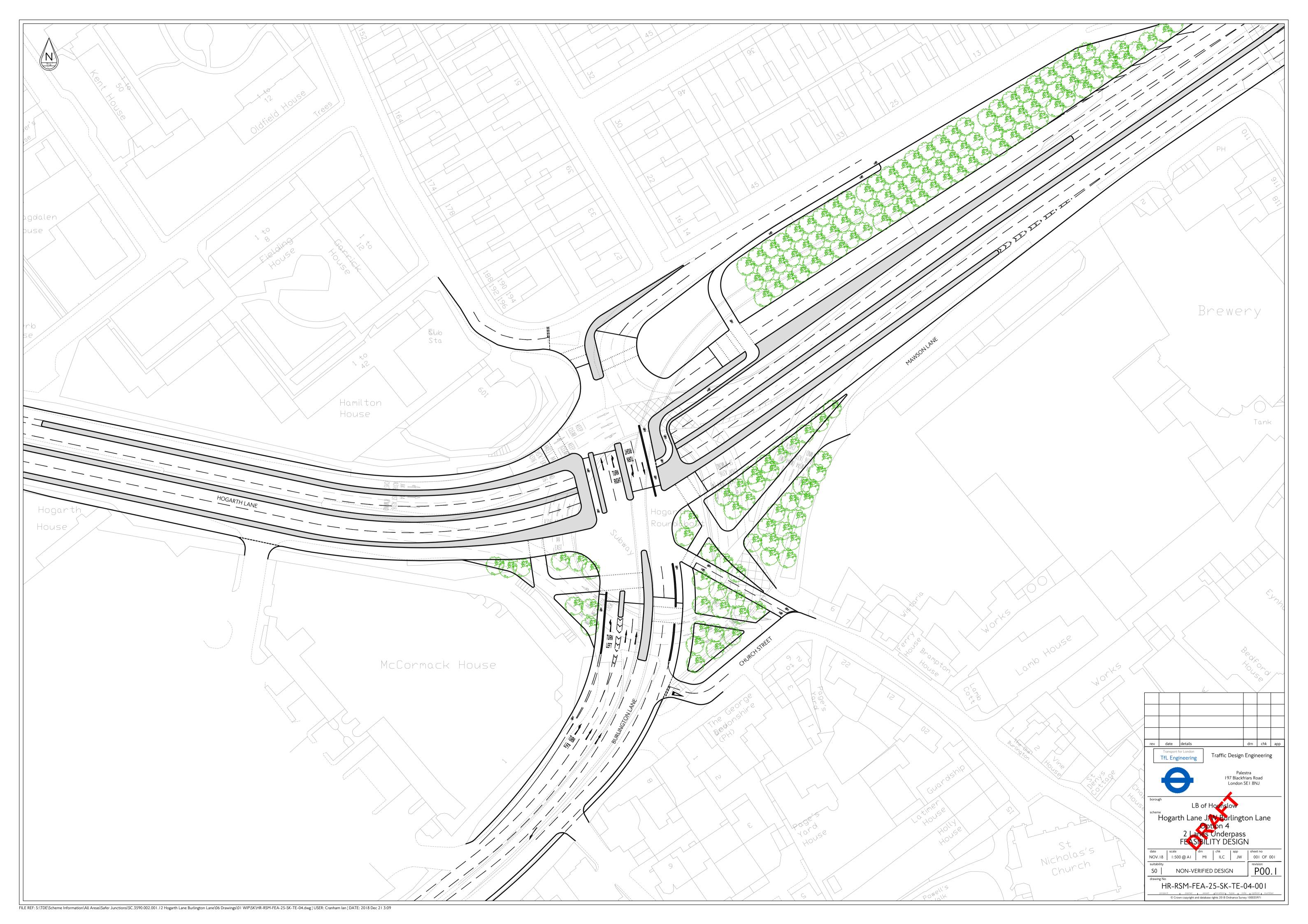
Appendix A – Options 1-5

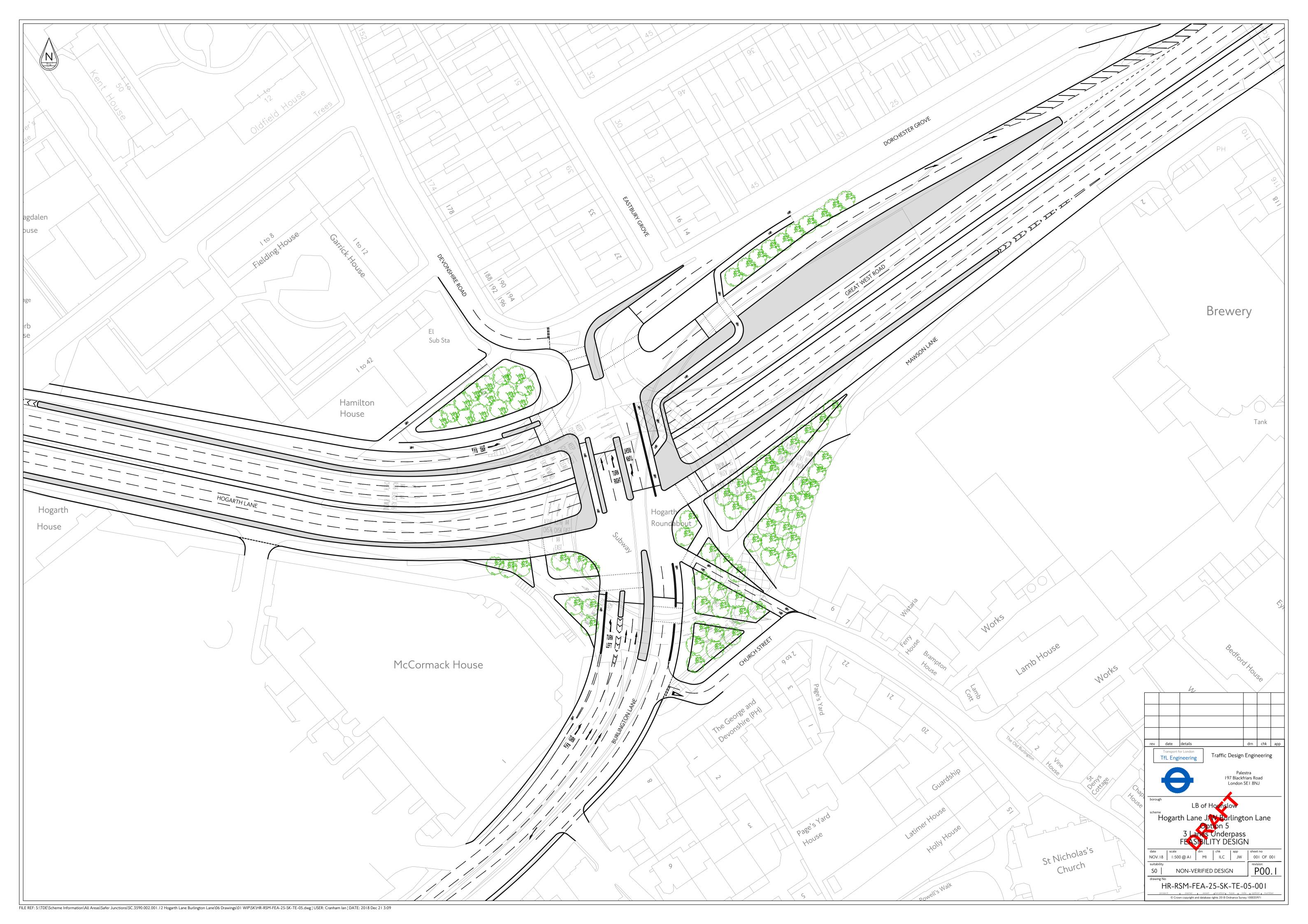








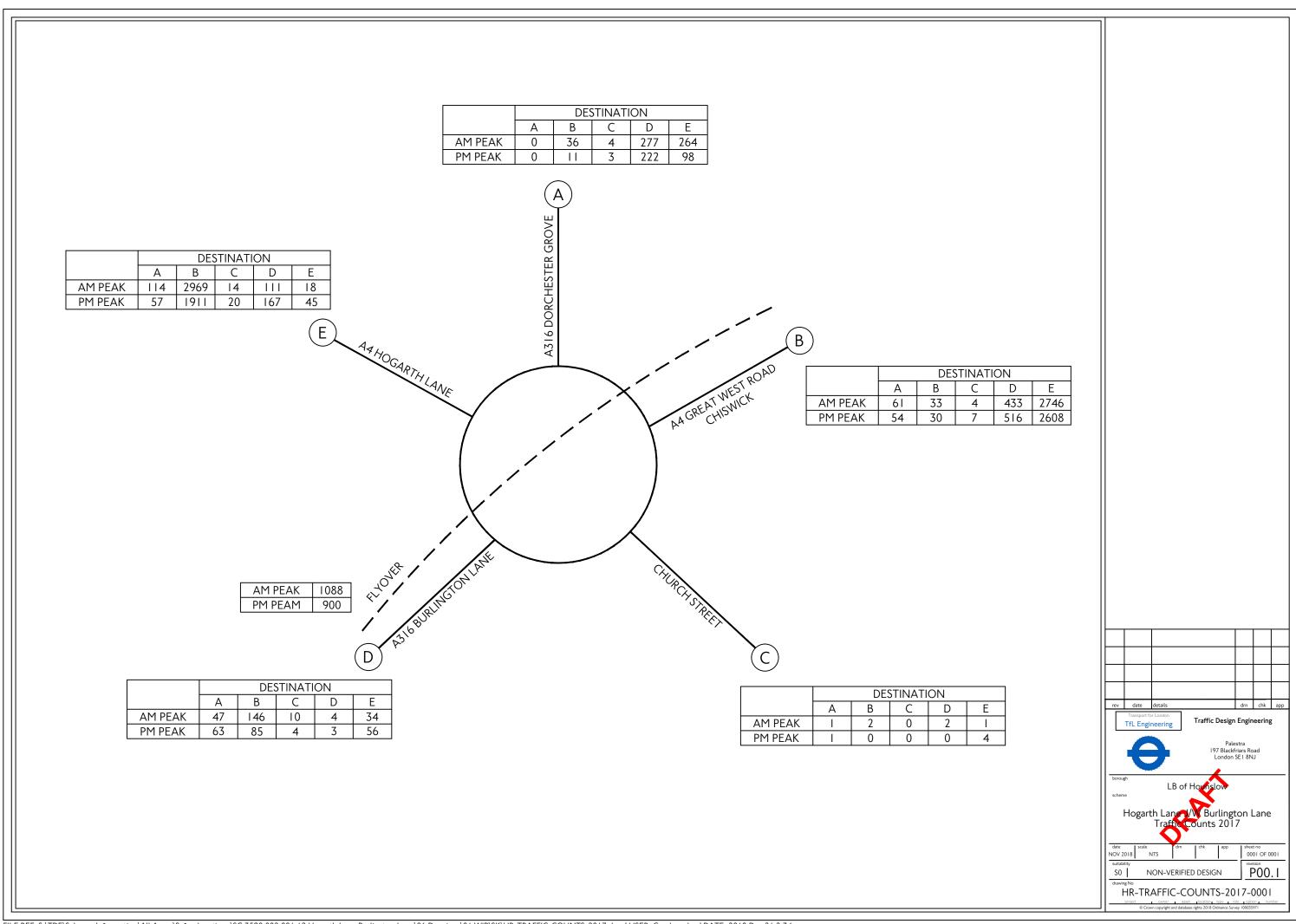




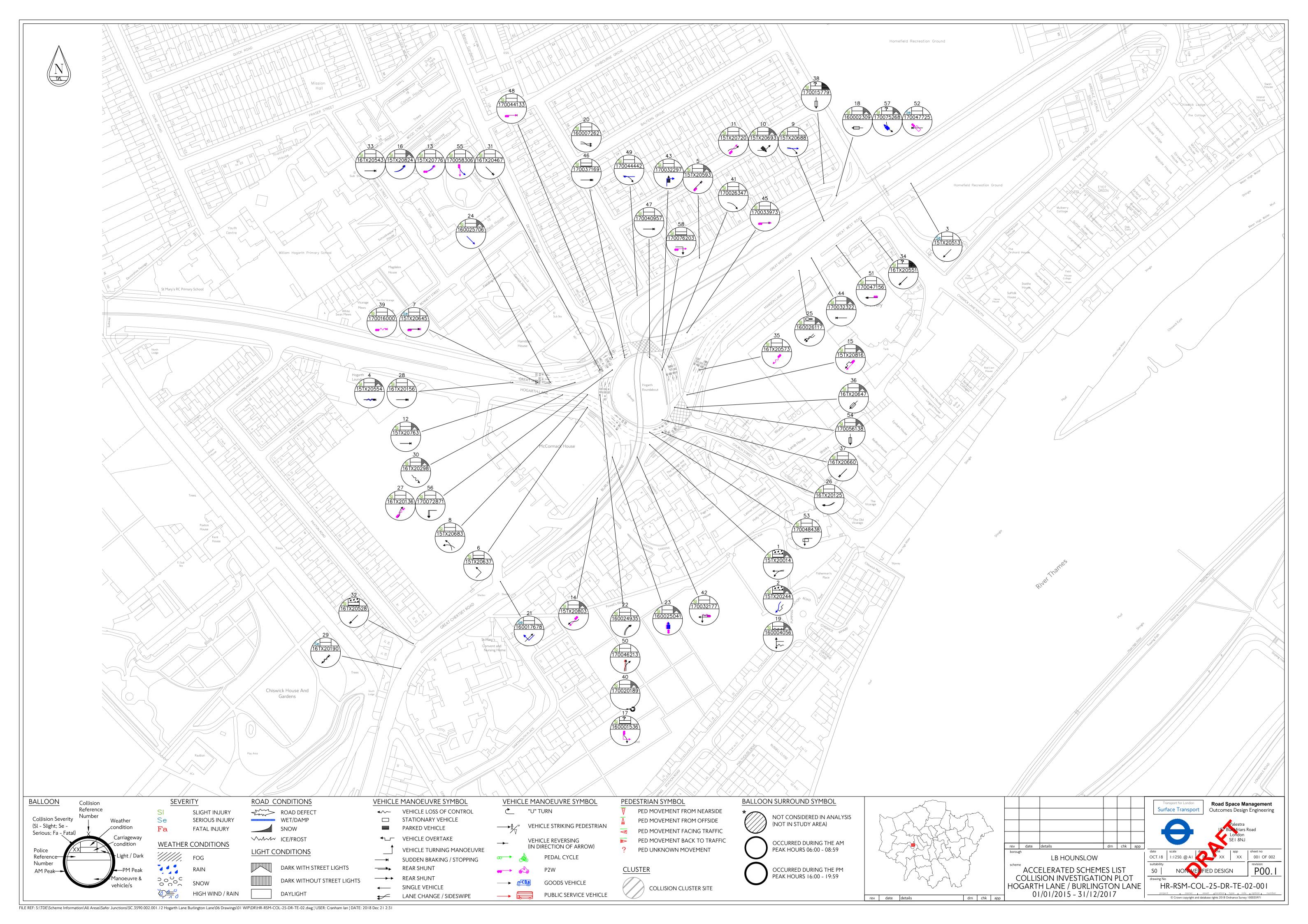
Appendix B – Outcome Definition Appraisal of Options

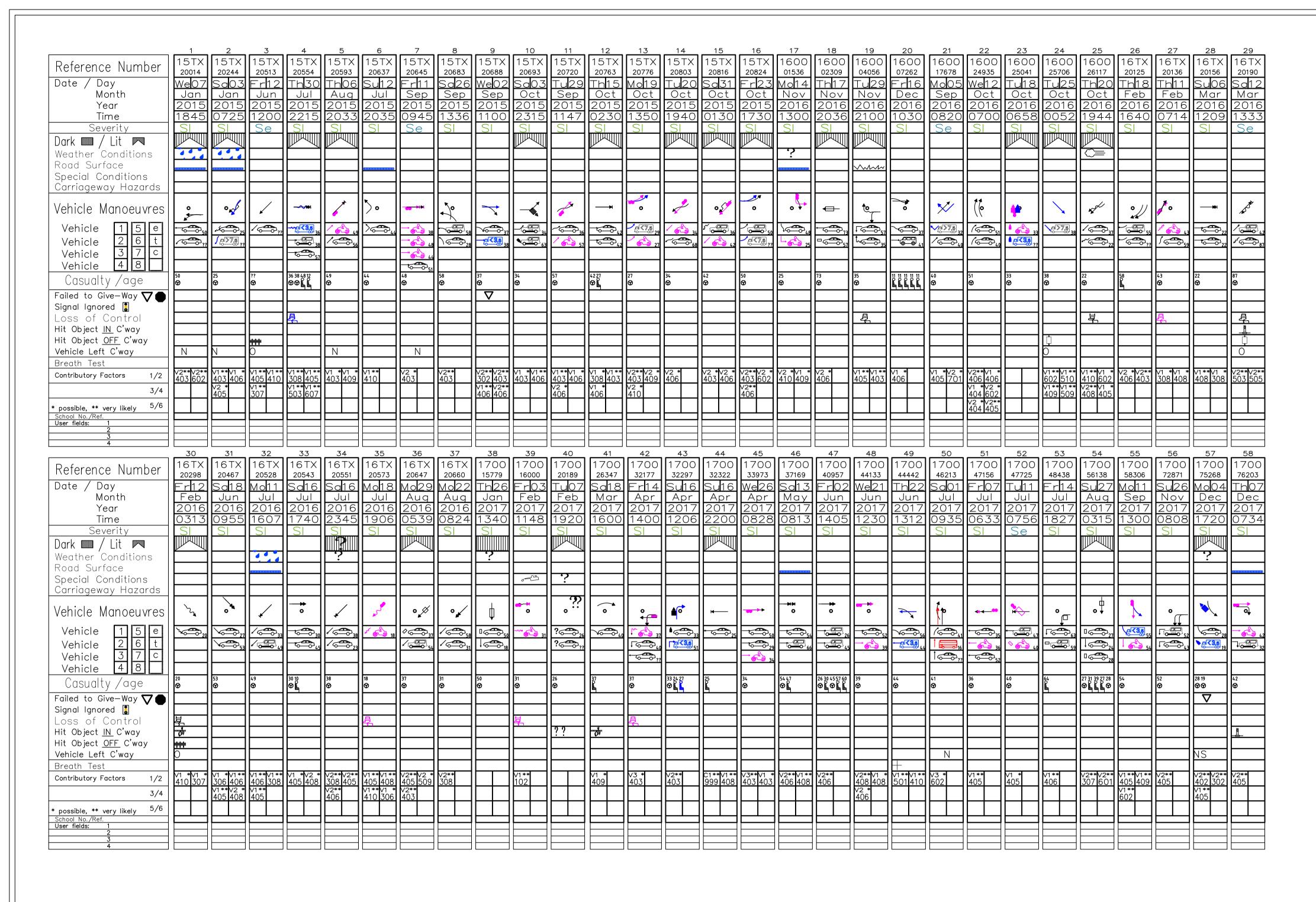
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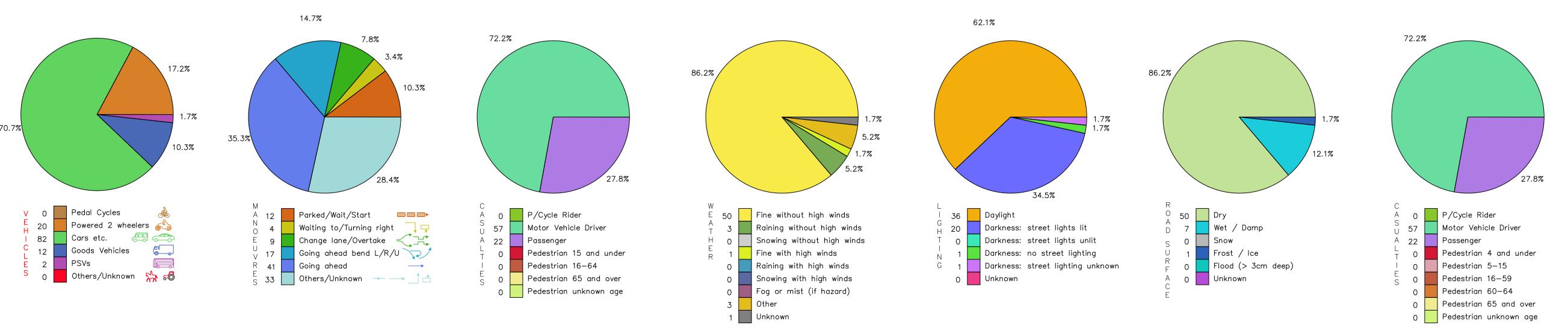
Appendix C –Daily Traffic Flow



Appendix D – Collision Diagram and Stats







Causation Factor List Road environment contributions 101 Poor or defective road surface 102 Deposit on road e.g. oil, mud, chippings 103 Slippery road due to weather 104 Inadequate/Masked signs or road markings 105 Defective traffic signals 106 Traffic Calming 107 Temporary road 108 Road layout e.g. bend, hill or narrow 109 Animal or object in carriageway Vehicle defects 201 Tyres illegal, defective or under inflated 202 Defective lights or indicators 203 Defective brakes 204 Defective steering or suspension 205 Defective or missing mirrors 206 Overloaded or poorly loaded vehicle/trailer Injudicious action 301 Disobeyed automatic traffic signal 302 Disobeyed give way or stop sign markings 303 Disobeyed double white line 304 Disobeyed pedestrian crosssing 305 Illegal turn or direction of travel 306 Exceeding speed limit 307 Travelling too fast for conditions 308 Following too close 309 Vehicle travelling along pavement 310 Cyclist entering road from pavement Driver/rider details/error or reaction 401 Junction overshoot 402 Junction restart 403 Poor turn or manoeuvre 404 Failed to signal/misleading signal 405 Failed to look properly 406 Failed to judge other person's path/speed 407 Passing too close to cyclist/pedestrian 408 Sudden braking 409 Swerved 410 Loss of control Impairment or distraction 501 Impaired by alchol 502 Impaired by drugs 503 Fatigue 504 Uncorrected, defective eyesight 505 Illness or disability, mental or physical 506 Not displaying lights at night or poor visibility 507 Cyclist wearing dark clothing at night 508 Driver using mobile phone 509 Distraction in vehicle 510 Distraction outside vehicle **Behaviour or experience** 601 Aggressive driving 602 Careless/Reckless 603 Nervous/Uncertain 604 Driving too slow for conditions 605 Inexperienced or learner driver/rider 606 Inexperience of driving on the left 607 Inexperience with vehicle type Vision affected by 701 Stationary or parked vehicle(s) 702 Vegetation 703 Road layout 704 Buildings, road signs, street furniture 705 Dazzling headlights 706 Dazzling sun707 Rain, sleet, snow or fog708 Spray from other vehicles 709 Visor or windscreen dirty or scratched 710 Vehicle blind spot **Pedestrian Details** 801 Crossed road masked by stationary or parked vehicle 802 Failed to look properly 803 Failed to judge vehicle's path/speed 804 Wrong use of pedestrian crossing 805 Dangerous action in carriageway 806 Impaired by alchol 807 Impaired by drugs 808 Careless/Reckless 809 Pedestrian wearing dark clothing at night 810 Disability or illness Special Codes 901 Stolen vehicle 902 Vehicle in course of crime 903 Emergency vehicle on call 904 Vehicle door opened/closed negiligently 999 Other L12 User code ◆ Speed related contributory factors Collision not included in analysis drn chk app **Road Space Management** Surface Transport Outcomes Design Engineering 197 Blackfriars Road SEI 8NJ LB HOUNSLOW ACCELERATED SCHEMES LIST 2016/17 COLLISION STYCK DIAGRAMS HOGARTH LANE / BURLINGTON LANE 01/14/2013 - 31/10/2016 OCT.18 N.T.S. @ A1 PF XX XX 002 OF 002 P00.1 SO | NON-VERIFIED DESIGN

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