"Riverdale"

Location

22 Riversdale Road, NEWTOWN VIC 3220 - Property No 204352

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1617

HO1421

Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

Statement of Significance

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This timber cottage has regional historical associations with an early Newtown industry, the tanneries which operated in the vicinity from the 1850s. "Riverdale" was owned and occupied at first in 1891 by Josiah Windmill, tanner, who was a member of a well known local family of quarrymen and tanners. Josiah, who lived at "Riverdale" until the 1920s, later in the 1950s, occupied

Heritage Study/Consultant Greater Geelong - Geelong Region Historic Buildings and Objects Study, Allan Willingham, 1986; Greater Geelong - City of Newtown Urban Conservation Study, Context Pty Ltd, 1991;

Heritage Act Categories

Registered place,

Hermes Number

16335

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Physical Description 1

A double-fronted, symmetrical, timber Italianate house with a double hip in profile roof. It has a deep bullnosed hip verandah with a good cast-iron lace valence and brackets. There are decorative strips on the upper posts. There are four timber skillion hoods on windows. The chimneys contribute to the symmetry. There is a timber outbuilding.

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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