

28-August-2025

2463-2469 Mimosa Row
Mississauga, ON
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Attn: Mark Chodkiewicz

Re: Long Term Dewatering Assessment
2463-2469 Mimosa Row
Mississauga, ON
Project 10404-1

Hydrogeology Consulting Services Inc. (HCS) was retained by Formar Developments to prepare a long-term dewatering assessment for the above-referenced project.

Previous investigation of the site includes a groundwater monitoring summary (HCS Inc., July 2025), with two boreholes drilled to assess the subsurface stratigraphy and subsequently completed as monitoring wells to evaluate groundwater conditions. A copy of the groundwater monitoring summary is attached for reference.

Groundwater levels were collected on Jul 7, 2025, as summarized in Table 1 below.

Table 1: Measured Groundwater Levels by Haddad Geotechnical Inc.

Location	7-July-2025		
	Well Stickup (m)	WL (mBTOP)	WL (mBGS)
BH1-25	1.15	4.09	2.94
BH2-25	1.20	4.01	2.81

BGS – metres below ground surface

1. PROPOSED LONG-TERM DEWATERING

As part of the proposed townhouse block construction shown on the attached Site Grading Plan (Skira and Associates Ltd., March 2022) long term (perpetual) dewatering will be required for the building foundation.

It is understood the existing residential dwellings on the subject property have basements constructed below the shallow groundwater table encountered in the near-surface granular aquifer beneath the site; however, existing perimeter drainage systems connected to the municipal sewer maintain drawdown of the shallow groundwater table.

It is understood the proposed redevelopment of the property intends to apply the same perimeter drainage system strategy to maintain drawdown of the shallow groundwater table, with discharge continuing to be routed to the municipal sewer.

2. PERIMETER DRAINAGE DEWATERING CALCULATIONS

It is important to note that the dewatering contractor retained to perform temporary construction dewatering is solely responsible for achieving and maintaining dry working conditions at the site at all times. The calculations and dewatering rates/volumes provided below are not directives for a dewatering contractor, and do not constitute an assessment of temporary construction dewatering requirements or discharge disposal requirements. The dewatering contractor must review the available information as part of their own independent assessment of temporary dewatering requirements to determine appropriate rates, volumes, methodologies, and designs for their temporary construction dewatering project. In the event an EASR and/or a Sewer Discharge Permit are required to support temporary construction dewatering, the dewatering contractor is solely responsible for obtaining all required permits as well as for addressing all tasks associated with treatment and/or management of dewatering discharge.

Additionally, it is important to note the involvement in the project by HCS Inc. does not include any tasks associated with design of the perimeter drainage system for the project. The designers and installers of the perimeter drainage system are solely responsible for ensuring the system is adequate and sufficient to maintain dry conditions in the proposed basements.

2.1 Perimeter Drainage Dewatering Assumptions

Long term drawdown of the shallow aquifer water table is expected to take place twenty-four hours per day to maintain dry conditions in the proposed basements. Dewatering calculations include a number of variables such as the static groundwater level, soil hydraulic conductivity, aquifer thickness, confined aquifer conditions, etc. that can be adjusted to provide conservative buffers to account for conditions beyond those encountered in the available monitoring wells.

Based on the construction parameters provided by Skira and Associates Ltd. (August 2025) Table 2 below summarizes the anticipated dewatering requirements.

Additionally, Table 2 includes the following buffers as factors of safety:

- An assumed dewatering area of 39 m x 20 m to reflect the anticipated layout of perimeter drainage around the townhouse foundation;
- A buffer of 1.0 m for the footing invert depth to reflect the anticipated depth of perimeter drainage around the townhouse foundation. The footing invert for the townhouse foundation is taken as 2.0 mBGS.
- “Squared off” perimeter drainage shape.
- A buffer of 0.81 m for the depth to groundwater (the highest observed groundwater level from the on-site monitoring wells (2.81 mBGS), increased by 0.81 m to 2.0 mBGS) to account for seasonal fluctuations.

Table 2: Dewatering Requirements

Area	Length (m)	Width (m)	Depth (mBGS) (-1 m)	GW Depth (mBGS) (+0.81m)
Townhouse Foundation Perimeter Drainage	39	20	3.0	2.0

It is important to note the long term dewatering calculations included in this report are based on the information provided by Skira and Associates Ltd. (August, 2025) In the event design parameters (e.g. foundation footprint, foundation depth, etc.) are modified the dewatering calculations provided will also need to be updated.

2.1.1 Aquifer Dewatering Assumptions

Dewatering calculations have been prepared based on the following assumptions to account for variability in overburden and groundwater conditions:

- An average soil hydraulic conductivity of 7×10^{-5} m/sec based on the loose sandy saturated overburden deposits encountered beneath the subject property;
- An initial saturated aquifer thickness of 1.6 m.

2.2 Dewatering Calculations

To estimate the seasonally high steady-state drawdown flow rate needed to maintain dry conditions for the proposed townhouse foundations the following equation (for radial flow to an unconfined aquifer) from Powers (2007)¹ was used:

$$Q = \frac{\pi K (H^2 - h_w^2)}{\ln \left(\frac{R_o}{r_e} \right)}$$

Where:

Q = Flow Rate (m³/sec)

H = Initial Saturated Thickness (Piezometric Head) of Aquifer (m)

h_w = Dewatered Saturated Thickness (Piezometric Head) of Aquifer (m)

K = Soil Hydraulic Conductivity (m/sec)

r_e = Effective radius, $r_e = \sqrt{(excavation\ area/\pi)}$ (m)

R_o = Radius of influence, $R_o = 3000 * (H - h_w) * \sqrt{K}$ (m)

Where R_o is very close to r_e or less than r_e, to avoid $\ln \left(\frac{R_o}{r_e} \right)$ resulting in a very small or negative number R_o is replaced with (R_o + r_e) in the formula above, which gives a reasonable estimate of the dewatering requirements.

Using the assumptions listed above, the seasonally high perimeter drainage dewatering rate and radius of influence listed in Table 3 below were estimated.

Table 3: Steady-State Dewatering Requirements

Excavation	Daily Dewatering Rate (L/day)	Radius of Influence (m)
Townhouse Foundation Perimeter Drainage	43,870	25.1

¹ Powers, P.J. et al. 2007. Construction Dewatering and Groundwater Control: New Methods and Applications. Wiley.

2.2.1 Typical Annual Variation in Dewatering Requirements

It is important to consider the assumptions listed above reflect the seasonally high groundwater conditions that could be expected. During the majority of the year, lower groundwater levels would result in correspondingly lower dewatering volumes.

As an example, assuming a groundwater level 0.5 m lower (2.5 mBGS) the daily dewatering rate is estimated at approximately 27,000 L/day.

2.3 Dewatering Calculations - Discussion

The potential seasonally high perimeter drainage dewatering requirements outlined above are reasonable based on the information available; however, a less-conservative assumption of total dewatering requirements (e.g. using a less conservative hydraulic conductivity value, using a less conservative perimeter drainage system depth and/or seasonally high groundwater elevation, etc.) could reduce the estimated dewatering requirement significantly.

The purpose of applying multiple conservative assumptions to the calculation variables is to attempt to consider “worst case scenario” conditions. The calculations above are not intended to accurately predict actual dewatering volumes throughout the year, but rather to estimate potential seasonally high dewatering volumes based on the available information.

For reference it is noted a typical “municipal garden hose” flows at a rate of 5 US gallons per minute (5 GPM) or 18.9 Litres per minute (L/min), which over the course of a 24-hour day would yield 27,200 Litres.

As noted previously, in the event design parameters change beyond the assumptions included in these calculations, revised construction dewatering calculations will be necessary.


2.4 Geotechnical Issues and Settlement

The conservatively calculated radius of influence of dewatering is up to 25.1 m. As buildings and structures lie within the radius of influence, and roadways and services are located within the radius of influence, it is important to note a geotechnical engineer should be consulted to determine whether geotechnical issues or impacts due to settlement resulting from the proposed dewatering could be anticipated. A geotechnical engineer should provide any applicable monitoring and/or mitigation recommendations to address any potential geotechnical issues or impacts.

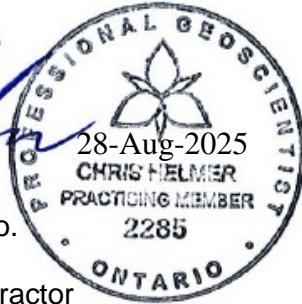
However, given the existing properties on site are understood to have perimeter drainage systems installed, which have been operating continuously for decades, it may be the existing drawdown (i.e. dewatered) condition will be similar to the proposed drawdown condition for the proposed redevelopment and that additional impacts beyond the existing condition (which is now “steady-state”) may not occur.

We trust this information is suitable for your present requirements. If you have any questions or comments, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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encl: Groundwater Monitoring Summary (HCS Inc., July 2025)
encl: Site Grading Plan (Skira and Associates Ltd., March 2022)

July 10, 2025

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Re: Monitoring Well Drilling and Groundwater Monitoring Summary
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Project 10404

Hydrogeology Consulting Services Inc. (HCS) was retained by Formar Developments to complete drilling and installation of monitoring wells and to conduct groundwater level monitoring at the above-referenced property to assess the seasonally high groundwater conditions and elevations at the property.

1.1.1 Borehole Drilling and Monitoring Well Installation

On July 4th, 2025 under the observation of HCS field staff two boreholes (Boreholes BH1-25 and BH2-25) were drilled to depths of 4.57 metres below ground surface (mBGS) by using a track-mounted GeoProbe 7822DT Direct Push drill rig.

Continuous core or split spoon samplers were advanced and soil samples were obtained.

All boreholes were completed as 38-mm diameter monitoring wells with 1.52 m slotted Schedule 40 PVC well screens and PVC riser pipe. Well sand was installed around the well screens, and the borehole annular space was sealed with bentonite. The wells were each constructed with a 10 cm square steel protective casings, and lockable vented protective caps were installed. Monitoring well construction followed Ontario Regulation 903 (as amended). Borehole logs are attached for reference. The attached Drawing 1 shows the approximate locations of the installed monitoring wells.

1.1.2 Groundwater Level Measurements

Water levels were manually measured using an electronic water level tape in all monitoring wells on July 7th, 2025. Table 1 below provides a summary of the groundwater level measurements.

Table 1: Measured Groundwater Levels:

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1.1.3 Stratigraphy and Groundwater Discussion

As shown on the attached borehole logs, subsurface stratigraphy beneath the property generally consists of approximately 3.6 m of sand overlying a clay/silt till deposit to the termination depth of approximately 4.57 mBGS.

As shown in Table 1 above, measured groundwater levels varied between 2.81-2.94 mBGS on the property.

The presence of saturated sandy deposits beneath the property underlain by clay/silt till suggests a high-yielding “perched aquifer” condition, although the extents of the saturated sandy deposit cannot be accurately delineated based on existing information.

The potential exists for significant groundwater flux through the sandy deposits into any groundwater control system that may be installed to manage groundwater seepage temporarily during construction, or long-term should a permanent dewatering system be considered.

Alternately, if finished floor elevations below the groundwater table are proposed, the structure can be designed to be waterproof and to resist hydrostatic uplift. The City of Mississauga would need to approve construction below the groundwater table.

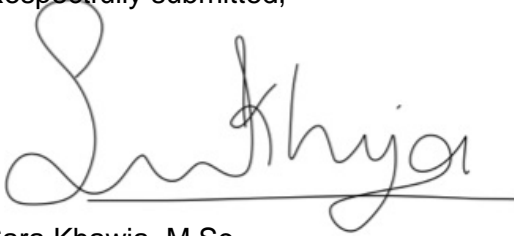
It is understood that groundwater level measurements collected in June reflect a snapshot in time, and that groundwater levels fluctuate seasonally due to changes in the frequency, duration, and amount of precipitation. During spring thaw conditions, it is expected that groundwater levels would rise to their highest seasonal levels, and based on HCS’ extensive experience with long term groundwater monitoring programs throughout Southern Ontario it is anticipated groundwater levels could rise between 0.50 and 0.75 m in a perched granular aquifer scenario between measured June levels and spring seasonally high levels, resulting in an estimated seasonally high groundwater table approximately 2 mBGS.

While HCS does not design groundwater control systems, and was not retained to provide recommendations pertaining to the design of groundwater control systems, as suggestions for consideration by the contractor(s) designing the groundwater control system for the property:

- Any groundwater control system designed for the property should contemplate high rates of ingress and high volumes of discharge, and should contemplate the elevated transmissivity/hydraulic conductivity of the saturated granular soils.
- Any groundwater control system designed for the property should contemplate the potential for “loss of ground” (i.e. the removal of soil particles along with groundwater) and the resulting potential for soil instability and settlement.
- Water takings (i.e. pumping) at rates below 50,000 L/day do not require a Permit to Take Water (PTTW) from the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP). However, discharge of water to the municipal storm/sanitary sewer system would require permission from the City of Mississauga, and may also require confirmation of discharge water chemistry to ensure compliance with applicable sewer use By-Laws.

We trust this report satisfies your present requirements, and we thank you for this opportunity to be of service. If you have any questions, or require further hydrogeological consulting services, please feel free to contact the undersigned directly.

Respectfully submitted,



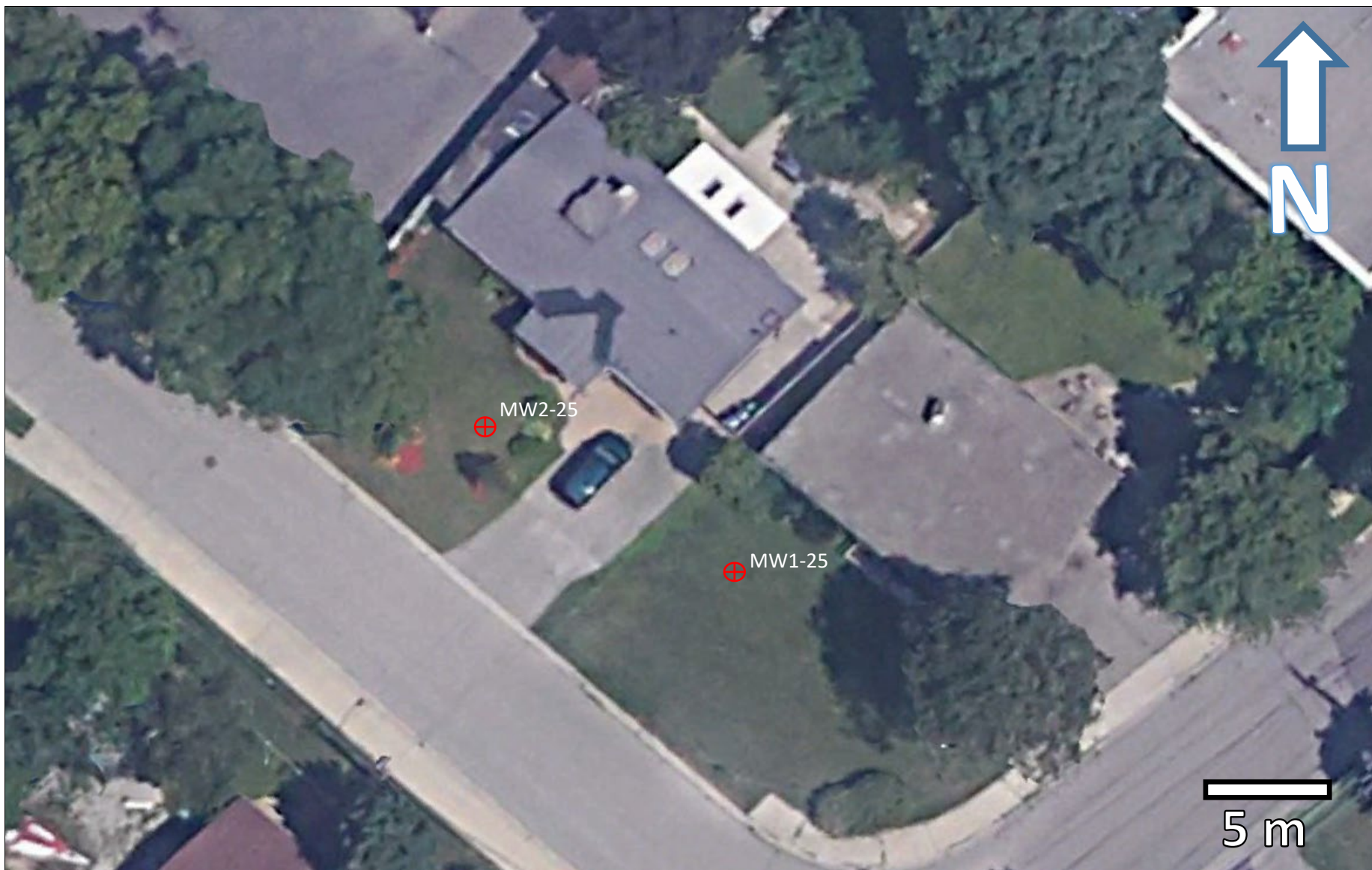
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encl. Drawing 1 – Site Plan
encl. Borehole Logs BH1-25 through BH1-25



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Drawing 1 - Site Plan
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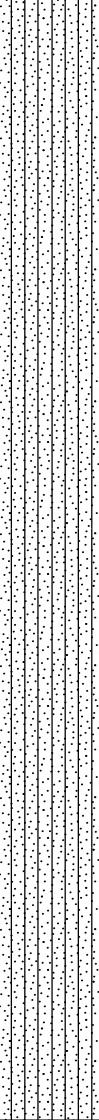
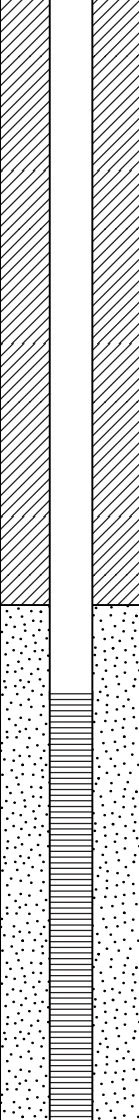
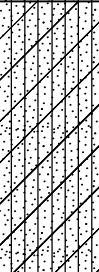

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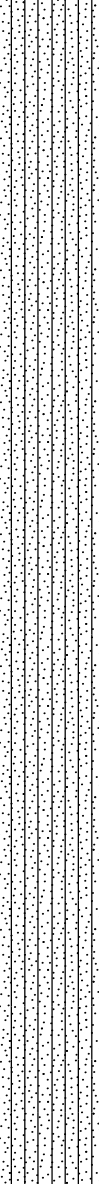
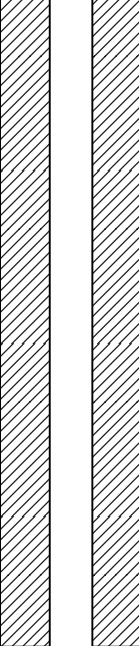

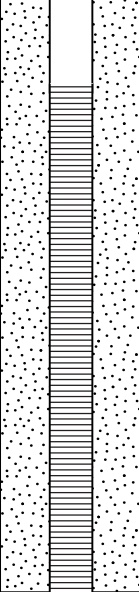
PROJECT NUMBER 10404	CASING monument	DRILLING DATE July 4, 2025
ADDRESS 2463-2469 Mimosa Row, Mississauga		TOTAL DEPTH 3.81m
DRILLER Altech		SCREEN 2.29m 3.81m
DRILL RIG Geoprobe 7822 DT, Hollow stem auger		SAND DEPTH 3.51m
WELL TAG N/A		GPS LOCATION 17N 611971 4825795

COMMENTS N/A	LOGGED BY Adrian Rudy
	CHECKED BY Chris Helmer

Depth (m)	Recovery (%)	Major Unit	Graphic Log	Material Description	Moisture	
0.2		Sand		Brown. sand, some silt. Loose Saturated at 2.44m	Moist	
0.4						
0.6						
0.8						
1						
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3						
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3.8		Clay, Silt Till		Grey. Clay silt till, some gravel and sand. Moist, Compact	Moist	
4						
4.2						
4.4						

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Depth (m)	Recovery (%)	Major Unit	Graphic Log	Material Description	Moisture	
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2.2		Clay, Silt Till			Wet	
2.4						
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3.8				Grey. Clay silt till, some gravel and sand. Moist, Compact		
4				Probe refusal at 4.27		
4.2						

