Ashby Presbytery of St Peter & St Paul

Location

1-3 Malone Street, GEELONG VIC 3220 - Property No 215142, 352428

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

Registered

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H1112

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO99

Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

Statement of Significance

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Ashby Presbytery of the Catholic Church of S.S. Peter and Paul was erected as a two storey Dutch Renaissance Revival style brick residence in 1915. The architects were Slevin and Black, authors of the earlier constructed adjacent Parish Hall. The Ashby Presbytery is constructed in a style rarely found in Victoria and with characteristic Edwardian decorative motifs and materials. The structure is one of the most notable works of architects Slevin and Black and an integral part of an important Catholic Church complex in West Geelong which dared from the early 1850's and which is dominated by the basalt church designed by William Wardell, architect.

RECOMMENDATIONS: PROTECTIVE MEASURES

Geelong Regional Commission Register

National Trust of Australia (Victoria) Register

Historic Building Council Register

REFERENCES

Aitken, Richard - "Edwardian" Geelong: An Architectural Introduction", Deakin University Geelong, 1979, pp 26, 51.

Seaton, Gladys - The Ashby Story - A History of Geelong West - Geelong West City Council, Geelong West, 1978, pp. 136-137.

Alsop, Peter - S. S. Peter and Paul Ashby - 1866-1966 - 1966 for details of history of parish and buildings.

The Roman Catholic Church Diocesan Historical Commission may also have documentary material relating to construction of the Ashby Presbyterian.

Heritage Study/Consultant Greater Geelong - Not known, Not known, 2000; Greater Geelong - Geelong Region

Historic Buildings and Objects Study, Allan Willingham, 1986;

Heritage Act Categories

Registered place,

Hermes Number

19420

Property Number

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