Residence

Location

96 Prospect Road, NEWTOWN VIC 3220 - Property No 204191

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

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Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1627

HO1386

Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

Statement of Significance

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

A good timber Californian Bungalow built in 1924-25. It has some rare elements: the early corner window and the sandstone random rubble pylons. It is architecturally significant locally as a good characteristic Bungalow and historically as the embodiment of comfortable mid 1920s life in Newtown.

References

City of Newtown and Chilwell Rate Books

Heritage Study/Consultant Greater Geelong - Geelong Region Historic Buildings and Objects Study, Allan Willingham, 1986; Greater Geelong - City of Newtown Urban Conservation Study,

Richard Peterson, 1997;

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Physical Description 1

Description

A good, double-fronted timber California Bungalow. It has a major gable across, with the right bay projecting as a minor gable over the recessed porch, and an attic. The square plain red brick chimney is in the angle, the chimney breast exposed, adjacent to a corner window, all within the verandah. This has a broad catenary-curved bressumer, and is paved with red bricks and supported on rare random rubble sandstone pylons, with a similar balustrade, flat topped.

The roof was unglazed Marseilles terracotta tiles with curlicue finials. Rafters are exposed and upper gables and eaves jetty on plain timber brackets with roughcast lining. Walls are also roughcast over the dado, with weatherboards below. The left front corner window has a flat hood on ogee brackets.

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