
JACK JONES' BOATSHED

Location

MARIBYRNONG STREET AND BUNBURY STREET FOOTSCRAY, MARIBYRNONG CITY

Municipality

MARIBYRNONG CITY

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7822-0482

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

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Interpretation of Site

The site is now located in a private residence, and the owners have reported to Somerville (pers comms) that they have found "rails" in their backyard that were probably part of the old launching ways/ slipway once located there.

The facility has archaeological potential to provide evidence relating to the activities that occurred on site. The site is one of the many boatbuilding services formally located in the area.

Hermes Number

23468

Property Number

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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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