
ORCHARD HOUSE, DAMS, TREES AND PINE WINDBREAK

Location

Upton Court WONGA PARK, Manningham City

Municipality

MANNINGHAM CITY

Level of significance

Not Recommended

Heritage Listing

Manningham City

Statement of Significance

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Of local interest as an example of a district orchard property associated with the Upton family and retaining one house, some trees and large dams, provides evidence of this historically significant land-use which is rapidly being lost from the district. (RNE criterion B2, H1)

Heritage Study/Consultant Manningham - Manningham Heritage Study Review, Context Pty Ltd, 2006;

Other Names Upton House,

Hermes Number 22786

Property Number

Historical Australian Themes

Local Themes

5.02 - Orchards & market gardens

Physical Description 1

Elements of the Upton orchard property remain in Upton Court. The house, on the corner of Jumping Creek Road, dates from around 1950. The house is L-shaped, timber-framed and externally rendered, and has a tiled, gabled roof. A pergola extends across part of the main facade.

The house is set within a small garden containing a small African Lacebark, Norfolk Island Pine, cedar and eucalypts. At the rear of the house were the cool stores, recently removed.

A group of pine trees, planted for mill timber, have been retained within a public reserve (Arthur Upton Reserve). The reserve also contains three large dams, built to serve the orchard.

Physical Conditions

Condition Demolished

Integrity

Integrity Demolished

Physical Description 2

Key elements

Buildings

Tree(s)

Physical Description 3

Associations

Upton orchard

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