Victorian Heritage Database Report

Blake's Mill

Location:
Lot 5, Section G, Powelltown, Powelltown VIC 3797

Heritage Status / Level of Significance:
Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number: H8022-0058
Listing Authority: HI

Heritage Overlay Number: HO283

Statement of Significance:
The site of Blake's Mill, Powelltown, is of local significance. Although the site has few surviving features, it is significant as the site of the earliest sawmill in the Little Yarra Valley and for its role in the formation of Powelltown. (Supple 1991)

Description

The mill site is located just to the east of Powelltown. It is a heavily grassed, slightly sloping open block with a few trees. The surviving evidence of the mill is a clear tramway formation with some buried timber edging and a deep cutting running along the low side of the block. No evidence of a sawdust heap, recorded by Dept. Conservation, Forests and Lands in 1975 remained in 1989. (Supple 1991)

Ruinous

Demolished

Heritage Study / Consultant	Yarra Ranges - Shire of Yarra Ranges Heritage Study, Context Pty Ltd, 2000
Construction Date Range	

Architect / Designer	
Municipality	YARRA RANGES SHIRE
Other names	
Hermes number	115150
Property number	

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