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# TIMBER TRESTLE ROAD BRIDGE, CHAPEL LA



Timber Trestle Road Bridge  
Chapel Lane Colour 1 - Shire  
of Eltham Heritage Study  
1992



Timber Trestle Road Bridge  
Chapel Lane Colour 2 - Shire  
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Bridge Chapel Lane - Shire of  
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Bridge Chapel Lane\_02 -  
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## Location

CHAPEL LANE NUTFIELD, NILLUMBIK SHIRE

## Municipality

NILLUMBIK SHIRE

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO26

## Heritage Listing

## Statement of Significance

Last updated on - January 5, 2010

REVISED STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE, CONTEXT, 2010

### ***What is significant?***

The entire late 19th/early 20th century one lane timber road trestle bridge and the site to a radius of 30 metres.

### ***How is it significant?***

The bridge is historically significant to the Shire of Nillumbik.

### ***Why is it significant?***

The bridge is historically significant as a good example of the large timber trestle road bridges constructed in Victoria during the late 19th/early 20th centuries and because this type of bridge is now rare within the Shire (Criteria B & D).

Heritage Study/Consultant Nillumbik - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study, David Bick, 1992;

Construction dates 1900,

Hermes Number 55335

Property Number

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## Historical Australian Themes

TRANSPORT

3.8.5 Moving goods and people on land

3.8.7 Building and maintaining roads

## Physical Description 1

A small, multi-span, all timber framed bridge, with the exception of the steel main beams.

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