Public Weighbridge No. 918 and Machinery Cabin, Cubitt Street (near corner Main Street), GREAT WESTERN



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Location

Cubitt Street (near corner Main Street) GREAT WESTERN, NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Municipality

NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Level of significance

Recommended for Heritage Overlay

Heritage Listing

Northern Grampians Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 16, 2004

The Public Weighbridge No. 918 and machinery cabin, in Cubitt Street (near corner Main Street), Great Western, make a significant historical and architectural contribution to the central township area.

The Public Weighbridge No. 918 and machinery cabin, in Cubitt Street, are **historically** and **architecturally** significant at a **LOCAL** level. They are associated with infrastructure developments in Great Western in the 1920s, and demonstrate important constructional and design qualities for that period. For the weighbridge these

qualities include the concrete construction and steel weighing plate. For the cabin, these qualities include the simple steeply pitched gable roof form, galvanised corrugated iron roof cladding (overpainted red), horizontal weatherboard wall cladding, timber framed window, and the vertically boarded timber door.

Overall, the Public Weighbridge No. 918 and machinery cabin, in Cubitt Street (near corner Main Street), Great Western, are of **LOCAL** significance.

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The weighbridge and hut, Cubitt Street (near corner Main Street), Great Western, make a significant architectural and historical contribution to the central township area.

The concrete weighbridge has a steel platform and concrete driveways either side.

Adjacent to the weighbridge is a small machinery cabin. It is characterised by a simple steeply pitched gable roof form with galvanised corrugated iron roof cladding (overpainted red) and horizontal weatherboard wall cladding. A timber framed window is located on each side while a vertically boarded door (with introduced sign above) is situated on a gable end.

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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