

City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area: Geraldton Place Number: 339 Category: 6

 Assessment Date:
 08/12/1996
 Last Revision Date:
 11/03/2010

 HCWA Number:
 13731
 Asset ID:
 MCH127032

PLACE DETAILS

Name: Warehouse Fmr (Toyworld)

Other Names: 13 Post Office Lane

Type of Place: Site

Address: 13 Post Office Lane

Suburb: Geraldton

LOCATION

Map 15.15 GPS 6814792.00 GPS 266704.000

Reference: Northing: 0000 Easting: 000



Photo Description:

8/12/1996 Suba & Grundy East facade from Post Office Lane.

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SITE DETAILS

Lot No.: Lot 8

Reserv No.: Assess No.: 11529

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

USE OF PLACE

Original Use: Warehouse
Current Use: Not Applicable

Ownership:

Public Access: Restricted Occupied: Not Occupied

DESCRIPTION

Walls: Stone Roof: Corrugated Iron

Condition: Good Integrity:

Original fabric: Modifications:

This building was badly damaged by fire in 2003 and subsequently demolished. The following description is taken from the 1997 City of Geraldton Municipal Inventory: This large random rubble stone building has a twin gable corrugated iron roof with a small parapet wall to the north and east elevations. The south facade has been modified to form a shopfront with large shop windows. The east facade has a series of vents and tension rod plates set high on the wall.

HISTORY

Construction Date: 1895 Source: Feilman Report

Architect: Unknown Unknown

This building used to accommodate 'Tubby' Edwards' Second Hand Hall. (Source: Shirley Scotter) It was badly damaged by a fire in 2003 following which it was demolished.

HISTORIC THEMES

HCWA: 308 Commercial services and industries

202 Rail and light rail transport

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AHC: 8.14 Living in the country and rural settlements

3.8.6 Building and maintaining railways

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This large stone warehouse had high historic significance for its connection to the early commercial development of the city centre. Most of the original fabric remained intact and the place was generally in good condition. The use of local materials and the style of construction added to the significance of the place.

1997 Management Category: 2. MAXIMUM INCENTIVES UNDER TOWN PLANNING SCHEME. High level of protection appropriate: provide maximum encouragement to the owner under the Town Planning Scheme to conserve the significance of the place. Photographically record the place prior to any major redevelopment.

MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category: 6

Level of Significance: MUNICIPAL INVENTORY ARCHIVE: Place was

previously included in the Municipal Inventory but has been removed due to demolition or

diminished heritage significance.

Management Recommendation:

The place does not form part of the relevant local Town Planning Scheme Heritage List. This

category is for record keeping purposes only.

OTHER LISTINGS

No other listings

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Feilman & Associates, "Survey of Places of Historic and Landscape Significance in Geraldton", 1977.

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OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos

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