

# City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area: Geraldton Place Number: 86 Category: 4

 Assessment Date:
 06/11/1996
 Last Revision Date:
 27/10/2009

 HCWA Number:
 13341
 Asset ID:
 MCH126497

# **PLACE DETAILS**

Name: House

Other Names: 42 Crawford Street

**Type of Place:** House

Address: 42 Crawford Street

**Suburb:** Spalding

# **LOCATION**

Map 16.18 GPS 6818008.00 GPS 268679.000

Reference: Northing: 0000 Easting: 000



# **Photo Description:**

22/08/2007 Rod Milne Small cottage.

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## SITE DETAILS

Lot No.: Lot 36

Reserv No.: Assess No.: 13574

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

# **USE OF PLACE**

Original Use: Residence Current Use: Residence

Ownership:

Public Access: No Occupied: Occupied

## **DESCRIPTION**

Walls: Fibro Roof: Shadowline

**Condition:** Fair **Integrity:** 

Original fabric:

**Modifications:** Reroofed in shadowline metal sheeting

This is a small fibro cottage with a 'shadowline' clad gable roof with a broken back skillion roof to the rear and verandah roof to the front. The verandah is supported on pine posts. Windows are aluminium framed.

# **HISTORY**

**Construction Date:** unknown **Source:** Ann Boyle

**Architect**: Unknown **Builder**: Unknown

It is believed that this house was originally connected with a market gardening operation. The market gardening industry was especially prevalent in Geraldton from the 1930s, in particular tomato growing. The increasing population in Geraldton has seen many of the areas previously used for market gardens, such as Spalding, subdivided for residential purposes.

# **HISTORIC THEMES**

**HCWA:** 105 Exploration and surveying

302 Rural industry and market gardening

**AHC:** 4.1.2 Making suburbs

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# STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The place has only some historic significance for its association with market gardening which was an important industry in Geraldton from the 1930s, in particular tomato growing. The house is characteristic of other market garden residences being small in scale, very simple in style and basic in material. Furthermore, due to development pressure, this type of construction is becoming increasingly rare.

## MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category:

Level of Significance: SOME SIGNIFICANCE: Contributes to the

heritage and/or historical development of the

locality.

Conservation of the place is desirable. Any Management **Recommendation:** 

proposed change to the place should be in

sympathy with the heritage values of the place.

#### OTHER LISTINGS

No other listings

## SUPPORTING INFORMATION

#### **OTHER PHOTOS**

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