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Location

Manifold Avenue,, CAMPERDOWN VIC 3260 - Property No T11449

Municipality

CORANGAMITE SHIRE

Level of significance

State

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 16, 2008

Aesthetic value

Finlay Avenue was planted in Manifold Street on 12 July 1876 honouring the trees' donors, Mr A S Finlay and his son C Finlay of Glenormiston.

A total of 290 trees were planted by school children and residents of Camperdown and since this initial planting, there have been further planting of Elms along Manifold Street, notably in 1952. This is a magnificent avenue but the trees need constant and expert management.

01/09/2011 *'A controversial plan to remove the entire 500 elm trees of historic Finlay Avenue has been shelved for another four years. Corangamite Shire Council has agreed to wait for the results of a planting trial before reconsidering a plan to replace the 135-year-old trees.'*

Measurements: 07/1985

Spread (m): 24

Girth (m): 3.2

Height (m): 21

Estimated Age (yrs): 109

Condition: Good-Fair

Access: Unrestricted

Classified: 11/07/1985

Other Names English Elm,

Hermes Number 70950

Property Number

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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