
EDWARD WILLIS HUT AND SHEEP RUN (1837-41)

Location

2A MAIN ROAD LOWER PLENTY, BANYULE CITY

Municipality

BANYULE CITY

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7922-0264

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

One of the earliest recorded sites of European settlement outside Melbourne and of major historical significance for early colonial settlement in Victoria. Listed in 1841 census as a wattle and daub hut with ten inhabitants.

Interpretation of Site See site card.

Hermes Number 12812

Property Number

History

AS FOR INTERPRETATION OF SITE BY LUCY ELLEM. ALSO MCBRIAR REPORT(P.65) REFERS TO MR

WILLIS HUT ON PLENTY CREEK UNDER SECTION DEALING WITH SQUATTERS, DESCRIBING THE LIKELY STRUCTURE AS A SIMPLE HUT WITH BARK ROOF AND CHIMNEY OF LOCAL TURF; WITH STOCKYARDS NEARBY.

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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