Peg Leg Precinct



Beebe's Eaglehawk Fire Station, one of the key buildings in this precinct



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Location

PEG LEG ROAD EAGLEHAWK, GREATER BENDIGO CITY

Municipality

GREATER BENDIGO CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO21

Heritage Listing

Greater Bendigo City

Statement of Significance

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The railway makes a major landmark in the local townscape and, in busier years, has been the nexus of local pedestrian, car and horse traffic, in particular that related to provisions for the mines. It was also important in establishing links between Eaglehawk, Bendigo and towns to the north-west. The station has become central to other buildings over the years so that the landforms associated with the railway line, the station itself and the adjacent buildings together reflect the former importance of this form of communication to the nineteenth-century

town.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Greater Bendigo - Eaglehawk & Bendigo Heritage Study, Graeme Butler & Associates, 1993;
Other Names	Eaglehawk Railway Station Precinct,
Hermes Number	161925
Property Number	

Physical Description 1

Eaglehawk Railway Station Precinct

Roof Form: Mainly hipped, some gabled. Scale: One-storey.

Wall Materials: Painted weatherboard, some face brick. Roof Materials: Corrugated iron. Siting: Detached.

Development Period: Late-Victorian.

Centred around the railway station (1876), much of the precinct's built character focuses on it, but nearby timber housing in Hall Street contributes as do houses in Pegleg Road. Isolated public buildings include the Railway Station Hotel and Beebe's Eaglehawk Fire Station.

Physical Description 2

Contributory Streets Eaglehawk Railway Station Precinct

Hall, Market, Pegleg

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