
Keilor police station, former



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Police



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H027 Former Police Station
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Location

779-783 Old Calder Highway, KEILOR VIC 3036 - Property No 1

Municipality

BRIMBANK CITY

Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO027

Heritage Listing

Brimbank City

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 2, 1999

Individual place statement of significance::

The former Keilor police station is of historical significance for its associations with the establishment of government and law on the developing colonial roads as a direct consequence of the Victorian gold rushes. The building is of architectural significance as a representative building of its type, reflecting the standards of workmanship and vernacular construction techniques using the local bluestone.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Brimbank - Brimbank City Council Post-contact Cultural Heritage Study, G. Vines, 2000;
Construction dates	1863,
Hermes Number	106204
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Physical Description 1

Description

Double-gabled bluestone former police station now converted to a private residence with a large rear extension. The building is obscured behind a high fence and mature garden planting. The police station has a slate roof with a Victorian style metal-roofed verandah on timber posts.

The two storey brick and timber building connected to the bluestone building at the rear is a modern addition which is not of heritage fabric.

The former police station is located on the main Bendigo Road in the Keilor Village and next to the former courthouse.

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Historical Australian Themes

7 Governing

7.5 Developing administrative structures and authorities

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