
MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA



Picture1



Picture3



Picture2

Location

39 MALCOLM STREET MANSFIELD, MANSFIELD SHIRE

Municipality

MANSFIELD SHIRE

Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 17, 2024

What is significant?

An individual Southern Magnolia located in the grounds of the Alzburg Resort, in the north-east corner of the carpark.

How is it significant?

This tree is significant for historic and social reasons at the Regional level.

Why is it significant?

This Southern Magnolia is a good specimen Regionally significant for its alleged historic connection with Baron Ferdinand von Mueller. It is believed that this tree is one of five Southern Magnolias imported to the region possibly by Baron Ferdinand von Mueller in the 1860's. Another specimen was planted at the Jamieson Courthouse Hotel, and a third on Mt Buller Road in Mansfield. The fourth tree was believed to be at Merton however this specimen has not been found. There was one other tree however its location is unknown and it is presumed to have died.

The Alzburg Resort (former Convent of Mercy and Sacred Heart College) Southern Magnolia is also socially significant for its contribution to the grounds of one of the earliest buildings in Mansfield.

Measurements: 22/10/2023

Spread (m): NS 11.5, EW 10.8

Girth (m): 1.88

Height (m): 9

Estimated age (yrs): 160

Condition: Good

Access: Restricted

Classified: 27/05/2024

Other Names Southern Magnolia,

Hermes Number 212370

Property Number

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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