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# NORFOLK ISLAND PINE AVENUE

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## Location

PORT WELSHPOOL ROAD, WELSHPOOL, SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE

## Municipality

SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO134

## Heritage Listing

South Gippsland Shire

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## Statement of Significance

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### What is significant?

The Avenue of Norfolk Island Pines, established in 1936 by the Country Roads Board, along Port Welshpool Road, Welshpool.

### Why is it significant?

The Avenue of Norfolk Island Pines along Port Welshpool Road is of local historic and aesthetic significance to South Gippsland Shire.

Historically, the Avenue commemorate the construction of the road, which was a project to facilitate access to the newly constructed Long Jetty at Port Welshpool. (AHC criteria A4 & D2)

Aesthetically, although diminished by the loss of trees, the Avenue enhance the landscape character and amenity of Port Welshpool Road. It is the only avenue of this species within the Shire. (AHC criterion E1)

Heritage Study/Consultant	South Gippsland - South Gippsland Heritage Study, David Helms with Trevor Westmore, 2004;
Construction dates	1937,
Hermes Number	31035
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## Physical Description 1

This avenue comprises Norfolk Island Pines situated along both sides of the Port Welshpool Road, south of Welshpool. The age, size and condition of the Pines varies considerably, suggesting that replanting has occurred at different times since the Avenue was originally established in 1937-38.

Note: Further detailed analysis is required to identify any original examples

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