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Location

CA 47 Aldridges Road, NEILBOROUGH VIC 3570 - Property No 201146

Municipality

GREATER BENDIGO CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO571

Heritage Listing

Greater Bendigo City

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

The site is representative of shallow-level low-production reef mining (criterion D) which was originally very rich and helped sustain settlement in the area in the 1860s (criterion A).

Heritage Greater Bendigo - Marong Heritage Study 1999, Andrew Ward and Associates,

Study/Consultant 1999;

Construction dates 1859,

Other Names Sir Henry Barkly Reef,

Hermes Number 198122

Property Number

Physical Description 1

Near a remnant of a mullock heap there is an open three-compartment shaft over which there had been a wooden poppet-head. Also nearby is a small concrete engine foundation, a derelict tractor and other pieces of machinery.

Physical Description 2

The Elysian Flat Mining Heritage Area is bounded on the south-west by Weaver Road, on the south-east by Aldridge Road, on the north-west by Rayners Road, on the north-east by Rayners Road and its extension along property boundaries for a distance of about 400 metres, then west and finally south to Elysian Flat Creek, south along the Creek to Rayners Road and then east to its junction with Weaver Road.

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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