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17 June 2009

Dear Occupier,

**A419/A417 SWINDON TO GLOUCESTER DBFO  
SWINDON NOISE**

We are writing to inform you that the Highways Agency is proposing to erect a noise fence along parts of the A419 to reduce the traffic noise for residents. Construction of the fence will not commence for some months, however in the meantime it is necessary to carry out investigations to determine the nature of the ground in the vicinity of the fence. To carry out this work it will be necessary to clear some of the trees and planting. Where practicable this clearance will be carried out ready for the noise fence. Elsewhere the clearance will be specific to carrying out the investigation with the full clearance to erect the fence occurring later.

Some gardens have been extended towards the A419 onto land which is owned by others. This will interfere with the construction of the noise fence and clearance of these areas is essential. It would be helpful if people could remove anything of theirs from this land, in the next two weeks.

Access will be taken over land owned by Taylor Wimpey and Swindon Borough Council and approval for these works has been granted. The plan overleaf indicates the location of the site clearance and ground investigation works. The location of the investigations may be varied according to site conditions. An exhibition will be held soon showing the proposed fence details and giving an opportunity for people to ask questions.

Should you require any further information, further copies of this or have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Russell Wheeler on 01684 851750.

Yours sincerely



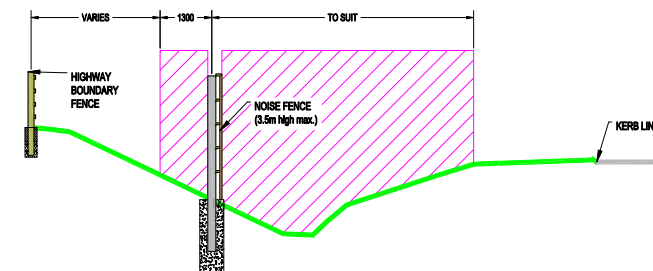
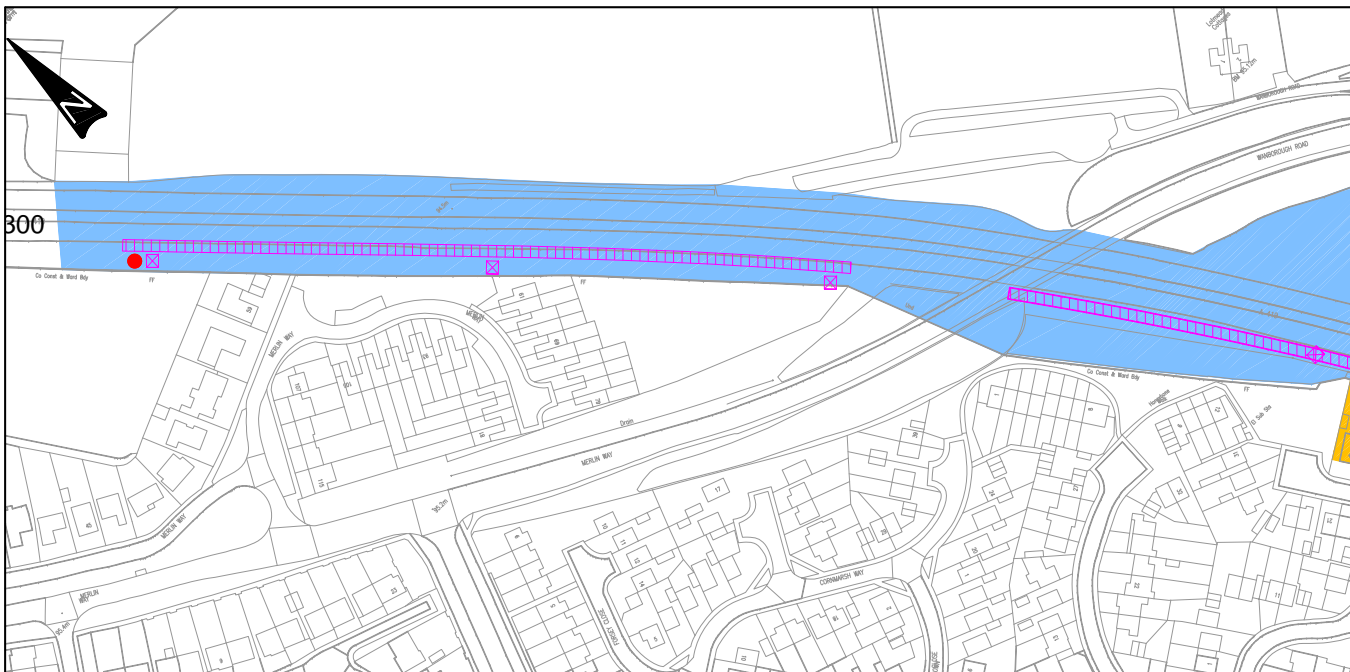
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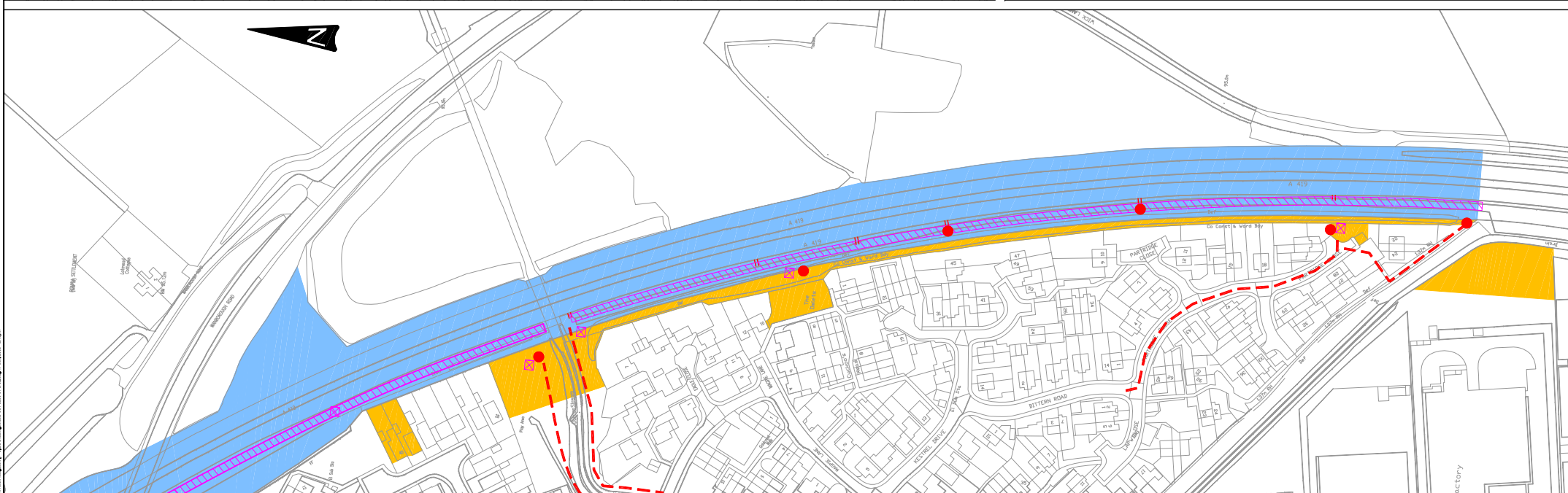
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- Key:**
- Noise Fence
  - Land owned by Swindon Borough Council
  - Area of proposed site clearance
  - Access Route
  - Land owned by Secretary of State
- Test Positions:**
- Window Sample (Borehole)
  - Dynamic probe test location

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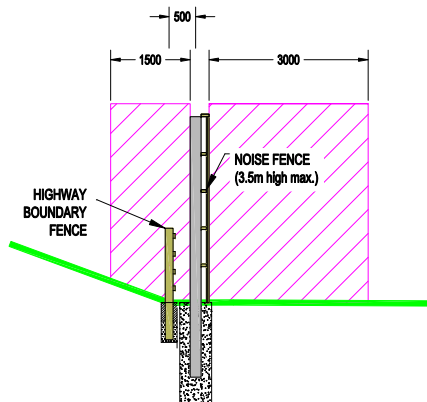
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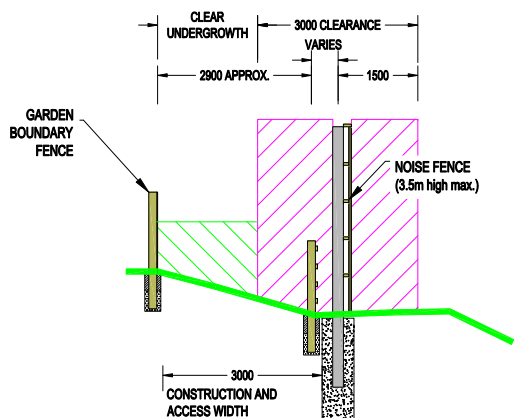
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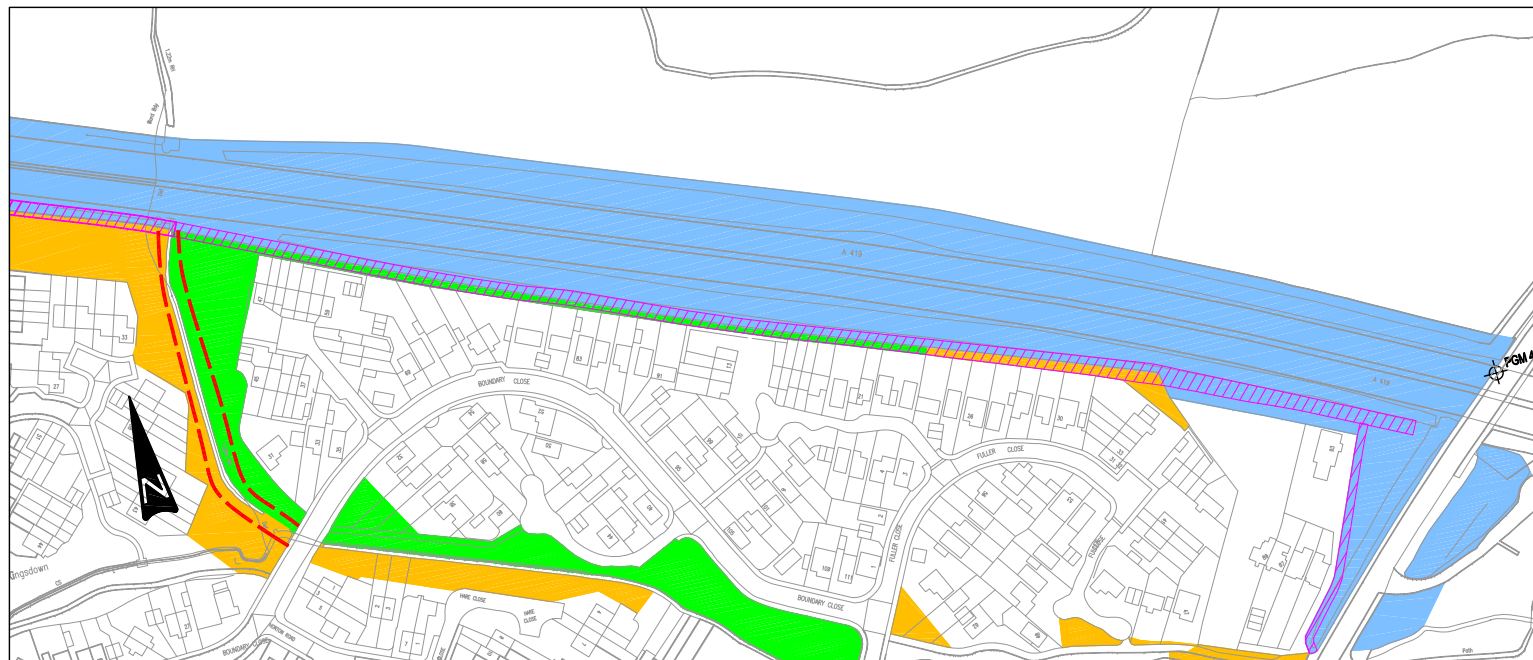
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- KEY:**
- Noise Fence
  - Area of proposed site clearance
  - Access route

- Land owned by Swindon Borough Council
- Land owned by Taylor Wimpey (formerly Wilcon Homes)
- Land owned by Secretary of State

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