
ERSKINE WEIR

Location

335 BENWERRIN-MOUNT SABINE ROAD LORNE, SURF COAST SHIRE

Municipality

SURF COAST SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7620-0012

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Interpretation of Site Heritage Inventory Interpretation: Overflow weir across the Eskine River.

Hermes Number 11582

Property Number

History

Contextual History:History of Place:

Heritage Inventory History of Site:

The weir is part of the Rough and Tumble System supplying water to Lorne from 1889. Castiron pipeline placed in 1909. The weir was constructed in 1920. The Rough and Tumble system was replaced by the Allen Dam, 1957-8, completely by 1991-3. In 1997 the Rough and Tumble pipeline was damaged by a falling tree. It is proposed to decommission the site and breach the weir.

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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