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It was great to have the weather improve dramatically last week, it certainly makes life easier on site for the team. It was great to get our western floor slab poured and the eastern one ready to pour which means we are on track to have some structural steel standing this week. We also managed to complete the inside of the prayer room last week so that can be used now. You will see in the photo's that that drone team managed to over-lay the landscaping plan over their photo's which showed us that the building set-out was right and that the distance between the Hub building and the trades building was a bit less that the landscape drawing indicates, the drawings are now being adjusted to fit the space so it was a very useful exercise.

This week the eastern floor slab will be poured and on the western side the structural steel installation will being. It will be great to see some real progress when the structural steel starts, it's always frustrating to see how much work goes into the foundations and floor slabs with very little visual progress evident.

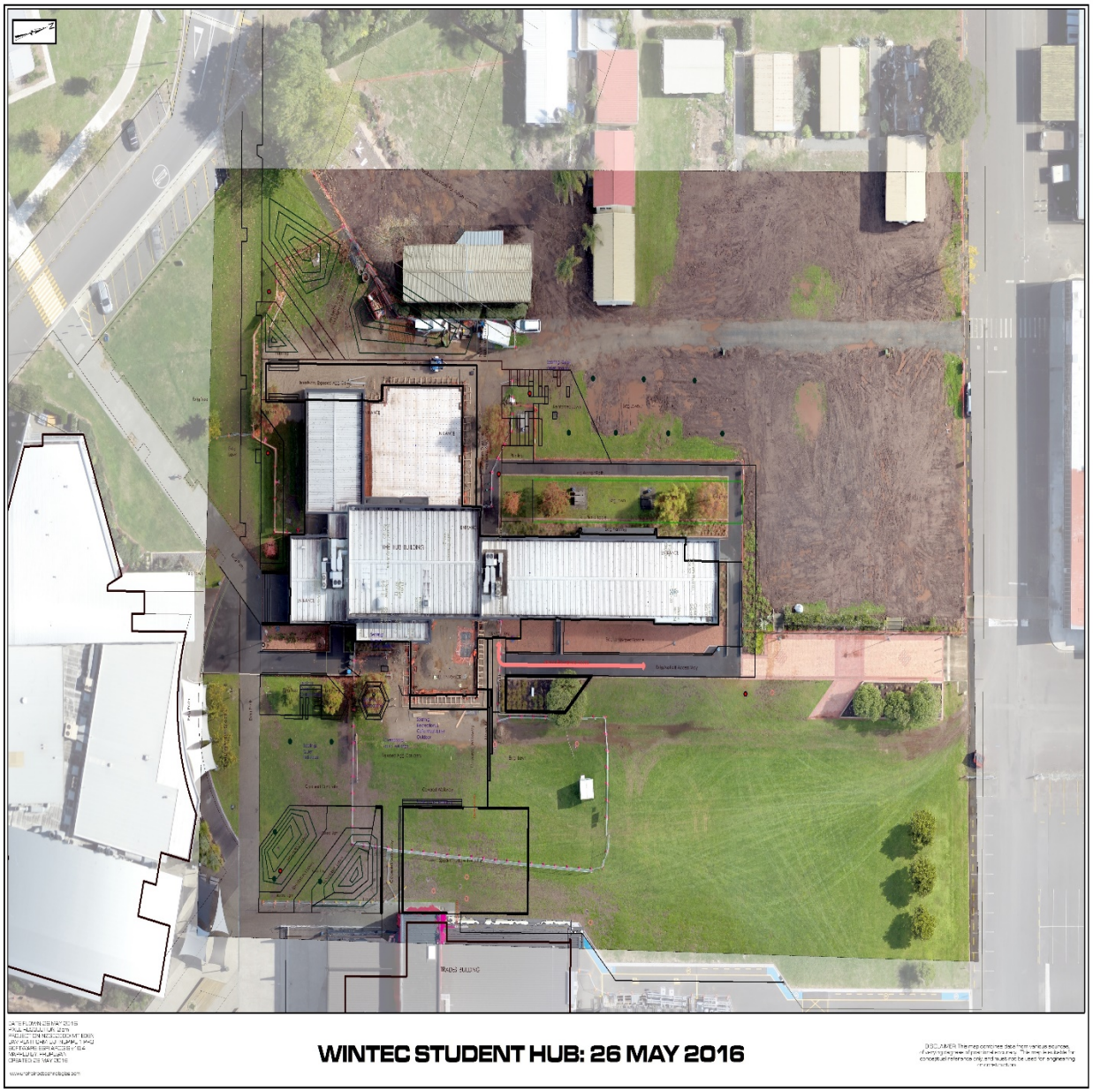
Look forward to next week, we will continue to install the structural steel and there will be more demolition completed to the outside of the existing building. We are also hoping to hoard off the un-used reception wing of the building so we can start demolition works inside that area, followed by some services installation and alterations.

As always please feel free to comment on any actions you feel may compromise safety or security on site in any way via the Wintec Project Manager, Miko Brouwer (021 052 6983 or miko.brouwer@wintec.ac.nz).

Lance Strawbridge (Hawkins Construction Project Manager)

"Safety is no accident"

The western slab is receiving a curing compound so there will be no issues with having to wait for it to dry before we lay the floor coverings. Below the eastern slab is ready to pour.



The drone photo with the landscaping drawing over-laid gives us a great check of what the drawing is like to the true scale