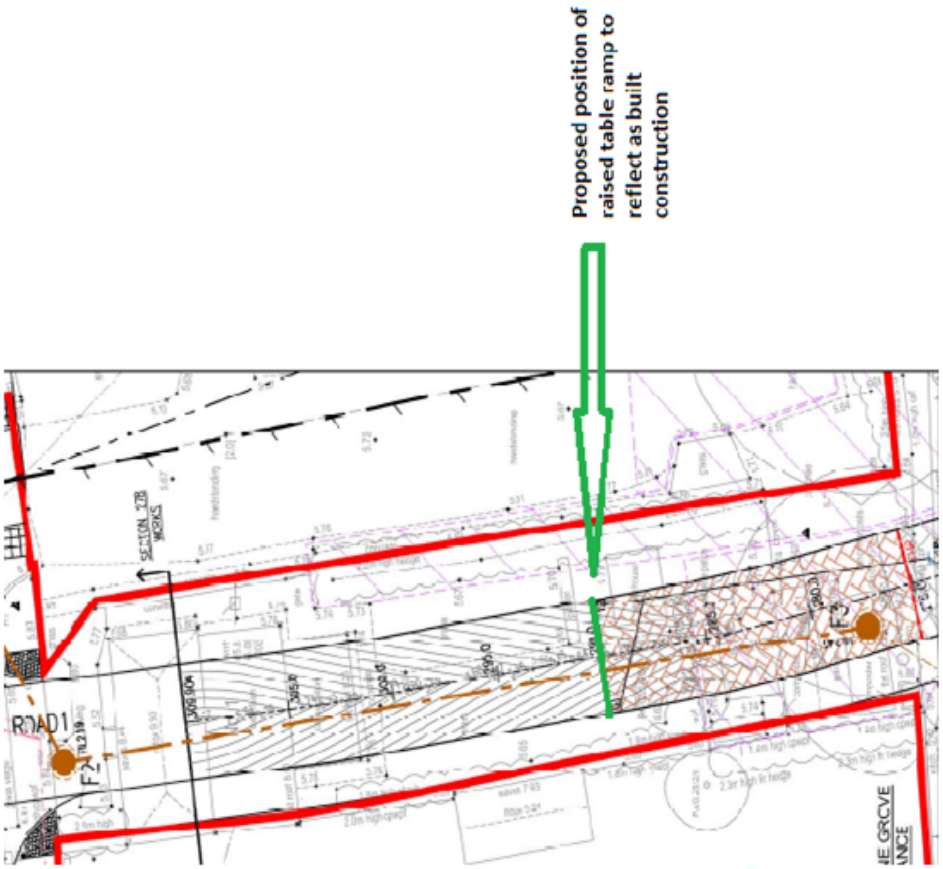REVISED APPENDIX B - COMPARISON