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INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this memorandum is to document the effort of assessing the feasibility of placing an exclusive "third" track in the Trinity Railway Express (TRE) Corridor to accommodate Higher Speed Rail (HrSR) between Dallas and Fort Worth. HrSR would require speeds up to 110 mph. The third track would service HrSR, AMTRAK and some express TRE service. HrSR would include three stations: Dallas Union Station, Centreport / DFW Station (Fort Worth) and either Fort Worth Intermodal Transportation Center (ITC) or Texas & Pacific (T&P) Station.

TRE EXISTING CONDITIONS

The TRE runs approximately 33.8 miles of commuter rail between Fort Worth and Dallas. The alignment runs north of IH30 and south of Hwy 183 until it crosses and runs along the north side of IH35E into downtown Dallas, as shown in **Figure 1**.

Several appendices support this memorandum, including: Inventory, Stations, and Existing Conditions. The exhibits identify the locations of single track and double track; at-grade and grade separated crossings; bridges; stations; major yards and junctions; and some design constraints, along with a detailed inventory of existing conditions.

Existing Tracks

The TRE alignment consists of both double track and single track sections. Of the 33.8 mile corridor approximately 18.4 miles are double tracked. Approximately 11.1 miles of the double tracks are in Dallas County and the remaining 7.3 miles in Tarrant County. With the exception of Bell Station, all other stations are double tracked.

Trinity Railway Express DFW AIRPORT Station Map **EULESS** AMON BEDFORD 121 354 183 121 NORTH RICHLAND 183 HURST HILLS HALTOM 10 RICHLAND Medica CentrePort Fort Worth DFW Airport Market Center BELTLINE Richland Hills Intermodal 157 GRAND IRVING Transportation Downtown Victory Center 30 Station B Union Heritage ARLINGTON T&P 360 Station Crossing DALLAS Station FORT 1382 WORTH (12) 157 287

Figure 1: TRE Alignment and Stations

Source: trinityrailwayexpress.org, 2014

Stations

There are 10 stations along the TRE alignment, five in Tarrant County and five in Dallas County, as shown in **Figure 1**. Aerial photo exhibits of each station are provided in **Appendix B – Stations**. Each station offers a variety of features including parking, bus or light rail connections, staffed customer information, Kiss 'n' Ride passenger drop off/pick up areas and shuttle services, as detailed in **Table 1**.

Table 1: TRE Station Features

Stations	Features
T&P Station	Parking, The T Bus
Intermodal Transportation Center (ITC) Station	Customer Info, Kiss'n'Ride, The T Bus, Amtrak, Taxi, Greyhound, Rental Car
Richland Hills Station	Parking, Kiss'n'Ride, The T Bus
Bell Station	Parking
Centreport / DFW Station	Parking, Kiss'n'Ride, The T Bus, DART Bus, DFW Shuttle
West Irving Station	Parking, Kiss'n'Ride, DART Bus
Downtown South Irving Station	Parking, Customer Info, Kiss'n'Ride, DART Bus
Medical-Market Center	Kiss'n'Ride, UT Southwest Shuttle
Victory Station	DART Bus, DART Light Rail
Dallas Union Station	Customer Info, DART Bus, DART Light Rail, Amtrak

Source: URS, 2014

Street Crossings

Throughout the corridor, the TRE alignment has 67 street crossings. Of these, 29 are at-grade crossings, 25 are bridged grade separated overpasses and the remaining 13 are grade separated underpasses. A full detailed list of the street crossings, MP locations, type of crossing and number of tracks at the crossing are in **Appendix A – Inventory**.

Bridges

Bridges are used on this corridor for street, highway, trails, flood zones, creeks and rivers crossings. The 39 bridges include single track, double track, multiple track and side-by-side single track bridges. Three of these bridges include a trestle portion of the structure. A full detailed list of bridges is in **Appendix A—Inventory**.

Water Crossings

The TRE corridor includes two major river crossings, the Trinity River in Fort Worth and the Elm Fork of the Trinity River in Dallas. There are also 17 creek crossings. A full detailed list of water crossings is in **Appendix A–Inventory**.

Junctions

There are three major junctions along the TRE corridor. The first is the 6th Street Junction just east of downtown Fort Worth on the west side of IH35W. The second is the Irving Junction located between O'Connor Boulevard and Britain Road. The third is the North Junction in the southeast corner of the Woodall Rodgers and IH35E intersection prior to Union Station.

Yards

There are three major yards along the TRE Corridor. The first is the Sylvania Yard in Fort Worth between Riverside Road and Beach Street. The second is the Irving Yard located between Valley View Road and Hwy 161. The third one is the Mockingbird Yard in Dallas between Norwood Drive and Mockingbird Lane.

Spurs and Sidings

Spurs and sidings are located throughout the TRE corridor at several locations. A full detailed list of spurs and sidings is in **Appendix A–Inventory**.

DESIGN CONSTRAINTS

The design constraints related to adding a third track along the TRE corridor and providing higher speed rail service include structural obstacles, width of existing right-of-way (ROW), amount of at-grade crossings, and the locations of yards and stations.

Structural Obstacles

Three of the more significant structural obstacles occur in downtown Fort Worth. As illustrated in **Figure 2**, just north of the ITC the existing double tracks of the TRE go through an existing historic building. Substantial design was done at this location to minimize vibrations and enhanced barrier protection for this structure, making it difficult to add a third track.

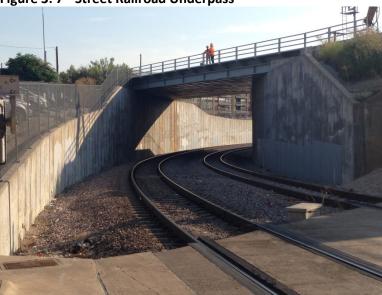




Source: URS, 2014

Just north of the historic building is the 7th Street railroad underpass. **Figure 3** illustrates the U-Wall underpass, in a curve, for the existing double track. Widening of the walls and lengthening of the bridge would be required to accommodate a third track.

Figure 3: 7th Street Railroad Underpass



Source: URS, 2014

Shortly after this underpass to the north, the existing double track reduces to a single track before heading through "The Hole in the Wall", as illustrated in **Figure 4.** "The Hole in the Wall" is a three-level interchange with the TRE tracks at the bottom traveling under existing railroad tracks and HWY 80 at the top. The existing opening can currently only accommodate a single track.

Figure 4: "The Hole in the Wall"



Source: URS, 2014

The other structural obstacle is located in Irving at the intersection of the TRE, Irving Boulevard and MacArthur Boulevard, as illustrated in **Figure 5**. MacArthur Boulevard and the TRE are an at-grade crossing. Irving Boulevard is grade separated and crosses over the TRE and MacArthur Boulevard at an angle. The TRE tracks run closely parallel to Rock Island Road. The TRE is single track at this location. A second track could be placed to the north of the existing track with at-grade modifications of MacArthur

Boulevard and the addition of retaining walls underneath Irving Boulevard; however, a third track could not be accommodated with this method.

Figure 5: Irving Blvd and MacArthur Blvd.



Source: URS, 2014

Width of ROW

Although the ROW varies throughout the corridor, it can accommodate a double track the entire length at the current design speeds. In downtown Fort Worth and Dallas, speeds are reduced, partially to navigate the tight curves necessary in these areas.

In order to accommodate a third track and the 125 MPH and 110 MPH concepts, additional ROW is required at several locations as shown in **Table 2**. These locations do not include downtown Fort Worth and Dallas. For this study, due to the constraints, it is assumed that existing tracks will be used in these areas and no additional ROW will be required.

Table 2: Additional ROW Required

ADDITIONAL ROW REQUIRED								
Location (Near) / Reason Reason 125MPH HrSR Concept 110 MPH HrSR Concept								
Jukdins St.	Larger Curve	5.22 ac	N/A*					
IH820	Larger Curve	9.12 ac	N/A*					
Trinity Blvd. / Mosier Valley Rd.	Larger Curve	1.71 ac	1.71 ac					
Norwood Dr.	3rd Track	4.81 ac	4.81 ac					
Inwood Rd.	Larger Curve	4.54 ac	0.12 ac					
TOTAL		25.40 ac	6.64 ac					

*Speeds reduced to stay within existing ROW

Source: URS, 2014

At-Grade Crossings

Per AREMA requirements, speeds greater than 110 MPH must be grade separated. For the 125 MPH concept, this requires that 27 existing at-grade crossings between downtown Fort Worth and Dallas become grade separated. For the 110 MPH concept, the majority of the existing at-grade crossings will require intersection modifications, but can stay at-grade. Only seven existing at-grade crossings will become grade separated.

Feature Locations

Features along the TRE Corridor include stations, yards, junctions and sidings. The addition of a third track requires consideration and navigation around or over these features. As shown in **Table 3**, from west to east, these features oscillate between the north and south side of the corridor. In order to minimize additional ROW take or substantial reconstruction, the proposed HrSR tracks "fly over" the existing TRE tracks seven times in the corridor.

Table 3: Feature Locations

Features - West to East	Side of Track
T&P Station	South
ITC	North
6th Street Junction	North
Sylvania Yard	North
Richland Hills Station	South
Norwood Siding	North
Bell Station	North
Centreport Station	North
Irving Yard	North
West Irving Station	North
South Irving Station	South
Irving Junction	North
Mockingbird Yard	South
Medical-Market Station	South
Victory Station	North
North Junction	North
Union Station	North

Source: URS, 2014

HrSR CONCEPTS

Two HrSR concepts have been developed so far as part of this initial assessment, a 125 MPH maximum speed concept and a 110 MPH maximum speed concept. Both concepts assume use of the existing TRE tracks and no new exclusive third track west of N. South Freeway in Fort Worth and south of Victory Station in Dallas. Between those locations, both concepts are generally the same regarding the horizontal alignment and location within the corridor either on the north side or the south side of the existing TRE tracks. The concepts differ horizontally around curves and vertically at street crossings in order to achieve greater speeds and maintain grade separation for the 125 MPH concept.

The general horizontal location of the proposed HrSR concepts and proposed grade separations for both concepts are shown on the exhibits in **Appendix D – Horizontal Alignment Schematics**. More detailed aerial photo exhibits showing the proposed alignment for both concepts along with proposed horizontal curves, ROW acquisition requirements, feature modifications and fly-over locations are located in **Appendix E – Proposed Alignment Exhibits**. **Appendix C – Existing Conditions** is provided to demonstrate the current alignment and corridor conditions.

Horizontal Alignment – Both Concepts

The HrSR alignment begins in Fort Worth at the ITC and follows the existing TRE tracks north and east beyond 6th Street Junction and N. South Freeway. At this point, a new exclusive third track is proposed on the north side of the existing TRE tracks. It is assumed future double tracking of the TRE system will occur on the south side of the existing tracks in this area. A future TRE double track was assumed to be a distance of 15' from the existing TRE track, while the HrSR was assumed to be a distance of 25' from either the existing or future TRE track, depending on the location.

The HrSR alignment continues east on the exclusive track and passes through a curve to the left near Judkins Street. The HrSR track for the 125 MPH concept leaves the ROW at this curve in order to be constructed along a larger horizontal radius and achieve a higher speed. Additional ROW is required in this area for the 125 MPH concept. The HrSR track for the 110 MPH concept stays inside the existing ROW and follows a curve similar to the existing curve which has a 90 MPH maximum speed.

After the Judkins Street curve, the HrSR alignment passes through Sylvania Yard. Existing track modifications are expected to be required at Sylvania Yard for both concepts.

East of Sylvania Yard, the HrSR alignment continues through a curve to the right located just east of North Beach Street. In order to construct curves with larger radii for both concepts, the exiting TRE single track in this area is anticipated to be realigned around the curve to follow the HrSR tracks. No additional ROW appears to be required to construct the larger radii curves in this area.

The HrSR track continues east along the north side of the corridor through Richland Hills Station and beyond IH820 where it enters a curve to the right. The HrSR tracks for the 125 MPH concept leave the ROW at this curve in order to be constructed along a larger horizontal radius and achieve a higher speed. Additional ROW is required in this area for the 125 MPH concept. Also, the existing TRE single track in this area is anticipated to be realigned around the curve to follow the 125 MPH HrSR track. The HrSR track for the 110 MPH concept stays inside the existing ROW and follows a curve similar to the existing curve which has a 90 MPH design speed, requiring the HrSR to reduce speed through this curve.

The HrSR alignment continues east on the north side of the corridor toward Norwood Drive where both concepts are proposed to fly over an existing siding track and then to Bell Station where both concepts are proposed to pass through the station area on aerial structure.

Continuing east, the HrSR alignment enters a curve to the left after passing Trinity Boulevard / Mosier Valley Road. Larger radii horizontal curves are proposed for both concepts in this area and both concepts require ROW acquisition to achieve the greater speeds.

After Moiser Valley Road, the HrSR alignment crosses Highway 157. East of Highway 157, it flies over the existing TRE tracks and crosses to the southern side of the railroad corridor on the south side of the existing TRE tracks in this area for both concepts.

The HrSR alignment continues east on the south side of the corridor toward Highway 360 through a curve to the right that is currently designed for 125 MPH and then Centreport/DFW Station. A new platform for the HrSR concepts is proposed at Centreport/DFW Station.

From the Centreport/DFW Station, the HrSR leaves Tarrant County and enters Dallas County continuing on the south side of the corridor past the Irving Yard and West Irving Station at which point both HrSR concepts fly over the existing TRE tracks to the northern side.

The HrSR alignment 110 MPH concept continues on an aerial structure along the Rock Island Bridge and transitions to an at-grade section under Irving Boulevard. The 125 MPH concept also remains aerial along the Rock Island Bridge and continues aerial over Irving Boulevard. Both concepts continue east on the northern side of the corridor and fly over the Irving Junction at O'Connor Boulevard.

After Irving Junction, the HrSR alignment continues on the north past Mockingbird Yard and all the way to IH35. A small section of ROW is required for both concepts along a narrow section of existing ROW just west of Mockingbird Station.

As the HrSR alignment crosses IH35E heading east, both concepts are proposed to fly over the existing single track to the southern side of the corridor and enter a curve to the right. Larger radii horizontal curves are proposed for both concepts in this area and both concepts require ROW acquisition to achieve the greater speeds.

Continuing east and starting to head south, the HrSR alignment concepts will require station modifications at the Medical Market Center Station before heading towards Market Center Boulevard.

The HrSR alignment will continue on the south side of the TRE tracks until it reaches the tight ROW constraints near Oak Lawn Avenue where the HrSR tracks will be stacked over existing tracks. Both concepts will return to the south side for a short distance before again being stacked over existing tracks at Victory Station.

South of Victory Station and north of Continental Avenue the HrSR alignment connects back to the existing TRE tracks and runs through the North Junction and terminating at Union Station.

Vertical Alignment – Both Concepts

The vertical alignments for the HrSR alignment differ for the 110 MPH and 125 MPH concepts. The 110 MPH concept allows for at-grade crossing, minimizing grade separated crossings and aerial structures. The 125 MPH concept does not allow at-grade crossings and grade separates all intersections.

CONCEPTUAL ROUGH ORDER OF MAGNITUDE CAPITAL COST ESTIMATE

A conceptual rough order of magnitude capital cost estimate was determined for both the 125MPH HrSR and 110MPH HrSR concepts in **Appendix F – Conceptual Capital Cost Estimate**. Since both routes have the same basic route length, the differences were a few major components, as summarized in **Table 4.**

Table 4: Major Cost Components

MAJOR COST COMPONENTS							
Description	12	5MPH HrSR Concept	110MPH HrSR Concept				
HSR Single Track At-Grade	\$	45,002,100.00	\$	74,166,950.00			
TRE Single Track At-Grade	\$	3,856,600.00	\$	886,600.00			
HSR Single Track Retained Fill 2-Wall	\$	59,500,000.00	\$	33,250,000.00			
HSR Single Track Bridged (22')	\$	243,736,000.00	\$	129,460,000.00			
HSR Single Track Bridged (44')	\$	5,200,000.00	\$	-			
Crossings	\$	-	\$	35,000,000.00			
Right-of-Way	\$	17,800,287.26	\$	241,779.47			

Source: URS, 2014

The 125MPH HrSR concept has more aerial structures and ROW while the 110MPH HrSR concept has more at-grade track and street crossing improvements. The Overall Costs and Per Mile Costs are calculated after including the remaining components, Professional Services, Contingency and Environmental Allowances, as shown in **Table 5.**

Table 5: Overall Costs

OVERALL COSTS						
125MPH HrSR Concept 110MPH HrSR Conce						
Total Project Cost	\$	1,169,017,505.92	\$	988,353,395.03		
Per Mile Cost \$ 37,301,132.93 \$ 31,						

Source: URS, 2014

OPERATIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

Along the TRE corridor, travel times and average speeds were calculated from engineered distances and constrained speeds for three alignment alternatives, two of which are described above. A third concept would have straightened the alignment along two additional 90 mph curves at Riverside Dr. in Fort Worth and just east of I-820 in Hurst in order to accommodate the 110 mph target. As shown in **Table 6** below, this resulted in a travel time savings of less than 15 seconds and was not considered to be worth the additional ROW cost associated with these two improvements. All alternatives assume a 90 second dwell time at Centreport Station. The minor differences in distance (less than 200 feet) are due to locations where the 125MPH HrSR Concept is slightly straighter. A disproportionate amount of the travel time occurs in the downtown portions of the alignment where physical constraints can cap the speed to between 15 and 40 mph. As shown below, the difference between the 110 and 125 mph concepts is approximately two minutes.

Table 6: Travel Times

TRE Corridor HrSR with Acela Vehicle	Union to Centreport	Dwell at Centreport	Centreport to ITC	Total (min)		
Engineered to 125 between Hole in the Wall and Victory Station area (125MPH HrSR						
Concept)						
Distance (miles)	16.50	0	17.22	33.72		
Average Speed (mph)	100.7	N/A	97.4	92.2		
Travel Time (min)	9.8	1.5	10.6	21.9		
Engineered to 110 between	een Hole in the W	all and Victory St	ation area (Precl	uded Concept)		
Distance (miles)	16.50	0	17.22	33.72		
Average Speed (mph)	92.7	N/A	89.0	85.0		
Travel Time (min)	10.7	1.5	11.6	23.8		
Engineered to 110 between	een SW Hurst and	Victory Station a	area* (110MPH H	rSR Concept)		
Distance (miles)	16.50	0	17.24	33.74		
Average Speed (mph)	92.7	N/A	87.8	84.5		
Travel Time (min)	10.7	1.5	11.8	24.0		

^{*}Track outside of downtown areas is engineered to accommodate speeds up to 110 mph except at Riverside Dr. in Fort Worth and just east of I-820 in Hurst. At these two locations, speeds would decrease to 90 mph in order to avoid additional ROW acquisition.

For comparison, an initial estimate of travel times along the I-30 corridor ranges from 15 minutes at 200 mph maximum speeds to just under 19 minutes at 125 mph. Both estimates are based on a rough distance (not engineered) of 15.9 miles from Dallas Union Station to the Ballpark in Arlington and 14.9 miles from the Ballpark to the Fort Worth Intermodal Transit Center (ITC). Both assume a similar 90 second dwell time at the midpoint station at Ballpark. Unlike the estimates above for the TRE Corridor, these figures take a best case scenario approach, assuming straight-line distances and no speed constraints due to curvature, intersections, or nearby land uses. These best-case travel time estimates along I-30, when compared with the more rigorous estimates along the TRE corridor, can be taken to represent the maximum possible travel time benefit.



APPENDIX A INVENTORY

			Grade Separated Crossings			Proposed Crossings		
Streets	MP Location	At-Grade Crossings	Overpass	Underpass	Notes	125 MPH	110 MPH	
Jennings Ave	610.5		X		double tracked			
Main St	610.7		X		double tracked			
Lancaster Ave	611		Х		single tracked			
E 8th St 7th St	611.49 611.57	X			double tracked double tracked			
US 280	011.57	^		Х	single tracked			
IH 35W				X	single tracked			
N South FWY			Х	Α	single tracked			
Sylvania Ave	612.8		X		single tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Judkins St	612.9	Х			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Galvez Ave	613.13	Х			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Riverside Dr	613.17	Х			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
4th St	613.6			Х	starts to become double tracted	At-Grade Underpass	At-Grade Underpass	
Beach St	614.15	X			double tracked	Aerial Overpass	Aerial Overpass	
Haltom Rd	615.17	X			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Elliott Reeder Rd	615.47	X			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Carson St	616.23	Х			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Minnis Dr	617.1	Х			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Midway RD	617.57		X		single tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Handley Ederville RD	618.53	Х			double tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
I-820 SB	619.1			X	single tracked	At-Grade Underpass	At-Grade Underpass	
I-820 NB Precinct Line Rd	619.2			Х	single tracked	At-Grade Underpass	At-Grade Underpass	
Norwood Dr	620.67	X			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Bell Helicopter Private Road	621.73 622.2	Х		V	double tracked double tracked	Aerial Overpass At-Grade Underpass	Aerial Overpass	
	622.43	Х		Х		Aerial Overpass	At-Grade Underpass	
Bell Spur Trinity Blvd	623.3	^		Х	single tracked single tracked	At-Grade Underpass	Aerial Overpass At-Grade Underpass	
Mosier Valley RD	625.57	Х		^	single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
N Collins St / HWY 157	625.79	^	X		double tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Calloway Cemetery Rd	626.3	Х	Α		double tracked	Aerial Overpass	Aerial Overpass	
S Main St	626.8	Α	Х		double tracked (also crosses creek)	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Tarrant Main St	627.2	Х			double tracked	At-Grade	At-Grade	
HWY 360	628.24		Х		single tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Trinity Blvd	629.5			Х	double tracked	At-Grade Underpass	At-Grade Underpass	
Valley View Ln	629.9	Х			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Norma Station Way	630.2	Х			double tracked. Prior to Irving Yard	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
HWY 161	630.6			Х	Becomes two tracked after 161	At-Grade Underpass	At-Grade Underpass	
Gilbert Rd	631.53	X			double tracked	Aerial Overpass	Aerial Overpass	
Belt Line RD	632.1		X		double tracked	Aerial Overpass	Aerial Overpass	
S Briery RD	632.2		X		double tracked	Aerial Overpass	Aerial Overpass	
N Story RD	633		Х		double tracked	Aerial Overpass	Aerial Overpass	
Irby Ln	633.53	Х			double tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
S Rogers RD	633.8	Х			single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
W Irving Blvd	634			Х	single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade Underpass	
Macarthur Blvd	633.98	Х	.,		single tracked (under Irving Blvd)	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
N Sowers Rd	634.3		X		single tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
N O'Connor Blvd	634.5	V	Х		double tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Britain RD S Nursery RD	635.02 635.47	X			double tracked (3rd freight track) double tracked (3rd freight track)	Aerial Overpass Aerial Overpass	Aerial Overpass At-Grade	
N Irving Heights Dr	636	X			double tracked (Std freight track)	Aerial Overpass Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Loop 12	636.3	^		Х	double tracked	At-Grade Underpass	At-Grade Underpass	
N Wildwood Dr	636.5	Х		^	double tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Regal Row	637.5	Α	Х		double tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Norwood Dr	638.1	Х	, ,		double tracked (3rd freight track)	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
West Mockingbird Ln	637.6		Х		3 tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Stemmons Fwy			X		single tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Inwood RD	640.4		X		becomes 2 tracked after Inwood Rd	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Medical District RD	641.2		Х		double tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Market Center Blvd	641.66	Х			double tracked	Aerial Overpass	At-Grade	
Oak Lawn Ave	642.5		Х		double tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
North Dallas Tollway Ramps	642.7			Х	double tracked	At-Grade Underpass	At-Grade Underpass	
HI Lane & Victory Ave	643		X		double tracked	At-Grade Overpass	At-Grade Overpass	
Lamar St	643.7		X		double tracked			
Continental Ave			X		double tracked			
HWY 366 Woodall Rogers FWY	643.7			Х	double tracked			
Elm/Main / Commerce	644.1		X		double tracked			
Reunion Blvd W	644.2		Х		double tracked			



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T&P Station	610.5
Intermodal Transportation Center (ITC) Station	611.4
Richland Hills Station	618.3
Bell Station	622.6
Centreport / DFW Station	628.5
West Irving Station	631.4
South Irving Station	634.8
Medical-Market Center	641.1
Victory Station	643.3
Dallas Union Station	644.3



Water Crossings	MP Location
Trinity River	610.4
Little Fossil Creek	616.4
Unnamed Creek	
Big Fossil Creek	620
Unnamed Creek	
Calloway Branch	
Walkers Creek	
Mesquite Creek	
Sulphur Branch	
Hurricane Creek	625.2
Unnamed Creek	
Bear Creek	630.8
Delaware Creek	
Unnamed Creek	
Elm Fork Trinity River	637
Unnamed Creek	
Knights Creek	640.3
Cedar Branch Creek	641.8
Turtle Creek	642.6
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Bridges	MP Location	Туре	Notes
Jennings Ave		double tracked bridge	
Main St		double tracked bridge	
Lancaster Ave		single tracked bridge	
N. South Fwy		single tracked bridge	
Trinity River	612.44	single tracked bridge	Partial trestle bridge
Sylvania		single tracked bridge	
Little Fossil Creek	616.43	single tracked bridge	
Unnamed Creek	616.9	single tracked bridge	
Midway / Big Fossil Creek	617.37	single tracked bridge	
Unnamed Creek		single tracked bridge	
Calloway Branch Creek	620.4	single tracked bridge	
Walker Branch Creek	620.6	single tracked bridge	
Mesquite Creek	621.06	single tracked bridge	
Sulphur Branch Creek		single tracked bridge	
Hurricane Creek		single tracked bridge	
Collins St / HWY 157	625.79	double tracked bridge	
Main St / Unnamed Creek	626.3	double tracked bridge	
US 360	628.24	single tracked bridge	
Drainage Channel		2 - single tracked bridges	
Bear Creek	630.84	single tracked bridge	
Rock Island		double tracked bridge	
Sowers Rd / Deleware Creek		single tracked bridge	
Unnamed Creek		double tracked bridge	
Elm Fork Trinity River	637	2 - single tracked bridges	One track parial trestle bridge
Regal Row		double tracked bridge	
Mockingbird Lane		triple tracked bridge	
IH35E		single tracked bridge	
Unnamed Creek		single tracked bridge	Partial trestle bridge
Knights Branch Creek		single tracked bridge	
Inwood Rd		single tracked bridge	
Medical District Dr		2 - single tracked bridges	
Cedar Branch Creek		2 - single tracked bridges	
Oak Lawn Ave		double tracked bridge	
Turtle Creek		double tracked bridge	
Victory Ave		double tracked bridge	
Lamar St		double tracked bridge	
Continental Ave		double tracked bridge	
Elm St/ Main St/ Commerce St		multipled tracked bridge	
Reunion Blvd		double tracked bridge	



Junctions	MP Location
6th Street Junction	611.9
Irving Junction	
North Junction	643.9



Yards	MP Location
Sylvania Yard	613.45
Irving Yard	
Mockingbird Yard	

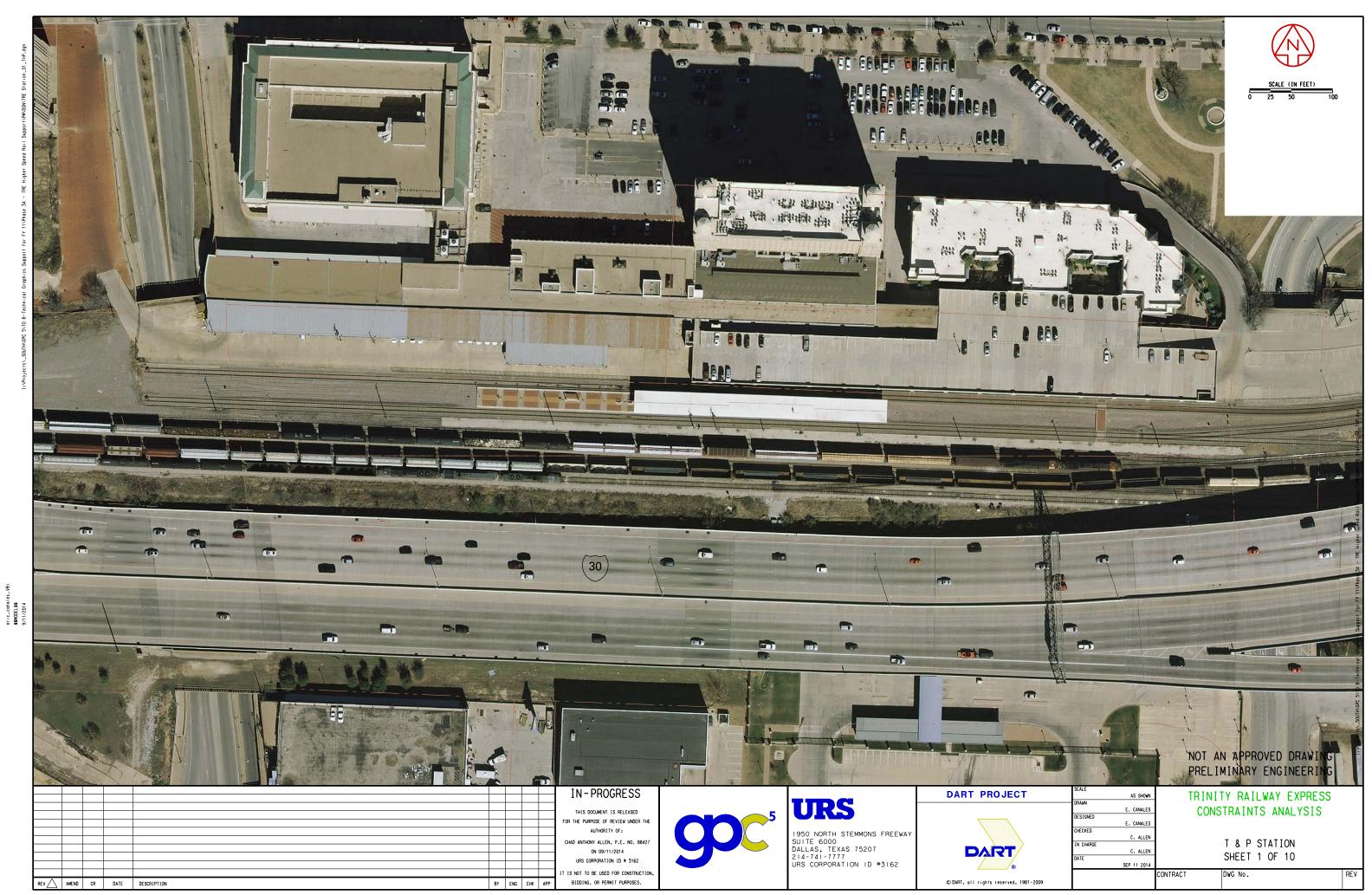


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N Beach St	big bldg after beach st
Precinct Line Rd	bldg after Calloway Branch
Calloway Cemetry Rd	before S Main St
Tarrant Main St	after Tarrant Main St
N Britain Rd	Shortly after Britain Rd
Regal Row	Between Regal Row and Norwood Rd
Norwood Rd	Right after Norwood Rd
W Mockingbird Ln	Right after Mockingbird In

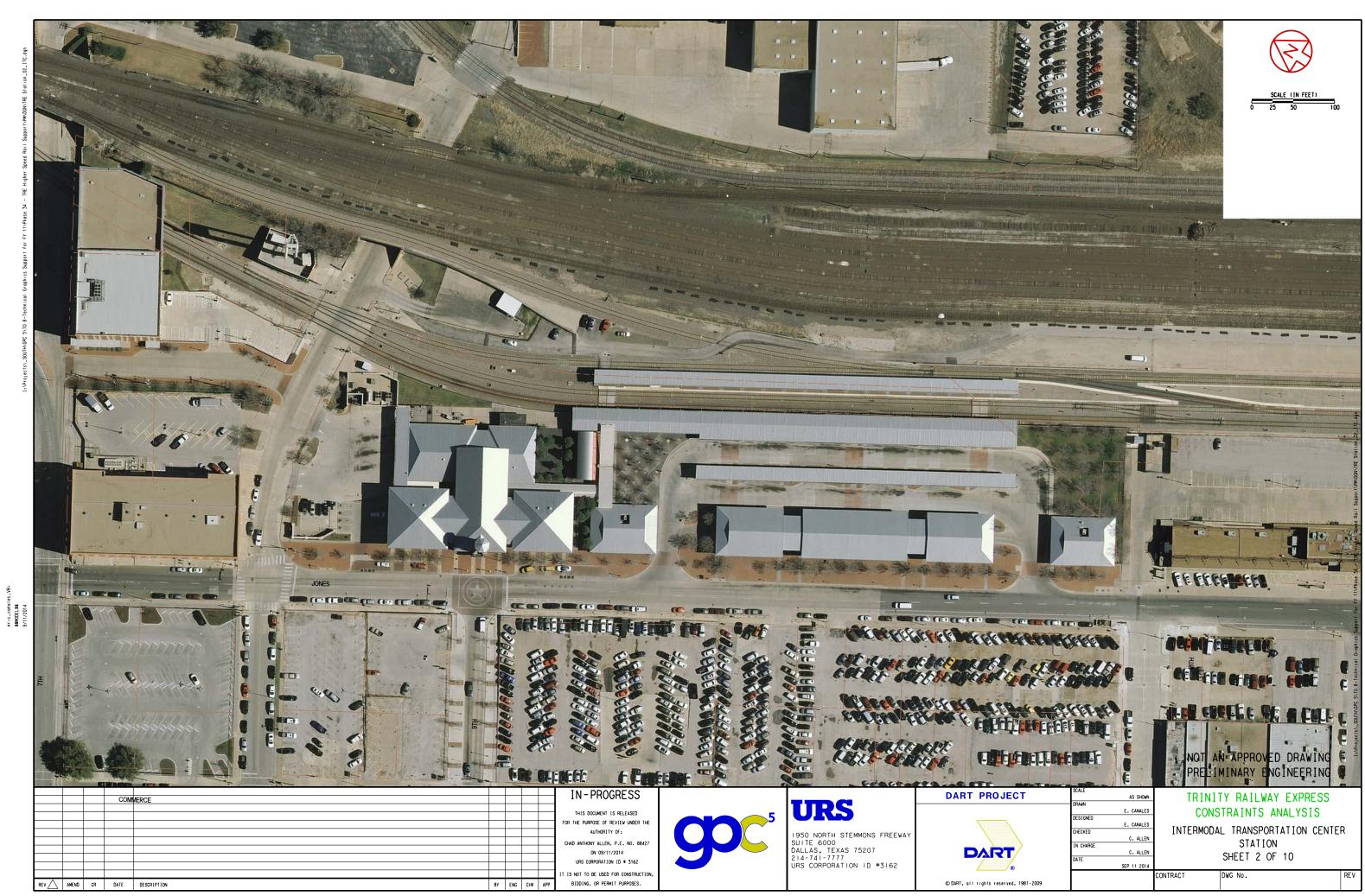




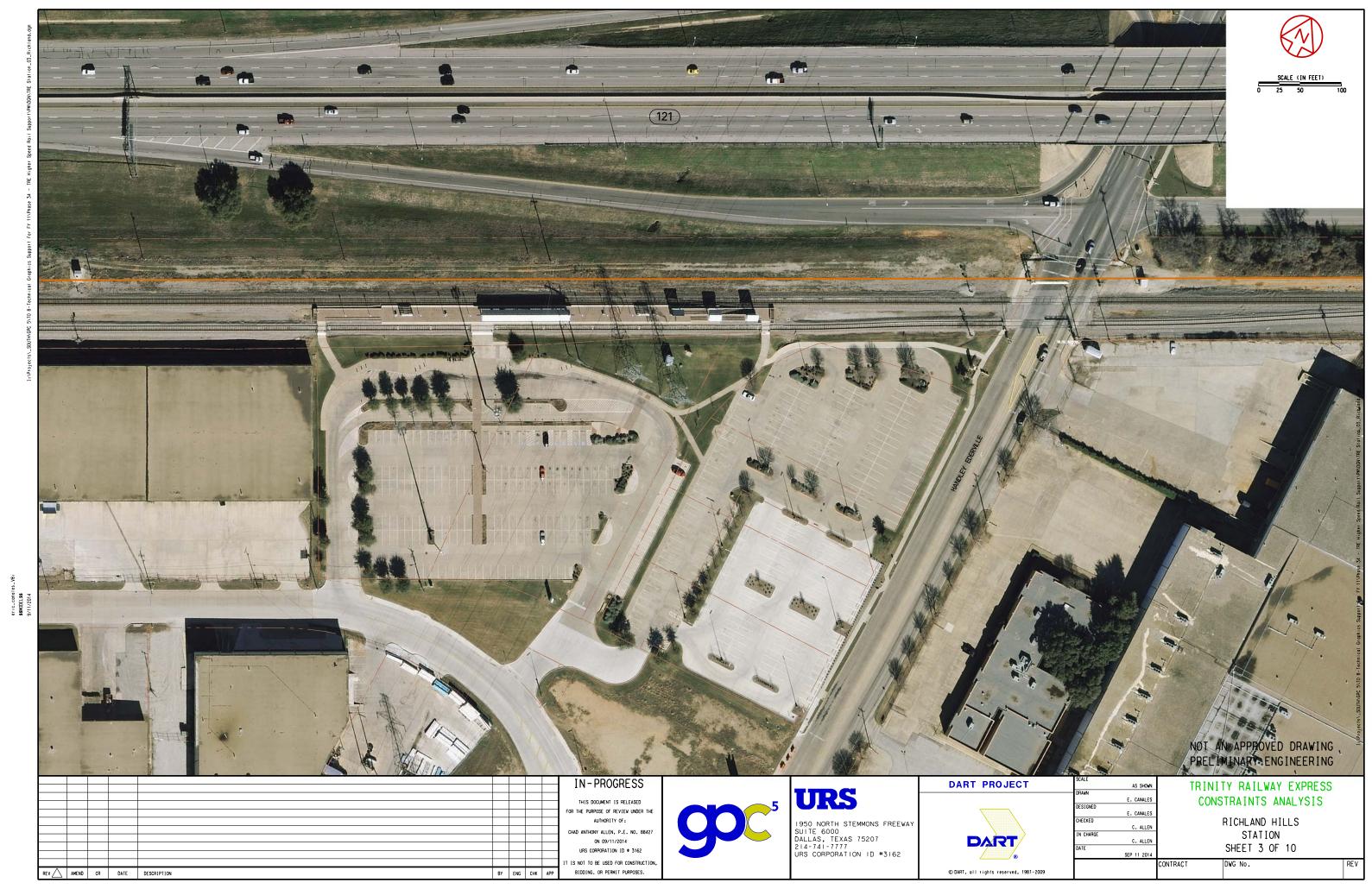
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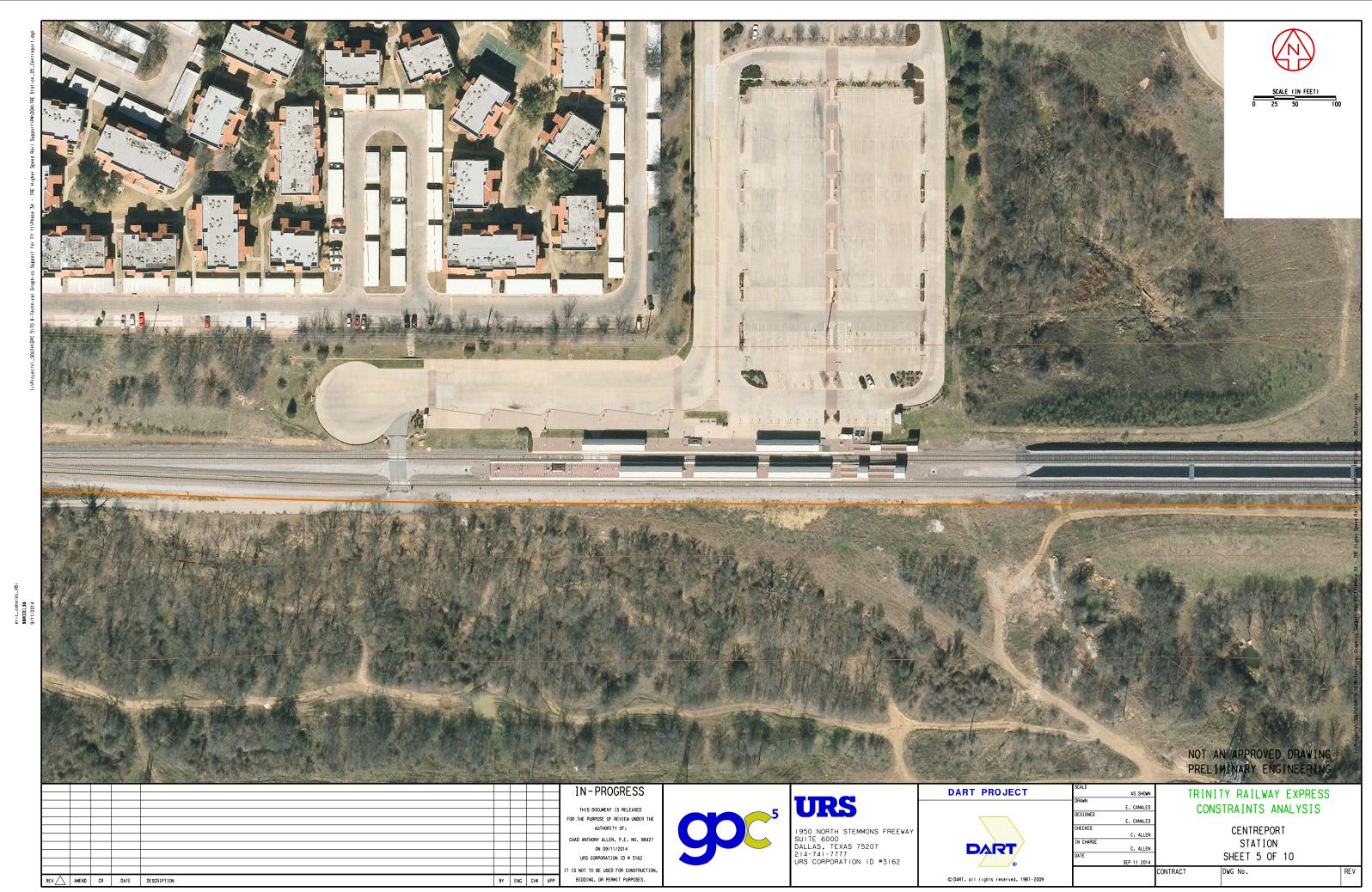
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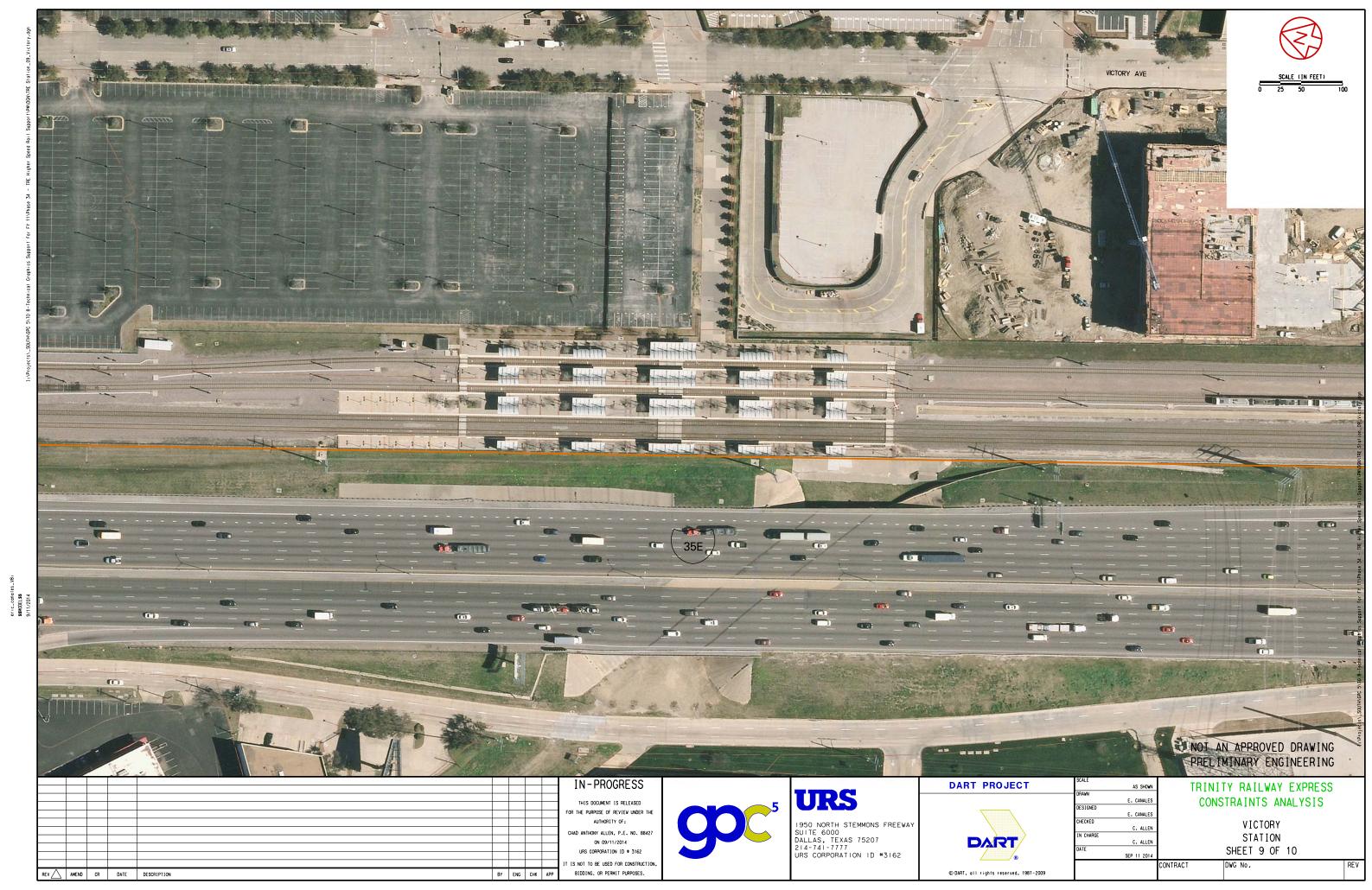
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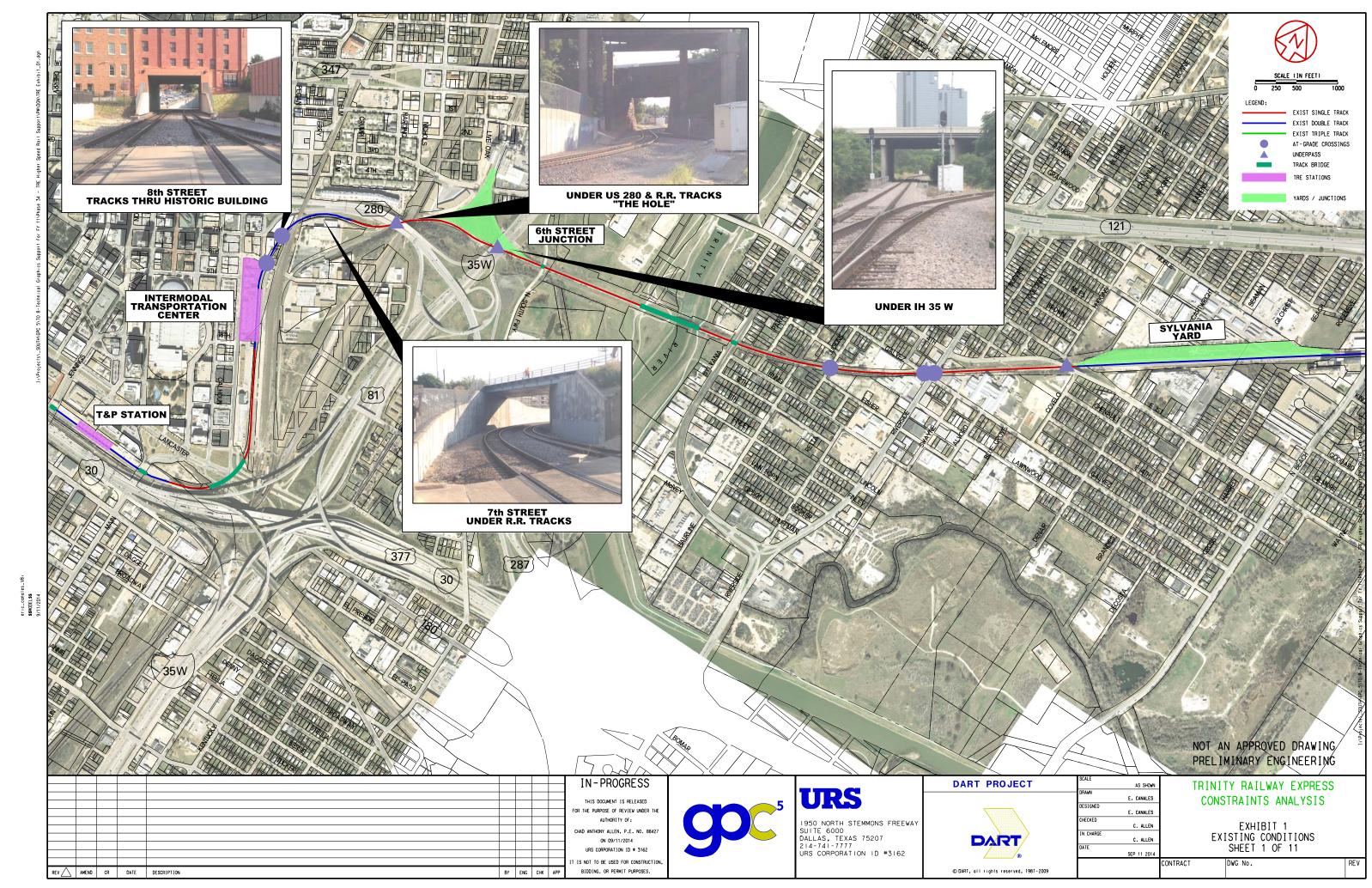
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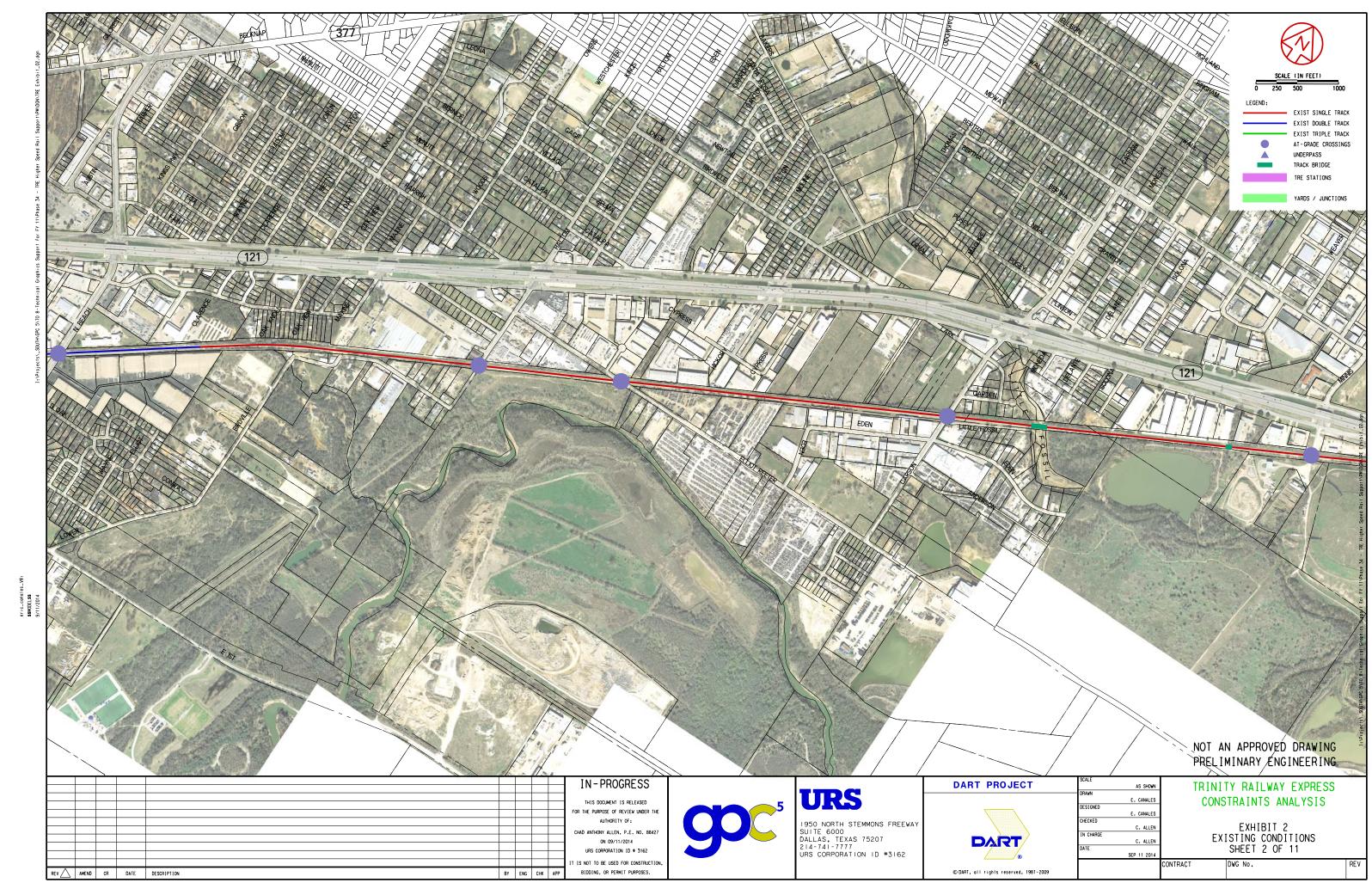
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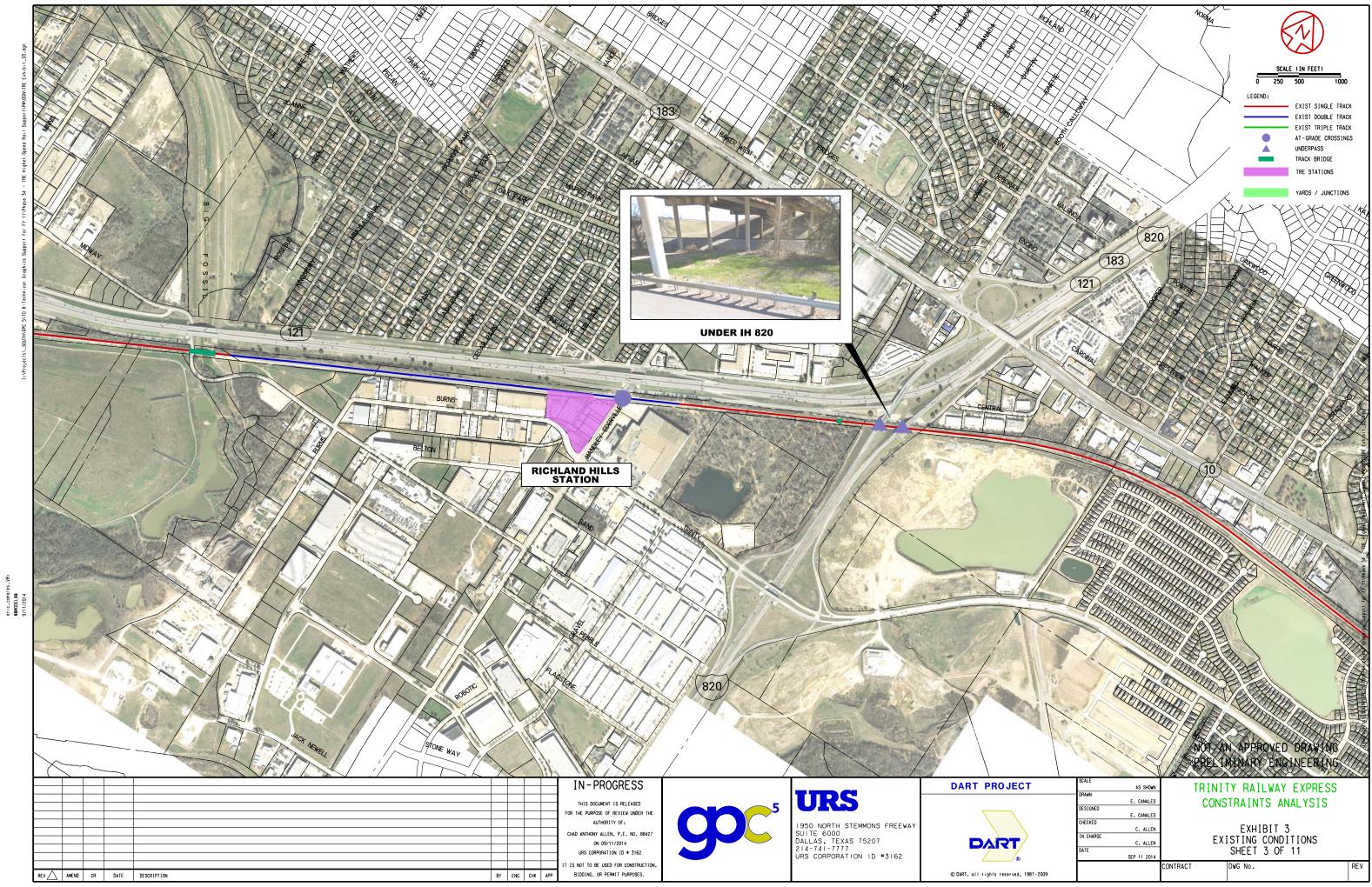


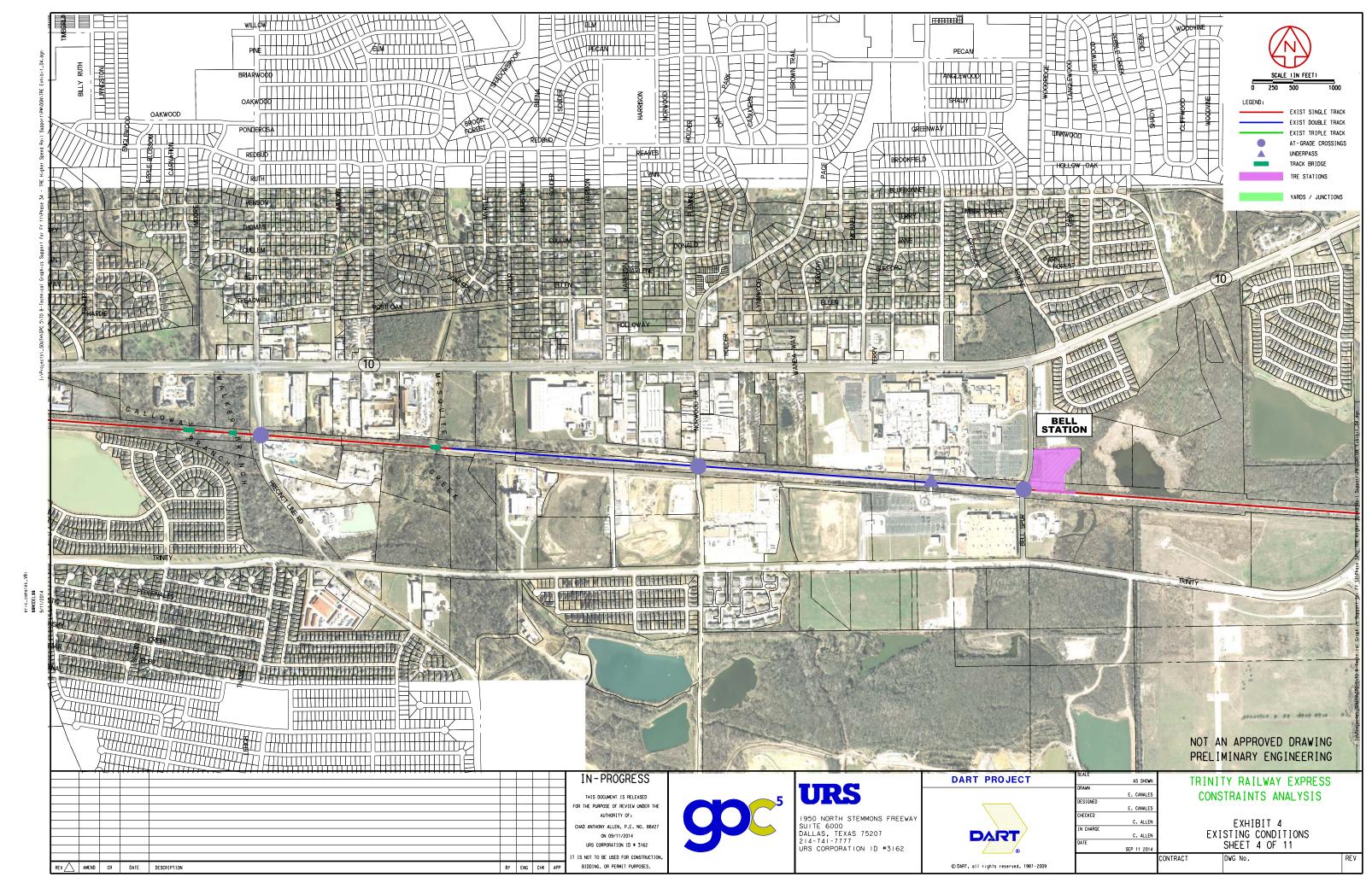
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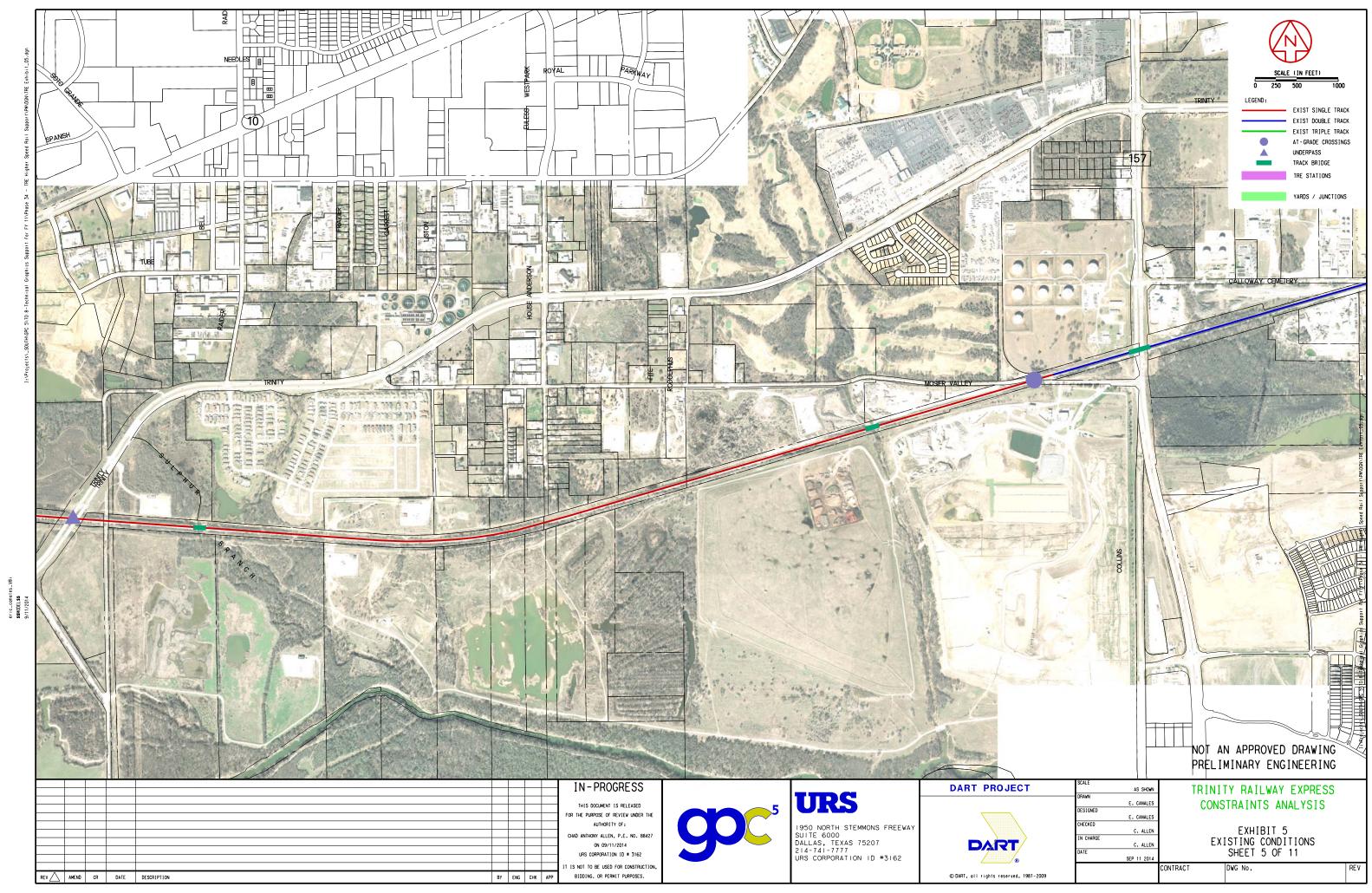


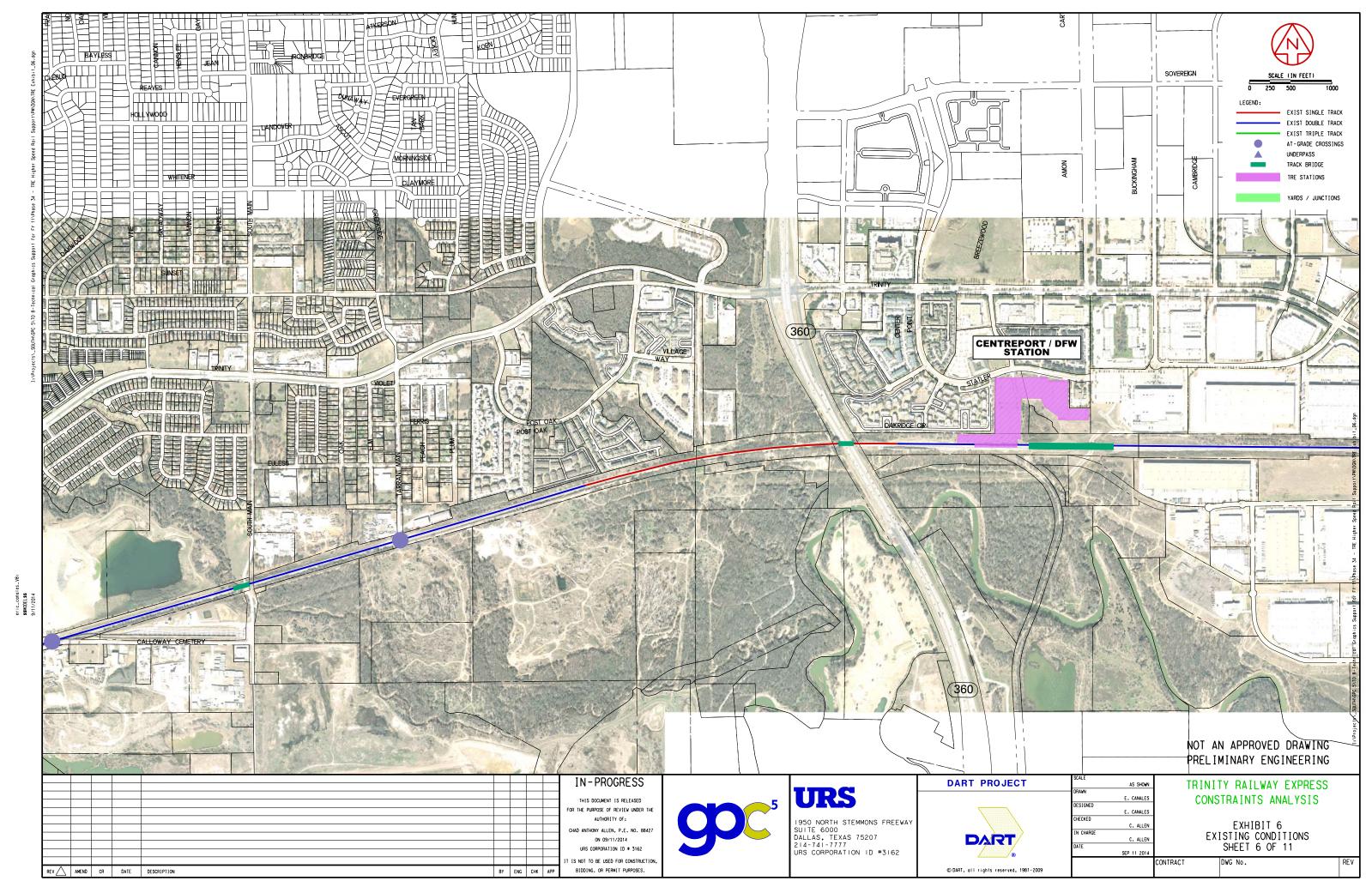
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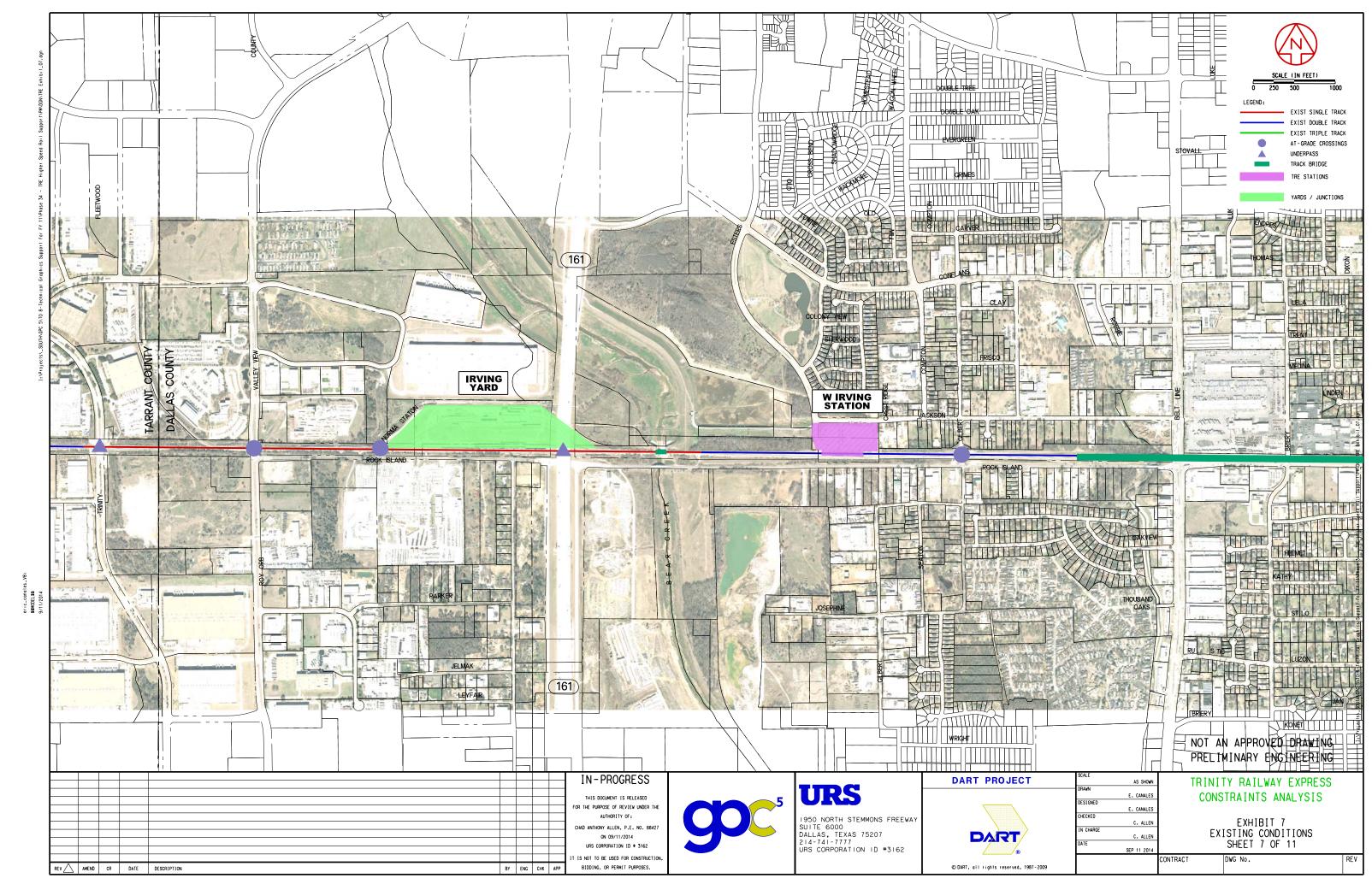


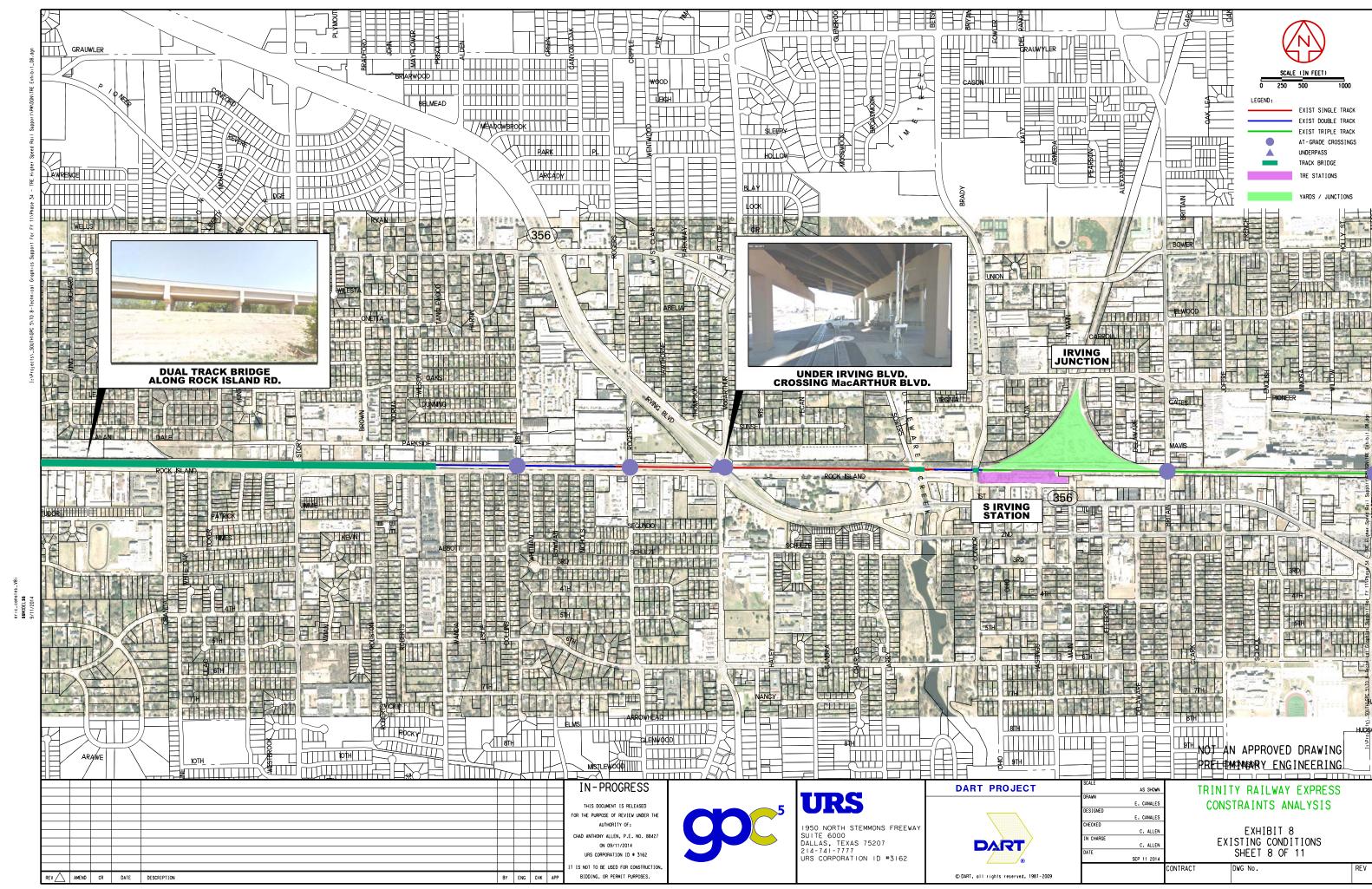


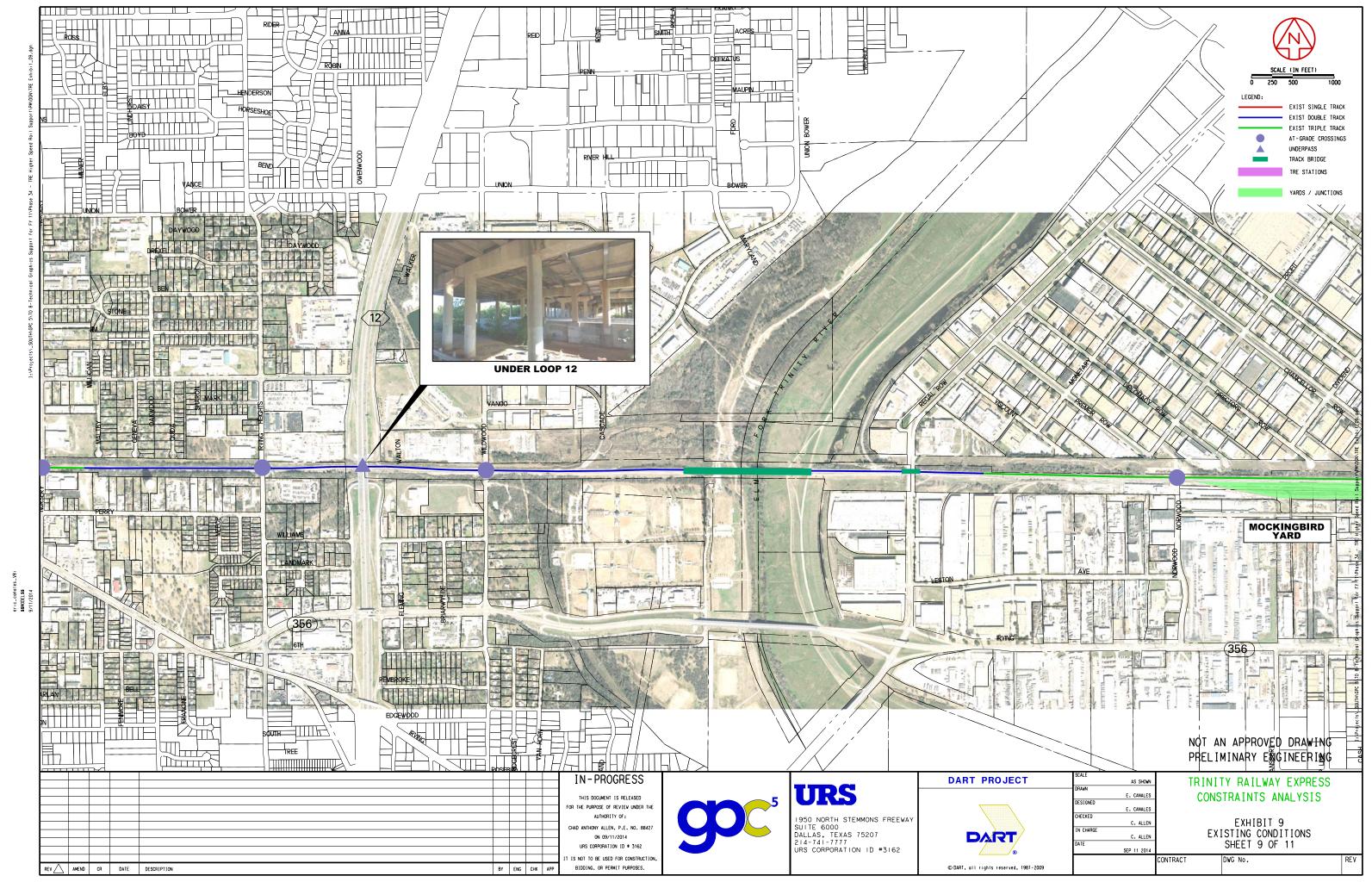




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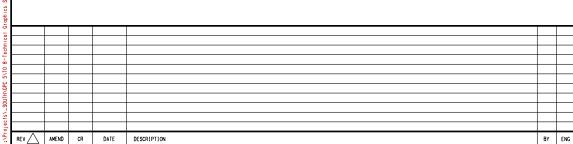




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JUDKINS GALVES RIVERSIDE STREET AVENUE DRIVE

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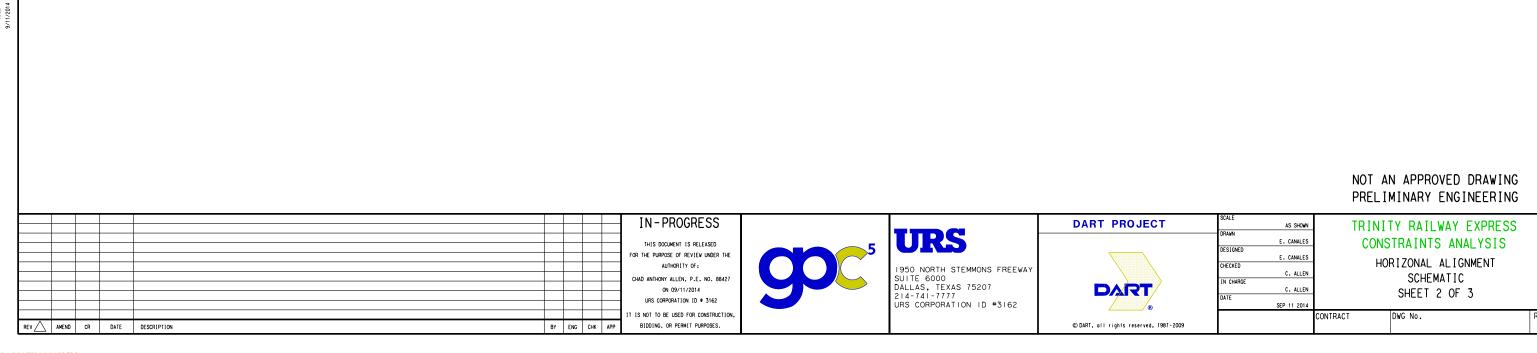
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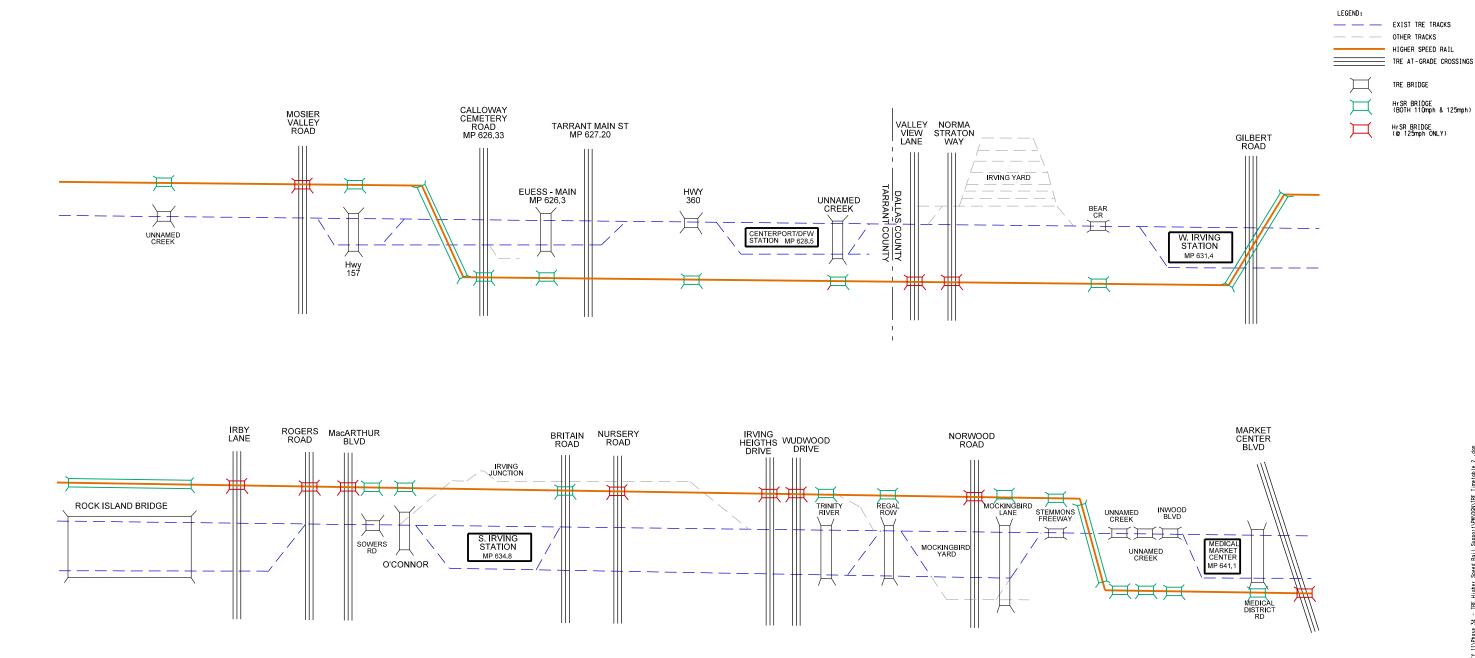
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DALLAS UNION STATION MP 644.3 NORTH JUNCTION OAK LAWN TURTLE AVE CREEK TRE LEAD VICTORY STATION LAMAR CONTINENTAL ST AVE

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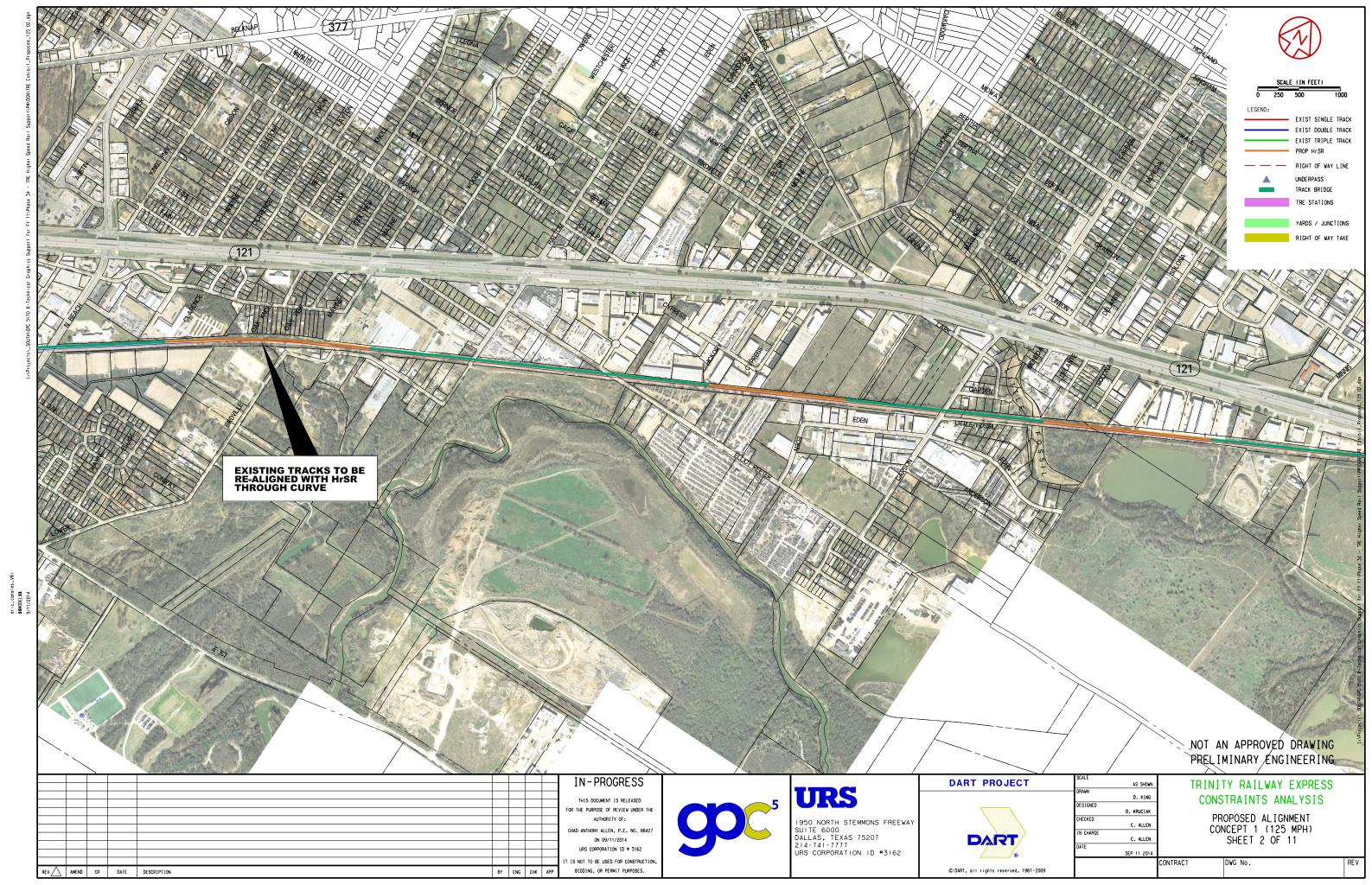
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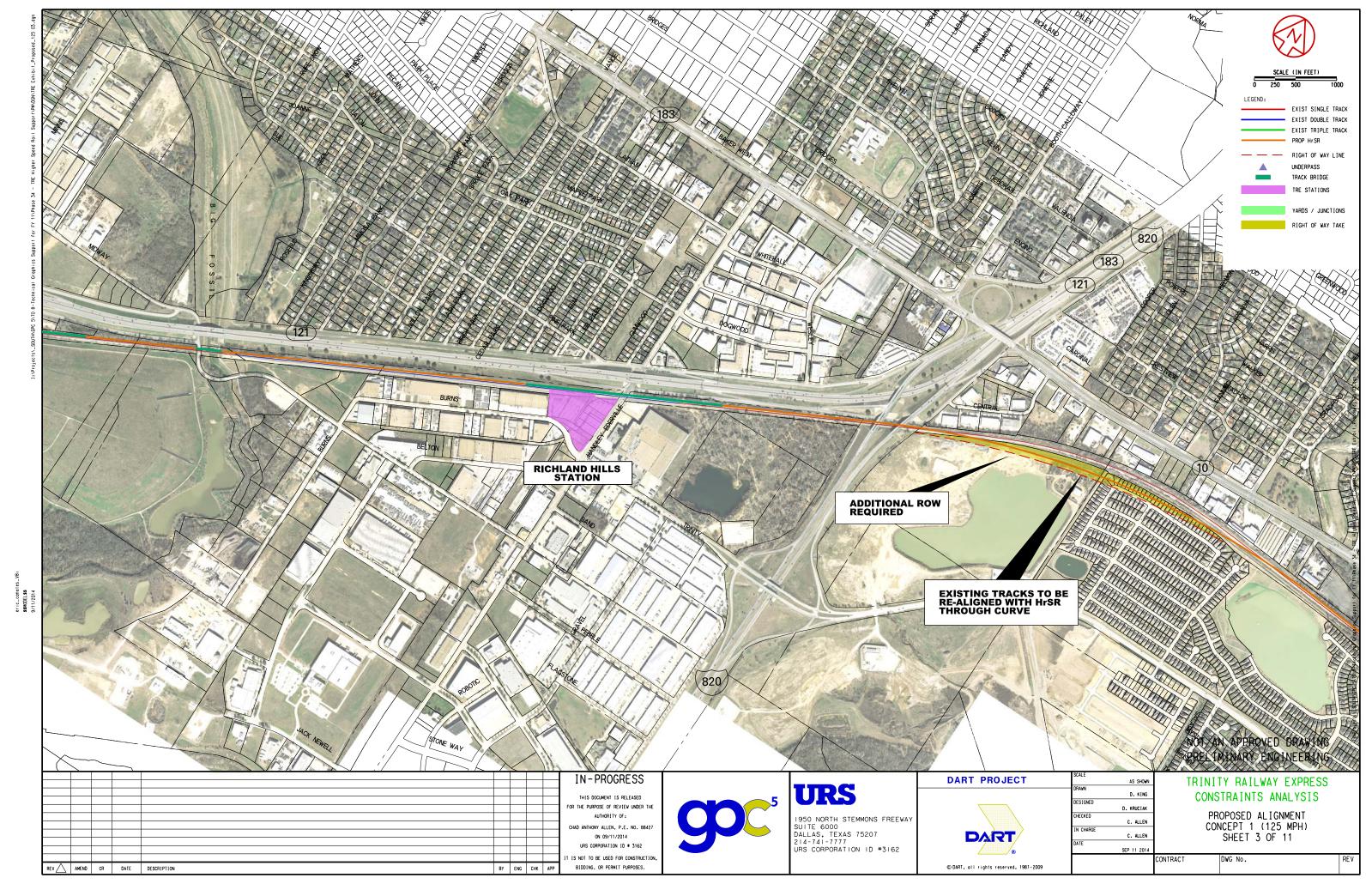


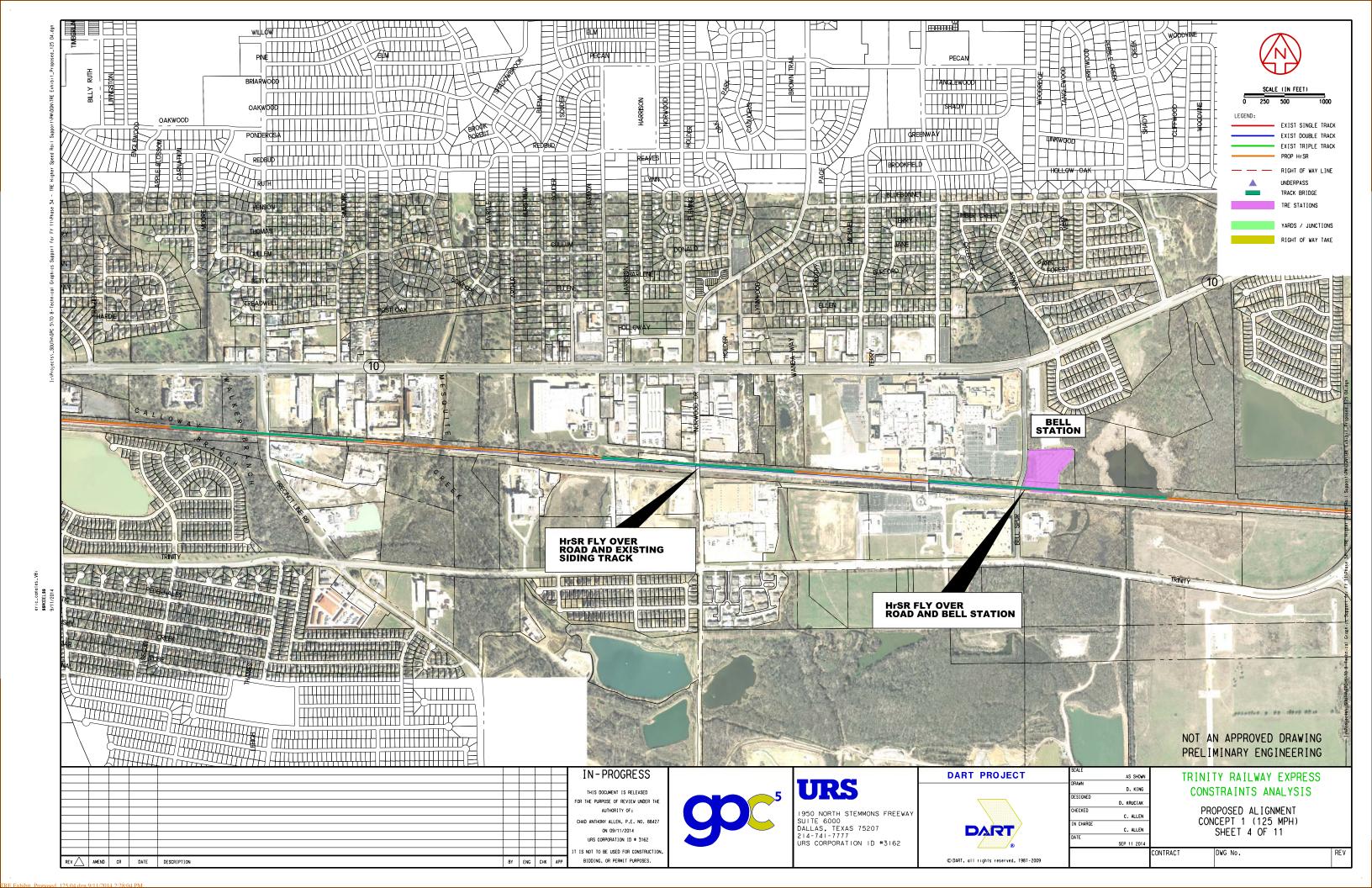
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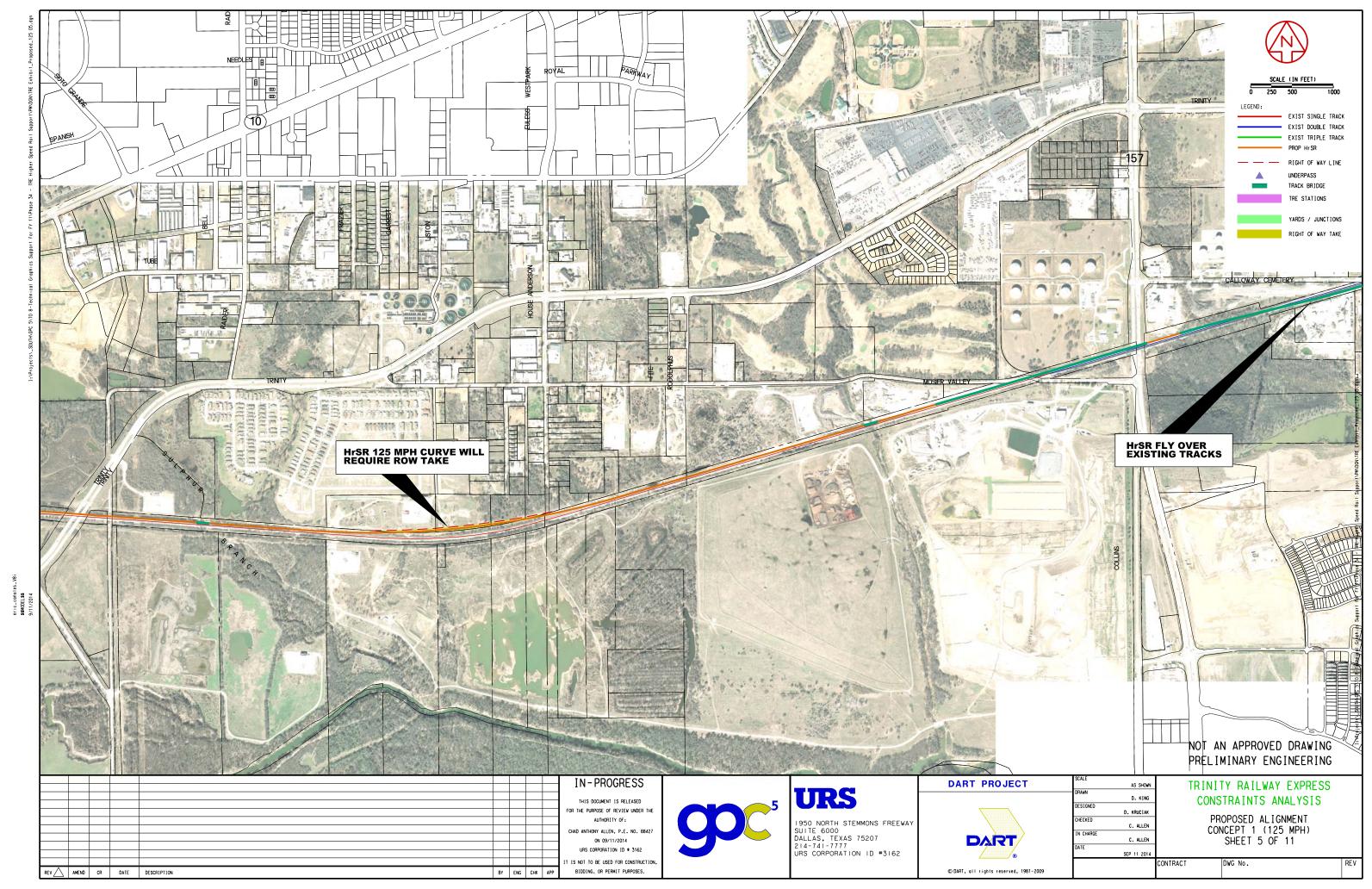


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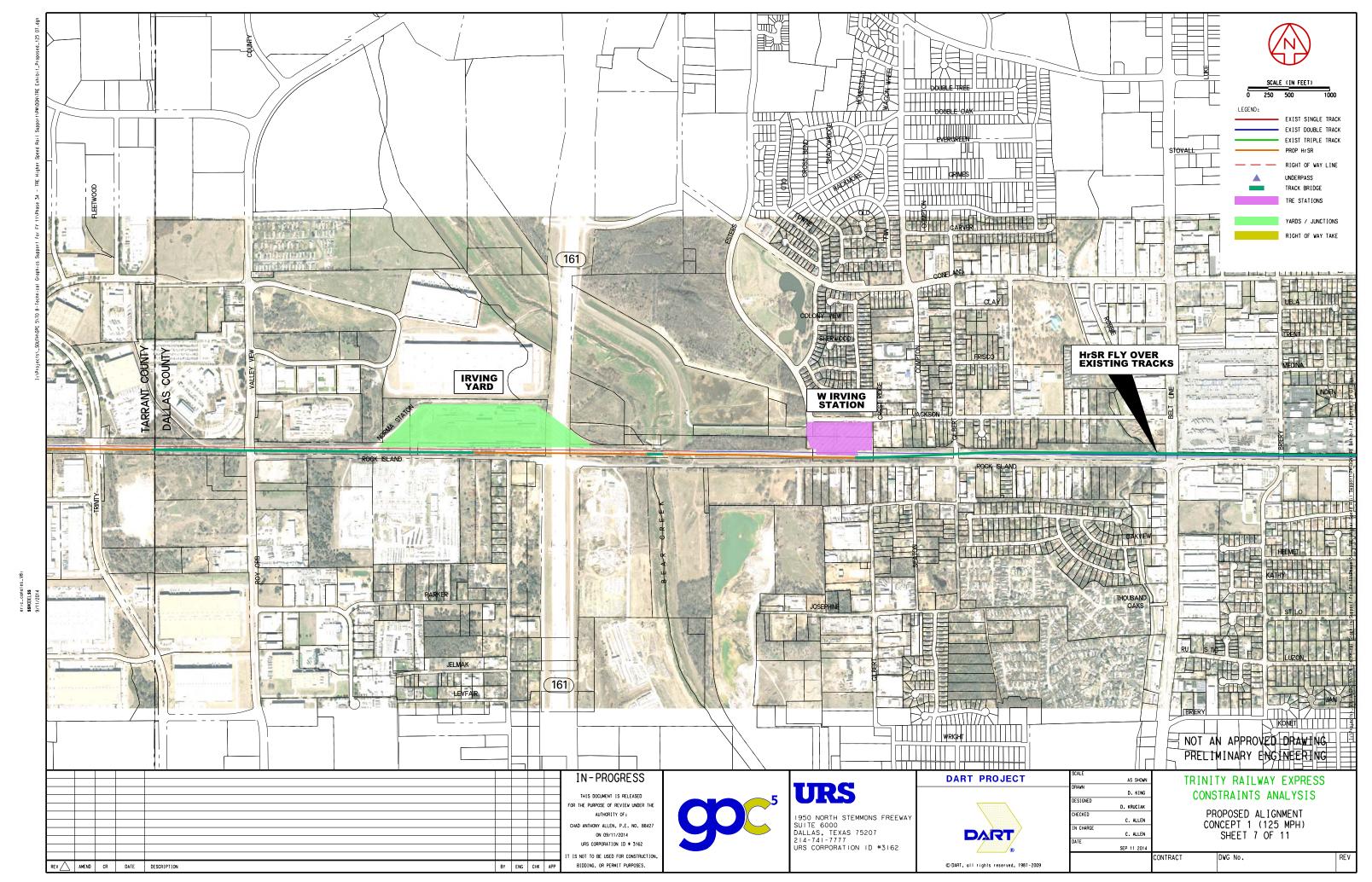


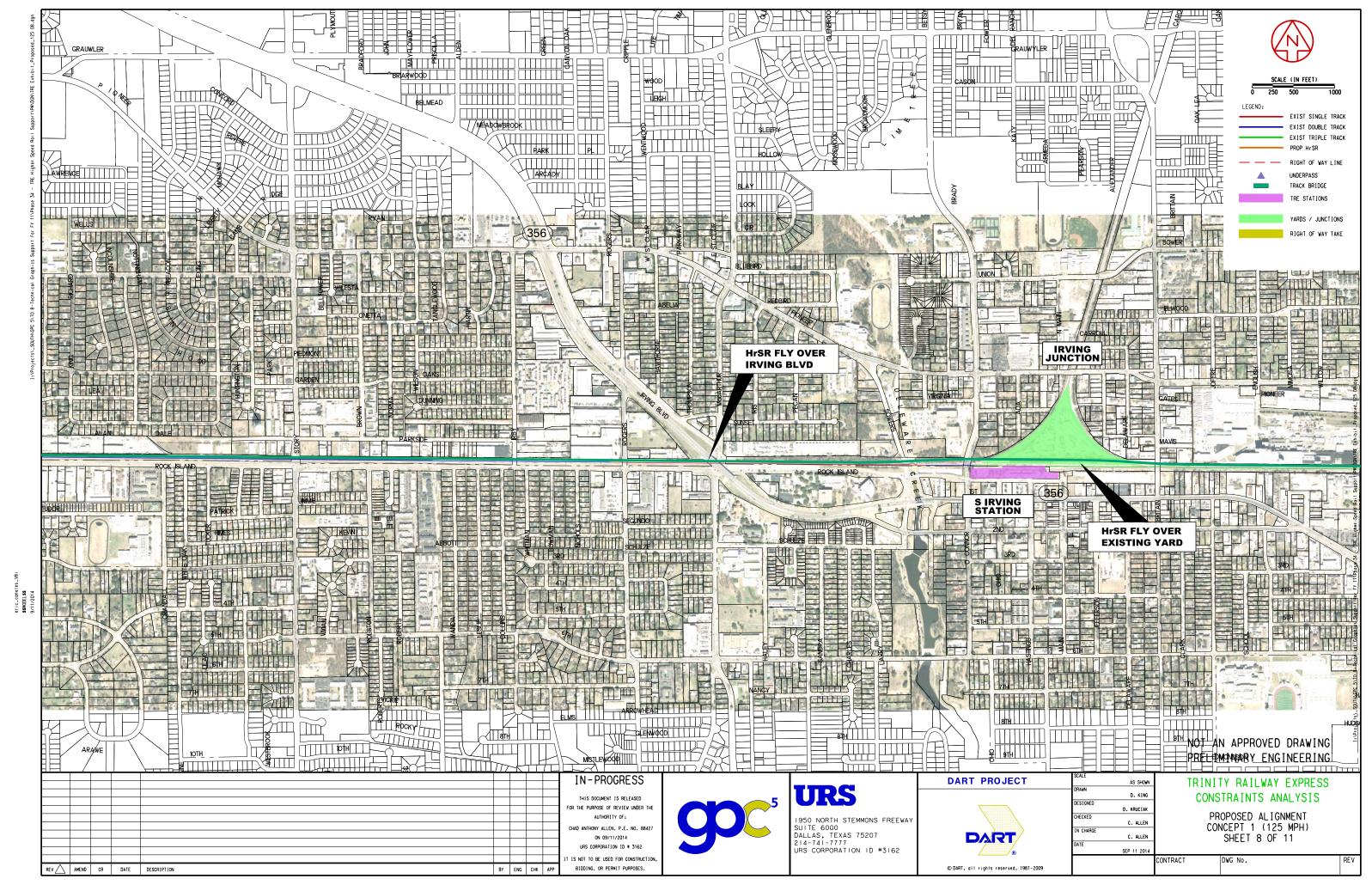


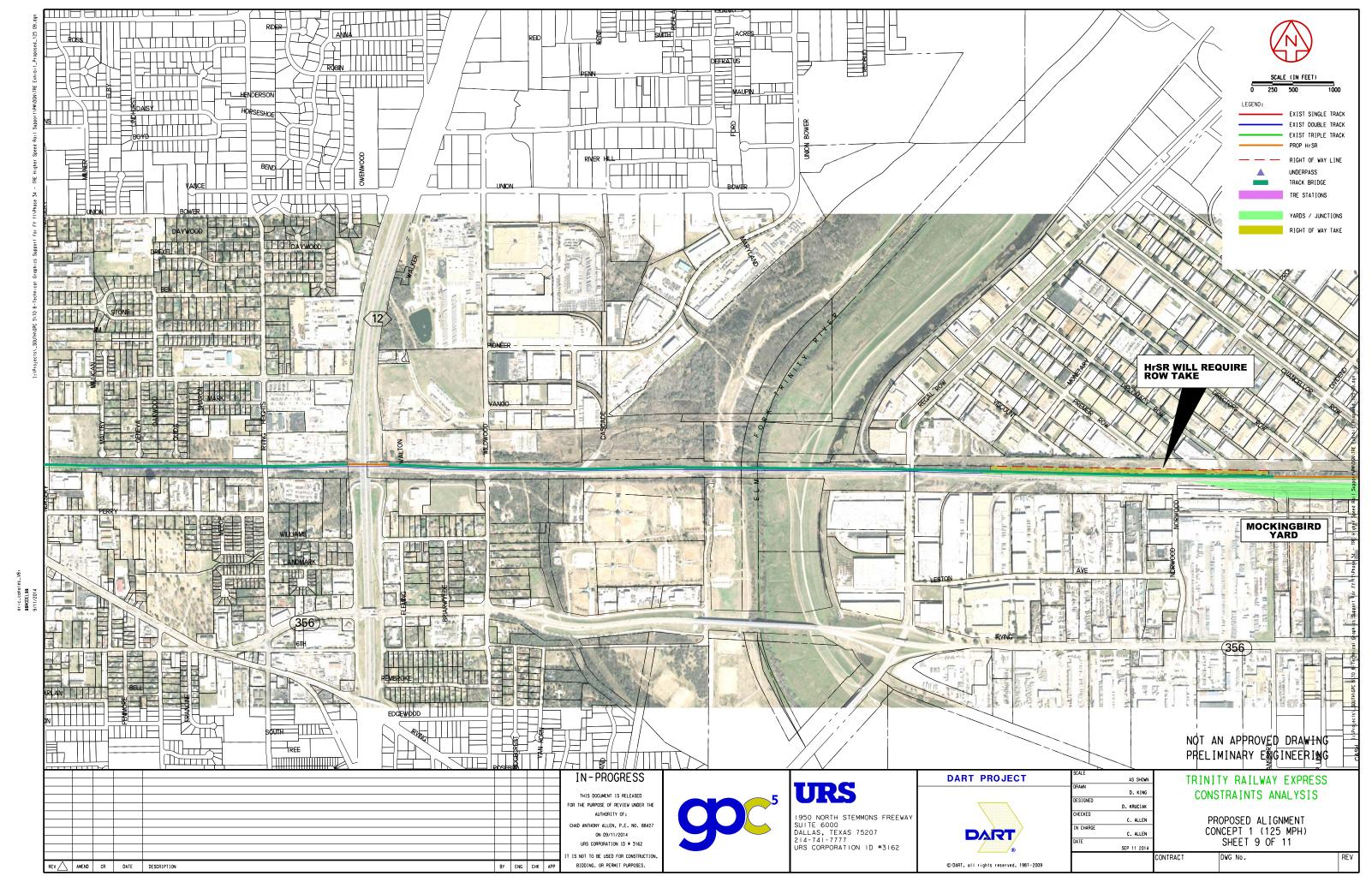


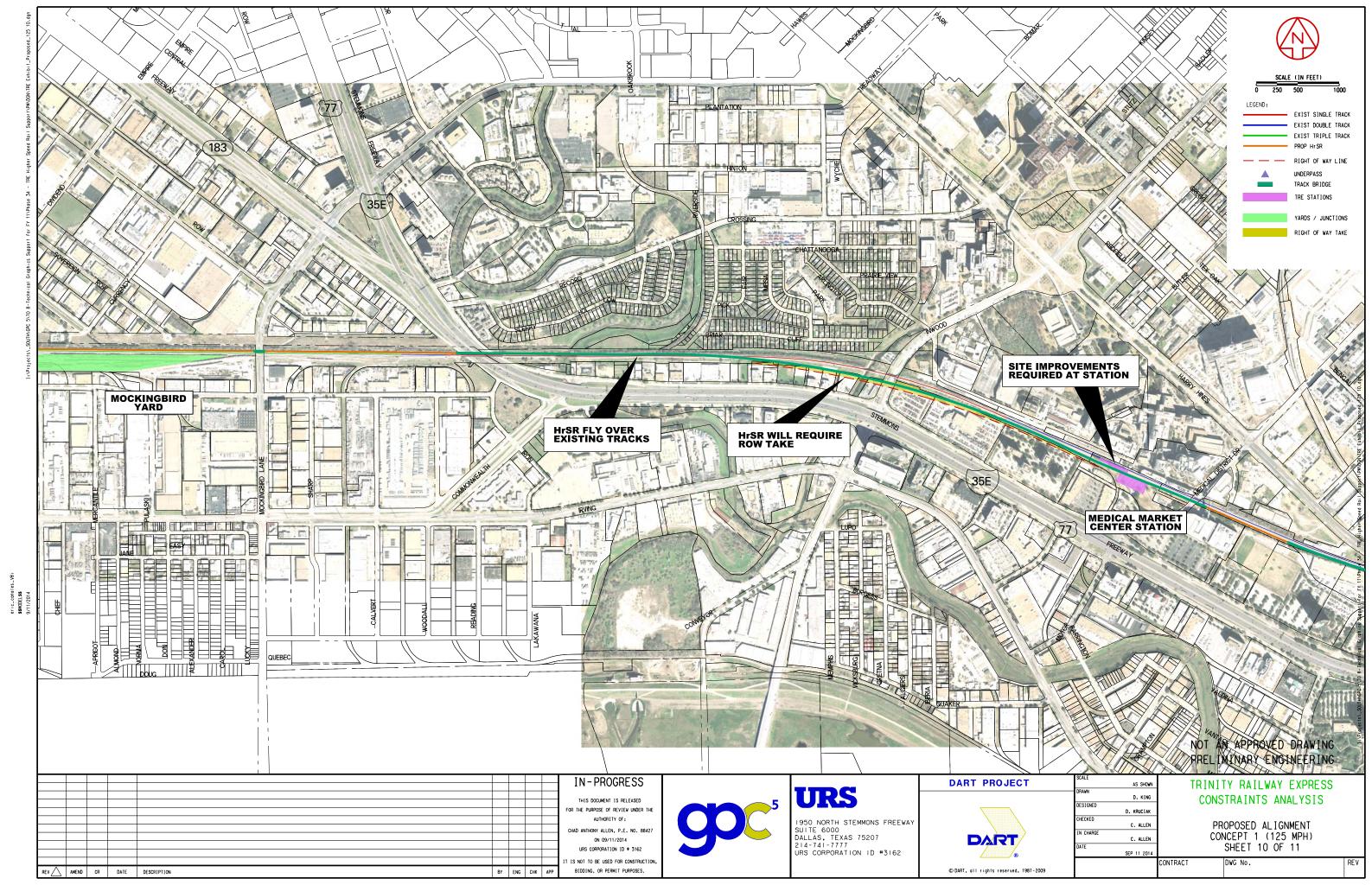


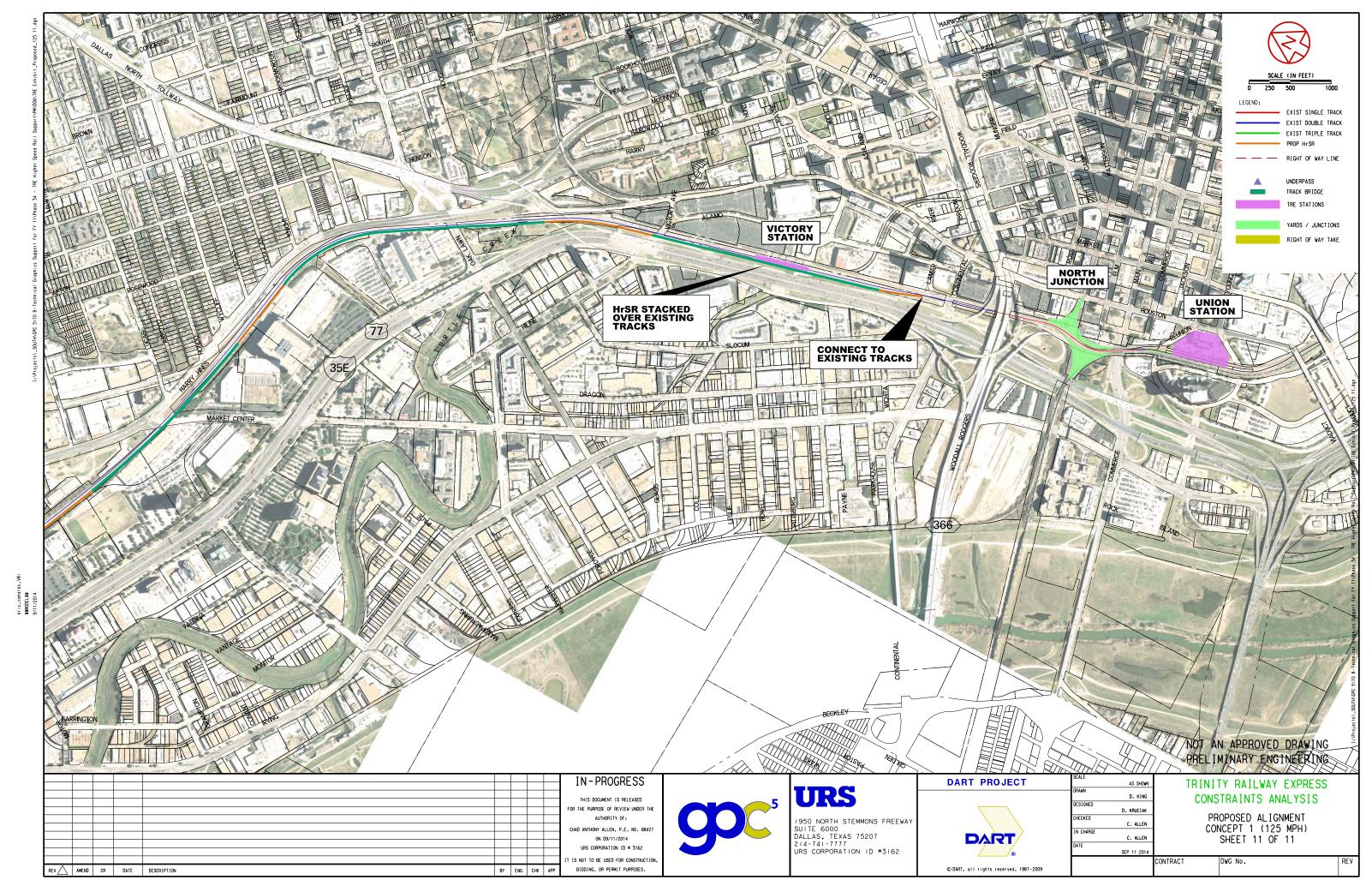
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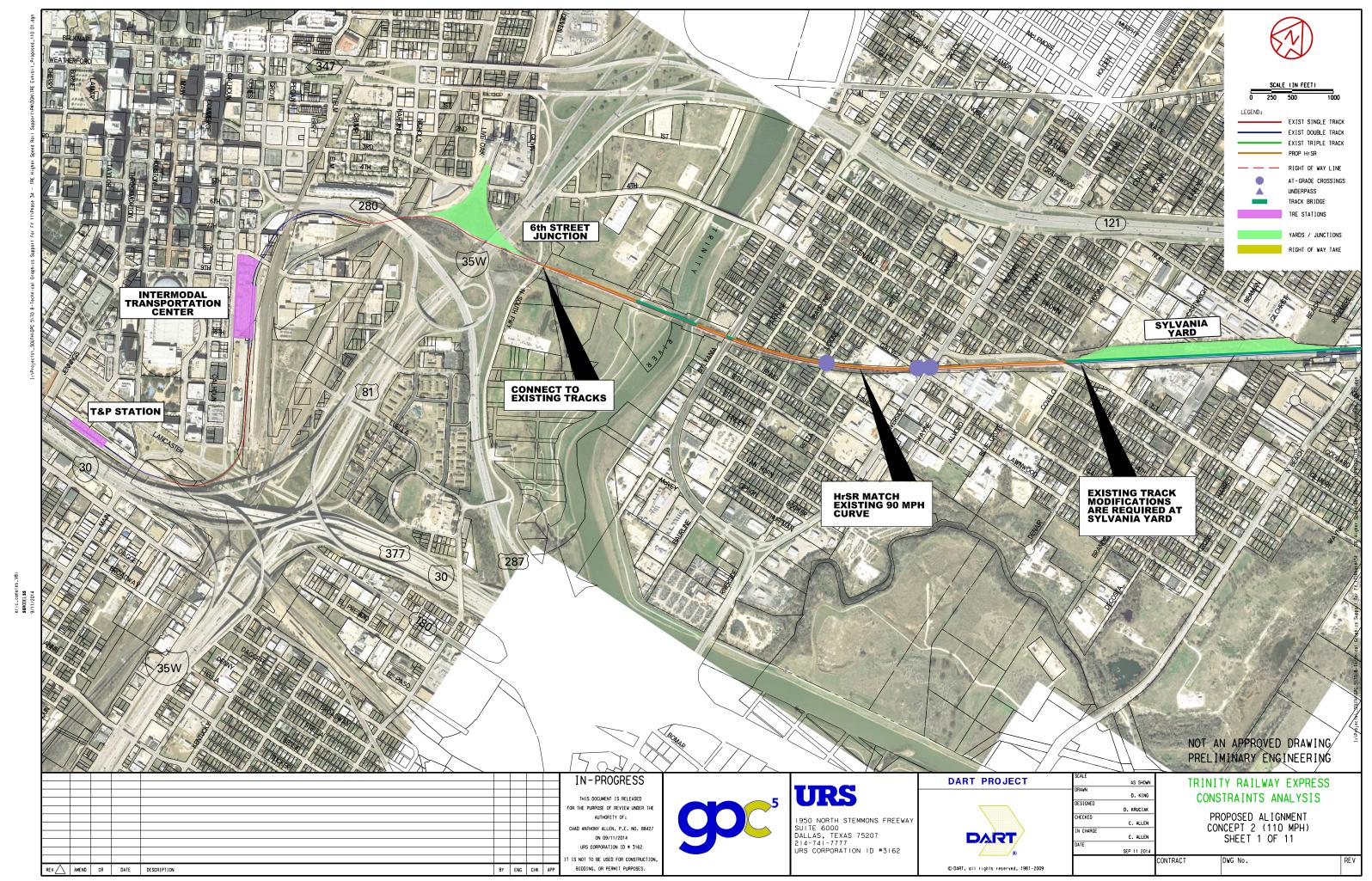


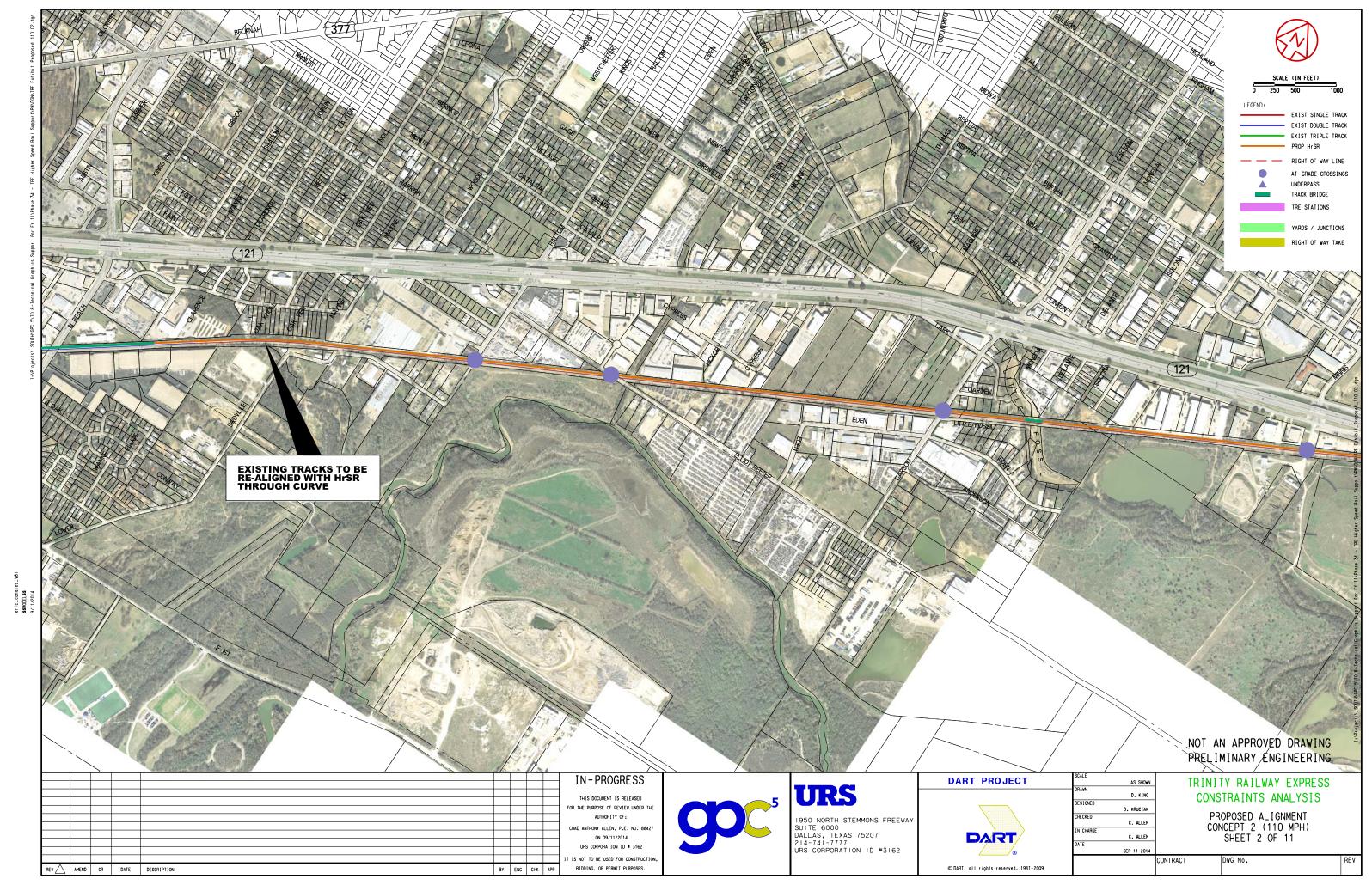


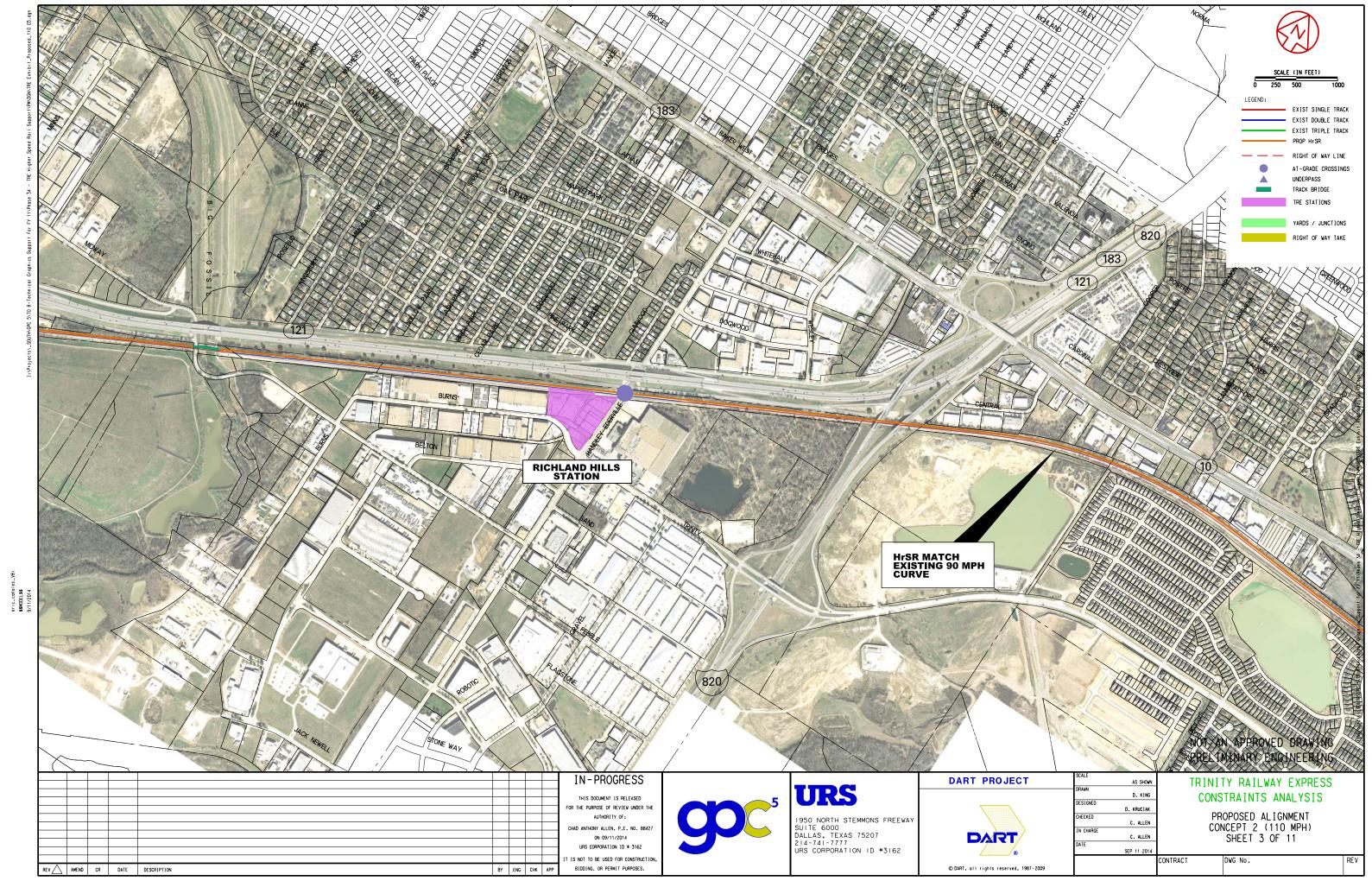
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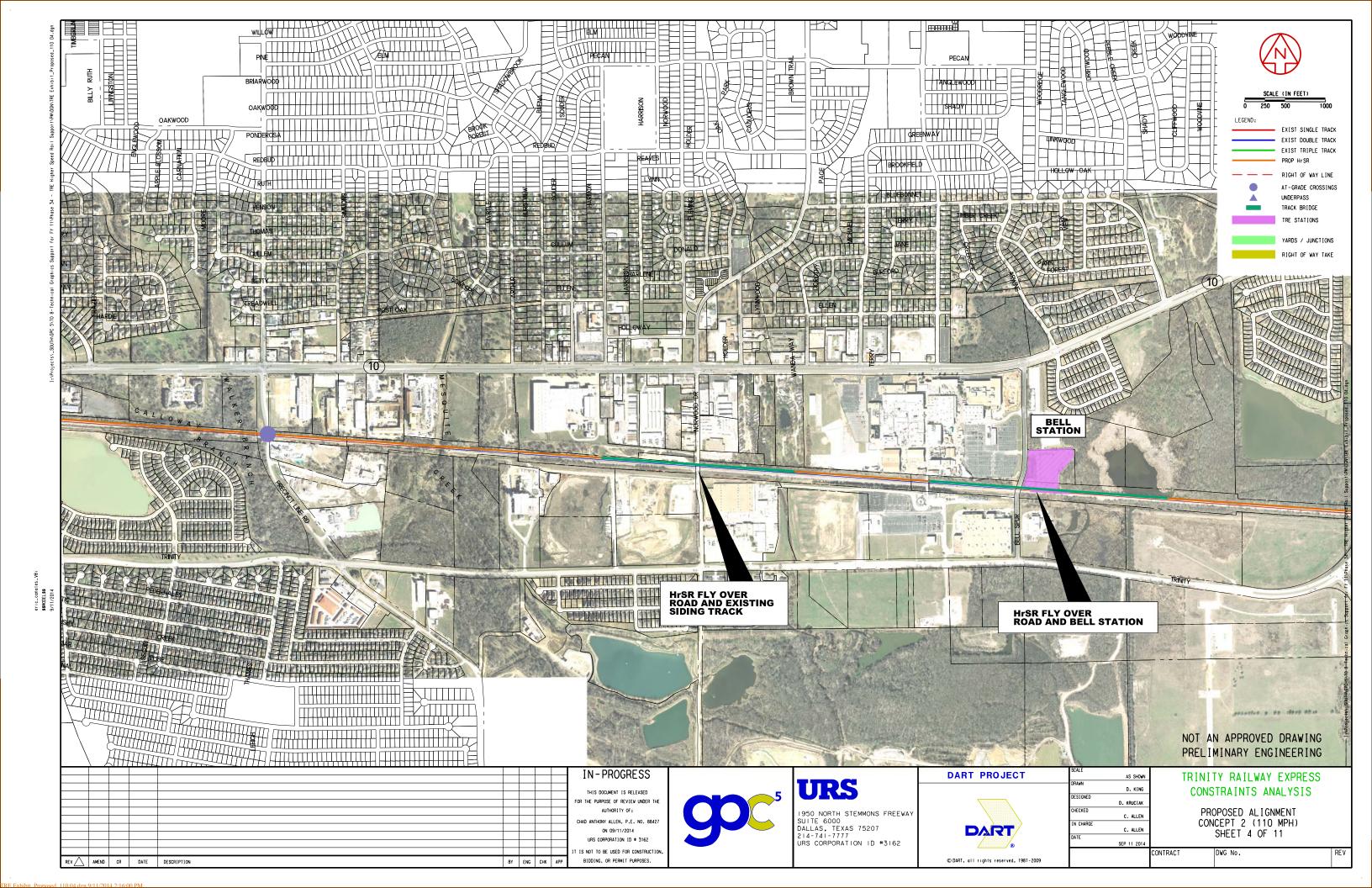


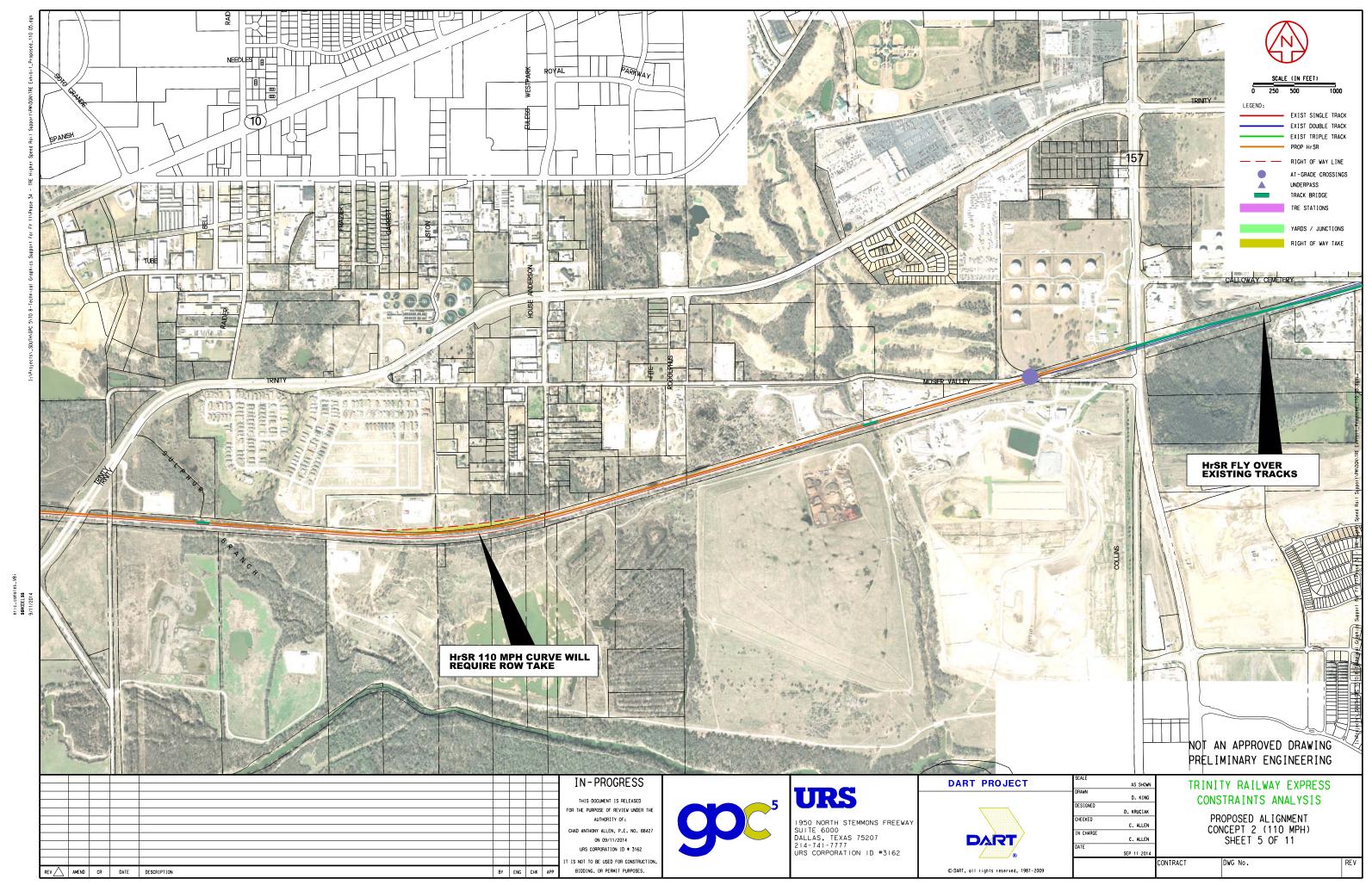
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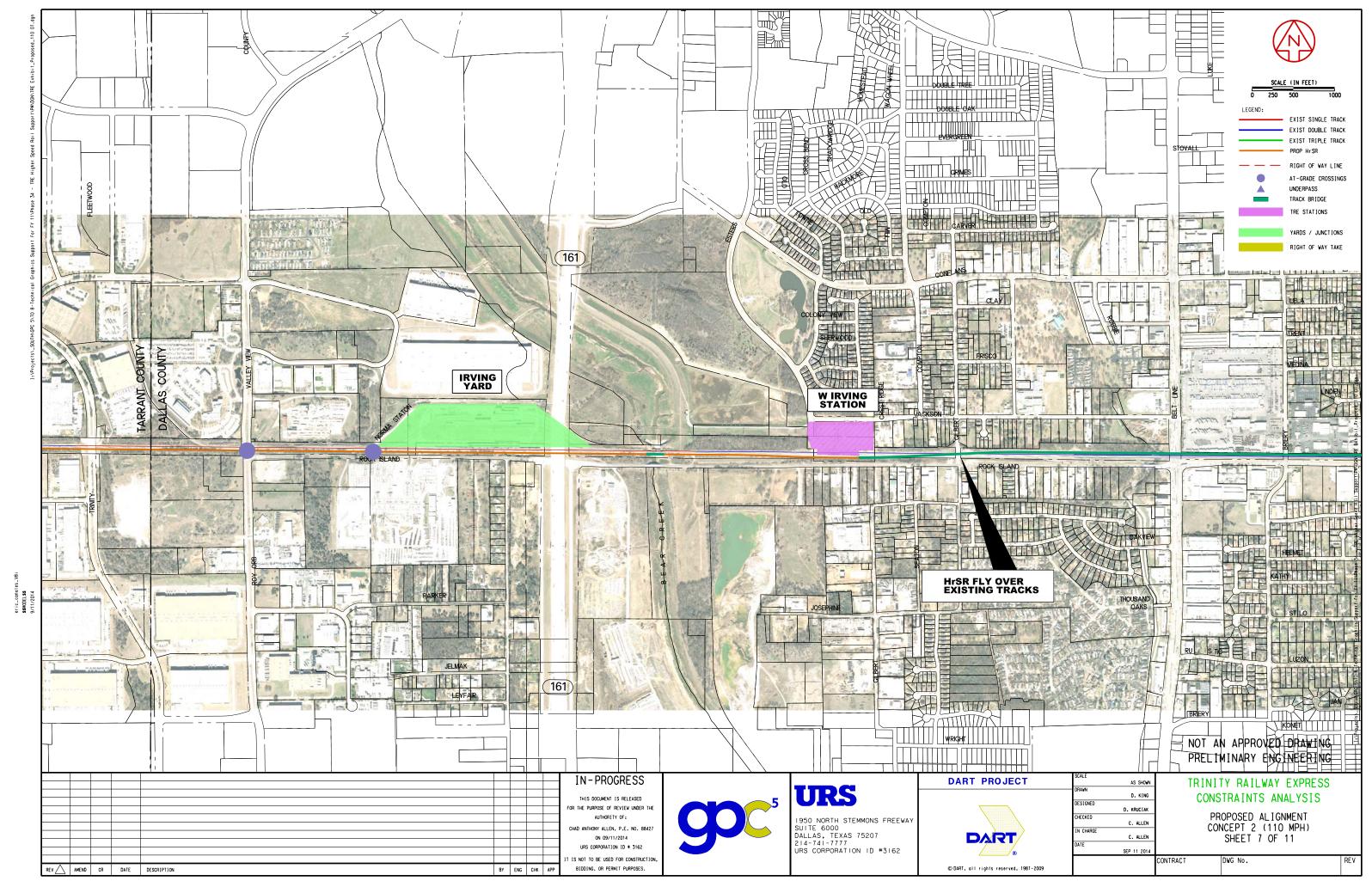


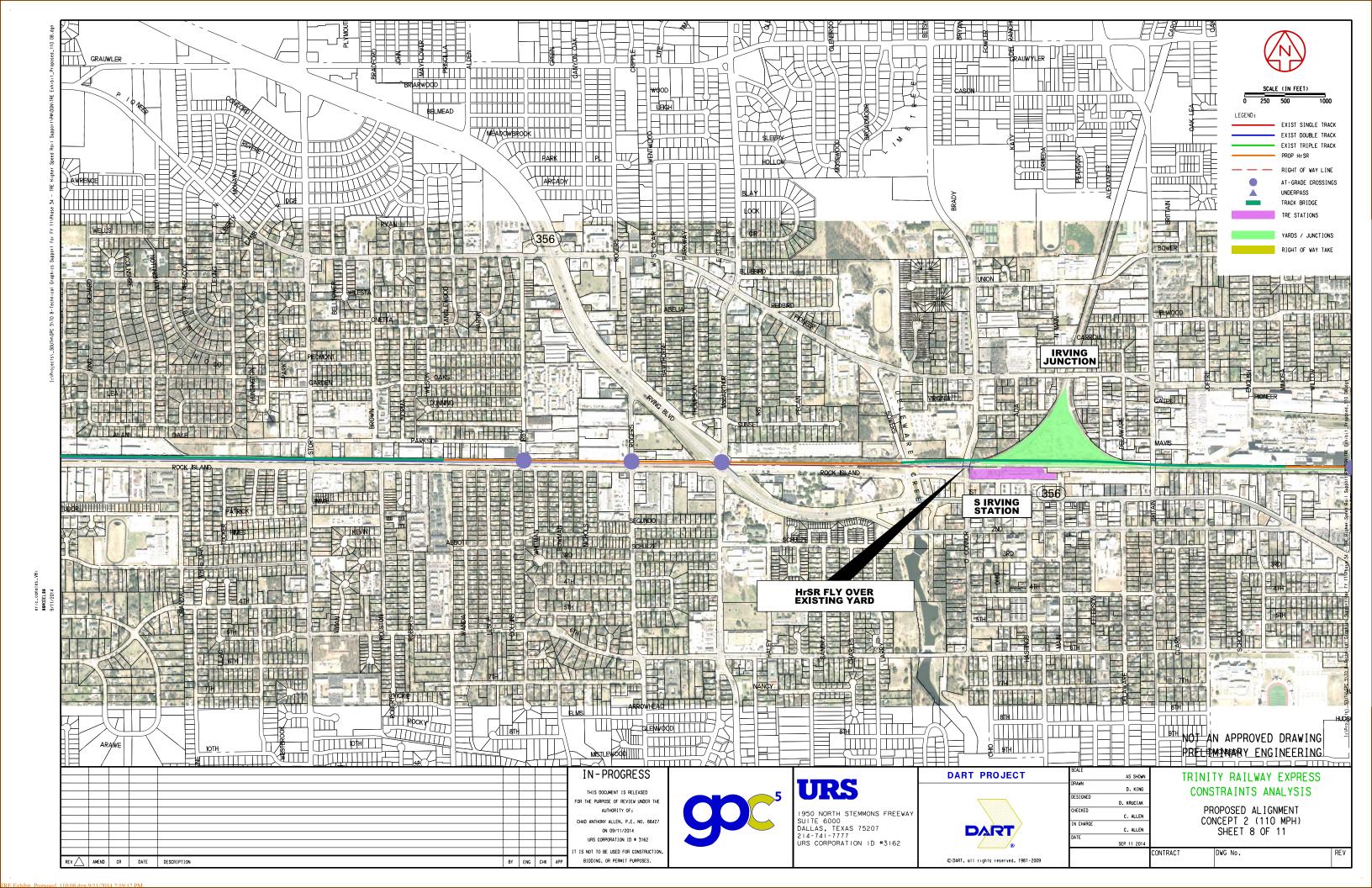


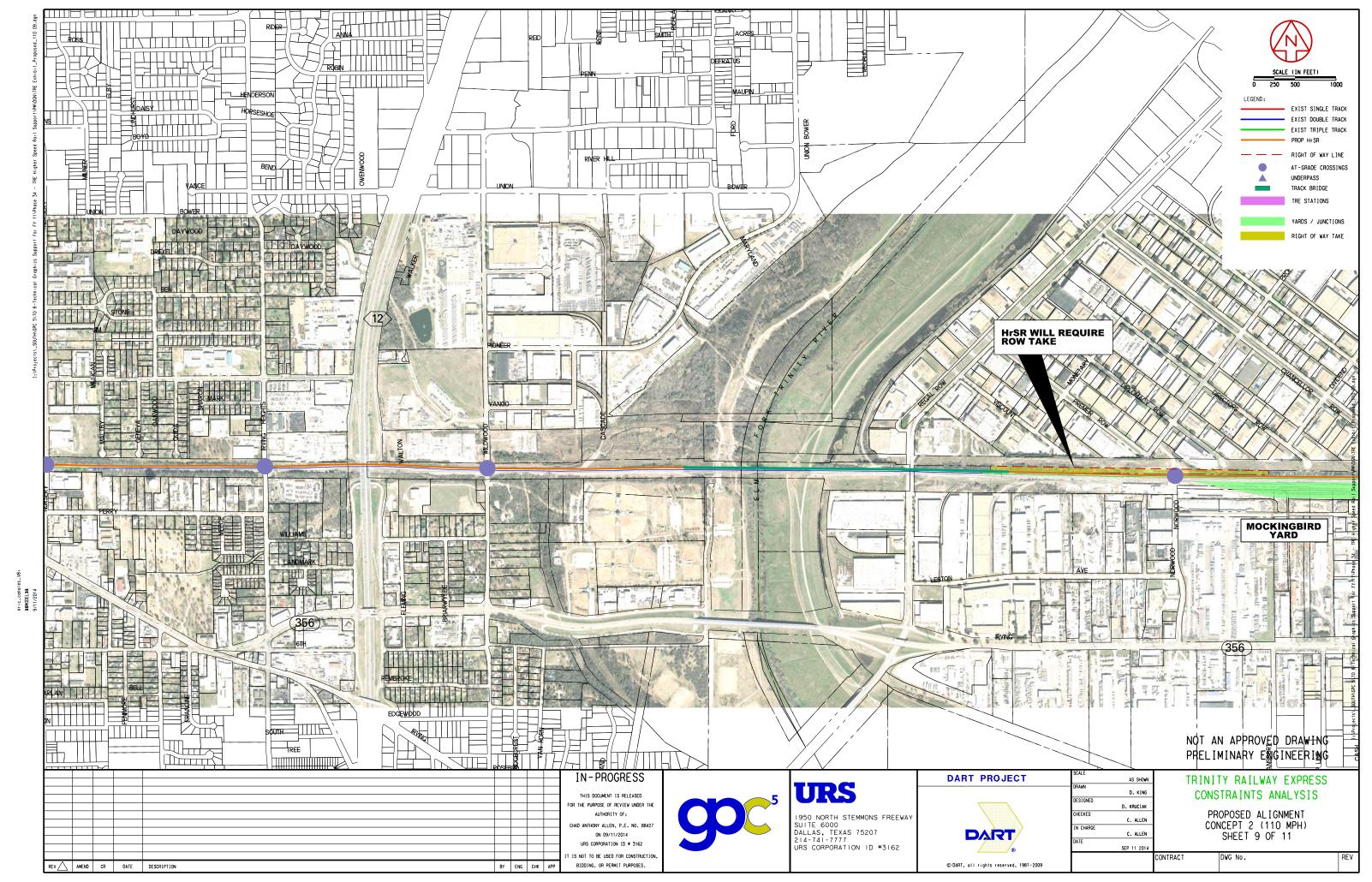


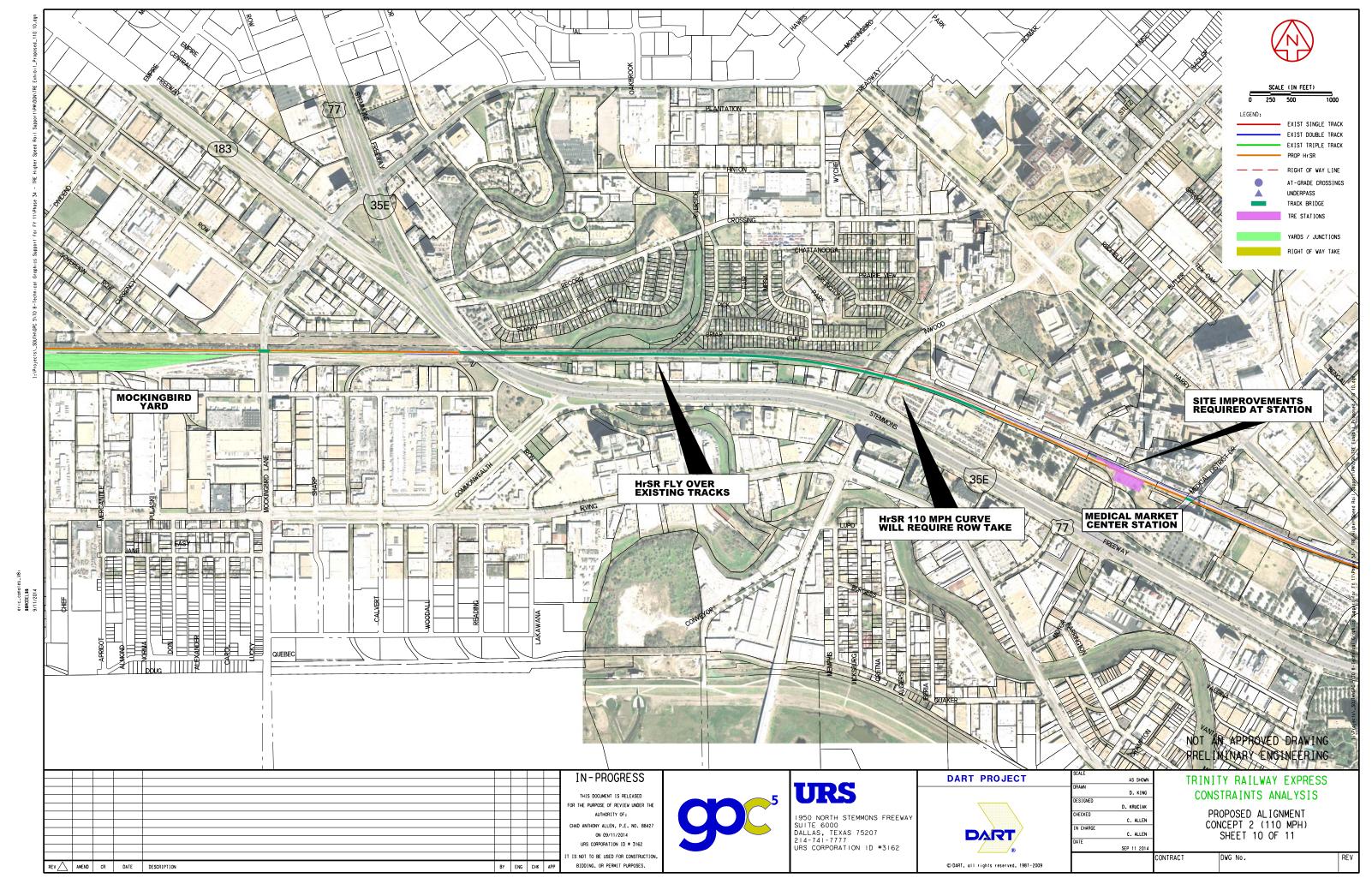


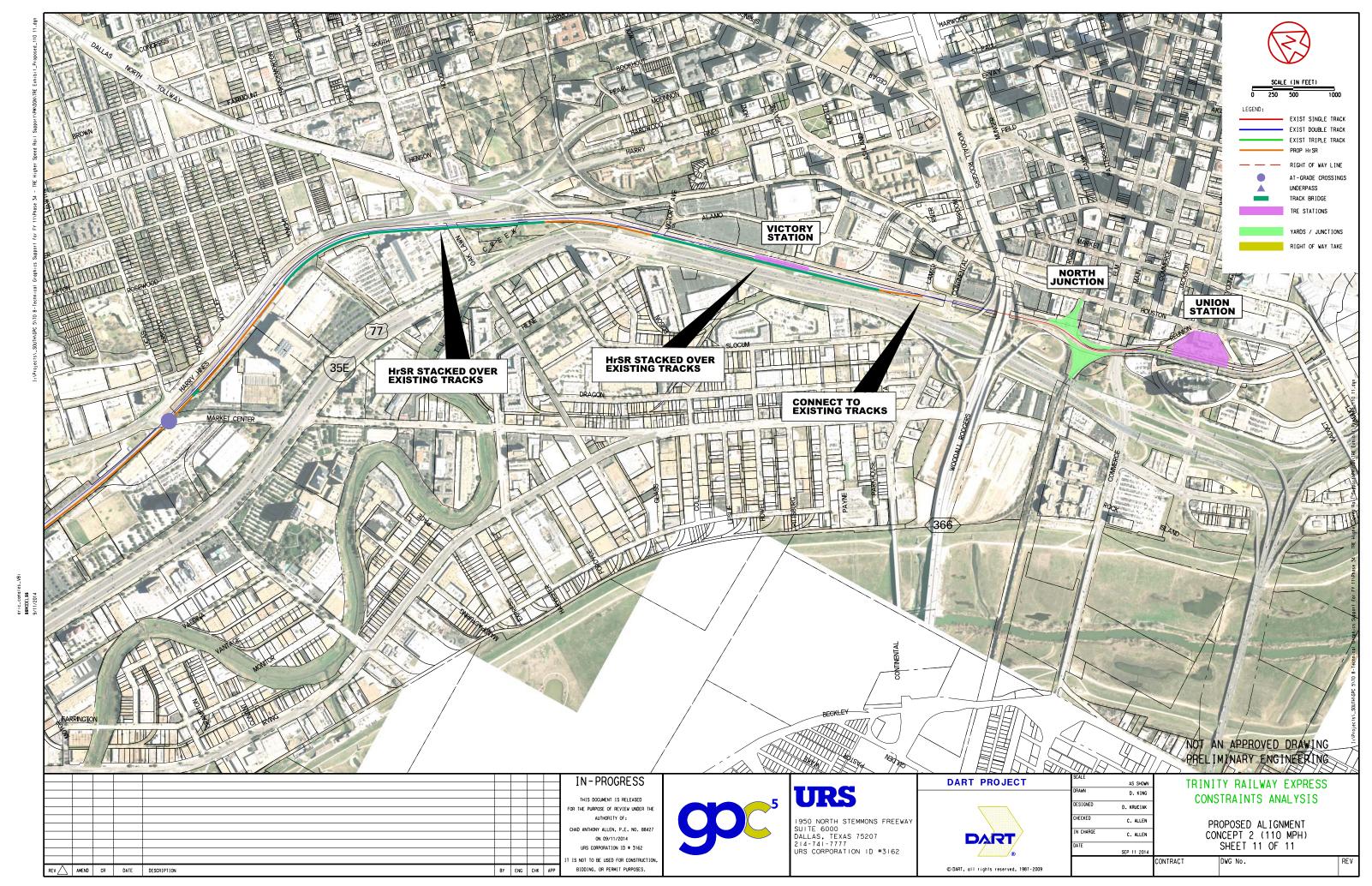














APPENDIX F CONCEPTUAL CAPITAL COSTS ESTIMATE

DART - HrSR TRE Corridor

Conceptual Capital Cost Estimate September 11, 2014

	HrSR Option 1 (125mph)	HrSR Option 2 (110mph)	
	31.34 Miles New HSR	31.34 Miles New HSR	
Description	Summary Total	Summary Total	
HirCD Circula Treads At Creads	¢ 45,002,100,00	¢ 74.166.050.00	
HrSR Single Track At-Grade TRE Single Track At-Grade	\$ 45,002,100.00 \$ 3,856,600.00	\$ 74,166,950.00 \$ 886,600.00	
HrSR Single Track Retained Fill 2-Wall	\$ 59,500,000.00	\$ 33,250,000.00	
HrSR Single Track Bridged (22')		\$ 33,230,000.00	
HrSR Single Track Bridged (42') HrSR Single Track Bridged (44')	\$ 243,736,000.00 \$ 5,200,000.00	\$ 129,460,000.00	
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Crossings	\$ -	\$ 35,000,000.00	
Stations Demographic Chapting	\$ 10,100,000.00	\$ 10,100,000.00	
Demo/Clearing	\$ 1,654,680.00	\$ 1,654,680.00	
Utilities	\$ 41,367,000.00	\$ 41,367,000.00	
Special Conditions	\$ 350,000.00	\$ 350,000.00	
Signal System	\$ 165,468,000.00	\$ 165,468,000.00	
Communications	\$ 26,474,880.00	\$ 26,474,880.00	
Fare Collection	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 100,000.00	
Subtotal Basic Civil/Systems	\$ 602,809,260.00	\$ 518,278,110.00	
Allocated Contingency (30%)	\$ 180,842,778.00	\$ 155,483,433.00	
Basic Civil/Systems Subtotal	\$ 783,652,038.00	\$ 673,761,543.00	
Right-of-Way	\$ 17,800,287.26	\$ 241,779.47	
Professional Services (Basic Civil/Systems) (32%)	\$ 250,768,652.16	\$ 215,603,693.76	
Project Subtotal	\$ 1,052,220,977.42	\$ 889,607,016.23	
Unallocated Contingency (10%)	\$ 105,222,097.74	\$ 88,960,701.62	
Environmental Allowance (1%)	\$ 11,574,430.75	\$ 9,785,677.18	
Finance Charges		\$ -	
Total Project Cost	\$ 1,169,017,505.92	\$ 988,353,395.03	
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Per Mile Cost	\$ 37,301,132.93	\$ 31,536,483.57	

