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# 17 Riverside Avenue

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## Location

17 Riverside Avenue BALWYN NORTH, BOROONDARA CITY

## Municipality

BOROONDARA CITY

## Level of significance

Incl in HO area non-contributory

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO231

## Heritage Listing

Boroondara City

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## Statement of Significance

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HO231 Riverside Estate and Environs, Balwyn North

The Riverside Estate and Environs, Balywn North, precinct is an area of heritage significance for the following reasons:

- The large, detached houses built in various interwar architectural styles (particularly those constructed during the 1930s building boom in Camberwell) demonstrate a high quality of architectural design. This architectural quality is combined with the visually unifying factors of lot size, materials and uniform set backs to create a cohesive and notable interwar precinct.
- The housing types and styles physically demonstrate the appeal of Balwyn as one of Melbourne's most fashionable new suburbs of the 1930s, a status which was consolidated after 1945.
- The precinct is distinguished by the scale and complexity of its building styles, combined with its location on a slope commanding broad views of the Yarra Valley and distant mountains.
- The place contains individual aesthetically significant sites from the interwar period.

-The place is a predominantly intact interwar landscape containing concrete roads and mature gardens and street trees.

Heritage Study/Consultant Boroondara - Camberwell Conservation Study, Graeme Butler, 1991;

Hermes Number 113117

Property Number

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