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- Site Access
- Existing 'Pole' (to be retained)
- Existing 'Pole' (to be removed)
- New 'Pole' (to be constructed)
- Proposed Order Limits
- Proposed area of works for HDD (maximum 20x20m area)
- Proposed area of works (maximum 15x10m area) under carriageway
- Proposed horizontal Directional Drilling (HDD)
- Proposed area to undergo open cutting and filling
- Existing 11kv electric OHL to be retained
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- Existing telecoms OHL to be retained
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- Proposed access (maximum 5x5 width)

**Baseline Phase 1 Habitats**

- Standing Water
- Intact hedge - native species-rich
- Fence
- Broadleaved woodland - plantation
- Scrub - dense/continuous
- Improved grassland
- Bracken - continuous
- Existing Hard standing
- Cultivated/disturbed land - arable
- Bare ground

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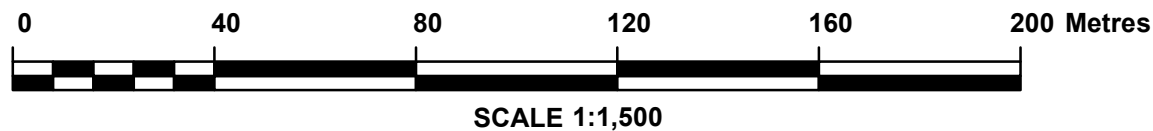
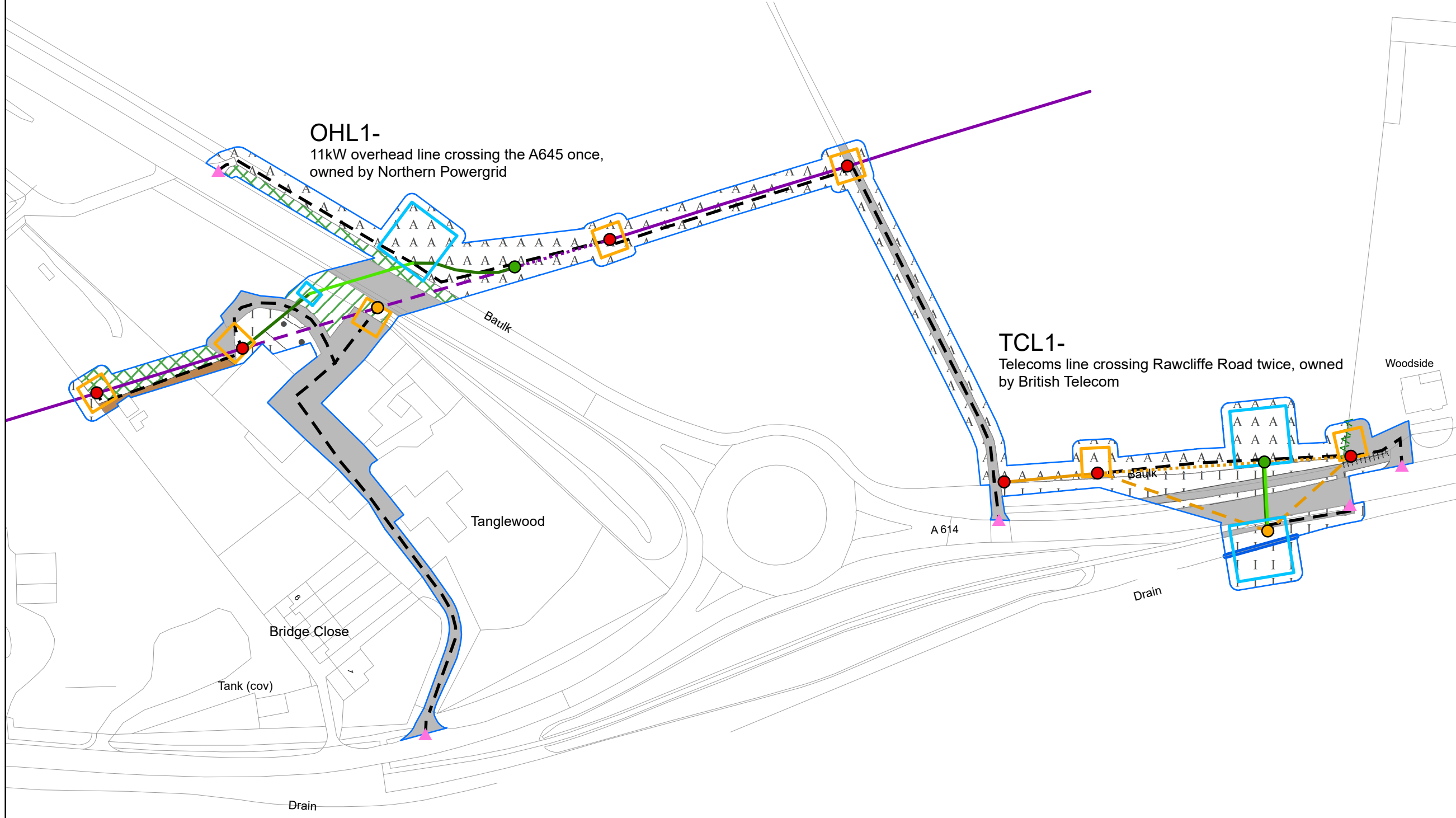
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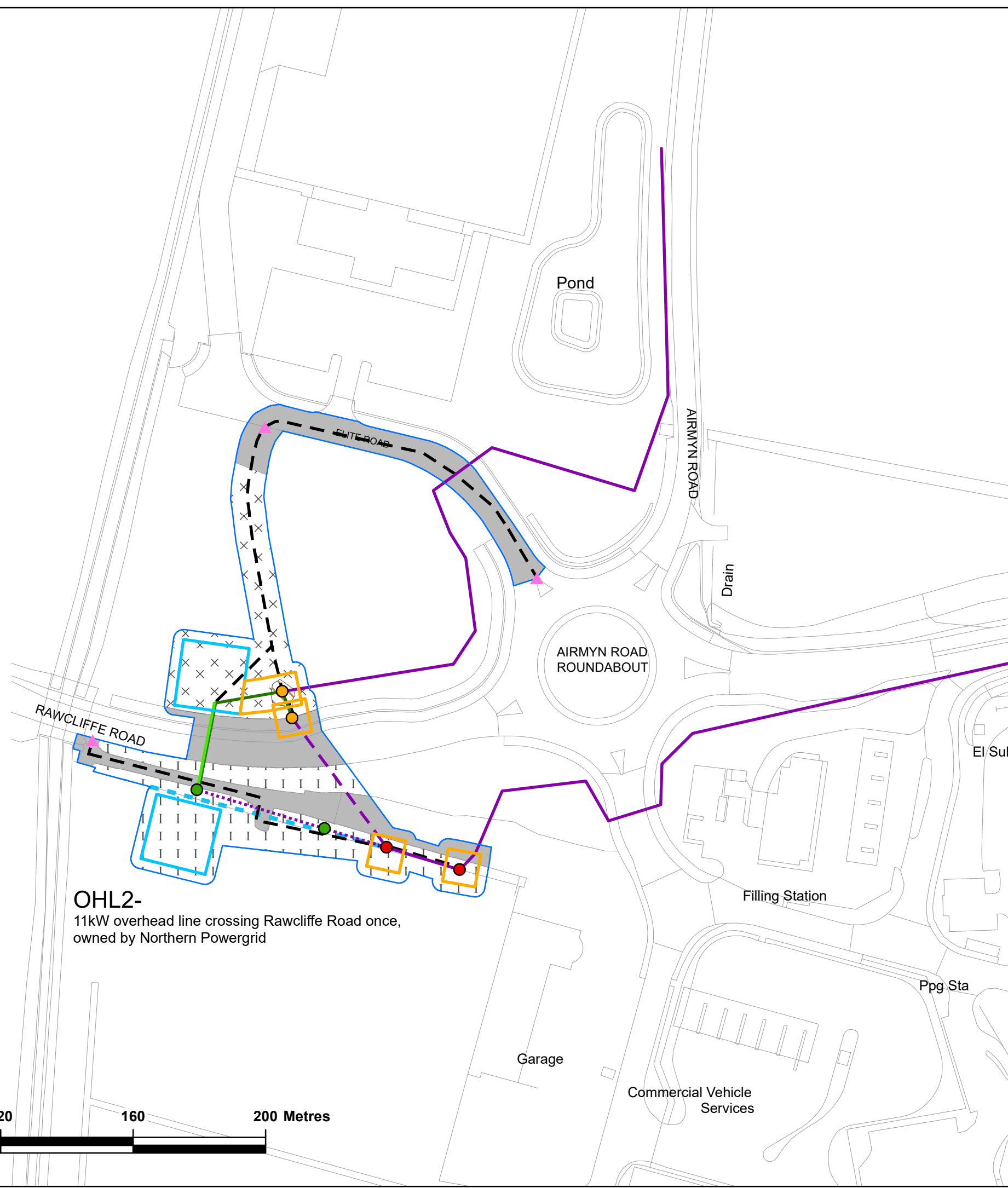
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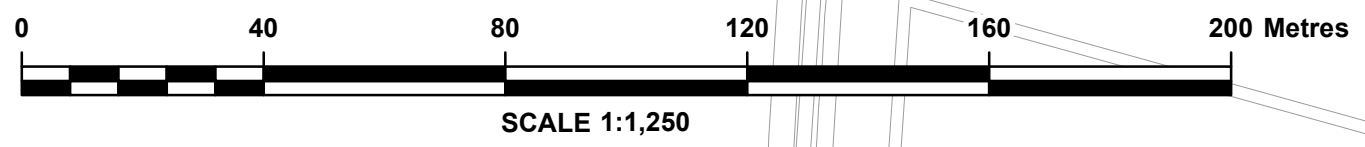
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11kW overhead line crossing Rawcliffe Road once,  
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- Dry ditch
- Improved grassland
- Other tall herb and fern - ruderal
- Existing Hard standing
- Cultivated/disturbed land - ephemeral/short perennial

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