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BACKGROUND

The National Capital Planning Authority, between November 1991 and March 1992, assisted the Commonwealth Department of Arts, Sport, Environment, Tourism and Territories in preparing a draft plan for the Cocos (Keeling) Islands. As part of the planning study, a geographic information system (GIS) database was established in order to prepare base and thematic maps and to enable the production of high quality figures to illustrate the planning report and to present the plans for public consultation.

The database contains many layers of environmental and planning information and has a range of potential uses beyond the planning exercise. DASETTE subsequently briefed the NCPA to carry out some additional work to adapt the database for its ongoing purposes and to make the database available through the Department's ERIN computer network.

The GIS database was created using the software package pc ARC/INFO and can be readily translated for use on other ARC/INFO hardware platforms and under other GIS software systems. The brief required the provision of files in ARC/INFO export format and in 20 metre grid format, both on floppy disk media.

It is currently proposed that data layers will be added to the database when these become available from the Australian Survey and Land Information Group (AUSLIG). In particular, this additional data will include cadastral information which can replace the temporary cadastral covers prepared for the planning study. Other data layers should complement those currently in the database.

This documentation explains the general features of and structure and content of the database, together with some notes to assist in its future use through ERIN.

GENERAL FEATURES OF THE DATABASE

The database consists of 48 covers, 11 of which are simple base covers used for building more complex thematic maps and for defining map extents when using ARCPLOT. A further 6 covers are used mainly as the foundations for adding details such as topography, cadastral boundaries, roads and utilities to thematic maps. The remaining covers comprise 14 covers providing 11 resource map layers and 17 covers providing four land use and planning layers.

So as to provide flexibility in the preparation of map compositions at different scales and showing different features, the land use and planning layers each consist of separate covers for each of the main islands or island groups (ie West Island, Home Island, South Island, the small islands between South and Home Islands, Direction/Horsburgh Islands and North Keeling). Not all islands are represented in each data layer. This was so particularly where there were no features to show on particular islands or an alternative cover from a different layer could be used in a map composition to complete the full atoll coverage. Most of the remaining coverages include all of the southern Cocos atoll.
North Keeling, because of its geographic isolation is always included as a separate cover and represented in map compositions as an inset rather than in its correct location. Only a few of the thematic layers have been compiled for North Keeling. There is little mapped information available for this island and no air photo or field mapping was undertaken during the planning study.

All of the covers are topologically structured and checked for correct polygon closure and labelling. However, in some instances not all polygons have attribute information, where this was found to be unnecessary.

The accuracy of the data are sufficient for planning purposes and are largely governed by the accuracy of existing map sources. Only limited field checking had been undertaken during a one week visit to the islands. Detailed mapping would need to be undertaken for management purposes particularly related to public utilities and services infrastructure, using detailed plans (in non-digital form) held by ACS in Perth.

STRUCTURE AND CONTENT OF THE DATABASE

The information is summarised in two parts in the accompanying attachments. The first is a tabular description of the ARC/INFO coverages which includes details on map extent and coverage features. The second is a description of the map layers by theme, which includes details on covers and feature included, where the information was obtained and its accuracy, attribute classifications and lists of associated lookup tables, key files and macro files for generating the map compositions for the report figures and presentation maps.

USE OF THE DATABASE

Use of the database in its basic form will require a working knowledge of ARC/INFO, particularly for complex queries, preparation of cartographic output, updating and further development. Simple automated queries by non-skilled operators using ARC/INFO would require the development of a set of macros designed for user-friendly operation. However, this would require identification of the types of standard queries by users. The use of the new ESRI product ARCVIEW should enable easy use of the database for some queries, without the need for a detailed knowledge of ARC/INFO.

All coverages should function correctly without modification on ARC/INFO platforms once imported. However, there are a number of enhancements which could be made to make better use of the additional features and capabilities of the full ARC/INFO package.

It may be simpler for the user, if some of the covers were combined (by MAPJOIN) to create full atoll coverages for each theme, particularly for use on more powerful hardware platforms where display speed and storage space are less critical than is the case on a pc. This would achieve the same result without having to specify multiple coverages to create a map composition for the whole atoll.
Since the annotation for specific islands was sized to suit the map compositions required, there will be incompatibility in the sizing when covers are joined. This can be fixed easily by using the select and calculate commands in ARCEDIT.

Some macros (SML's) are included in the set of files. These have been developed specifically for producing plot files (these were developed to produce the figures in the planning report or the presentation maps). They are included to provide examples of map compositions. Several modification would be required to convert them to workable AML's, including changes to pc SML lines not recognised by ARC/INFO, changes to textfonts, textsets, shadesets, etc and commands for creating plot files. However, most ARCPLOT commands would not need to be changed.

The lookup tables and key files are specifically set up to use the 100 shades in the COLOR shadeset in pc ARC/INFO. They would need to be amended for other shadesets. A few lookup and key files have been included which were developed for use with the CMYK shadeset on the NRIC computer system. They apply only to the land use and planning map covers.

In some instances a parallel set of SML's, key files and coverage annotation levels have been prepared using the Cocos-Malay language. The annotation levels are normally on or two levels higher than the English version and the SML and Key files contain an M at the end of the file name to distinguish them.

Attached are some sample SML's and AML's used for creating map compositions for the planning scheme maps. The full set of SML's is included on the disks provided.
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DESCRIPTION OF RESOURCE AND LAND USE MAP LAYERS

TOPOGRAPHY

COVER: TOPO

FEATURES: Island coastlines, semi-saline swamps, beaches (sand or coral rubble below high water mark), edge of reef flat and lagoon with attributes to identify features

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: 1:10,000 cadastral maps for coastlines of all islands except South Island and North Keeling other features from 1:25,000 topo maps and air photos. Note - constant coastline changes mean that the current coastline may not be accurately represented in published maps. Some minor changes have been made to reflect the effects of recent lagoon filling on West and Home Island. The 1:10,000 cadastral maps show the coastline above HWM while the 1:25,000 topo maps show the coastline at LWM. Only the South Island coastline was digitized from the 1:25,000 maps.

ATTRIBUTES: FEAT (topographic features)

1 Reef flat and lagoon
2 Islands above HWM
3 Beach
4 Semi-saline swamp
5 Deep hole in lagoon

LOOKUP TABLE: TOPO.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)

CADASTRAL

COVERS: WESTCAD, HOMECAD

FEATURES: Lot boundaries and lot numbers with attributes to identify lot numbers and land ownership

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: 1:10,000 cadastral maps of West and Home Islands supplemented by survey plans for individual lots and 1:1000 detail map of Home Island settlement. Note: Cadastral mapping is being undertaken by AUSLIG and will replace these temporary covers when available

ATTRIBUTES: LOTNO – as defined on cadastral plans

TENURE
1 Commonwealth Owned
2 Council land licenced to Commonwealth
3 Council Land

LOOKUP TABLE: CAD.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
KEY FILE: CAD.KEY
SML: WESTTEN.SML (creates plot file used in report)

ROADS

COVER: ROADS

FEATURES: Sealed and unsealed roads and cycle path with attributes to identify type

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Detailed maps of settlement areas on West and Home Islands, 1:10,000 cadastral map for Sydney Highway and 1:25,000 topo maps for other roads and tracks. Cyclepath was field mapped.

ATTRIBUTES: TYPE (road type) - line features

1 Sydney Highway
2 Other sealed roads
3 Other roads and tracks
4 Cycle path

LOOKUP TABLE: ROADS.LUT

UTILITIES AND SERVICES

COVER: UTILS

FEATURES: Line features - jettys, boat ramps, seawalls and breakwaters, sewer outfalls and fuel pipeline

Point features - power stations, radio masts, navigation beacons, bores, sand and gravel pits and associated services buildings

Both are identified in attribute tables by type code and text label.
SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Detailed maps of settlement areas on West and Home Islands and 1:25,000 topo maps for other areas plus some air photo and field mapping

ATTRIBUTES: TYPE - Line features
1. Boat ramps and jetty
2. Breakwaters and seawalls
3. Pipelines

TYPE - Point features
1. Power supply facility
2. Communication facility
3. Navigation facility
4. Navigation buoy
5. Water supply facility
6. Services building
7. Fuel storage tanks
8. Sand or gravel pit

LABEL - text descriptions of both line and point features

LOOKUP TABLES: UTIL.LUT, UTIL2.LUT (pc ARC/INFO)
KEY FILES: UTIL.KEY, UTIL2.KEY

COVER: AIRPORT
FEATURES: Runway and aircraft parking area

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: 1:4000 survey map of West Island settlement area
ATTRIBUTES: None.

WATER RESOURCES

COVER: WATER
FEATURES: Extent of known groundwater lenses

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Boundaries as mapped by T. Falkland in reports to DASETT
Note - many boundaries are based on predicted extent rather than precise location.
ATTRIBUTES: None (Note - bores and wells are mapped as point features in the cover UTILS).
KEY FILE: WATER.KEY
SML: WATER.SML (creates plot file used in report)

EROSION

COVER: EROSION
FEATURES: Erosion prone coastline and potential breach areas on West Island (Note - no major erosion problems on other islands have been noted)
SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Generalised areas based on advice from ANPWS Conservator (P. Stevenson) and field inspection of some locations
ATTRIBUTES: CODE (Erosion category)
1 Erosion prone coastline
2 Potential breach zones
LOOKUP TABLE: EROSION.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
KEY FILE: EROSION.KEY
SML: WESTDUMP.SML (creates plot file used in report, combined with cover RUBBISH, for West Island only)

VEGETATION

COVER: VEG
FEATURES: Remnant native vegetation and stands of *Pemphis* on sandbanks in lagoon
SOURCES AND ACCURACY: 1:25,000 maps by D. Williams showing *Pemphis* community on one map and 14 classes of remnant vegetation on another. Both maps were corrected for distortion when digitized by reference to AUSLIG 1:25,000 topo maps. Note - North Keeling is assumed to have mainly native vegetation but information on types was not available during the planning study.
ATTRIBUTES: TYPE (vegetation classification) - see D. Williams report for explanation of types A to N
0 Other vegetation
1 Pemphis
2 Remnant veg type A
3 Remnant veg type B
4 Remnant veg type C
5 Remnant veg type D
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14 Remnant veg type M
15 Remnant veg type N

LOOKUP TABLE: VEG.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
KEY FILE: VEG.KEY
SML: VEG.SMI (creates plot file used in report, which includes VEG2 cover)

COVER: VEG2

FEATURES: Simplified vegetation structure including cleared areas which are predominantly grassed or built up, sparsely treed areas (mostly coconut palms), densely treed areas (coconut plantations) and semisaline swamp communities (mostly unvegetated mudflats with dense fringing shrub cover)

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Mostly generalised boundaries derived from interpretation of air photographs and field inspection (some areas have been cleared since the 1987 air photos and are not shown on previous maps hence boundaries are only approximate - based on brief field inspection). Note - a more detailed mapping of vegetation structure would be required for detailed planning and management purposes.

ATTRIBUTES: STRUC (vegetation structure)

1 Cleared land
2 Sparse coconut trees & grass
3 Coconut plantations
4 Shrub cover
5 Settlement area
6 Swamp vegetation
7 Unvegetated beach
LOOKUP TABLE: VEG2.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)

KEY FILE: VEG2.KEY

SML: VEG.SML (creates plot file used in report, which includes VEG cover)
BIRD HABITATS

COVER: HABITAT

FEATURES: Habitat areas used by migratory water birds together with some notes on species which are found in certain locations

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Generalised boundaries based on the advice of ANPWS Conservator (P. Stevenson).

ATTRIBUTES: TYPE (habitat type)

1 Migratory birds

SML: HABITAT.SML (creates a plot file)

MARINE HABITATS

COVER: MARINE

FEATURES: Marine habitat classification as mapped and classified by D. Williams with a generalised grouping into reef slope, reef flat and lagoon. Note - no marine habitats classification was available for North Keeling, however, the edge of the reef was digitized from the AUSLIG 1:5000 topographic map of North Keeling and is included in the cover NKREEF.

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: 1:25,000 map by D. Williams, based on a classified SPOT satellite image. The map was corrected for distortion when digitized by reference to AUSLIG 1:25,000 topo maps.

ATTRIBUTES: TYPE (generalised grouping of habitats)

1 Islands
2 Reef slope
3 Reef flat
4 Lagoon

CODE (habitat classification)

A Outer reef
B Coral and algal flat
C Coral flat
D Aligned coral flat
E Seagrass flat
F Prograding sand sheet
G Intertidal sand & silt flat
H Seagrass sand & silt flat
I  Seagrass flat
J  Coral and algal flat
K  Blue hole mosaic 1
L  Blue hole mosaic 2
M  Blue hole mosaic 3
N  Algal covered staghorn
O  Massive coral outcrops
P  Emergent reef
Q  Sandy lagoon floor
R  Sand shoal
S  Sandy with seagrass
T  Seagrass bed
U  Seagrass bed - Syringodium
V  Mixed seagrass and algal bed
Y  Unidentified (code missing in original map)
Z  Islands

LOOKUP TABLE:  MARTYPE.LUT (for TYPE) (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
MARINE.LUT (for CODE) (pc ARC/INFO – shadeset COLOR)

MARINE RESOURCES

COVER:  MARRES

FEATURES:  Important marine features including the navigation channels, 'The Rip', reef flat replenishment zone and fish nursery, which combine with the features in MARRES2 cover to produce the MARINE RESOURCES map used in the planning report

SOURCES AND ACCURACY:  Generalised areas based on advice from ANPWS Conservator (P. Stevenson)

ATTRIBUTES:  TYPE

0  Islands
1  The rip
2  Boat channel
3  Reef flat replenishment zone

LOOKUP TABLE:  MARRES.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
SML: MARRES.SML (creates plot file for map used in report - combined with cover MARRES2)

COVER: MARRES2

FEATURES: As for MARINE cover, however, the cover was modified to overcome the polygon size limitation of pc ARC/INFO by subdividing large polygons. This cover is not needed for use in other ARC/INFO systems since the cover MARINE can be used. For the purposes of preparing a simplified map for the MARINE RESOURCES map in the planning report, some habitat codes were grouped as indicated in the attributes section below.

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: As for MARINE cover.

ATTRIBUTES: TYPE AND CODE as for MARINE cover with grouping of codes as follows:

Seaward Reef Slope (A)
Coral and Algal Reef Flat (B, C, D, E)
Prograding Sand Sheet (F)
Intertidal Sand and Silt Flat (G)
Seagrass Flats (H, I, S, T, U, V)
Coral Flat and Patch Reefs (J, N, O, P)
Blue Holes (K, L, M)
Sandy Lagoon Floor (Q, R)

LOOKUP TABLE: MARTYPE.LUT (for TYPE) (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
MARRES2.LUT (for CODE) (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)

KEY FILE: MARRES2.KEY

SML: MARRES.SML (creates plot file for map used in report - combined with cover MARRES)
RECREATION RESOURCES

COVER:  
RECRES

FEATURES:  
Major locations of recreation activities including picnic and swimming areas, sailing, surfing, diving, reef walking, sports facilities, and other recreation areas such as the golf course and recreation spaces around West Island settlement. Other open space areas are areas with no specific facilities which are available for informal recreation.

SOURCES AND ACCURACY:  
Generalised boundaries based on advice from ANPWS Conservator (P. Stevenson) and others and field observations

ATTRIBUTES:  
TYPE (recreation resource type)

0  Open space
1  Picnic and swimming areas
2  Sports facilities
3  Other recreation space
4  Marine recreation

LOOKUP TABLE:  
RECRES.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)

KEY FILE:  
RECRES.KEY

SML:  
RECRES.SML (creates plot file for map used in report)

HERITAGE SITES

COVERS:  
SITES, SITES2, NKSITES

FEATURES:  
Sites on the Register of the National Estate (polygons in SITES2 coverage) and other sites of heritage interest (points in SITES coverage) including cemeteries, ship wrecks, monuments and war relics. NKSITES cover includes the wreck of the 'EMDEN'.

SOURCES AND ACCURACY:  
Generalised locations based on advice of ANPWS Conservator (P. Stevenson) and field inspection of some sites.

ATTRIBUTES:  
TYPE (heritage site type) - point features in SITES and NKSITES covers

1  Oceania House
2 Cemeterys
3 Memorials
4 Ship wrecks
5 Other sites (guns, cable stn etc)

Note - site names are identified in annotation

TYPE - polygon features in SITES2 cover

1 Sites on the RNE

LOOKUP TABLE: SITES.LUT (pc ARC/INFO)

KEY FILE: SITES2.KEY

SML: SITES.SML (creates plot file for map report, using combination of these covers)

TOURIST RESORT PROPOSALS

COVER: TOURIST

FEATURES: Areas in which tourist resorts have been proposed and studies have been carried out

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Notional boundaries suggested by proponents but not surveyed in detail

ATTRIBUTES: None

SML: TOURIST.SML (creates plot file for map used in report)

RUBBISH PROBLEM AREAS

COVER: RUBBISH

FEATURES: Areas in which dumped rubbish is a problem, mostly on beaches and in the lagoon

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Generalised areas based on advice from ANPWS Conservator (P. Stevenson), mostly field inspected but not accurately mapped

ATTRIBUTES: DUMP

1 Rubbish problem areas

KEY FILE: RUBBISH.KEY
SML'S: RUBBISH.SMI, WESTDUMP.SW, HOMEDUMP.SML (createplot files for maps used in report)

COVERS: WESTUSE2, HOMEUSE2, NORTHUSE, SOUTHUSE, OTHERUSE, NKUSE

FEATURES: Areas classified according to their existing use in the planning study

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Based on 1:10,000 cadastral map boundaries and detailed maps of settlement areas. Many boundaries were defined during the planning study.

ATTRIBUTES: USE (land use category)

1 Airport
2 Residential
3 Community facilities
4 Commercial
5 Admin. and utility services
6 Industrial and extractive
7 Tourism
8 Recreation facilities
9 Horticulture
10 Open space
11 Roads and carparks
12 Vacant urban land

LOOKUP TABLE: LANDUSE.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
USE5.LUT (ARC/INFO Rev. 6 - shadeset CMYK)

KEY FILES: LANDUSE.KEY, LANDUSE2.KEY, WESTUSE.KEY, HOMEUSE.KEY (pc ARC/INFO)
USE5.KEY (ARC/INFO Rev. 6)

SML'S: LANDUSE.SML, WESTUSE.SML, HOMEUSE.SML, (create plot files for maps used in report)

AML: LANDUSE5.AML

LAND USE PLANNING OPTIONS

COVERS: WESTOPT, HOMEOPT, NORTHOPT

FEATURES: Areas identified in planning study as having potential for particular future uses
SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Based on existing land use covers - boundaries defined during the planning study

ATTRIBUTES: OPT (planning options categories - an extension of the existing land use categories)

1 Airport
2 Housing
4 Commercial Development
6 Industrial Area
7 Tourism Development
11 Roads
12 No specific Use
13 Foreshore Protection
14 Rural/Nature Conservation
15 Commonwealth Sites
16 Existing Settlements

LOOKUP TABLE: OPT.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
OPT2.LUT (ARC/INFO Rev. 6 - shadeset CMYK)

KEY FILES: OPTIONS.KEY, OPTIONS2.KEY, WESTOPT.KEY, HOMEOPT.KEY (pc ARC/INFO)
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OPT5.KEY (ARC/INFO Rev. 6)
OPT5M.KEY (ARC/INFO Rev. 6 - Cocos-Malay version)

SML'S: OPTIONS.SML, WESTOPT.SML, HOMEOPT.SML,
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(create plot files for maps used in report - last letter ‘M’ of filename indicates Cocos-Malay version)

AML: OPTIONS2.AML

DRAFT LAND USE PLAN

COVERS: WESTPREF, HOMEPREF, NORPREF

FEATURES: Areas identified in planning study as being part of the preferred short to medium term planning strategy and included in the Draft Land Use Plan

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Based on planning options covers - boundaries defined during the planning study

ATTRIBUTES: OPT (planning options categories - an extension of the existing land use categories and the same as used in the planning options covers)
1 Airport
2 Housing
4 Commercial Development
6 Industrial Area
7 Tourism Development
11 Roads
12 No specific Use
13 Foreshore Protection
14 Rural/Nature Conservation
15 Commonwealth Sites
16 Existing Settlements

LOOKUP TABLE: OPT.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
OPT2.LUT (ARC/INFO Rev. 6 - shadeset CMYK)

KEY FILES: OPTIONS.KEY, OPTIONS2.KEY, WESTOPT.KEY,
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OPT5.KEY (ARC/INFO Rev. 6)

SML’S: PREF.SML, WESTPREF.SML, HOMECONF.SML,
PREM.SML, WESTPREM.SML, HOMECONF.PREM.SML (create
plot files for maps used in report - last letter M of filename
indicates Cocos-Malay version)

AML: PREF2.AML

DRAFT PLANNING SCHEME

COVERS: WESTZONE, HOMEZONE, NORZONE, SOUZONE,
OTHZONE

FEATURES: Areas identified in planning study as the statutory planning
scheme zone and reserved land areas

SOURCES AND ACCURACY: Based on planning options covers - boundaries defined during
the planning study

ATTRIBUTES: ZONE (planning scheme classification)

1 Nature Conservation
2 Foreshore Protection
3 Marine Protection
4 Common
5 Administrative Purposes
6 Housing
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**LOOKUP TABLE:**
- ZONE.LUT (pc ARC/INFO - shadeset COLOR)
- ZONE2.LUT (ARC/INFO Rev. 6 - shadeset CMYK)

**KEY FILES:**
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- ZONE3.KEY, RESERVE3.KEY (ARC/INFO, Rev. 6)
- ZONE3M.KEY, RES3M.KEY (ARC/INFO, Rev. 6 - Cocos-Malay version)

**SML'S:**
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**AML:**
- ZONE2.AML
SAMPLE SML'S AND AML'S

ZONE.SML - USED TO CREATE A PLOT FILE USING PC ARC/INFO FOR OUTPUT TO EITHER A HP 8 PEN PLOTTER OR A TEKTRONIX COLOUR PRINTER FOR THE PLANNING SCHEME MAP OF COCOS ISLANDS

(Note - the colour printer produces best fit on an A4 page rather than drawing to scale dimensions are set for an A1 page for plotter output)

&rem Produces a plot of Cocos islands (all)

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See Figures 19 and 20 for details of West, Direction and Home Islands.
ZONEM.SML - SIMILAR TO ZONE.SML, BUT USED TO CREATE A PLOT FILE OF THE PLANNING SCHEME IN THE COCOS-MALAY LANGUAGE

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Lihat gambar 19 dan 20 di mana ada keterangan pasal Pulu Tikus, Pulu Panjang dan Home Island.
ZONE2.AML - USED TO CREATE A PLOT FILE USING ARC/INFO REV. 6 AND A CALCOMP ELECTROSTATIC PLOTTER TO PRODUCE AN AO PRESENTATION MAP OF THE PLANNING SCHEME

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