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Environmental Statement

**Volume 4, Appendix 2.6: Tree Survey Report and Arboricultural Impact Assessment
Part 4**

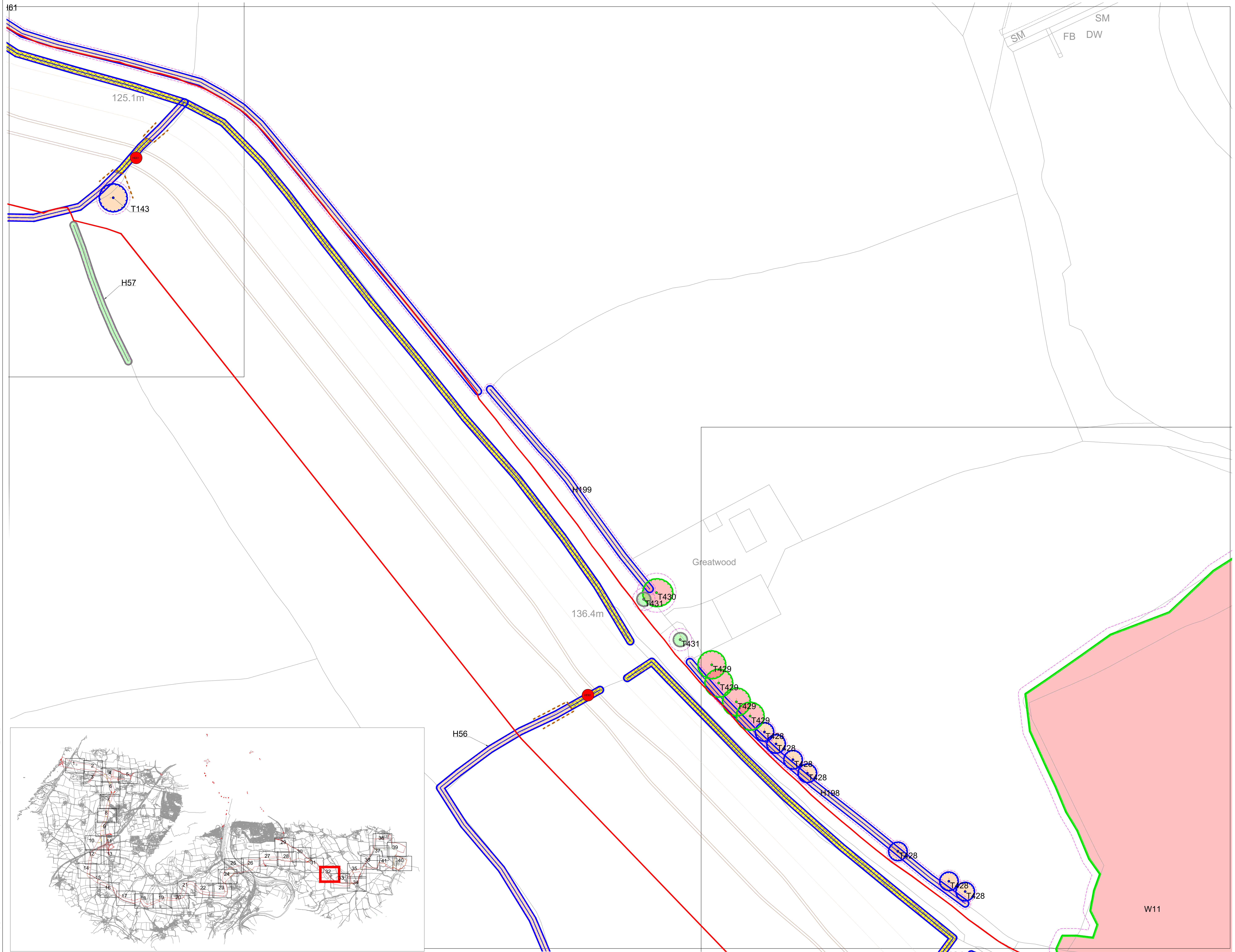
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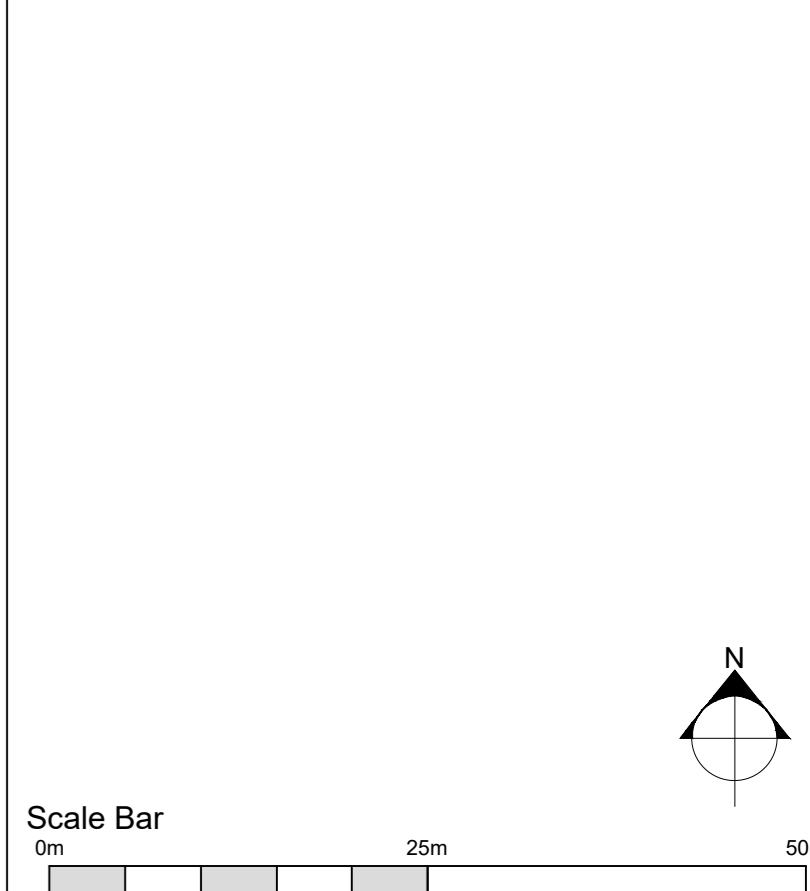
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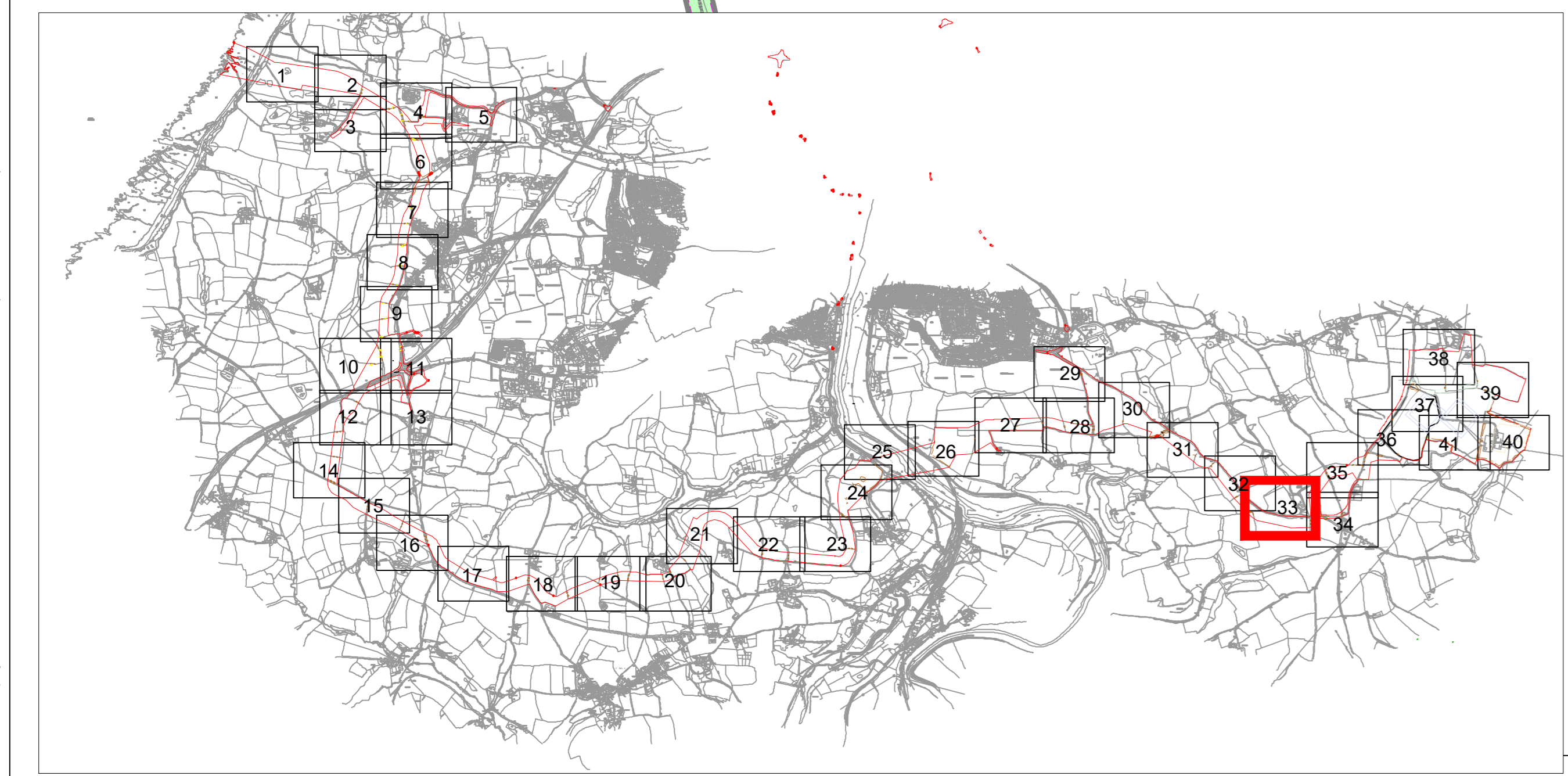
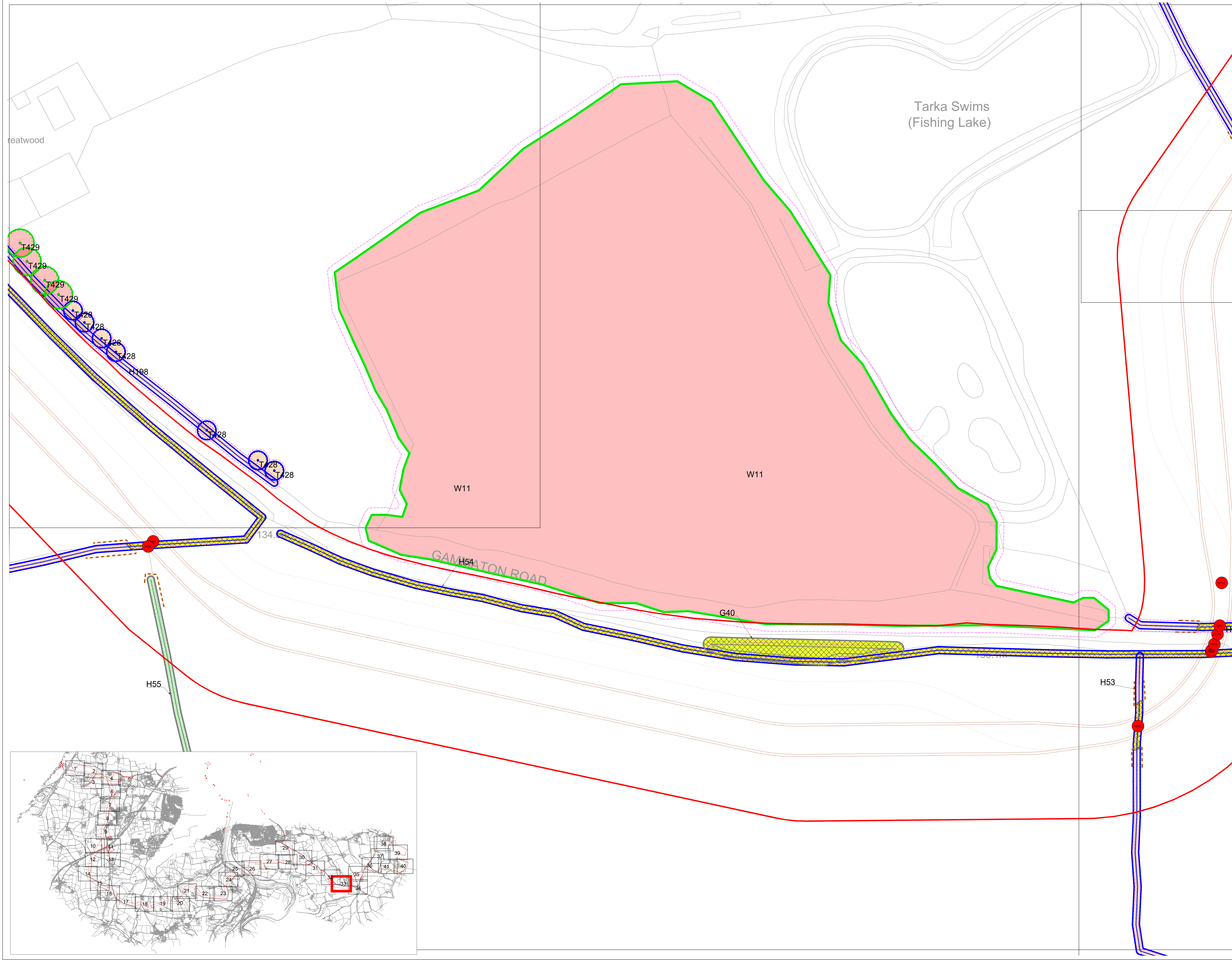
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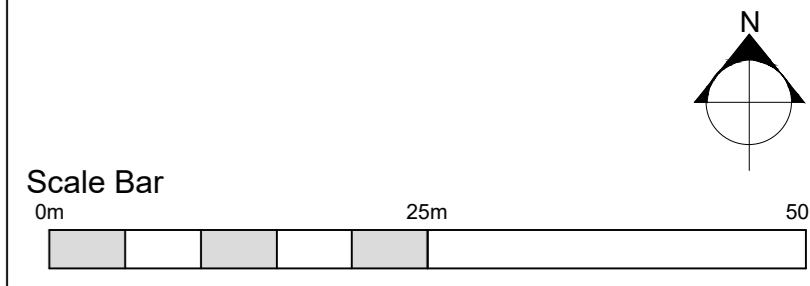
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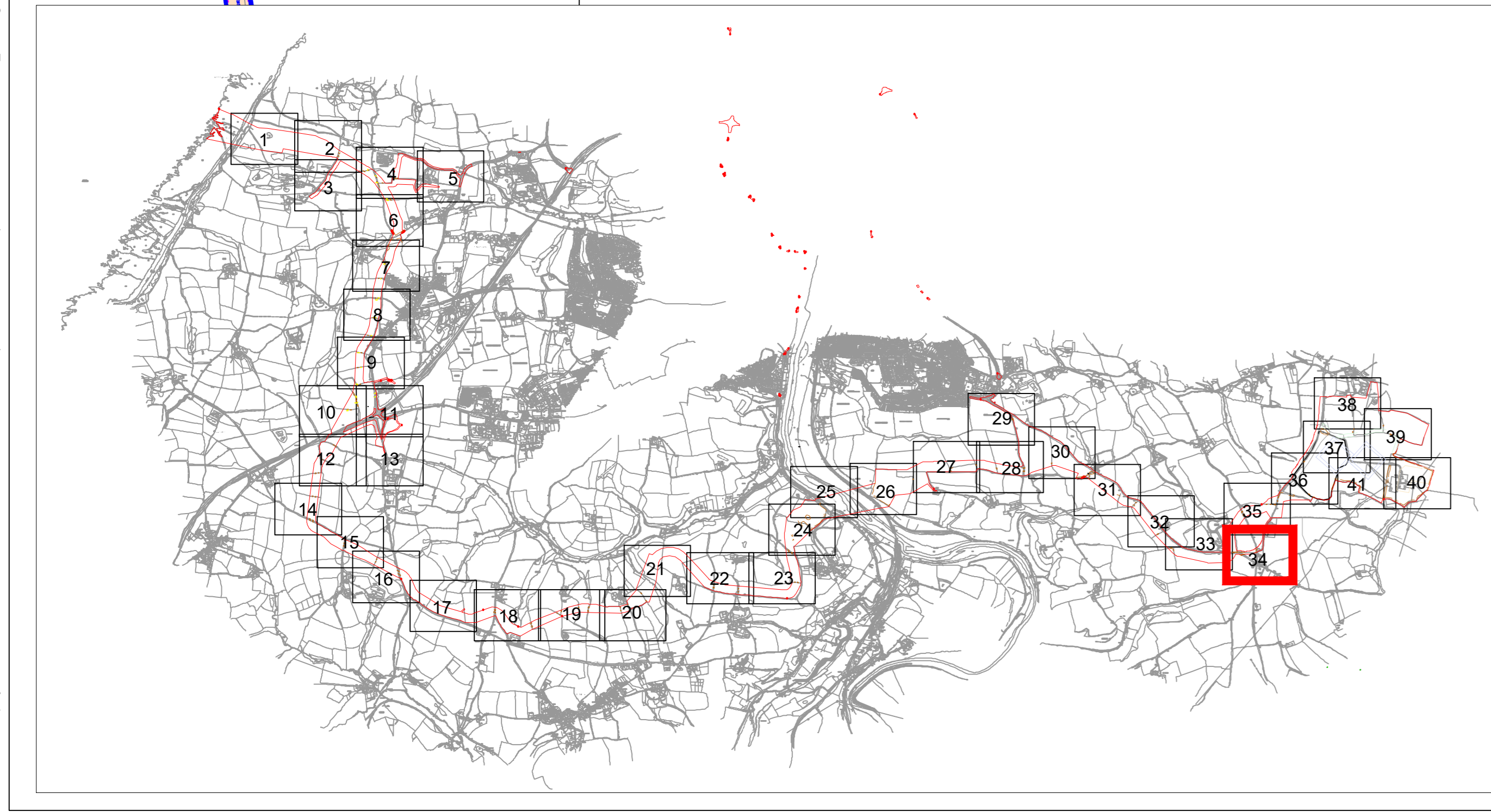
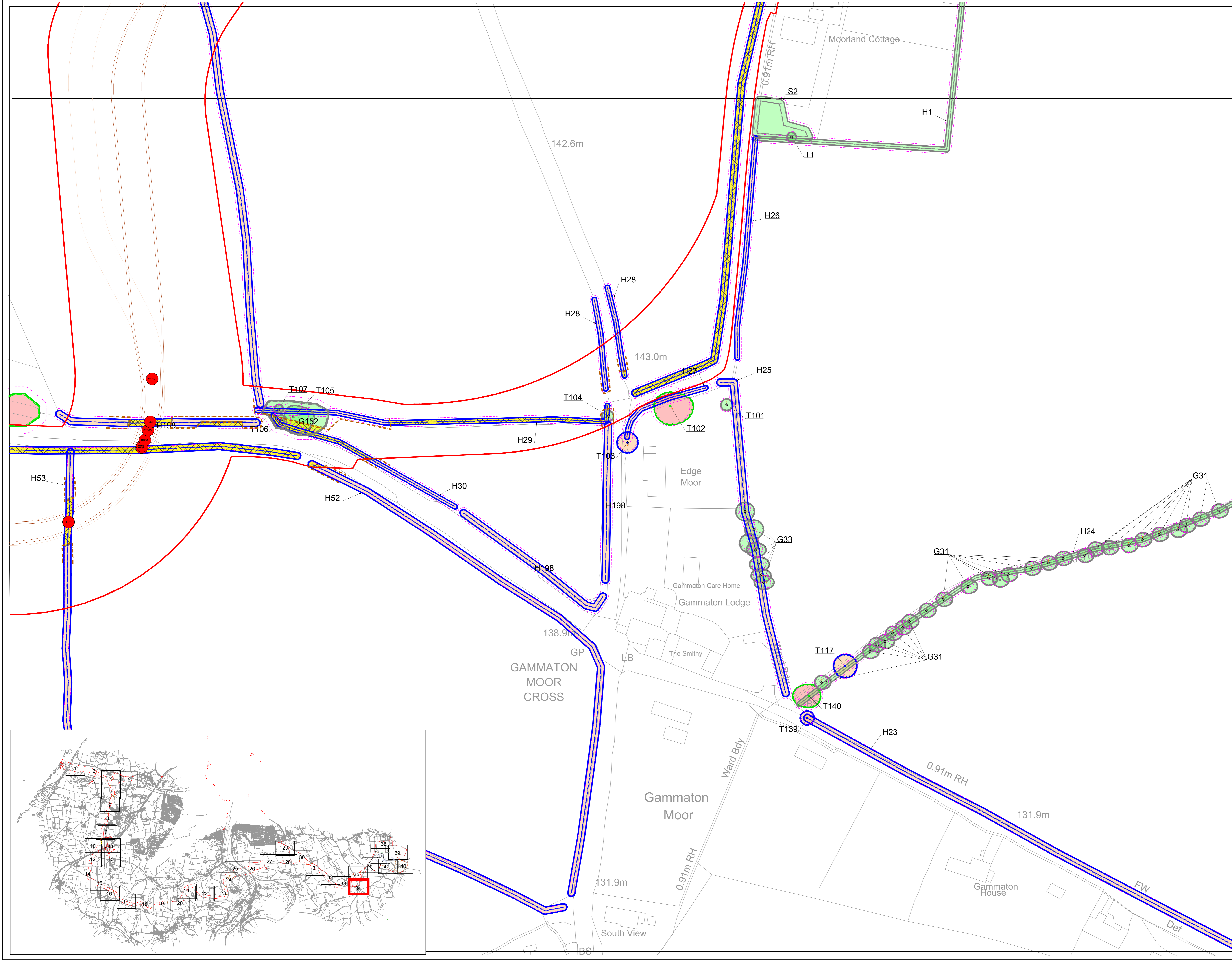
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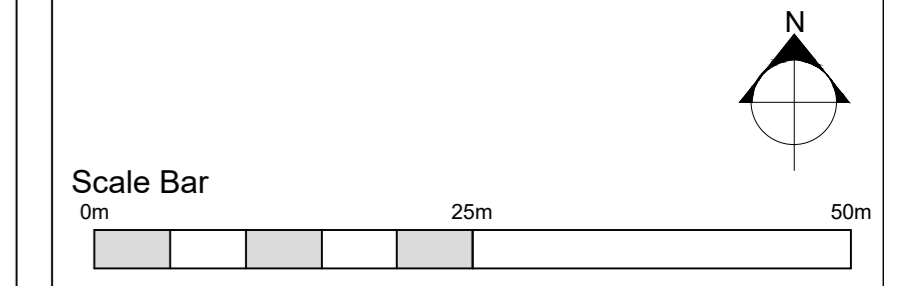
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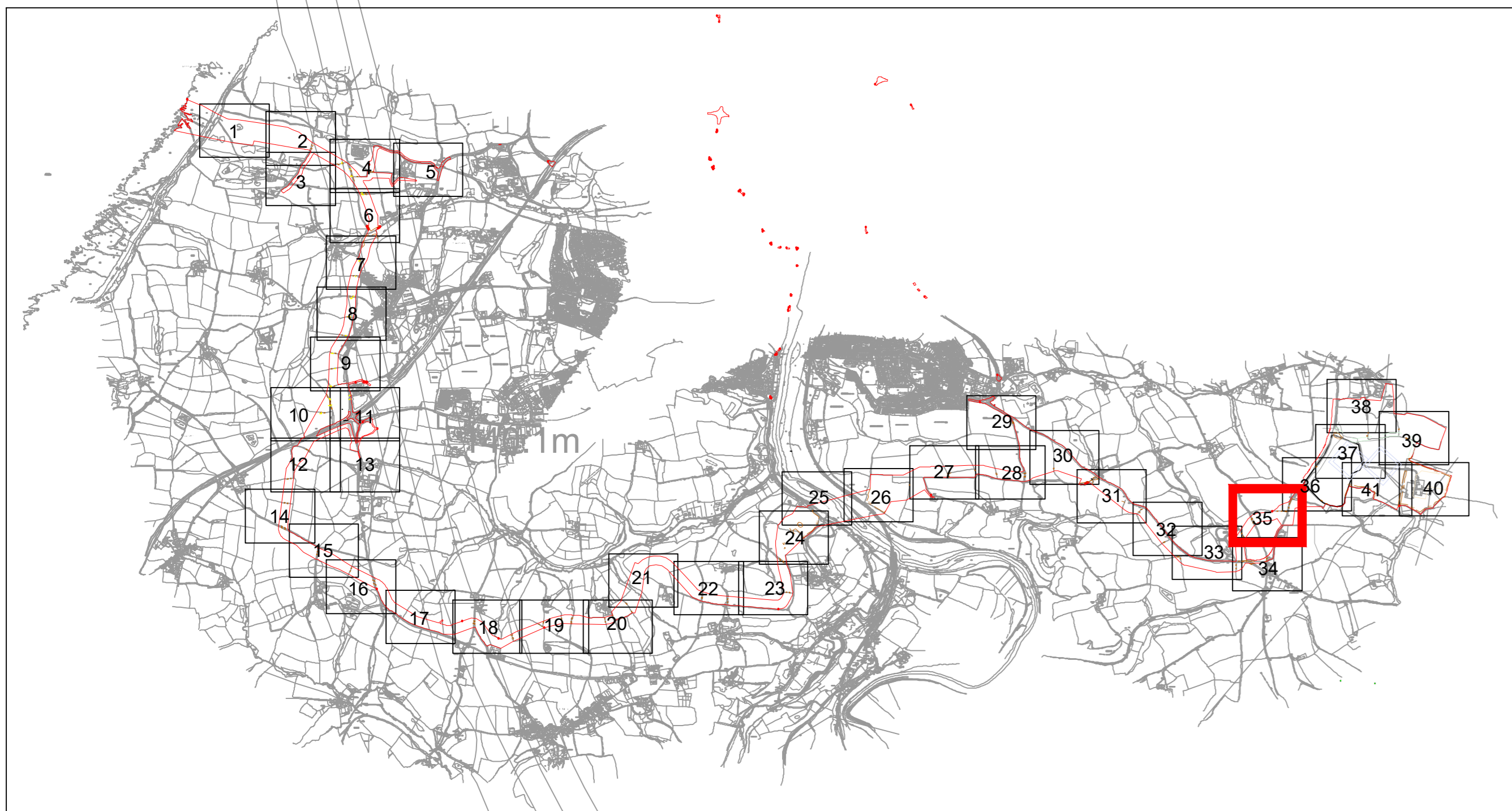


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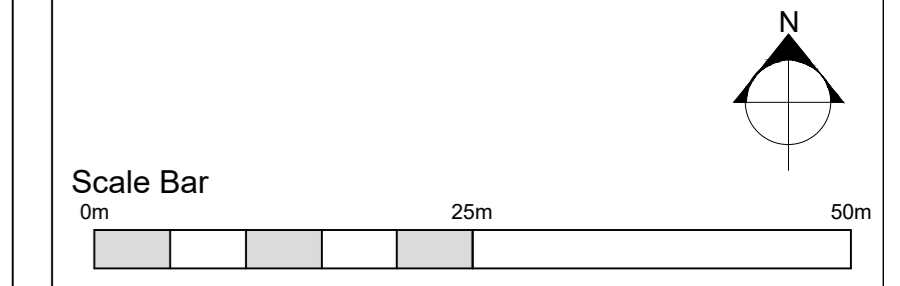
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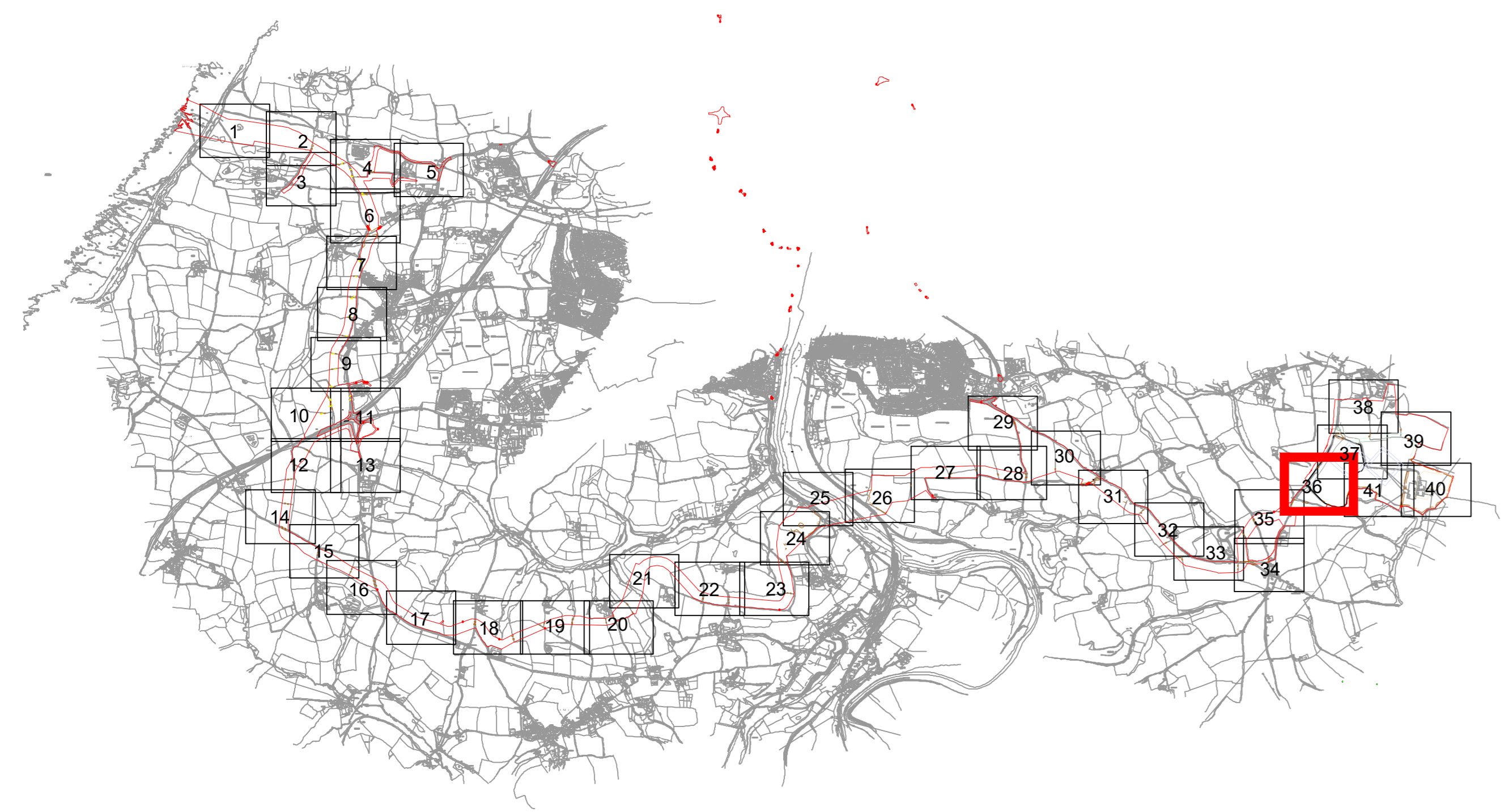
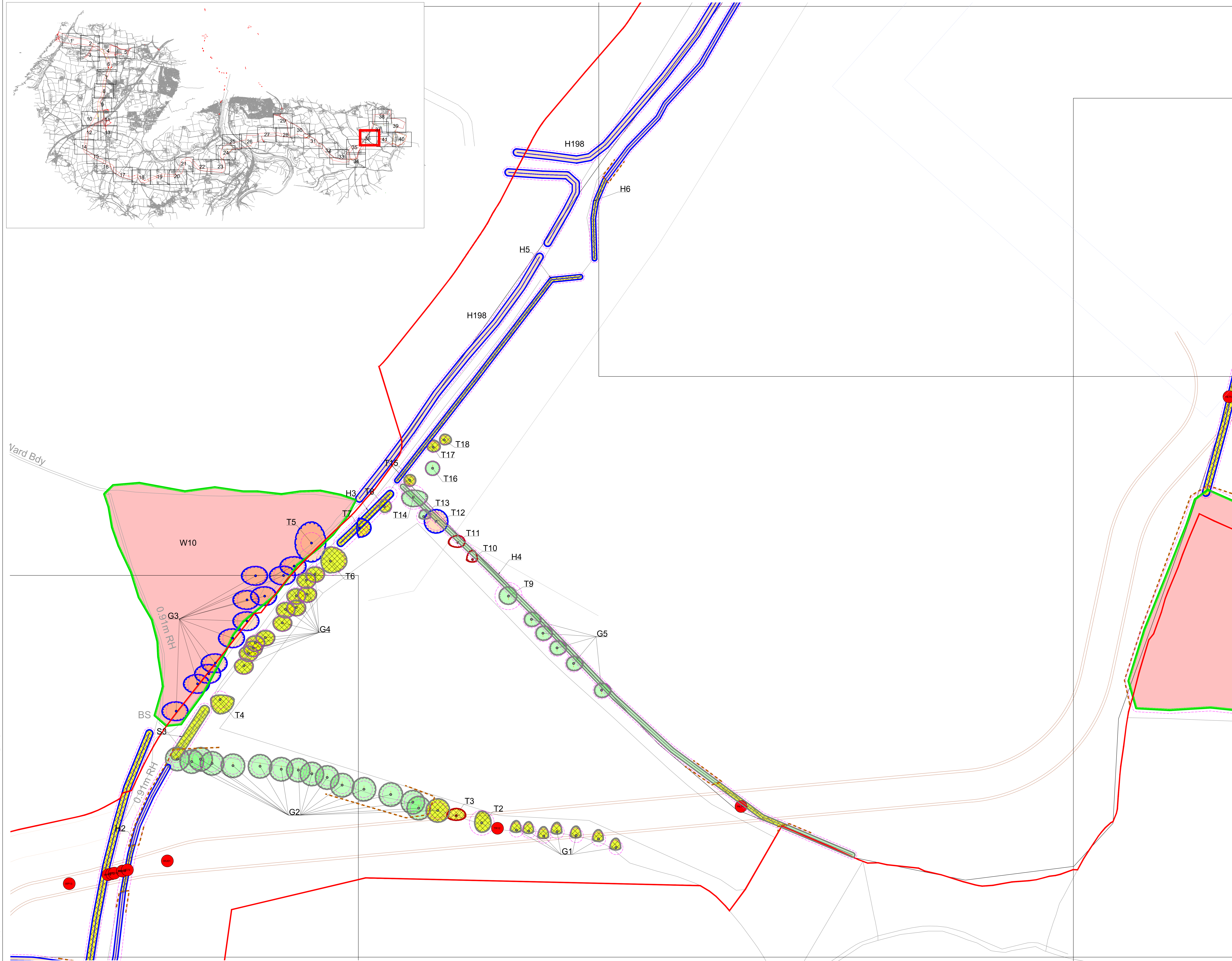
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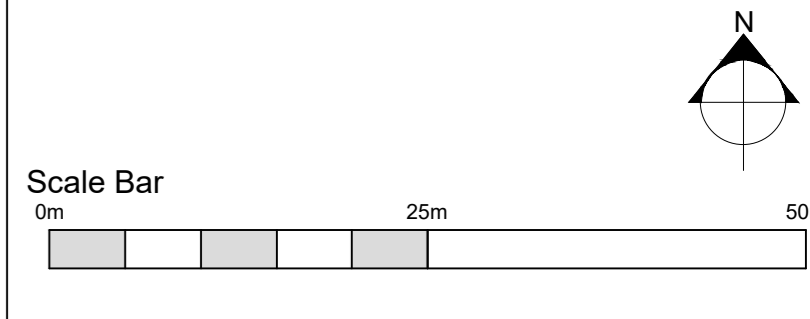
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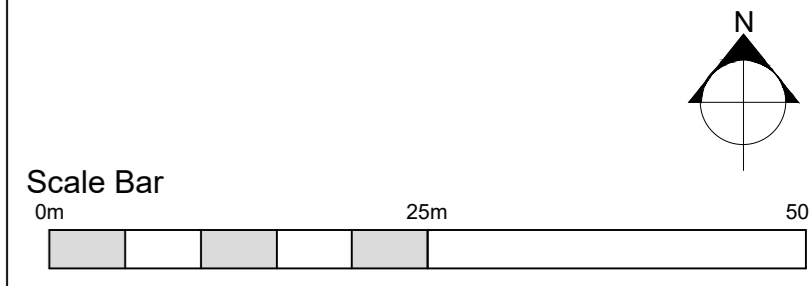
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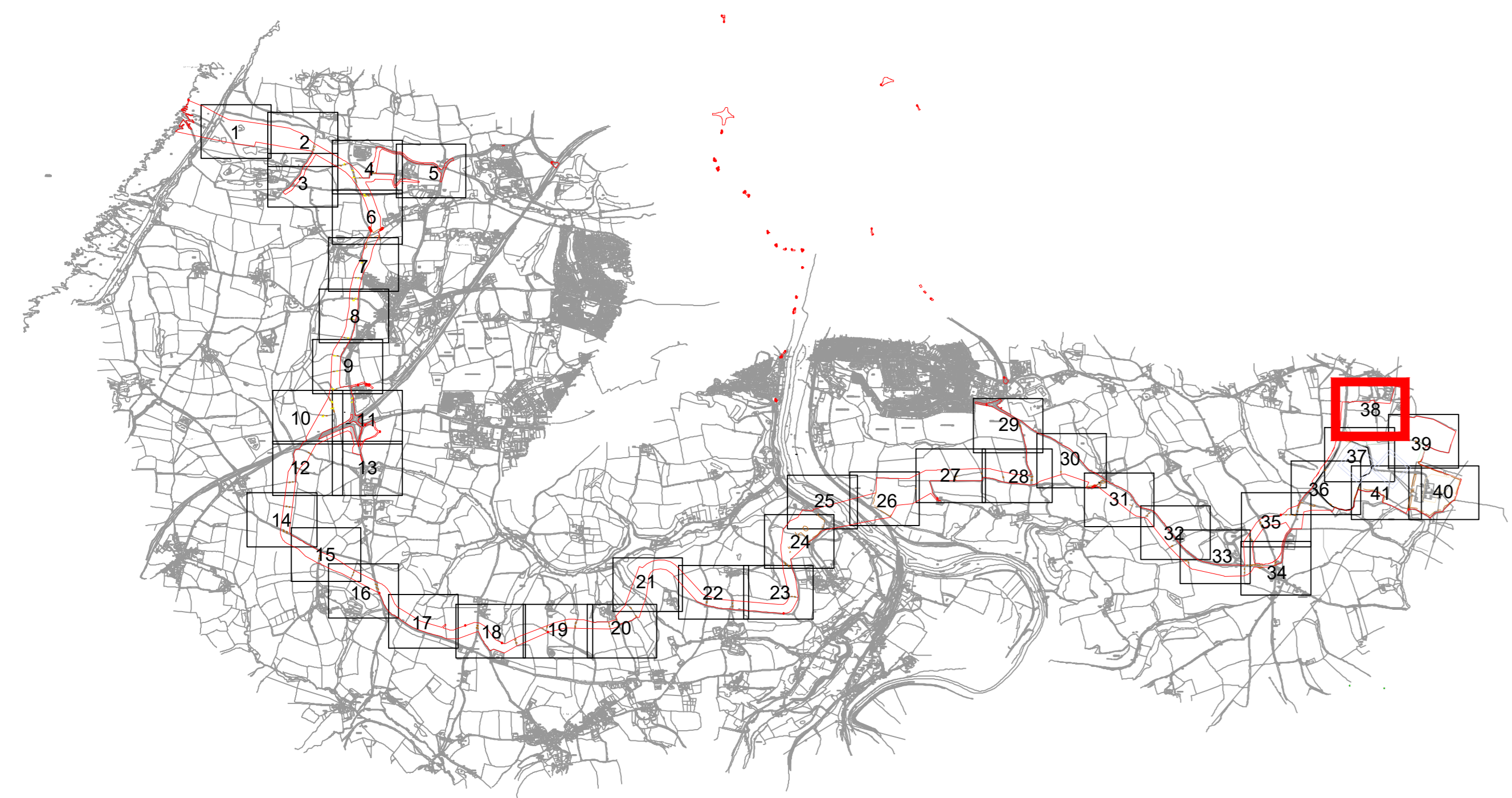
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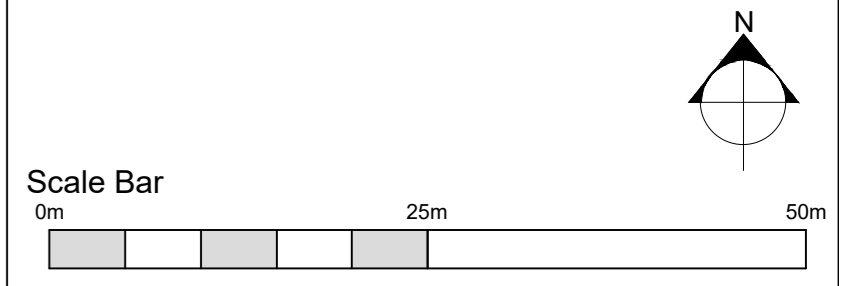
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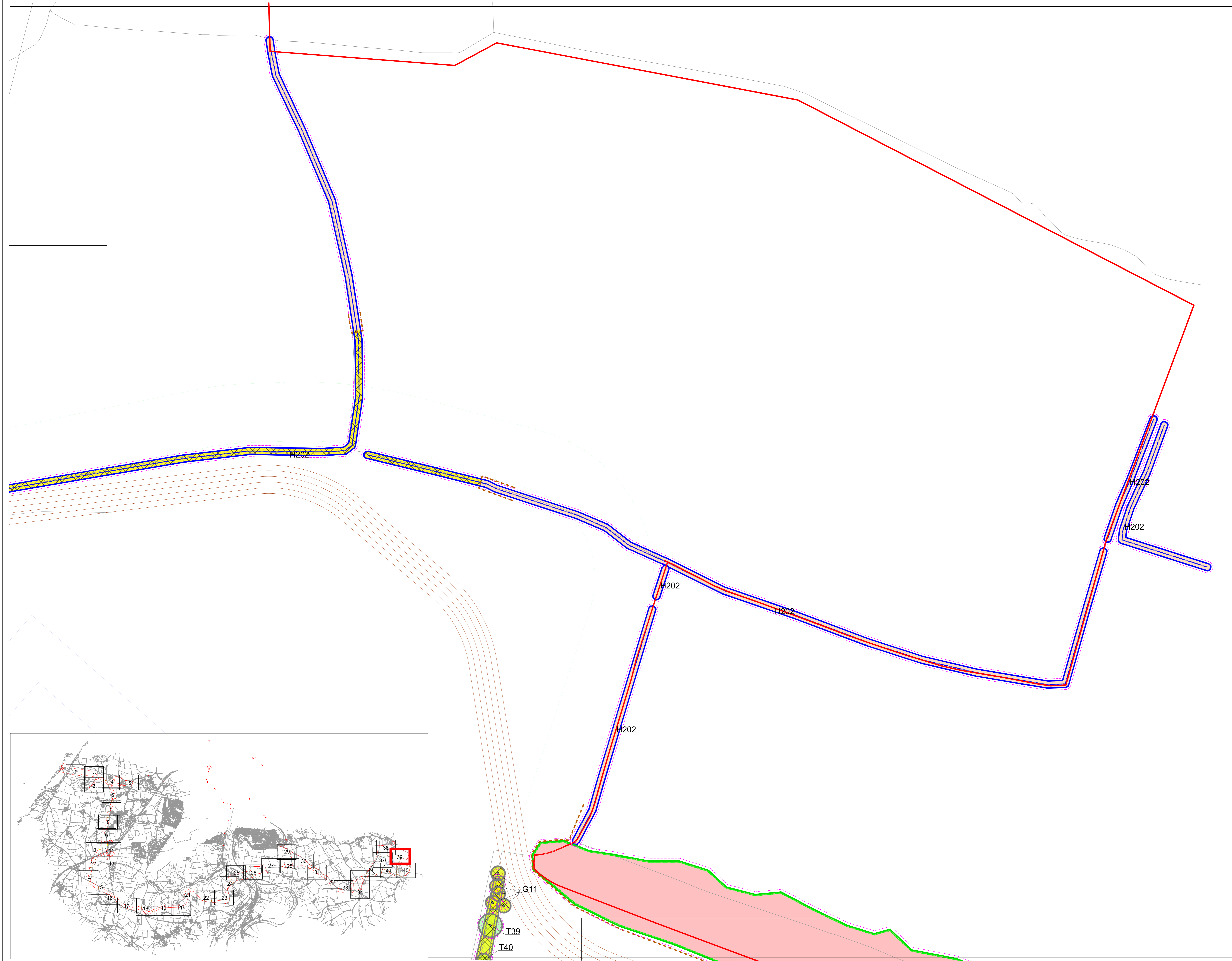
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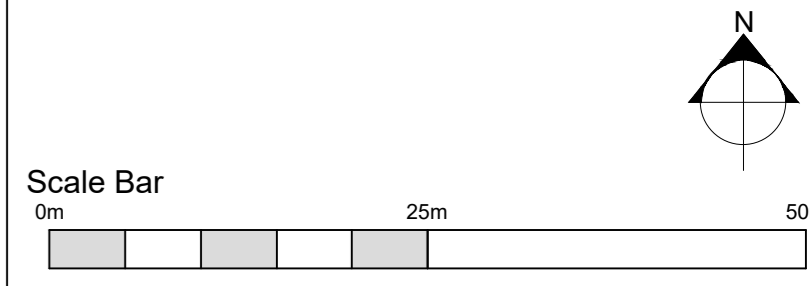
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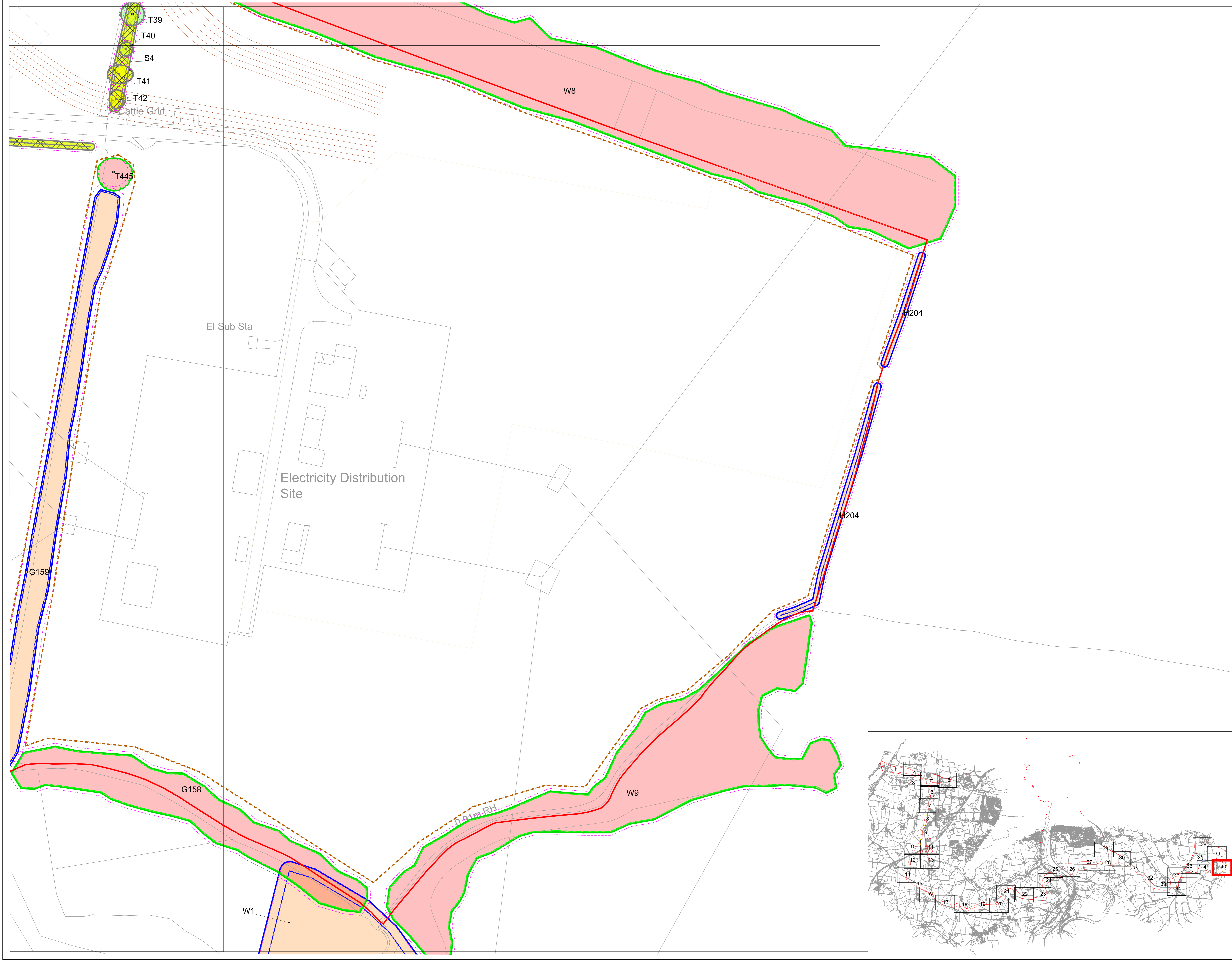


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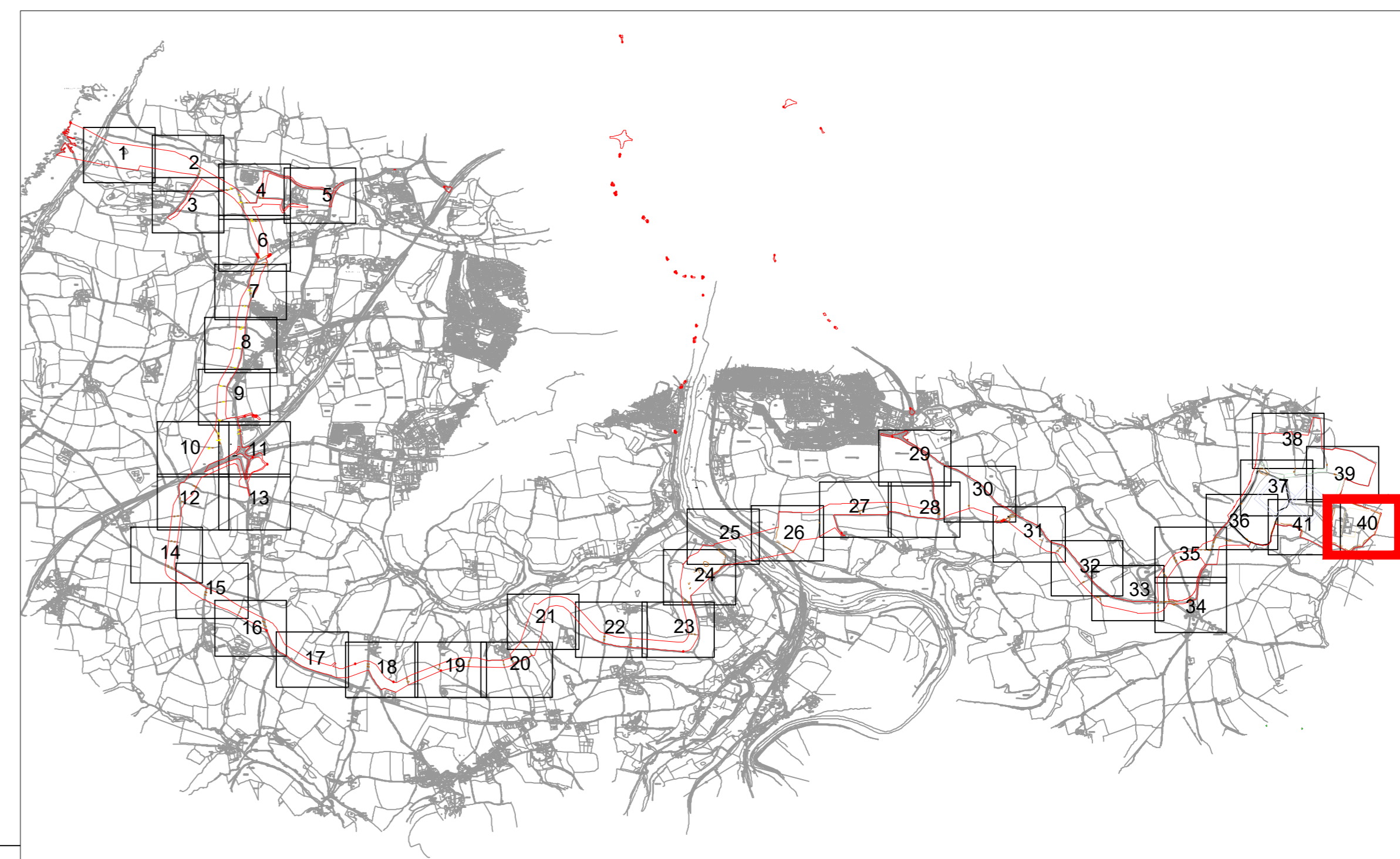
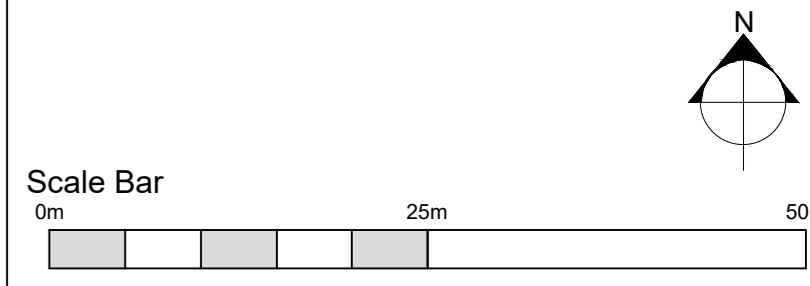
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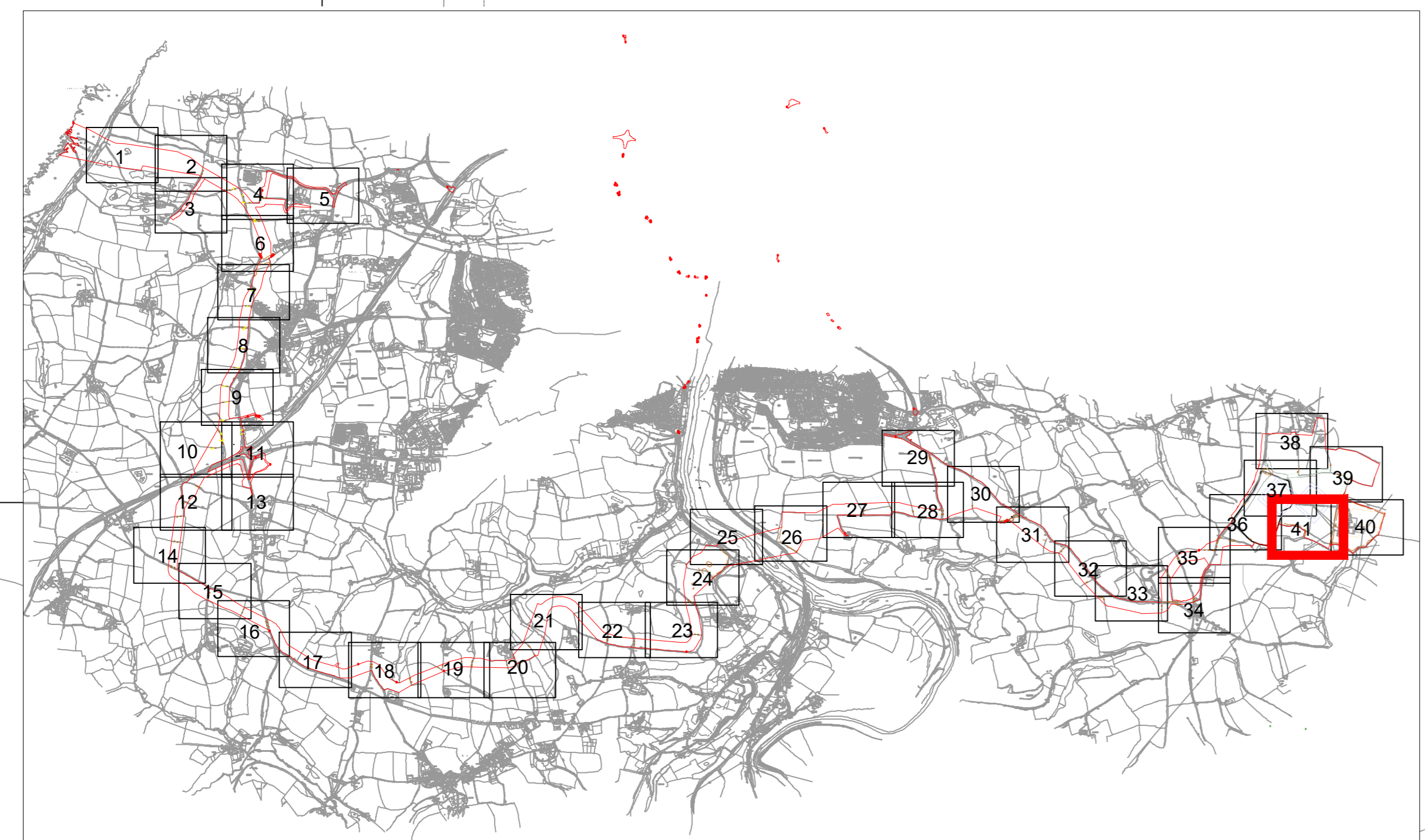
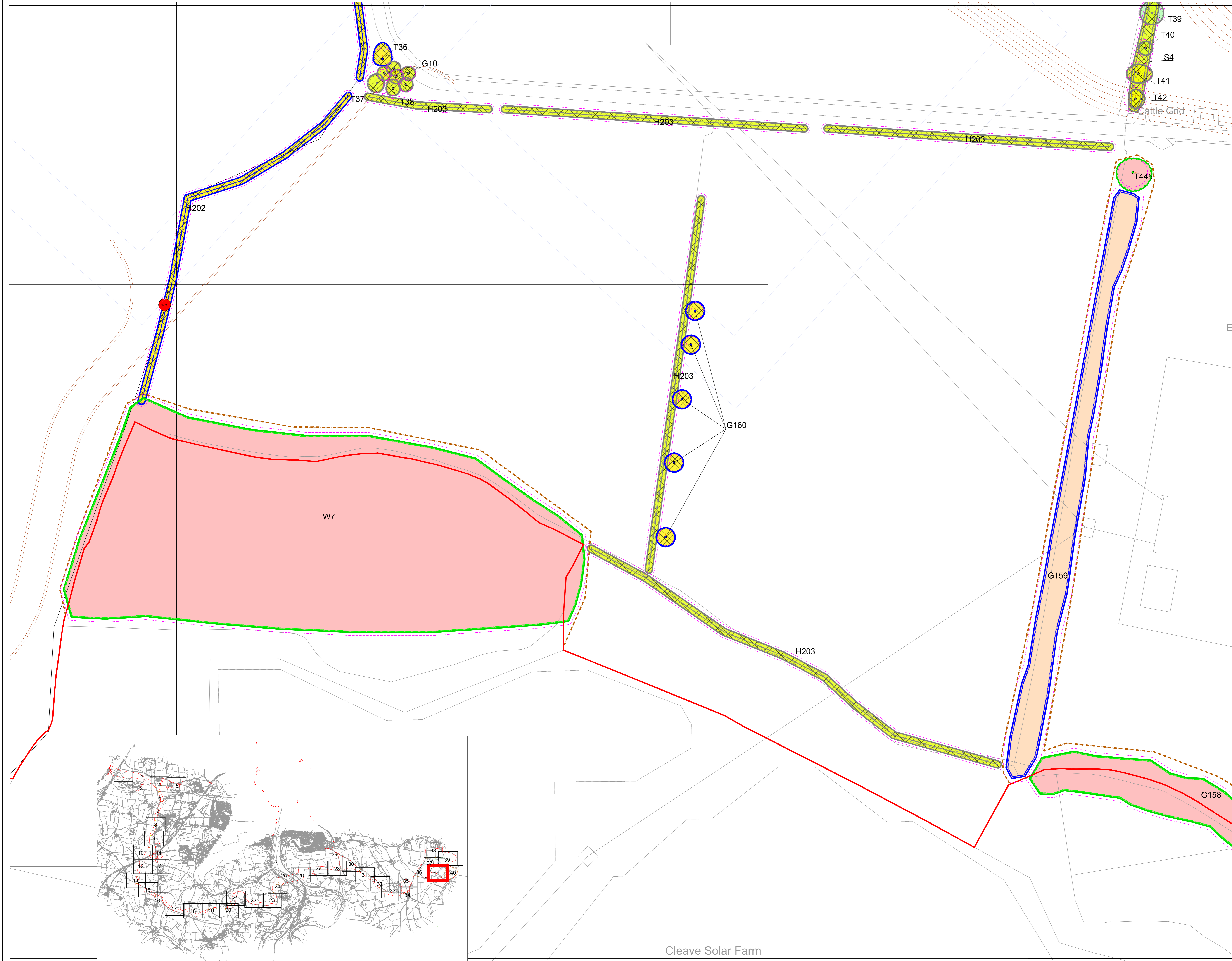
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 # = Tree details estimate (inaccessible tree)
 * = Tree in off site location
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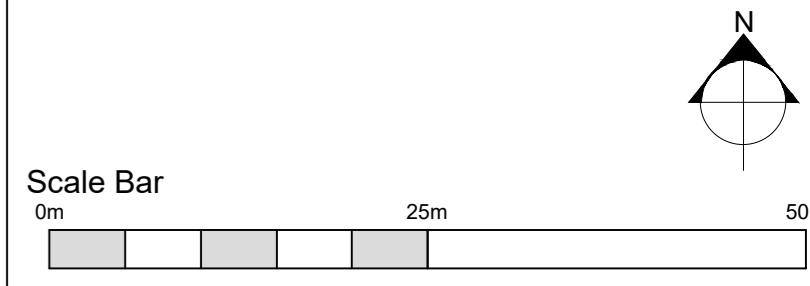
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