
HERITAGE PERMIT

GRANTED UNDER SECTION 102 OF THE
HERITAGE ACT 2017

Permit No: P39737

Applicant:



NAME OF PLACE/OBJECT: FORMER POLICE QUARTERS

HERITAGE REGISTER NUMBER: H1539

LOCATION OF PLACE/OBJECT: 728 MAIN ROAD ELTHAM, NILLUMBIK SHIRE

THE PERMIT ALLOWS: *Demolition of two later additions to the original stables building and associated conservation works, including underpinning, site drainage and retaining wall installation, strengthening of roof and first floor structure, replacement of non-original shutter door, and repairs to masonry, in accordance with the following document, as endorsed by the Executive Director and forming part of this permit:*

- **Arboricultural Impact Assessment, prepared by Nillumbik Shire Council, dated 27 November 2024**

And generally in accordance with the following documents:

- **Former Eltham Police Quarters Stables Conservation Works preliminary architectural drawings, prepared by RBA Architects and Conservation Consultants, dated February 2024**
- **Eltham Courthouse Stables preliminary engineering drawings, prepared by Ingegnaria Consultants, dated October 2023**

THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS APPLY TO THIS PERMIT:

1. The permission granted for this permit will expire if one of the following circumstances applies: the permitted works have not commenced within two (2) years of the original date of issue of this permit, or are not completed within four (4) years of the original date of issue of this permit. Commencement of the permit begins with onsite physical works.
2. The Executive Director Heritage Victoria is to be given five working days' notice of the intention to commence the approved works.
3. Should further minor changes in accordance with the intent and approach of the endorsed documentation become necessary, correspondence and supporting documentation must be prepared and lodged in accordance with the permit condition for endorsement by the Executive Director Heritage Victoria. If the Executive Director considers that the changes are not minor, an amendment to the permit or a new application will be required.
4. Prior to the commencement of any of the works approved by this permit, a Staging Plan which provides an overview of the order in which approved works will be commenced must be submitted to the Executive Director Heritage Victoria for approval. Once approved, the Staging Plan will be endorsed and will then form part of the permit.

5. Prior to the commencement of each stage of works identified in the Staging Plan referred to in Condition 4, a Heritage Protection Plan must be submitted to the Executive Director Heritage Victoria for approval. Once approved, the Heritage Protection Plan will be endorsed and will then form part of the permit. The Heritage Protection Plan must include a sequencing program for the approved works, details of any temporary infrastructure and services required, protection methods for the heritage place during the undertaking of the works and a work site layout plan. A Heritage Protection Plan for multiple stages can be provided.
6. Prior to the commencement of each stage of works identified in the Staging Plan referred to in Condition 4 final construction ready (marked as such) drawings for the subject stage of works must be submitted to the Executive Director Heritage Victoria for approval. Once approved, they will be endorsed and will then form part of the permit. Drawings for multiple stages can be provided. The submitted drawings shall be generally in accordance with the documents shown above in the permit preamble.
7. Approved works or activities are to be planned and carried out in a manner which prevents damage to the registered place/object. However, if other previously hidden original or inaccessible details of the object or place are uncovered, any works that may affect such items must immediately cease. The Executive Director Heritage Victoria must be notified of the details immediately to enable Heritage Victoria representatives to inspect and record the items, and for discussion to take place on the possible retention of the items, or the issue of a modified approval.
8. All works must cease, and Heritage Victoria must be contacted if historical archaeological artefacts or deposits are discovered during any excavation or subsurface works.
9. The Executive Director Heritage Victoria must be informed when the approved works have been completed.
10. The works approved by this permit must be carried out in their entirety unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Executive Director Heritage Victoria.

NOTE THAT PERMISSION HAS BEEN GIVEN FOR INSPECTIONS OF THE PLACE OR OBJECT TO BE UNDERTAKEN DURING THE CARRYING OUT OF WORKS, AND WITHIN SIX (6) MONTHS OF NOTIFICATION OF THEIR COMPLETION.

TAKE NOTICE THAT ANY NATURAL PERSON WHO CARRIES OUT WORKS OR ACTIVITIES NOT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PERMIT OR CONDITIONS IS GUILTY OF AN OFFENCE AND LIABLE TO A PENALTY OF 120 PENALTY UNITS (\$23,710.80 FROM 1 JULY 2024) OR IN THE CASE OF A BODY CORPORATE 600 PENALTY UNITS (\$118,554 FROM 1 JULY 2024) UNDER s104 THE HERITAGE ACT 2017.

WORKS UNDERTAKEN WITHOUT A PERMIT OR PERMIT EXEMPTION CAN INCUR A FINE OF UP TO 4800 PENALTY UNITS (\$948,432 FROM 1 JULY 2024) FOR A NATURAL PERSON OR 5 YEARS IMPRISONMENT OR BOTH AND UP TO 9600 PENALTY UNITS (\$1,896,864 FROM 1 JULY 2024) IN THE CASE OF A BODY CORPORATE UNDER SECTION 87 OF THE HERITAGE ACT 2017.

THE ATTENTION OF THE OWNER AND/OR APPLICANT IS DRAWN TO THE NEED TO OBTAIN ALL OTHER RELEVANT PERMITS PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF WORKS.

Date Issued:

16 December
2024

**Signed as delegate for the Executive Director,
Heritage Victoria pursuant to the Instrument of
Delegation**



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jessica Hood". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and "H".

Jessica Hood
Principal, Heritage Permits
Heritage Victoria