Diary Tree - Monterey Cypress



Manningham Heritage Garden & amp; Significant Tree Study 2006

Location

141 Yarra St WARRANDYTE, Manningham City

Municipality

MANNINGHAM CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO196

HO191

Heritage Listing

Manningham City

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

The Monterey cypress in the car park opposite 142 Yarra Street, Warrandyte is considered to be regionally significant for its age and historical value, being connected with the Warrandyte Diary newspaper (first published December 1970).

Heritage Study/Consultant	Manningham - Heritage Garden & Significant Tree Study - Stage 2, John Patrick Pty Ltd, 2006;
Other Names	Cupressus macrocarpa,
Hermes Number	22953
Property Number	

Physical Conditions

Public land

Melway Ref: 23 E11

Setting/Position: Positioned in the car park opposite 142 Yarra Street, with the canopy over-hanging both the street and car park.

No. of trees: 1

Height: 8m

Canopy Spread (m) E-W: 8m

N-S: 8m

DBH: 1028mm

Approx. Age of Tree: 100+ years

TPZ: 18.5m CRZ: 3.3m

Category of Significance:

Location or context

Historic value

Level of Significance: Regional

History: Known as the "Diary Tree", so called because in the past a letter box attached to its trunk was used for depositing letters addressed to the local newspaper the *Warrandyte Diary*.

Dead wood

Dieback

Stress

Rot

Other/Notes: Large leader removed on the north side; canopy dieback in upper branches; deadwood and minor rot present in branch wounds and at the base of the trunk. Under stress as a result of works carried out immediately surrounding the tree, and appears to be in a state of decline.

Health Rating: 4

Threats/Risks to Tree: Additional works to the streetscape or car park immediately surrounding the tree. Further compaction around the tree

Hazards/Risks:

Co-dominant branches

Diseased limbs

Other

Other/Notes: Co-dominant leaders in upper canopy; rot and deadwood within some branches and

at the base of the trunk.

Structure Rating: 3

Existing

Overlay Controls:

Heritage Overlay (HO191), Heritage Overlay (HO196), Significant Landscape Overlay (SLO2)

Recorded by: Susan Tallon

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