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# Anglican Vicarage

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## Location

13-15 Talbot Street, NEWTOWN VIC 3220 - PROPERTY No 205299

## Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1496

## Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

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## Statement of Significance

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### What is significant?

The former All Saints Anglican Vicarage at 13-15 Talbot Street Newtown is significant as a fine example of a mid-Victorian dwelling constructed as accommodation for the vicar of All Saints Church located opposite. It comprises a double- storey, double-fronted, symmetrical four-square, mid-Victorian house, with a slate hip roof . Bricks are brown with cream facings and there are Bateshead limestone sills, on a bluestone plinth. Ground floor front windows are pairs. The timber concave skillion verandah has a timber transom with a cast iron lace valence . Posts are Doric and roof-ends are bold scrolled fretwork. The entire Mercer Street front is rendered and ruled in courses.

The timber stables at the rear, featuring Regency weatherboards are also of significance.

### How is it significant?

The former All Saints Anglican Vicarage at 13-15 Talbot Street, Newtown, is of historical cultural heritage significance to the City of Greater Geelong for its historical and aesthetic significance.

### Why is it significant?

Constructed in 1872 the former All Saints Vicarage has regional historical significance as part of the important Geelong Anglican Church complex. All Saints Church, built ten years earlier from the designs of the Geelong architect, Joseph Loewe Shaw, and its 1870s vicarage, were both erected on excellent elevated sites, indicating

the social importance of the Anglican Church in colonial Geelong and Newtown. (Criterion A)

It has regional architectural significance as a fine intact mid-Victorian building. (Criterion D)

Its use of Bateshead limestone in the sills and the bold scrolled fretwork panels are of particular interest. (Criterion E)

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;
Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	16581
Property Number	

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