
Residence



53 Weller Street, Geelong
West

Location

53 Weller Street, GEELONG WEST VIC 3218 - Property No 211429

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO782

HO1962

Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

Statement of Significance

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LOCAL SIGNIFICANCE - INCLUDED IN HERITAGE PRECINCT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

53 Weller Street is a typical Bungalow design with unusual decorative niches in the balustrade. It has excellent integrity including the fence and gate. It is of LOCAL significance.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Greater Geelong - City of Geelong West Urban Conservation Study, Huddle, Aitken and Honman, 1986; Greater Geelong - Ashby Heritage Review, D Rowe and W Jacobs, 2010;
Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	18023
Property Number	

Physical Description 1

Description

53 Weller Street is a beautifully intact example of a modest Bungalow. It is similar to known State Savings Bank houses of the period. It is a single storey house clad in weatherboards. The roof is gabled with corrugated iron cladding. It is an almost symmetrical design except for the side light by the front door. The main part of the house has a gabled roof which traverses the site. A central porch, which extends across most of the front elevation, is formed by a projecting gable which dominates this elevation. The tympanum of the gable has pressed metal and wooden shingles as well as a ventilator. The windows either side of the front door are a significant decorative feature of this house. They are in threes and have opening casements either side of a wider centrally fixed window light which has decorative lead lighting above an arched transom bar. The projecting gable is supported by substantial brick piers and timber columns. These are reflected in the balustrade and fence. An interesting decorative feature is the use of small niches in the four brick piers of the balustrade.

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