

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

Area: Greenough Place Number: 99 Category: 4

 Assessment Date:
 30/09/1997
 Last Revision Date:
 24/02/2015

 HCWA Number:
 4008
 Asset ID:
 MCH126551

# **PLACE DETAILS**

Name: Machetti Cottage Ruin

Other Names: Machetti Cottage

**Type of Place:** Ruin

**Address:** Kennedy Road (east side)

Suburb: Georgina

# **LOCATION**

**Map** Geraldton **GPS** 6803742.00 **GPS** 278903.000

Reference: S.E. Northing: 0000 Easting: 000



# **Photo Description:**

12/04/2005 Martin

View looking east from Kennedy Road

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## **SITE DETAILS**

**Lot No.:** VL 415

Reserv No.: Assess No.: 64174

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

# **USE OF PLACE**

Original Use: Residence Current Use: Not in use

Ownership:

Public Access: No Occupied: Not Occupied

## **DESCRIPTION**

Walls: Limestone Roof: Not applicable

**Condition:** Poor **Integrity:** 

Original fabric:

**Modifications:** Verandah pitch, cladding and posts

Located approximately 100 metres to the east of Kennedy Road, all that remains of Machetti Cottage are some stone ruins.

2004/05 Review: The cottage was originally of 2 rooms with a timber framed leanto added onto the southern end of the building. Whilst the stone walls remain in good condition, the roof has gone along with the verandah on the west side. There are mature trees on the north, west and south sides of the ruin.

#### **HISTORY**

Construction Date: 1870 Source:

Architect: Not available Builder: Not available

Hamersley & Co took up title to VL 415 in 1867. By 1904 the property was owned by H. Hamersley and occupied by Frederick Anderson. (Source:

Gary Martin)

#### HISTORIC THEMES

**HCWA:** 100 Demographic settlement and mobility

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300 Occupations

**AHC:** 8.14 Living in the country and rural settlements

#### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Machetti Cottage ruin is of local significance only for its association with early rural activities in the area. Further, the place is evidence of the small and simple stone buildings which were characteristic of the local farming properties before the turn of the century.

#### MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category: 4

**Level of Significance:** SOME SIGNIFICANCE: Contributes to the

heritage and/or historical development of the

locality.

**Management** Conservation of the place is desirable. Any **Recommendation:** proposed change to the place should be in

sympathy with the heritage values of the place.

## **OTHER LISTINGS**

No other listings

#### SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Bibliography:

HCWA Database No. 4008.

#### OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos

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