
WESTERN BEACH SEA BATHING COMPANY GENTS BATHS

Location

WESTERN BEACH FORESHORE ROAD GEELONG, GREATER GEELONG CITY

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7721-0165

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Heritage Study/Consultant	Heritage Victoria - Maritime Infrastructure Assessment Project, Heritage Victoria, 2005;
Interpretation of Site	The alcove and retaining wall are recessed into the cliff face behind the main promenade along the shore, and correspond to the former location the approach to the baths. This area may have served as a congregation area, or may even have housed the ticket office. Alternatively, the area may have housed a former change rooms, that usually later occupied the same locations after baths had been demolished (Duncan, 2004).
Other Names	WESTERN BEACH LADIES AND GENTS BATHS, VICTORIA SEA BATHS,
Hermes Number	111454
Property Number	

History

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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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