
Truganina RAAF WWII Munitions Reserve



trug2.jpg

Location

Palmers Road TRUGANINA, MELTON SHIRE

Municipality

MELTON CITY

Level of significance

-

Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Hermes Number 156893

Property Number

Veterans Description for Public

The former Truganina RAAF WWII Munitions Reserve comprises of a large disused industrial complex bounded by Palmers Road, Boundary Road and Dohertys Road. The main entrance is on the west side of Palmers Road,

and consists of a gate house and a cluster of administrative buildings. On the east side of Palmers Road (opposite the gates) are several barracks buildings constructed of corrugated iron. Throughout the reserve are dozens of small buildings, well separated from one another. Most of these are constructed of brick, but there is a group of sheds constructed of timber and corrugated iron located close to the corner of Palmers Road and Dohertys Road. It is possible that there was once a tramway system operating on the site. Throughout the site are a number of stands of planted trees.

Also located on the site are the Army Stables (Dohertys Road), and the ruin known as 'Henry Robinson's house' (Palmers Road) which have been separately recorded.

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.

For further details about Heritage Overlay places, contact the relevant local council or go to Planning Schemes Online <http://planningschemes.dpcd.vic.gov.au/>