
Pinus torreyana



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Location

Warrnambool Botanical Gardens, Botanic Road,, WARRNAMBOOL VIC 3280 - Property No T11236

Municipality

WARRNAMBOOL CITY

Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 14, 2023

What is significant?

An individual Pinus torreyana located in Warrnambool Botanic Gardens.

How is it significant?

Regionally Significant for:

Contribution to the landscape

Rare or localised

Outstanding size

Outstanding example of species

Why is it significant?

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An outstanding example of the species which is rare in cultivation and occurs in two very small regions near Los Angeles, California. The tree is in a fair condition and is the largest of its type in Victoria. Other examples are known in Geelong, Bendigo, Malmsbury, Skipton, Hamilton and Hoddles Creek. All the trees are of a similar age and were presumably introduced into Victoria by Mueller as part of his acclimatization experiments.

The pine collection on the western side of the garden demonstrates an early site development which was advanced under the patronage of von Mueller. The tree remains largely intact although over-mature and is today a rare tree not just in Victoria but across the globe.

Measurements: 06/1985

Spread (m): 22

Girth (m): 4.25

Height (m): 42

Estimated Age (yrs): 110

Condition: Good

Measurements: 27/04/2010

Spread (m): 20

Girth (m): 4.5

Height (m): 35

Condition: Fair to Good

Measurements: 06/09/2022

Spread (m): 21

Girth (m): 4.5

Height (m): 35

Condition: Fair

Access: Unrestricted

Classified: 12/07/1990

Other Names Soledad Pine,

Hermes Number 70740

Property Number

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