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Location

Indigo Creek Road, Indigo Valley VIC 3688

Municipality

INDIGO SHIRE

Level of significance

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Heritage Overlay Numbers

Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - January 1, 2002

Gunbalanya comprises the most extensive collection of ex-army huts to be found within the Shire, an excellent example of the way in which these utilitarian structures were re-used for a wide variety of purposes. Local significance [Criterion A]

Heritage Study/Consultant Indigo - Indigo Shire Heritage Study, Peter Freeman Pty Ltd, 2002;

Hermes Number 127145

Property Number

Physical Description 1

A complex of former army huts now used as outbuildings. There are at least three large and one small ex-army buildings.

Historical Australian Themes

3.5 Developing primary production

Veterans Description for Public

The Gunbalanya Outbuildings, on Indigo Creek Road, Indigo Valley, comprise of the most extensive collection of ex-army huts to be found within the Shire. The huts were moved here in the post-World War II period. Many army buildings were sold off at Bonegilla and Bandiana after World War II; and again after the closure of the Bonegilla Migrant Reception Centre in the 1970s. The huts are an excellent example of the way in which these utilitarian structures were re-used for a wide variety of purposes.

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