# **Thorpdale War Memorial Obelisk**



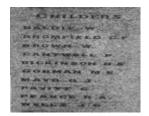
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#### Location

Station Street, Thorpdale VIC 3835

### Municipality

**BAW BAW SHIRE** 

#### Level of significance

#### **Heritage Listing**

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

#### Statement of Significance

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The XXX war memorial, erected in 1921

The XXX are not significant.

How is it significant?

The XXXX War memorial is of local historic and social significance to Baw Baw Shire.

Why is it significant?

Historically, it is significant as a one of a series of memorials erected after World War One that provides tangible evidence of the impact of that conflict upon local communities. (HERCON criterion A)

It is socially significant as a place has strong and enduring associations with the XXX community and remains the focus of remembrance day commemorations. The enduring connection is demonstrated by the memorials to other conflicts that have been added to the memorial over time. (HERCON criterion G)

Heritage Study/Consultant Baw Baw - Baw Baw Heritage Study (Stage 1), Context Pty. Ltd, 2006;

Hermes Number Property Number	125715

## **Physical Description 1**

Granite obelisk. Rough stone wall with bronze plaques listing individuals. Situated in north end of Memorial Park opposite Post office.

#### **Veterans Description for Public**

The Thorpdale Memorial Obelisk, on Station Street, was erected in 1921 to commemorate the service of local district soldiers in the First World War. The memorial subsequently been rededicated to the servicemen who fought in the Second World War, Korea, Malaya, Borneo and Vietnam. The obelisk was constructed out of rough stone granite and is flanked by two low walls with the name plaques of those who served.

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.

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