
COBURG RAILWAY STATION

Location

135A BELL STREET, and VICTORIA STREET, COBURG, MERRI-BEK CITY

Municipality

MERRI-BEK CITY

Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO180

Heritage Listing

Merri-bek City

Statement of Significance

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The station is of regional significance as the focus for the land speculation in this area in the late nineteenth century, its later role as a commuter station and its architecture. With the Moreland Station, the Coburg Railway Station complex makes a crucial contribution to the Victorian character of the Upfield line. Its status as the earliest and busiest passenger facility on the line is of local significance.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Moreland - City of Coburg Heritage Conservation & Streetscape Study, Timothy Hubbard Pty Ltd, 1991;
Hermes Number	56960
Property Number	

Physical Description 1

Coburg Railway Station and platform were built in 1888 as part of the development of the Coburg (now Upfield) railway line. The Station is of tuck pointed red brick with bluestone sills and stuccoed dressings and is in the Gothic style. The platform is protected by a standard, but now rare, Victorian Railways 1880s corrugated iron verandah. The whole is substantially intact although its surroundings have changed dramatically.

This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.

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