House at 98 Summerhill Road



HO69 (1) - House, 98 Summerhill Road, West Footscray.JPG



HO69 (2) - House, 98 Summerhill Road, West Footscray.JPG



28336 98 Summerhill Road

Location

98 Summerhill Road, WEST FOOTSCRAY VIC 3012 - Property No 1082006800

Municipality

MARIBYRNONG CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO69

Heritage Listing

Maribyrnong City

Statement of Significance

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Architecturally, a simply elevated pair which express clearly their early construction date. Historically, closely associated with the Footscray quarry industry and hence its importance to the region and the metropolis.

Heritage Study/Consultant Maribyrnong - City of Footscray Urban Conservation Study, Graeme Butler, 1989;
Hermes Number 28336

Property Number

Physical Description 1

The central chimney, set in the simple high-hipped roof, and the rubble basalt masonry in the side and rear walls show its early date. However a very early date is obviated by the two-colour brickwork in the facade wall and chimney, although this may simply indicate later works to convert the house into a pair. Otherwise the elevation has a Colonial Georgian revival simplicity with its quoined openings arranged symmetrically. Inside there is the expected simple joinery (that which survives) and an impressive basalt lintel over the ground level fireplace.

Integrity

External Integrity

There is a rear concrete block addition and an added basalt fence (stone obtained from site). [I]

Reference:

1 R Cocks

Physical Description 2

Streetscape

Isolated among later houses, the pair is prominent given its corner location and two-storey height.

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