Agathus robusta

Location

51 Langhorne Street Dandenong, GREATER DANDENONG CITY

Municipality

GREATER DANDENONG CITY

Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - January 1, 1900

Tree Measurements:

Condition: Good

Tree Type: Individual

Circumference: 3.3m

Height: 19.5m

Canopy spread: 9m

Height method: Instrument

Circumference method: Tape Measure

Date of measurement: November 2018

Age of tree: approximately 126 years (planted c1893)

What is significant?

This Agathus robusta (Queensland Kauri) located in the front garden of Laurel Lodge in Dandenong.

How is it significant?

This Agathus robusta (Queensland Kauri) is significant for social, scientific and historic reasons at Regional level.

Why is it significant?

This large *Agathus robusta* (Queensland Kauri) is in good health. It is particularly old, lining the original driveway to Laurel Lodge. Built in 1869, Laurel Lodge is one of few remaining significant old homes left in the Dandenong area from the Victorian era. This Queensland Kauri is outstanding for its height of 19.5m, circumference of 3.3m and canopy spread of 9m. It makes a significant contribution to the landscape of this historic garden. This tree is part of a grouping of 3 trees at the property, including two Moreton Bay Figs (T12380). Laurel Lodge is included in the National Trust Heritage Register, B3195 (Local significance).

CATEGORY Tree

Other Names Queensland Kauri,

Hermes Number 202793

Property Number

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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