
MORGAN'S MILL TRAMWAY

Location

MORGANS CREEK TRACK CARINGAL, BAW BAW SHIRE

Municipality

BAW BAW SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H8122-0056

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Hermes Number 10767

Property Number

History

Heritage Inventory History of Site: The need for the tramway to the Tyers Valley was exacerbated by the 1926 bushfires, which killed a large amount of timber which then had to be salvaged quickly. The tramway was constructed by the FCV and was completed in 1927, initially operating with a tractor. After unsuccessfully trying a steam locomotive, a geared locomotive was purchased from the U.S.A. and arrived in 1928. The tramway operated until 1949.

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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