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## English oak



Manningham Heritage Garden & Significant Tree Study 2006



22951 Oak Trees - 77 Yarra Street, Warrandyte (1)



22951 Oak Trees - 77 Yarra Street, Warrandyte (2)

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### Location

77 Yarra St WARRANDYTE, Manningham City

### Municipality

MANNINGHAM CITY

### Level of significance

Incl in HO area contributory

### Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO191

### Heritage Listing

Manningham City

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### Statement of Significance

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The English Oaks within the rear garden of "Three Oaks", 77 Yarra Street, Warrandyte are considered to be of local significance for their aesthetic value and historical context, having Presbyterian services conducted under the canopy of one of the trees following the 1939 "Black Friday" bushfires.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Manningham - Heritage Garden & Significant Tree Study - Stage 2, John Patrick Pty Ltd, 2006;
Other Names	Located at Three Oaks", Quercus robur,
Hermes Number	22951
Property Number	

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## Physical Conditions

Private land

**Melway Ref:** 23 D12

**Setting/Position:** The two English Oaks are positioned opposite each other in the rear garden, close to the side boundaries. A third oak is located to the rear of the property, adjacent to the walking track, appears to have been planted at a later date and has a poor canopy form with significant dieback.

**No. of trees:** 3

**Height:** 15m (average)

**Canopy Spread (m) E-W:** 15-20m (average)

**N-S:** 15-20m (average)

**DBH:** 1008mm (west) & 961mm (east)

**Approx. Age of Tree:** 100+ years

**TPZ:** 12.1m (west) **CRZ:** 3.3m (west)

11.5m (east) 3.3m (east)

Category of Significance:

Location or context

Aesthetic value

Historic value

**Level of Significance:** Local

**History:** The local Presbyterian congregation held church services in a loaned Marquee under the canopy of one of the trees (thought to be the western most tree, but this is not confirmed), following the 1939 "Black Friday" bush fires.

Source: Context Pty Ltd, *Manningham City Council Heritage Study*, 1991

Health:

Possum damage

**Other/Notes:** Evidence of possum damage to both trees, concentrated in the upper canopy. Deadwood and epicormic shoots were removed just prior to the inspection.

**Health Rating: 2**

**Threats/Risks to Tree:** No threats or risks evident at the time of inspection. House was extended in the last few years, coming quite close to the western tree, however care was taken not to damage roots during the construction process.

Hazards/Risks:

V-crotched

Other

**Other/Notes:** Some extended limbs in the canopies of both trees. The eastern of the two trees is bifurcated, however both leaders are fairly upright and there was no evidence of included bark at the time of inspection.

**Structure Rating: 3/4**

Existing

Planning Controls:

Heritage Overlay 191, Significant Landscape Overlay 3, Design and Development Overlay 3, Environmental Significance Overlay 1

**Recorded by:** Susan Tallon

**Date:** 25-02-03

**ID Confirmed:** Susan Tallon

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