
New Policemans's Residence



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Location

9 Thompson St HAMILTON, Southern Grampians Shire

Municipality

SOUTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Level of significance

Stage 2 study complete

Heritage Listing

Southern Grampians Shire

Statement of Significance

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Designed at least nominally by Percy Everett. Part of the police complex and the second policeman's house it has a typical garden for its period.

Second Policeman's Residence

9 Thompson Street

This building, constructed in 1947, has local significance as part of the police reserve and presence, a key factor in Hamilton's history from a very early date. ([i]) The new policeman's residence replaced an earlier two-roomed timber structure, which was moved to the rear of the site. ([ii]) The present building was designed, at least nominally, by Percy Everett, the head of the Public Works Department and an important influence on architecture

through his position for decades. The house is significantly intact and is in good condition. The garden is typical for the period.

Also part of the significance is old red brick building, apparently a former lock-up, adjacent to the policeman's residence.

[i] HSA DP No. 1860. New residence. Police. Percy Everett, Chief Architect, PWD, Melbourne, 4 December 1947.

[ii] Garden, Don, *Hamilton*, passim, especially Chapter 2 'Police Station to Municipality, 1841-59'.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Southern Grampians - City of Hamilton Conservation Study, Timothy Hubbard with Carlotta Kellaway & Michael Looker (plus Francis Punch), 1991;
Construction dates	1947,
Architect/Designer	Everett, Percy,
Hermes Number	26490
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Physical Description 1

MATERIALS:

Roof: »glazed terra cotta tiles

Walls: »weatherboard

Dressings: »timber

Plinth: »slated timber

Windows: »timber double hung sash

Paving: »concrete

Other: »canvas blinds

slated timber eaves

cream brick chimney

NOTABLE FEATURES:»original or at least typical garden

Historical Australian Themes

Evolution of the Town. 1840s.

Government institutions. Local. Police.

Integrity

INTEGRITY: E

Physical Conditions

CONDITION:G

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