Victorian Heritage Database Report

Pearcedale Public Hall



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hall floor.jpg



kitchen also.jpg

Location

45 Pearcedale Road, PEARCEDALE, Casey City

Municipality

CASEY CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO177

Heritage Listing

Casey City

Statement of Significance

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What is significant? The Pearcedale Public Hall, erected on this site in 1918, at Queens Road, Pearcedale.

How is it significant? The Pearcedale Public Hall is of local historic, social and aesthetic significance to the City of Casey.

Why is it significant?

Historically and socially, the Pearcedale Public Hall is significant as a long-term public meeting place and its construction the result of considerable community effort. (AHC criteria A4, D2 and G1)

Aesthetically, the Pearcedale Public Hall is significant as a local landmark within Pearcedale, which is related to St Peter's Church of England immediately opposite. (AHC criterion E1)

Usage/Former Usage

Public hall

Physical Description 1

The Pearcedale Public Hall is a simple weatherboard building with a hip corrugated iron roof. The centrally located front door is flanked by small square four-paned windows, and there are multi-paned double hung sash windows in the side elevation. Changes to the original external fabric include:

- Skillion additions that have been made to the side at the front and rear.

- The front porch, which replaced an original porch of similar form.
- The external cladding and roof material, which appear to have been completely renewed.

The interior of the building was not inspected. The Hall is set within a triangular reserve facing Queens Road and is surrounded by mature trees include Monterey Pines and Eucalypts. It is opposite St Paul's Church of England.

Physical Conditions

Excellent

Intactness

Moderate

Historical Australian Themes

Community & Culture; Mechanics' Institutes & Public Halls

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