

Civic Centre Heritage Area

Location

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Municipality

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1640

Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

Statement of Significance

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This civic precinct of institutional, transport, municipal and government buildings reflects Geelong's position as Victoria's major provincial coastal city. The area is unified by Johnstone Park and the close proximity to the Geelong Railway Station. The buildings date from the early 1850s with representative development from the nineteenth and twentieth centuries, including many individually significant places. Both individually and collectively, these places reflect significant historical and social developments of the City's civic life.

The buildings are architecturally diverse in terms of style and age. They are strongly related visually by scale, monumentality and siting, usually to the street line; the use of massive construction and substantial building materials, such as pressed, evenly coloured bricks and stucco; and ornate design including complex building forms and rich architectural detail.

Heritage Study/Consultant Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study, Graeme Butler, 1993;

Hermes Number 22140

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.

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