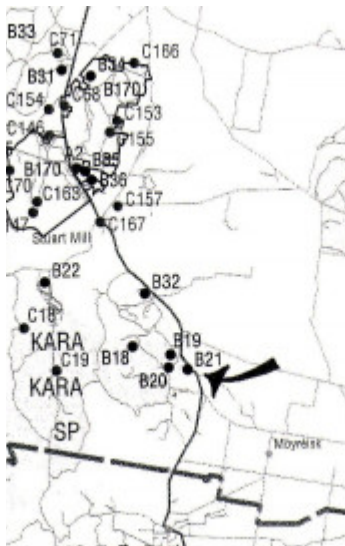


Cement Lead Diggings, Kara Kara State Park, STUART MILL



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Location

STUART MILL, NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Municipality

NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Level of significance

Recommended for Heritage Overlay

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7524-0017

Heritage Listing

Northern Grampians Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - August 30, 2004

Approximately 80 deep sinking shafts are located in a long band along an old cemented lead which was worked in the 1860s. The significance of this site is due to the rarity and comparatively well preserved state of the line of workings.

The Cement Lead Diggings, Stuart Mill are **historically** and **scientifically** important at a **LOCAL** level as a substantially intact example of an important gold mining technique. Gold mining sites are of crucial importance for the pivotal role they have played since 1851 in the development of Victoria.

Overall the Cement Lead Diggings, Stuart Mill are of **LOCAL** significance.

RECOMMENDED LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: LOCAL

Heritage Study/Consultant	Northern Grampians - Shire of Northern Grampians - Stage 2 Heritage Study, Wendy Jacobs, Vicki Johnson, David Rowe, Phil Taylor, 2004;
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