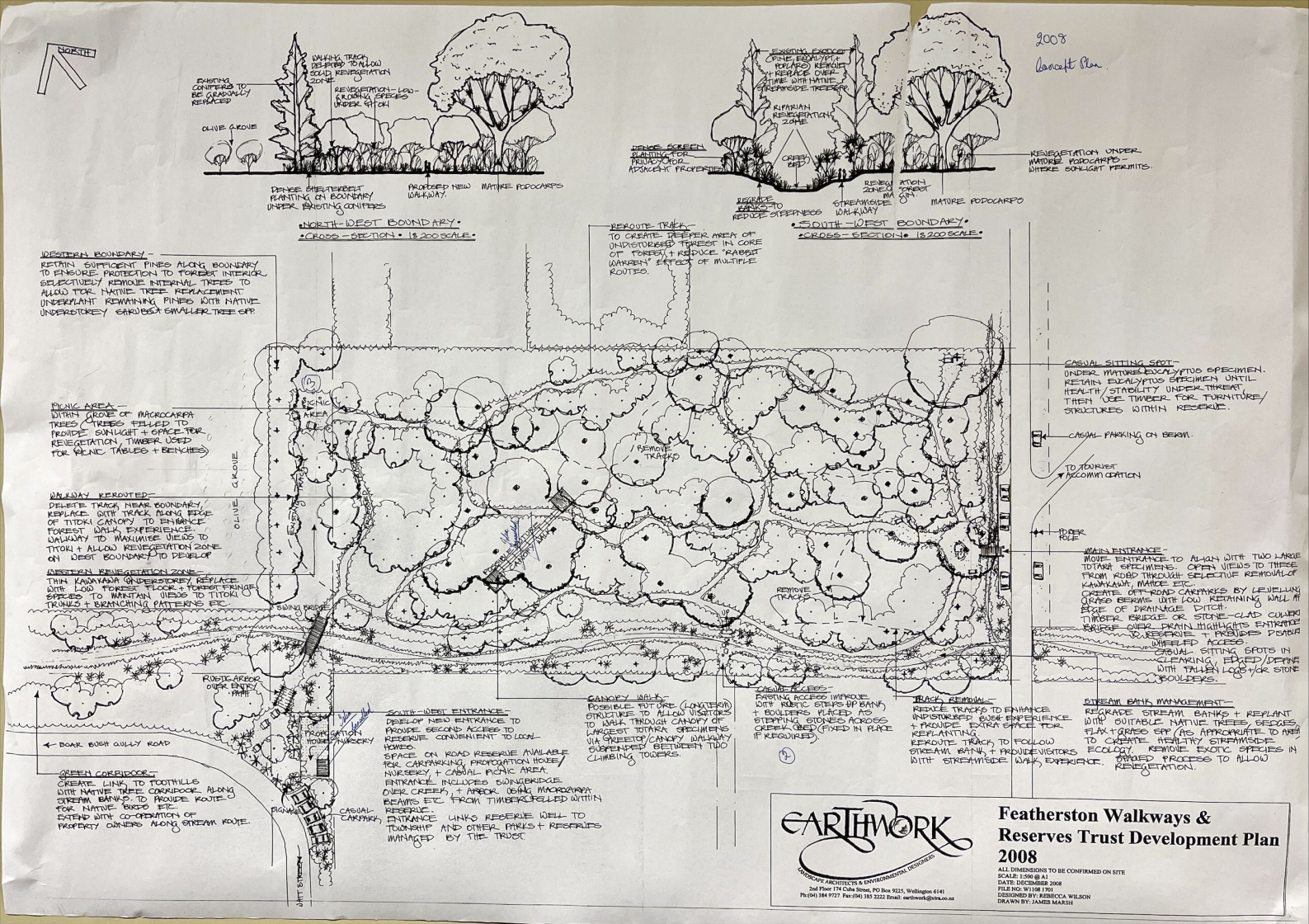
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2008
Concept Plan
EXISTING CONIFERS TO BE GRADUALLY REPLACED
WALKING TRACK DELIBERATELY TO ALLOW SOLID REVEGETATION ZONE
REVEGETATION - LOW-GROWING SPECIES UNDER CANOPY
OLIVE GROVE
DENSE SHELTERBELT PLANTING ON BOUNDARY UNDER EXISTING CONIFERS
PROPOSED NEW WALKWAY
MATURE PODOCARPS
•NORTH-WEST BOUNDARY•
•CROSS-SECTION• 1@200 SCALE•
EXISTING EXOTIC PINE EQUALLY SPACED REMOVED + REPLACE OVER TIME WITH NATIVE STREAMSIDE TREESCAPE
RIPARIAN REVEGETATION ZONE
DENSE SCREEN PLANTING FOR PRIVACY FOR ADJACENT PROPERTIES
CREEK BED
REGRADE BANKS TO REDUCE STEEPNESS
STREAMSIDE WALKWAY
REVEGETATION ZONE TO MATURE FOREST GAP
MATURE PODOCARPS
REVEGETATION UNDER MATURE PODOCARPS - WHERE SUNLIGHT PERMITS.
•SOUTH-WEST BOUNDARY•
•CROSS-SECTION• 1@200 SCALE•
REROUTE TRACK - TO CREATE DEEPER AREA OF UNDISTURBED FOREST IN CORE OF FOREST, + REDUCE "RABBIT WARREN" EFFECT OF MULTIPLE ROUTES.
WESTERN BOUNDARY - RETAIN SUFFICIENT PINES ALONG BOUNDARY TO ENSURE PROTECTION TO FOREST INTERIOR. SELECTIVELY REMOVE INTERNAL TREES TO ALLOW FOR NATIVE TREE REPLACEMENT. UNDERPLANT REMAINING PINES WITH NATIVE UNDERSTOREY EARLIEST SMALLER TREE SPP.
PICNIC AREA - WITHIN GROVE OF MACROCARPA TREES, TREES FELLED TO PROVIDE SUNLIGHT + SPACE FOR REVEGETATION, TIMBER USED FOR PICNIC TABLES + BENCHES)
OLIVE GROVE
WALKWAY REROUTED - DELETE TRACK NEAR BOUNDARY, REPLACE WITH TRACK ALONG EDGE OF TITOKI CANOPY TO ENHANCE FOREST WALK EXPERIENCE. WALKWAY TO MAXIMISE VIEWS TO TITOKI + ALLOW REVEGETATION ZONE ON WEST BOUNDARY TO DEVELOP
WESTERN REVEGETATION ZONE - THIN KAWAKAWA UNDERSTOREY, REPLACE WITH LOW FOREST FLOOR + FOREST FRINGE SPECIES TO MAINTAIN VIEWS TO TITOKI TRUNKS + BRANCHING PATTERNS ETC.
REMOVE TRACKS
SWING BRIDGE
RUSTIC ARBOR OVER ENTRY PATH
PROPAGATION HOUSE + NURSERY
BOAR BUSH GULLY ROAD
GREEN CORRIDOR - CREATE LINK TO FOOTHILLS WITH NATIVE TREE CORRIDOR ALONG STREAM BANKS. TO PROVIDE ROUTE FOR NATIVE BIRDS ETC. ESTABLISH WITH CO-OPERATION OF PROPERTY OWNERS ALONG STREAM ROUTE.
SIGNAGE
CASUAL CARPARK
JIFFY STREAM
SOUTH-WEST ENTRANCE - DEVELOP NEW ENTRANCE TO PROVIDE SECOND ACCESS TO RESERVE CONVENIENT TO LOCAL HOMES. SPACE ON ROAD RESERVE AVAILABLE FOR CARPARKING, PROPAGATION HOUSE/NURSERY + CASUAL PICNIC AREA. ENTRANCE INCLUDES SWING BRIDGE OVER CREEK, + ARBOR USING MACROCARPA BEAMS ETC. FROM TIMBER FELLED WITHIN RESERVE. ENTRANCE LINKS RESERVE WELL TO TOWNSHIP AND OTHER PARKS + RESERVES MANAGED BY THE TRUST.
CANOPY WALK - POSSIBLE FUTURE (LONGTERM) STRUCTURE TO ALLOW VISITORS TO WALK THROUGH CANOPY OF LARGEST TOTARA SPECIMENS VIA STREETOP CANOPY WALKWAY SUSPENDED BETWEEN TWO CLIMBING TOWERS.
CASUAL ACCESS - EASTING ACCESS IMPROVE WITH RUSTIC STEPS UP BANK + BOULDERS PLACED AS STEPPING STONES ACROSS CREEK (FIXED IN PLACE IF REQUIRED)
TRACK REMOVAL - REDUCE TRACKS TO ENHANCE UNDISTURBED BUSH EXPERIENCE + PROVIDE EXTRA SPACE FOR REPLANTING. REROUTE TRACK TO FOLLOW STREAM BANK, + PROVIDE VISITORS WALK EXPERIANCE.
STREAM BANK MANAGEMENT - REGRADE STREAM BANKS + REPLANT WITH SUITABLE NATIVE TREES, SEDGES, FLAX + GRASS SPP (AS APPROPRIATE TO AREA) TO CREATE HEALTHY STREAMSIDE ECOLOGY. REMOVE EXOTIC SPECIES IN PHASED PROCESS TO ALLOW REVEGETATION.
CASUAL SITTING SPOT - UNDER MATURE EUCALYPTUS SPECIMEN. RETAIN EUCALYPTUS SPECIMEN UNTIL HEALTH/STABILITY UNDER THREAT, THEN USE TIMBER FOR FURNITURE/STRUCTURES WITHIN RESERVE.
CASUAL PARKING ON BERM.
TO TOURIST ACCOMMODATION
POWER POLE
MAIN ENTRANCE - MOVE ENTRANCE TO ALIGN WITH TWO LARGE TOTARA SPECIMENS. OPEN VIEWS TO THESE FROM ROAD THROUGH SELECTIVE REMOVAL OF KAWAKAWA, MAHOE ETC. CREATE OFF-ROAD CARPARKS BY LEVELLING GRASS BERMS WITH LOW RETAINING WALL AT EDGE OF DRAINAGE DITCH. TIMBER BRIDGE OR STONE-CLAD CULVERT BRIDGE OVER DRAIN HIGHLIGHTS ENTRANCE TO RESERVE + PROVIDES POSSIBLE WHEELED ACCESS. CASUAL SITTING SPOTS IN CLEARING, EDGED/DEFINED WITH FALLEN LOGS/OR STONE BOULDERS.
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