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# BUNYIP FIRE STATION



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## Location

13 Pearson Street BUNYIP, Cardinia Shire

## Municipality

CARDINIA SHIRE

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO99

## Heritage Listing

Cardinia Shire

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## Statement of Significance

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Bunyip Fire Station is significant to the Cardinia Shire as a 1958 utility building designed in the Modernist manner, being avant-garde for the period and the building type. The building also helps provide evidence of the development of Bunyip as a service centre and railway town in the Shire.

Regional Significance

Heritage Study/Consultant	Cardinia - Cardinia Shire Heritage Study 1996, Graeme Butler & Associates, 1996;
Construction dates	1958,
Other Names	13 Pearson Street, Bunyip,
Hermes Number	29971
Property Number	

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## Physical Description 1

This fire station is Modern in style but, with its butterfly roof it goes beyond the purely utilitarian designs often applied to this type of building. The main doors are glazed, the walls are metal clad and exposed open web trusses and tapered rafters support the roof.

## Physical Conditions

The building is generally externally original.

## Historical Australian Themes

Themes

- 8.4 Railway townships
- 9.5 Fire Brigade centres

## Physical Description 2

Associations - Country Fire Brigade Board

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