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Location

Point Cook Homestead, Point Cook Homestead Road,, POINT COOK VIC 3030 - Property No T12097

Municipality

WYNDHAM CITY

Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - December 14, 2007

Outstanding size
Outstanding example of species

This tree is significant as it is a mature example of the species with a relatively large canopy spread to height ratio. There are few know specimens of this size in cultivation in Victoria. It is in excellent fruiting condition given it is growing on an exposed seaside position less than 100 metres from the beach.

Point Cook was once part of the huge pastoral estate belonging to the Chirnside family, who built Werribee Park Mansion. Five fruit trees together with other food plants were planted in 1872.

Measurements: 12/10/2006 Spread (m): E-W 10.7, N-S 13.4 Girth (m): multi-trunked, largest.70

Height (m): 7.6

Estimated Age (yrs): 120 Condition: Excellent.

Measurements: 21/04/2011

Spread (m): E-W 11.88; N-S 14.32 Girth (m): multi-trunked, largest trunk 0.7

Height (m): 7.62 Condition: Excellent.

Access: Unrestricted Classified: 13/12/2006

Other Names Common Fig,

Hermes Number 71738

Property Number

Physical Description 1

One Tree

MEASUREMENTS

Circumference (of trunk at 1.4 metres above ground level): About 20 multiple trunks with largest at 700mm in circumference at 1.4m above ground level.

Spread N-S: 13.4m Spread E-W: 10.7m

Height: 9m.

Date Measured: 12/10/06 Measured With: metric tape.

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