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Location

31 Staughton Street, MEREDITH VIC 3333 - Property No 35600099

Municipality

GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO26

HO100

Heritage Listing

Golden Plains Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

Local Significance

National Estate Register:

The former Meredith Shire Hall is a characteristic work of architect Alexander Davidson in the favoured Victorian eclectic mode. The Shire of Meredith united with the Shire of Bannockburn in 1915 and the municipal

offices were transferred to Bannockburn. The facade is a distinctive combination of basalt and Waurin Ponds limestone in a relatively restrained and disciplined axial composition. The structure has interesting associations with local government in the Meredith district.

(The Commission is in the process of developing and/or upgrading official statements for places listed prior to 1991. The above data was mainly provided by the nominator and has not yet been revised by the Commission.

National Trust:

CITATION

A simple bluestone building with a distinctive character resulting from contrived detailing around the entrance.

Class: Local

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| Heritage Study/Consultant | Golden Plains - Golden Plains Shire Heritage Study Phase 1, Lorraine Huddle P/L, 2003; Golden Plains - Golden Plains Shire Heritage Study Phase 2, Heritage Matters P/L, 2009; |
| Other Names | (Former, now Infant Welfare Centre), |
| Hermes Number | 23659 |
| Property Number | |

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