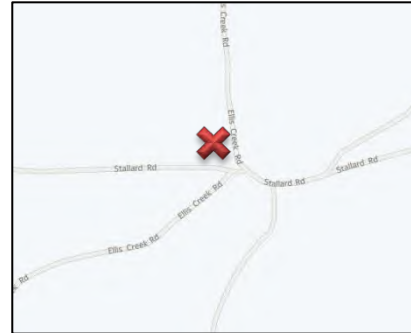


MUNICIPAL INVENTORY PLACE RECORD FORM

LGA Place No: 022

Ellis Creek Timber Mill (site)



Lat: -33.940291
Long: 115.885235

LOCATION

HCWA Reference Number	00255
Other Reference Number	
Name of Place	Ellis Creek Timber Mill
Other Names	
Address	Ellis Creek Rd
Suburb/Town	Nannup
Local Government Authority	Shire of Nannup

LAND DESCRIPTION

Reserve No.	Lot	Location No.	Plan/Diagram	Vol/Folio

PERIOD

Design Style	
Construction Date	1913
Source/Details	

USE(S) OF PLACE

Original	Forestry – Timber Mill
Present	Vacant/Unused
Other	

HISTORICAL NOTES

Ellis Creek Timber Mill was established in 1913 by the Kauri Timber Company. The mill used a vertical band saw for breaking logs. It was established on the American model and was capable of an output of 30,000 super feet per day. The mill was relocated to Nannup in 1926.

DESCRIPTION

Ellis Creek Timber Mill site includes remnants of its former use including the dam, a cricket pitch and remnants of machinery including the vertical band saw. The site is located on land managed by Department of Parks & Wildlife.

HISTORIC THEME

Timber Industry

CATEGORIES OF SIGNIFICANCE

Historic

Social

RATING AND ASSESSMENT

	High					Low	
Aesthetic value (streetscape, setting)	1	2	3	4	5	✓	
Architectural merit (design features)	1	2	3	4	5	✓	
Rarity value	1	2	3	4	✓ 5		
Value as part of a group/precinct	1	2	3	4	5	✓	
Condition	1	2	3	4	5	✓	
Integrity	1	2	3	4	5	✓	

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Ellis Creek Timber Mill site is significant to the history of the timber industry in the south west of Western Australia and to the history of settlement of the region.

MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

Management category A

HERITAGE LISTINGS BY OTHER BODIES

- Heritage Council inHerit Database 2002

SUPPORTING INFORMATION/BIBLIOGRAPHY

- "Steam in the Forests", M.H.R Southcombe 1985
- SWDA Information Section A, South West Heritage Taskforce 1990
- Shire of Nannup Municipal Inventory (No.1) 1996

HISTORY OF LISTING IN MUNICIPAL INVENTORY

	Date Adopted by Council
Initial listing in MI	February 1996
Review of MI	August 2016