
KILLAWARRA STATE FOREST ARTEFACT SCATTER

Location

TELEPHONE TRACK KILLAWARRA, WANGARATTA RURAL CITY

Municipality

WANGARATTA RURAL CITY

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H8125-0001

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

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| Interpretation of Site | The site comprises a very concentrated dump of early 20th century domestic rubbish and its presence in the Killawarra State Forest is consistent with the remains of a very short term logging camp. As a result sub-surface archaeological remains are less likely. |
| Archaeological Significance | This artefact dump is not significant and appears to be a short term depositional area. |
| Historical Significance | The site is significant through its association with 20th century logging camps and/or other similarly ephemeral camps. |
| Other Names | Killawarra State Forest 4, |
| Hermes Number | 10821 |
| Property Number | |

History

There is no information regarding the site in general histories of Wangaratta and/or any Parish Plans.

It is known that as a part of a program of protecting Box-Ironbark forests throughout Victoria, the Killawarra State Forest became part of the Warby Range-Ovens River National Park in 2002. Prior to this, the forest was heavily logged for its Ironbark and any settlement in the area was likely to be associated with this occupation

This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.

For further details about Heritage Overlay places, contact the relevant local council or go to Planning Schemes Online <http://planningschemes.dpcd.vic.gov.au/>