



## **DOWNSTREAM SANITARY SEWER CAPACITY ANALYSIS REPORT**

for

**Single Family Subdivision**  
1789 Dodge Road  
Town of Amherst, Erie County, New York

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### Project Description

This project is a development of a 6.7 acre +/- site located at 1789 Dodge Road in the Town of Amherst. Construction will consist of extension and completion of a proposed local street. The property will be subdivided to accommodate for 14 single family home lots to be built at a later date. The site will also include the construction of on-site utilities including water service, lighting and landscaping improvements.

The proposed sewer for this project will tie into the existing 8" sewer main along Dodge Road. Sewage will then be conveyed northeast and then west through the 24" and 36" French Trunk Sewer. Flows are then ultimately conveyed north through the 48" Trunk Sewer to the Town of Amherst Wastewater Treatment Facility #16.

### Node 1 - 1875 Dodge Road (8"):

Existing Peak Flow measured (wet weather event)	=	0.013 cfs (.007 mgd)*
Proposed 1789 Dodge Rd Subdivision Peak Flow	=	0.041 cfs **
Proposed Peak Flow	=	0.054 cfs
Existing Peak Flow measured (dry weather event)	=	0.253 cfs (.007 mgd)*
Proposed 1789 Dodge Rd Peak Flow	=	0.041 cfs **
Proposed Peak Flow	=	0.294 cfs

Theoretical capacity of existing 8" VTP pipe @ 0.3% = 0.614 cfs

Conclusion: The proposed peak flow is less than the capacity of the 8" VTP pipe, therefore there is sufficient capacity. At no time during the monitoring did the flow depth exceed the pipe diameter at Node 1 of the downstream monitoring points during the rain events monitored.

### Node 2 - North French Rd (24")

Existing Peak Flow measured (wet weather event)	=	9.582 cfs (5.155 mgd)*
Proposed 1789 Dodge Rd Subdivision Peak Flow	=	0.041 cfs **
Proposed Peak Flow	=	9.623 cfs

Theoretical capacity of existing 24" RCP pipe = 7.714 cfs (4.15 mgd)

Conclusion: Current flows the day following the 1.11" rainfall event exceeded the capacity of the existing 24" sewer pipe, but at no time during the monitoring period did the flow at any point slow or stall which would have caused a backup or flooding at the manhole. In addition, Sanitary Sewer Overflow (SSO) did not occur. I/I mitigation shall be required for the contribution proposed for this project.

### **Node 3 - North French near Millersport (24")**

Existing Peak Flow measured (wet weather event)	=	9.439 cfs (5.078 mgd)*
Proposed 1789 Dodge Rd Subdivision Peak Flow	=	0.041 cfs **
Proposed Peak Flow	=	9.480 cfs

Theoretical capacity of existing 24" RCP pipe = 7.714 cfs (4.15 mgd)

**Conclusion:** Current flows the day following the 0.7" rainfall event exceeded the capacity of the existing 24" sewer pipe, but at no time during the monitoring period did the flow at any point slow or stall which would have caused a backup or flooding at the manhole. In addition, Sanitary Sewer Overflow (SSO) did not occur. I/I mitigation shall be required for the contribution proposed for this project.

#### **Foot Notes:**

Pipe slopes, sizes and materials provided by Town of Amherst Engineering Department Sewer Maintenance Division

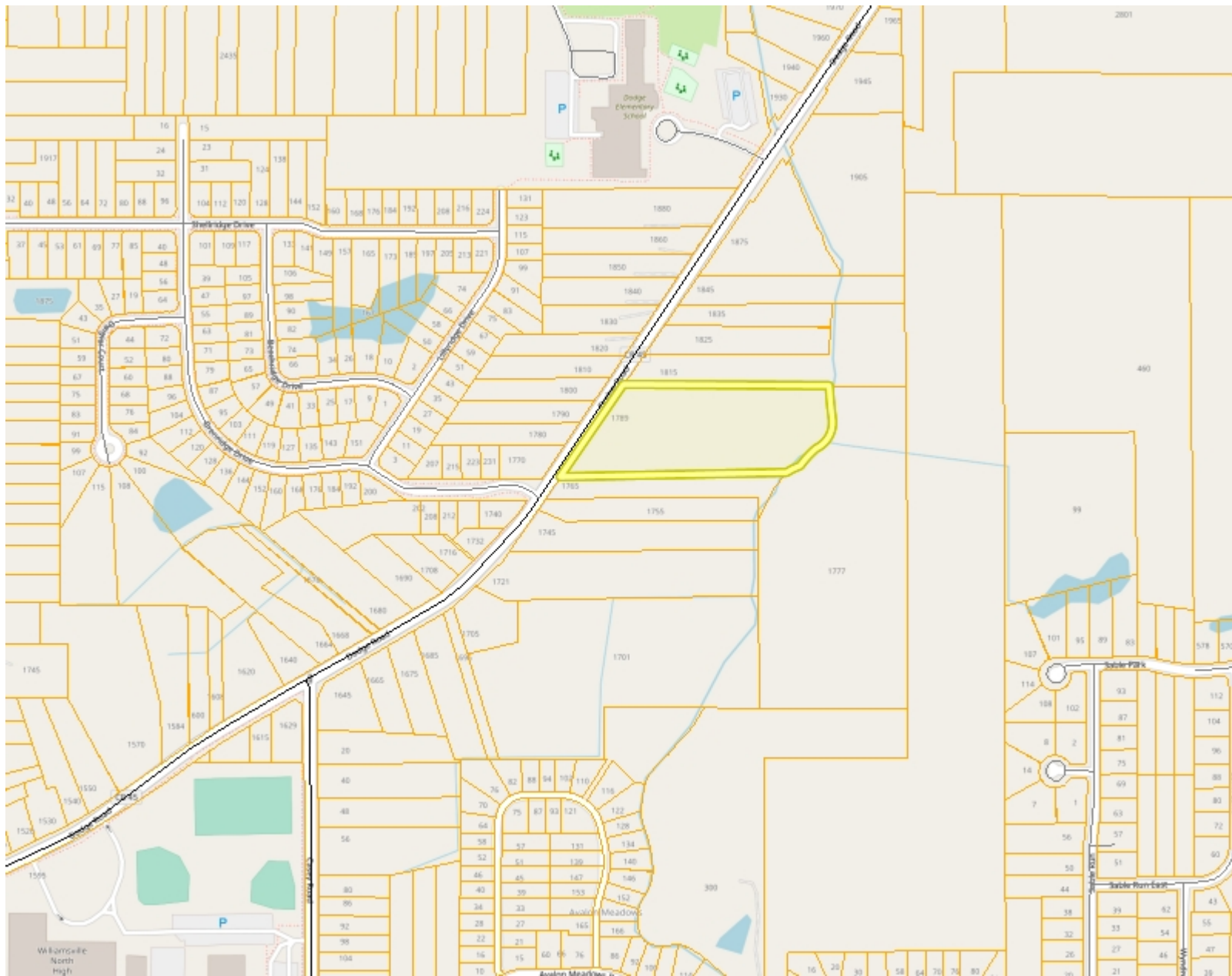
\*Converted from measurements in TECSmith report dated 4/20/21

\*\*See Sanitary Sewage Demand Calculations

## Location Map



# Erie County On-Line Mapping Application



## Legend

- Parcels
- Streets and Highways
  - Interstate
  - Primary State Road
  - Secondary State Road
  - County Road
  - Local Road

0 0.14 0.3Miles

WGS\_1984\_Web\_Mercator\_Auxiliary\_Sphere  
THIS MAP IS NOT TO BE USED FOR NAVIGATION

**ERIE COUNTY**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT & PLANNING**  
**OFFICE OF GIS**

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## **Sanitary Demand Calculations**

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Project No.: 20.247      Date: 4/21/2021  
Project Name: Dodge Road Subdivision      Revised 5/22/25  
Project Address: Amherst, New York  
Subject: Sanitary Sewage Demand Calcs  
Sheet: 1 of 1

**Sanitary Sewage Demand Calculations:****Proposed Subdivision:**

14 Lots      4 bdrm      @      440 gpd      =      6,160 gpd

Total Average Daily Demand      =      6,160 gpd

**Find Peak Sanitary Demand:**

Total demand:      6,160 gpd      /      100 gpcd      =      62 per capita

Population (P) =      62 people

Peaking Factor :  $(18 + \sqrt{P}) / (4 + \sqrt{P})$       where P is in thousands

Peaking Factor =      4.30

Peak Sanitary Demand      =      6,160 x 4.30      =      26,460 gpd  
=      0.026 MGD  
=      0.041 cfs

**Required Infiltration and Inflow Mitigation:**

Peak Sanitary Flow      =      26,460 gpd      =      18.4 gpm

4:1 offset flow per NYSDEC requirements      =      18.4 x 4      =      73.5 gpm req'd

Mitigation Credit      =      250 /gpm

Mitigation Agreement Amount      =      \$18,375.27

## **TECSmith Monitoring Report**



Date	Node 1			Node 2			Node 3			Rain <sub>2</sub>
	1875 Dodge Rd (8")			North French 24" (24")			N French EO Millersport (25")			
	FLOW (GAL x 1,000)	PEAK FLOW (MGD)	PEAK LEVEL (IN)	FLOW (GAL x 1,000)	PEAK FLOW (MDG)	PEAK LEVEL (IN)	FLOW (GAL x 1,000)	PEAK FLOW (MDG)	PEAK LEVEL (IN)	(inches)
3/15/2021	1.558	0.007	1.021	901.924	2.509	13.017	2451.565	3.138	16.050	0
3/16/2021	5.814	0.136	1.429	1851.456	2.431	12.927	2362.168	2.987	15.828	0
3/17/2021	3.897	0.117	1.276	1833.935	2.354	12.793	2359.427	3.078	15.946	0
3/18/2021	3.526	0.007	0.965	1810.464	2.378	12.837	2259.529	3.071	15.681	0
3/19/2021	2.127	0.006	0.722	1777.378	2.272	12.485	2186.568	2.873	15.229	0
3/20/2021	2.908	0.006	0.733	1835.479	2.712	13.695	2278.543	3.111	16.386	0
3/21/2021	1.471	0.005	0.891	1782.700	2.522	13.292	2306.858	3.161	16.261	0
3/22/2021	2.153	0.010	0.804	1756.434	2.338	12.610	2220.316	3.332	15.590	0
3/23/2021	1.794	0.012	0.909	1750.216	2.354	12.508	2165.263	2.942	15.598	0
3/24/2021	1.334	0.010	0.803	1800.258	2.322	12.720	2209.647	2.930	15.544	0.04
3/25/2021	2.060	0.006	0.854	1818.708	2.327	12.425	2191.851	2.903	15.835	0.1
3/26/2021	3.490	0.007	0.854	3394.673	5.155	32.200	3430.052	4.993	21.358	1.11
3/27/2021	2.520	0.008	0.748	2789.517	3.572	15.870	3247.935	4.098	19.565	0.01
3/28/2021	2.553	0.008	0.911	3084.039	4.855	24.342	3297.641	4.788	20.613	0.38
3/29/2021	1.726	0.006	0.907	1755.045	3.449	16.146	3240.507	4.662	19.849	0
3/30/2021	2.827	0.008	0.856	---	---	---	2916.616	3.723	17.876	0
3/31/2021	2.680	0.005	0.742	---	---	---	2702.193	3.508	17.153	0.15
4/1/2021	2.651	0.005	0.843	---	---	---	2714.987	3.372	16.766	0.01
4/2/2021	2.859	0.005	0.796	---	---	---	2505.293	3.203	16.568	0
4/3/2021	2.990	0.007	0.938	---	---	---	2525.733	3.514	16.884	0
4/4/2021	2.417	0.009	1.135	---	---	---	2373.848	3.533	16.405	0
4/5/2021	2.483	0.007	0.912	---	---	---	2266.588	3.080	15.777	0.03
4/6/2021	2.944	0.006	0.910	825.215	2.343	12.291	2252.135	2.939	15.594	0
4/7/2021	2.503	0.007	0.950	1846.587	2.402	12.565	2309.849	3.101	15.697	0.02
4/8/2021	2.082	0.008	1.024	1828.950	2.483	12.622	2261.713	3.460	15.656	0
4/9/2021	2.374	0.010	1.239	1831.352	2.368	12.721	2193.455	3.117	15.464	0.08
4/10/2021	2.260	0.008	1.127	1858.770	2.612	13.316	2316.192	3.504	16.334	0
4/11/2021	2.859	0.007	1.008	3042.992	5.147	30.730	3249.342	5.078	22.008	0.7
4/12/2021	2.895	0.015	0.889	2708.829	3.298	15.235	3106.551	4.305	19.509	0.05
4/13/2021	2.801	0.012	0.802	2463.126	3.020	14.069	2867.249	4.024	17.279	0
4/14/2021	2.756	0.008	0.821	2271.773	2.756	13.315	2145.403	3.626	16.706	0
4/15/2021	3.060	0.013	1.094	2356.976	2.957	14.016	2774.988	3.769	17.125	0.26
4/16/2021	3.263	0.008	1.131	2855.766	3.437	15.096	3174.564	3.761	17.887	0.11
4/17/2021	2.860	0.007	1.015	2575.069	3.305	14.893	3010.105	3.907	17.949	0
4/18/2021	3.009	0.009	0.913	2359.773	3.104	14.318	2819.097	3.644	17.325	0
4/19/2021	2.925	0.008	0.910	2144.199	2.646	12.962	2572.211	3.217	16.430	0.05
4/20/2021	1.089	0.007	0.914	928.283	2.885	13.472	1081.133	3.048	15.628	0.2
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Yellow Highlights are Wet Weather Days

	MGD	CFS
Wet	0.007	0.013
Dry	0.136	0.253

MGD	CFS
5.155	9.582

MGD	CFS
5.078	9.439

Date: April 20, 2021

## **SANITARY SEWER FLOW CAPACITY STUDY – Summary Review**

**Prepared For:** 1789 Dodge Road Capacity Analysis

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**Project Name:** 1789 Dodge Road Capacity Analysis

**Flow Monitoring Period:** March 1, 2021 to April 13, 2021

**Rain Events (> 0.5-inches) Monitored:** March 26, (1.11"), and April 11 (0.70")

**Number of Monitoring Nodes:** Three (3) downstream manholes

### **Node Locations and Descriptions:**

- Node 1            1875 Dodge Rd (8")
- Node 2            North French 24" (24")
- Node 3            N French EO Millersport (25")

### **Summary Conclusion:**

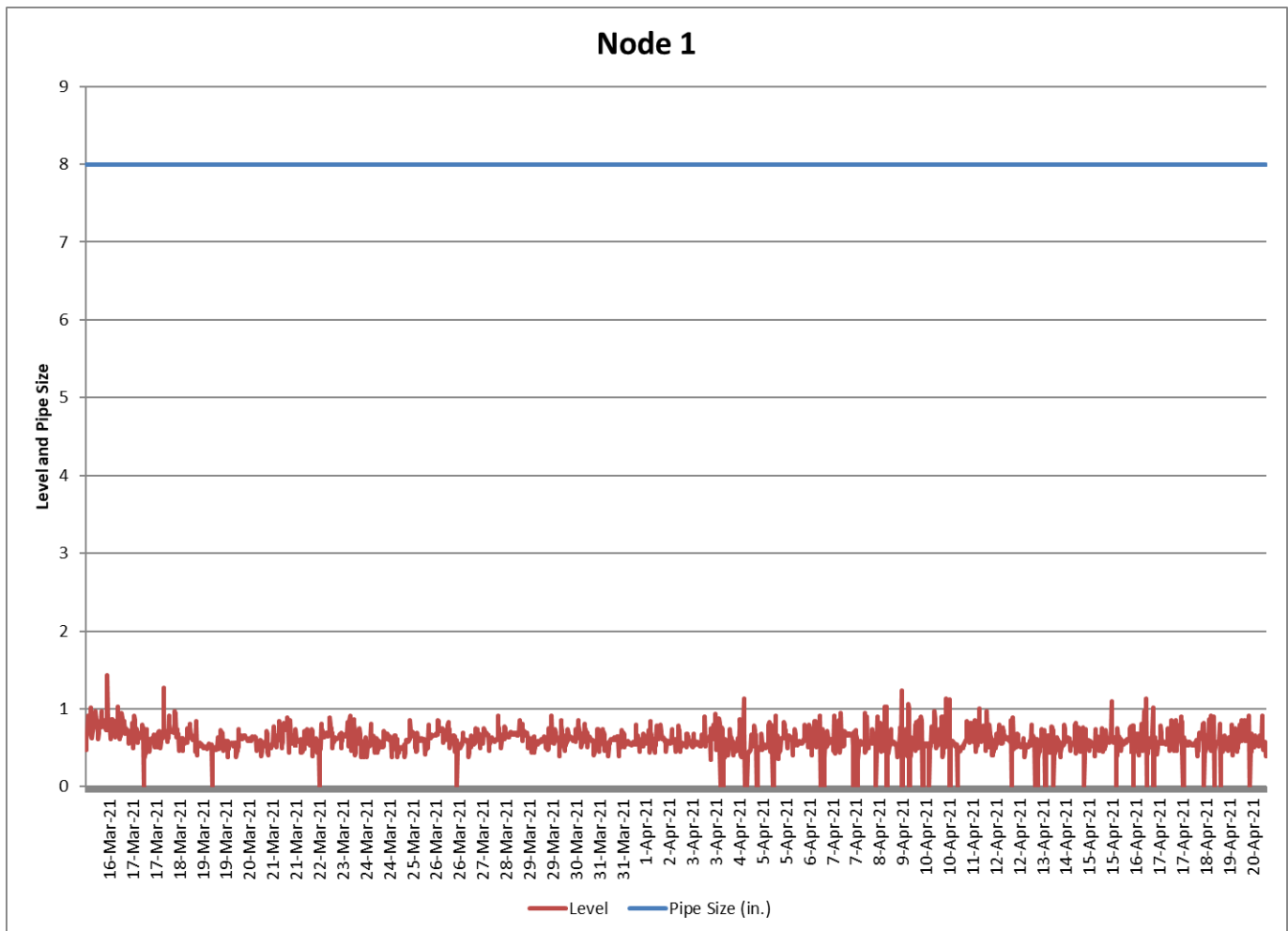
Based on the data presented in this report, specifically the flow depth measurements recorded (see graphs below)

- At no time did the flow depth exceed pipe diameter at Nodes 1 and 3 of the downstream monitoring points during the wet weather vents monitored.
- Three times the flow depth exceed pipe diameter at Node 2 of the downstream monitoring points during the wet weather vents monitored.

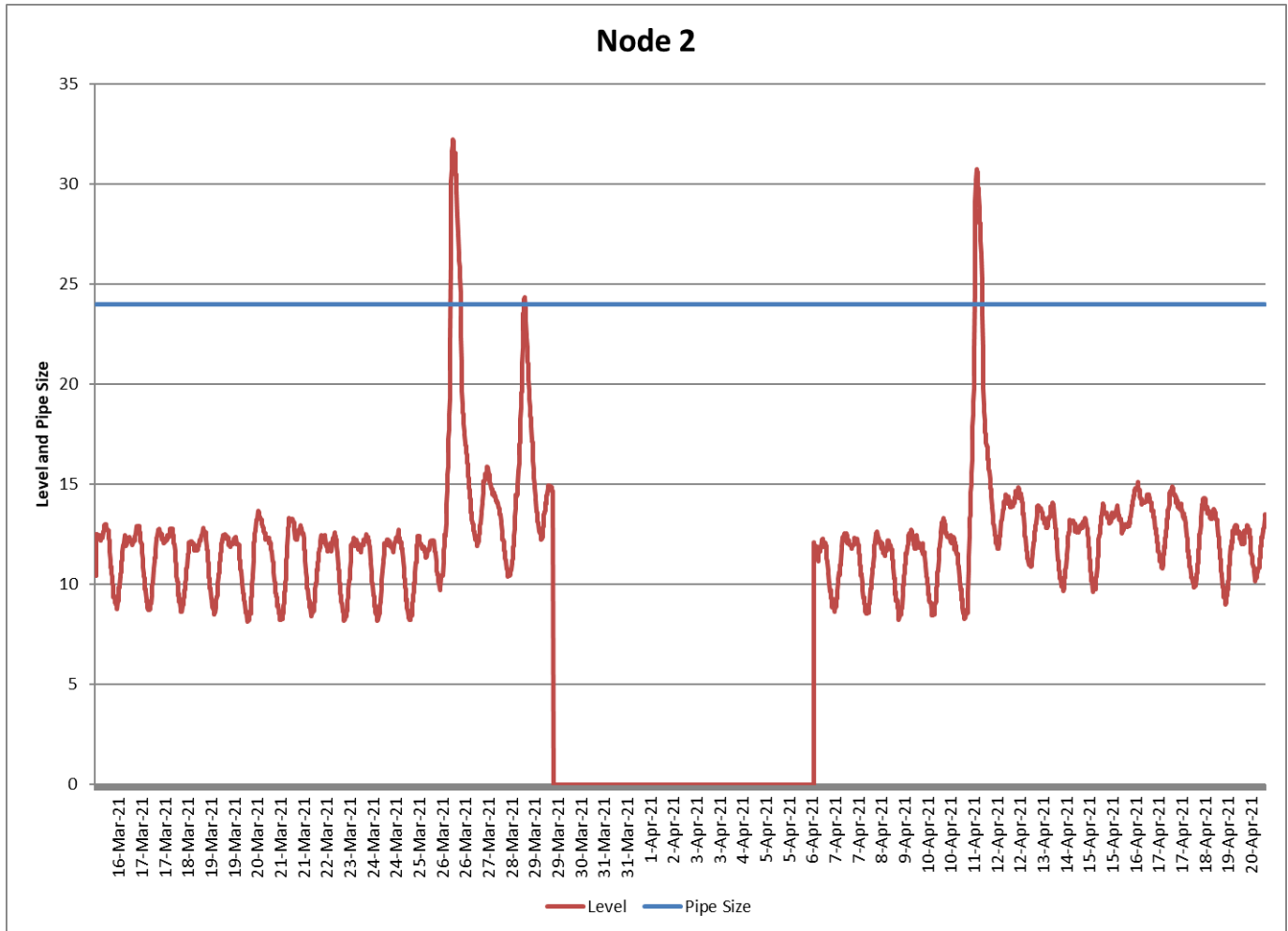
## Depth of Flow Capacity Summary:

*Depth of flow capacity is based on diameter of pipe. See graphs below.*

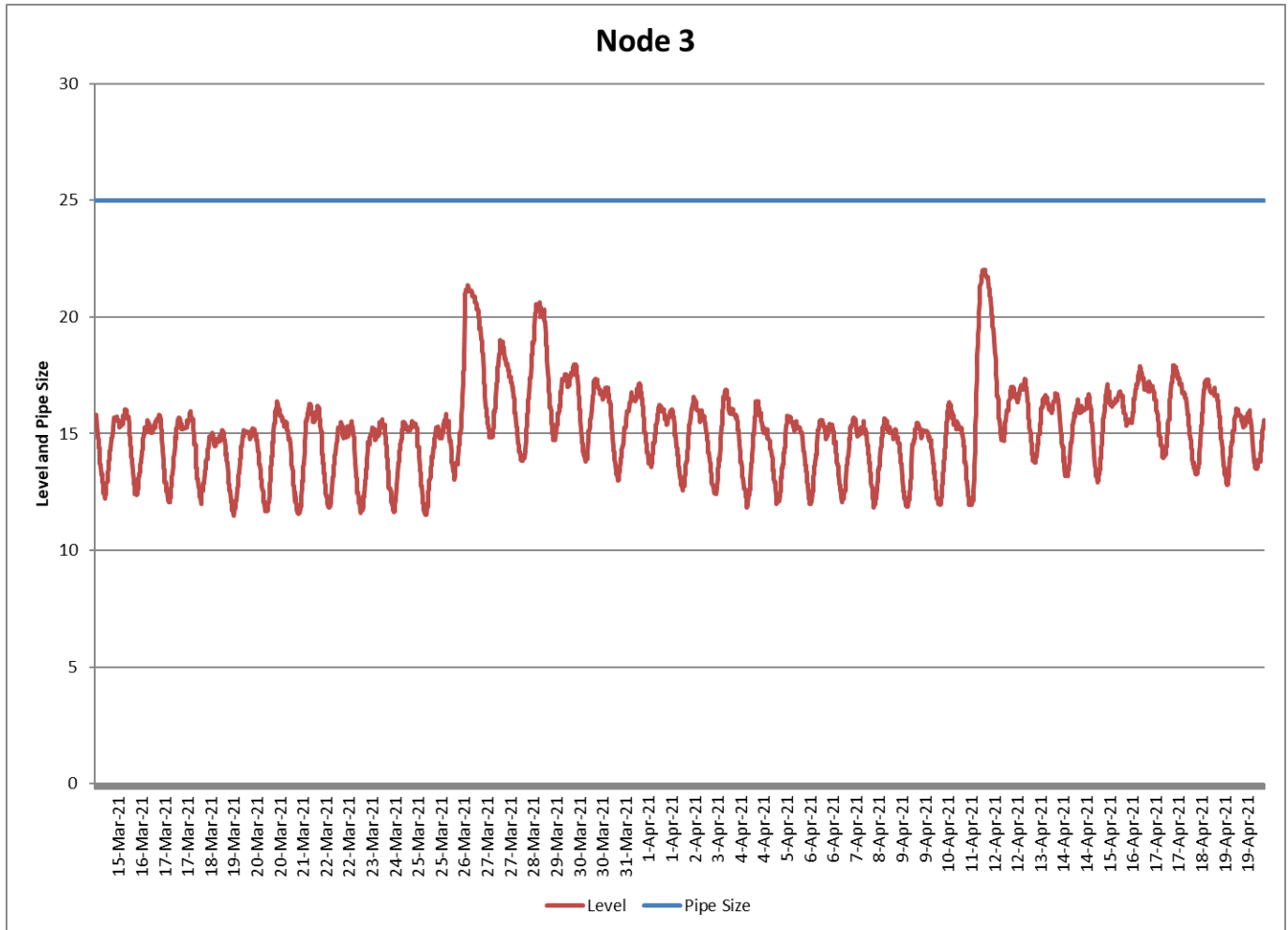
- At no time during the monitoring period did depth of flow exceed pipe diameter at Node 1.



- Three times during the monitoring period did depth of flow exceed pipe diameter at Node 2.



- At no time during the monitoring period did depth of flow exceed pipe diameter at Node 3.



**(T) Amherst Engineering Department Sewer Maintenance Division  
Downstream Routing Map and Node Maps**



Town of Amherst Engineering Department  
Sewer Maintenance Division

\* INCLUDES KLEIN RD  
DIVERSION & WOODLAND  
HILLS DEVELOPMENT  
JANUARY 2010

Main Sanitary Sewer Interceptors  
**DOWNSTREAM SEWER  
FRENCH/DODGE TRUNK SEWER**  
**TRANSIT ROAD TO PLANT #16**  
JANUARY 2021

1789 DODGE ROAD - SUBDIVISION

AMHERST CONSOLIDATED SANITARY SEWER DISTRICT

- Project Location
- Sanitary Routing

Flows Updated April 2020

