# **Box Hill South Africa and China War Memorial**



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### Location

Watts St and Whitehorse Rd, Box Hill, WHITEHORSE CITY

# Municipality

WHITEHORSE CITY

# Level of significance

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## **Heritage Listing**

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Construction dates 1902,

Hermes Number 126876

**Property Number** 

## **Physical Description 1**

Location: Whitehorse Road and Watts Street Position: Type: Monument Established: 21 January 1902 Names: 26 Fallen & Returned Commemorates: Boer War Boxer RebellionObelisk, drinking fountain and streetlight erected to commemorate the Boer War.

Memorial originally at Station St & Whitehorse Rd, Box Hill, now at Watts St & Whitehorse Rd.

Privates from Nunawading district who went to the SA war.

Corporals & Privates who went to SA war.

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#### **Historical Australian Themes**

Remembering the fallen

### **Usage/Former Usage**

Commemoration

## **Veterans Description for Public**

The Box Hill Boer War and Boxer Rebellion Memorial comprises of an obelisk, drinking fountain and streetlights. The structures were erected in memory of those who served the Boer War, South Africa (1899-1902) and the Boxer Rebellion in China (1900-1901). The memorials unveiled by the Hon. A. J. Peacock, Premier of Victoria, on 21st January 1902. The obelisk lists the names of twenty-six fallen and returned individuals (Privates and Corporals from the Nunawading district) who fought in the Boer War, and two who fought in China. The memorial was originally located at Station Street and Whitehorse Road, Box Hill, but is now at Watts Street and Whitehorse Road.

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