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Location

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Municipality

HOBSONS BAY CITY

Level of significance

Incl in HO area contributory

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO189

Heritage Listing

Hobsons Bay City

Statement of Significance

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What is Significant?

The house, designed by Mr JW Parry and constructed in 1934, at 110 Melbourne Road, Williamstown.

How is it Significant?

The house at 110 Melbourne Road, Williamstown is of local historic and aesthetic significance to the City of Hobsons Bay.

Why is it Significant?

Historically, it is significant as the residence of the locally important architect, JW Parry, who designed many residential, commercial and civic buildings during the Interwar period in Williamstown. (AHC criteria A4 and H1)

Aesthetically, it is significant as a locally rare and superior architect-designed example of an Interwar English Domestic Revival house with a range of original features that are hallmarks of this style. (AHC criteria B2, E1 and F1)

Heritage Study/Consultant Hobsons Bay - Hobsons Bay Heritage Study, Hobsons Bay City Council, 2006;

Architect/Designer Parry, John W,

Hermes Number 15122

Property Number

Physical Description 1

The house at 110 Melbourne Road is a single-storey, detached, asymmetrical English Domestic revival style house. It has rendered masonry walls and a gabled terracotta tiled roof, and is set back from the street by a garden. Other significant original elements include:

- The distinctive form, which is typical of this style.
- Double-hung sash windows with diamond-pane leadlight
- Canted bay window with leadlight
- Clinker brick chimneys with glazed terracotta pots
- Gabled single car garage at rear

Integrity

External Integrity and condition

Integrity - High. Condition - Good.

Physical Description 2

Context

One of a number of interwar houses situated along Melbourne Road, it is set amongst otherwise Victorian-era houses.

Historical Australian Themes

Making Suburbs

Physical Description 3

Associations

John W Parry

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