ROYAL PARK HOSPITAL PRECINCT

Location

OFF OAK STREET AND CADE WAY PARKVILLE, MELBOURNE CITY

Municipality

MELBOURNE CITY

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7822-0370

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

See heritage assessment and conservation policy (Taylor & Somerton 2000, Taylor 2001). Archaeological significance is local only given late date of construction (1909+) and extent of subsequent impacts.

Interpretation of Site Hospital for acute mental disorders (1909) > Royal Park Psychiatric Hospital.

Hermes Number

12756

Property Number

History

PRE-1909: SOLELY AGRICULTURAL USE.

1909-1914: CONSTRUCTION OF MAIN HOSPITAL BUILDINGS AND ANCILLARY STRUCTURES, INCLUDING FARM.

1914-1952: SOME ADDITIONS/MODIFICATION OF BUILDING LAYOUT. FARM CLOSED.

1953-1970S: MINOR ALTERATIONS ONLY. CONSTRUCTION OF TULLAMARINE FREEWAT ALONG WEST MARGIN. TAFE COLLEGE BUILT IN SOUTHERN CORNER.

1970S-PRESENT: FURTHER CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS; SOME DEMOLITION. HOSPITAL CLOSES 2000.

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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