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# Broadford Prisoner of War Camp No. 2

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## Location

DRY CREEK ROAD CLONBINANE, MITCHELL SHIRE

## Municipality

MITCHELL SHIRE

## Level of significance

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## Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7923-0028

## Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

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Hermes Number 125348

Property Number

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## Physical Description 1

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## Usage/Former Usage

Social/Recreational,Educational

## **Veterans Description for Public**

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