
EUCALYPTUS LEUCOXYLON



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Location

MARKET STREET ST ARNAUD, NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Municipality

NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - December 30, 2024

What is significant?

A large Yellow Gum in the south-western corner of the Market Street carpark.

How is it significant?

This Yellow Gum is significant for scientific and social reasons at the Regional level.

Why is it significant?

Three Yellow Gums occur in a row at this location. The individual tree in the south-western corner is considered scientifically significant for its outstanding size. This tree has an impressive height and circumference for the species in the region. The circumference (3.17 m) is larger than the Benalla and Ararat Yellow Gums and the height is within middle range of other classified trees in Victoria.

This tree is also socially significant for its contribution to the landscape in the region around St Arnaud which was extensively modified and cleared during the gold rush. The occurrence of indigenous trees of this size especially in townships is uncommon. While there is a possibility that the trees are natural remnants of the original vegetation seen in the surrounding Iron Bark and Yellow Gum forest, there is not enough evidence to confirm this. It is more probable that they are remnants of early cultivation.

Measurements: 13/08/2023

Girth (m): 3.17

Height (m): 22

Estimated age (yrs): 104

Condition: Good

Access: Unrestricted

Classified: 09/12/2024

Other Names Yellow Gum,

Hermes Number 212647

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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