



SHIRE OF WYNDHAM EAST KIMBERLEY

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A review of the Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley
1996 Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places & 2007 review



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Executive summary:

The Local Heritage Survey is a review and update of the Shire's 1995 Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places and 2007 review.

The review is the result of a directive arising from the Heritage Act 2018, whereby all local governments are required to prepare a 'Heritage List'. To identify a 'Heritage List', a review and update of the heritage Inventory (1995) and subsequent review in 2007, is necessary in order to be informed of, and understand, the places of heritage value in the local government area, to that community. The 'Heritage List' has implications and needs to be understood and substantiated.

Any place, including sites, that the community think is of heritage value, is worth consideration for inclusion in the Local Heritage Survey.

The most significant places in the Local Heritage Survey are then recommended for the 'Heritage List', which includes the places already included on the State's Heritage Register. For each heritage place (including ruins and sites), a level of significance and consequent category is applied. The places with the highest level of significance are recommended for inclusion in the Wyndham-East Kimberley's 'Heritage List' that provides policies and the provisions of the Local Planning Policy for future conservation.

Almost every place in the Local Heritage Survey has been photographed, and some historical research has been undertaken beyond the existing documentation, the information has been interpreted and formatted to the relevant place records, physically described from the photograph, cross referenced with other places, and documented in the formatted table of places, with references to the Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage's inHerit database number, and arranged in alphabetical order as the primary index.

The brief for the review excluded the remote places in the northwest of the shire, and off-the-bitumen places were not viewed due to hire car requirements.

Some of the places beyond the brief are worthy of Category 2 recommendations based on their considerable significance. Some of those places are identified for their exceptional significance and not necessarily relevant to planning schemes. Another 6 places have been identified, without site inspections, beyond the brief, but more than worthy of the Heritage List.

One hundred and fourteen places have been identified within the brief of this Local Heritage Survey 2023.

Community consultation is integral to the process. Wyndham Historical Society Museum's Chris McLachlan generously shared her time and historical information, and took me to sites that would not have been possible without her knowledge and assistance. That was very much appreciated. Andrew Barker at the Kununurra Historical Society Museum also provided information, particularly with regard to the Ord River Pilot project.

Thank you for the privilege of preparing Wyndham-East Kimberley's Local Heritage Survey.

1.0 INTRODUCTION

A review of the Heritage Inventory is a requirement of the Heritage Act 2018. Inventories have been renamed ‘Local Heritage Surveys’. This review is in accordance with the Part 8 of the Heritage Act 2018 that is essentially the same guidelines as the 1990 Act requirements, including the identification of the ‘Heritage List’.

The review is undertaken in consideration of the Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage’s guidelines; *Criteria for the assessment of local heritage places and areas* as recommended in *State Planning Policy 3.5 Historic Heritage Conservation*.

Assessments determine levels of significance for each place in consideration of the overall context of the Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley’s towns and districts. The levels of significance are consistent with the required categories (Heritage Act 2018).

2.0 CRITERIA for SIGNIFICANCE

Every place previously listed in the original 1995 Heritage inventory and 2007 review has been assessed within the Heritage Council's guidelines; *Criteria for the assessment of local heritage places and areas*. The four criteria for the assessment are summarised hereunder:

Assessment of significance

Aesthetic value*

Criterion 1 It is significant in exhibiting particular aesthetic characteristic.

Historic value

Criterion 2 It is significant in the evolution or pattern of the history of the local district.

Research value

Criterion 3A: It has demonstrable potential to yield information that will contribute to an understanding of the natural or cultural history of the local district.

Criterion 3B: It is significant in demonstrating a high degree of technical innovation or achievement.

Social value

Criterion 4 It is significant through association with a community or cultural group in Western Australia for social, cultural, education or spiritual reasons.

Degree of significance

Rarity

Criterion 5 It demonstrates rare, uncommon or endangered aspects of the cultural heritage of the local district.

Representativeness

Criterion 6 It is significant in demonstrating the characteristics of a class of cultural places or environments in the local district.

* For consistency, all references to architectural style are taken from Apperly, R., Irving, R., Reynolds, P. *A Pictorial Guide to Identifying Australian Architecture. Styles and Terms from 1788 to the Present*, Angus and Robertson, North Ryde, 2002.

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Condition refers to the current state of the place in relation to each of the values for which the place has been assessed. Condition reflects the cumulative effects of management and environmental effects.

Integrity is a measure of the likely long-term viability or sustainability of the values identified, or the ability of the place to restore itself or be restored, and the time frame for any restorative process.

Authenticity refers to the extent to which the fabric is in its original state.

Substantiation of the heritage value of heritage places is the foundation for understanding a place and inclusion in the Local Heritage Survey. Almost every place in the review has been photographed, some historical research has been undertaken beyond the existing documentation, the information has been interpreted and formatted to the relevant place records, physically described from the photograph, cross referenced with other places, and documented in the formatted table of places, with references to the Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage's inHerit database number, and arranged in alphabetical order as the primary index.

There are 114 places listed in the Local Heritage Survey 2023 with 6 places identified for the Heritage List that are from the area beyond the brief.

For each place deemed to be of heritage value, a level of significance and consequent category is applied. The places with the highest level of significance are recommended for inclusion in the Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley's 'Heritage List' that provides policies and the provisions of the Local Planning Policy for future conservation.

3.0 LEVELS OF SIGNIFICANCE

For each place deemed to be of heritage value, a level of significance and consequent category is applied.

The following table from the Heritage Council's *Criteria for the assessment of local heritage places and areas* illustrates the details, and the amendments to facilitate the proposed categories are listed against them.

In line with Heritage Council's guidelines, Categories 1 and 2 places are recommended to be included in the Local Government's Heritage List to provide a level of management through Local Planning Schemes.

Each place was categorised on the basis of the following levels of significance:

LEVELS OF SIGNIFICANCE	DESCRIPTION	DESIRED OUTCOME
Category 1 Exceptional significance	Essential to the heritage of the locality Rare or outstanding example.	HERITAGE LIST Register of Heritage Places The place should be retained and conserved. Any alterations or extensions should reinforce the significance of the place and be in accordance with a Conservation Plan (if one exists for the place). Refer to Heritage Council. Planning Scheme provisions
Category 2 Considerable significance	Very important to the heritage of the locality. High degree of integrity/ authenticity.	HERITAGE LIST Conservation of the place is highly desirable. Any alterations or extensions should reinforce the significance of the place. Planning Scheme provisions
Category 3 Some/Moderate significance	Contributes to the heritage of the local some altered or modified elements, not necessarily detracting from the overall significance of the item.	NO CONSTRAINTS Conservation of the place is desirable. Contributes to the heritage of the locality. Has some altered or modified elements, not necessarily detracting from the overall significance of the item. Any alterations or extensions should reinforce the significance of the place. Original fabric should be retained where possible.
Category 4 Little significance	Some community interest to the history/heritage of the locality.	NO CONSTRAINTS Contributes to the history of the locality. Photographically record prior to any major development or demolition. Recognise and interpret the site.

4.0 CATEGORIES

Further to Heritage Council's *Criteria for the assessment of local heritage places and areas*, an important part of the recognition and understanding of cultural heritage significance of a place, is that some guidance is provided to the owners, managers, and statutory authority, to respond to that assessed significance.

Categories have been determined relevant to the assessed level of significance for each place. Implications for each recommendation are also summarised.

- Category 1** A place of exceptional cultural heritage significance to Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley and the state of Western Australia, that is either in the Heritage Council of Western Australia's Register of Heritage Places, or worthy of consideration for entry into the Register.
- A place worthy of recognition and protection through provisions of the Wyndham-East Kimberley's Planning Scheme.
- Planning application needs to be submitted to Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley for any proposed development. A Heritage Impact Statement may be required.
- Planning application referred for heritage comment and background information for Heritage Council of Western Australia (HCWA).
- The development application needs to be submitted to HCWA for support for any proposed development, and Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley cannot approve contrary to HCWA recommendation.
- Recommend:** Maximum encouragement to owners to retain and conserve the place. Full consultation with property owner prior to making the recommendation.

IMPLICATIONS of REGISTRATION:

A Memorial is lodged on the Certificate of Title of the Registered place under the provisions of the *Heritage Act (2018)*.

By virtue of the *Heritage Act (2018)*, the owner is bound to conserve the place.

ALL development (including demolition) MUST be referred to Heritage Council for consideration PRIOR to undertaking any works.

The Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley cannot approve anything contrary to Heritage Council recommendations.

Private owners of Registered places qualify for the Heritage Council's Conservation Grants Funding. A Conservation Management Plan or Conservation Management Strategy is a pre-requisite for conservation works funding assistance from the Heritage Council.

Local Government, churches and community (not-for-profit) owners qualify for Lotterywest conservation funding. It is funded loosely on a \$ for \$ basis, although 'inkind' contributions are encouraged. Benefit to the community is a significant factor in assessment for funding. A Conservation Management Plan or Conservation Management Strategy is a pre-requisite for conservation works funding and can also be funded.

Local Government owned Registered places qualify to claim for \$10,000 per annum 'Disability allowance' through the Grants Commission. Up to a maximum of \$50,000 is allowed for 5 buildings or more.

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Category 2 A place of considerable cultural heritage significance to Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley that is worthy of recognition and protection through provisions of the Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley's Planning Scheme.

Planning application needs to be submitted to Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley for any proposed development for particular consideration of the heritage impact.

Recommend:

Inclusion in the Heritage List

Retain and conserve the place.

Document the place prior to any development; and photographic archive report if retention is not possible.

IMPLICATIONS:

Planning applications must be submitted to Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley for approval prior to undertaking any works.

Private owners do not qualify for any funding.

Local Government, churches and community (not-for-profit) owners qualify for Lotterywest conservation funding. It is funded loosely on a \$ for \$ basis, although 'inkind' contributions are encouraged. Benefit to the community is a significant factor in assessment for funding. A Conservation Management Plan or Conservation Management Strategy is usually a pre-requisite for conservation works funding and may also be funded on same basis as works funding assistance.

Category 3 A place (including a site with no built remains) of some /moderate cultural heritage significance to Wyndham-East Kimberley.

No constraints.

Some/moderate contribution to the heritage of the Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley.

No constraints.

Recommend: Encourage retention of the place, or where there are ruins, archaeological findings or no built remains: Interpret the place.

IMPLICATIONS:

If a planning application is submitted to the Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley for approval, if approved a condition of development will require documentation and a photographic record of the place prior to any development or if retention is not possible.

There are **no statutory requirements** pertaining to heritage issues.

Private owners do not qualify for any funding.

Local Government, churches and community (not-for-profit) owners qualify for Lotterywest conservation funding, although at a lower priority. It is funded loosely on a \$ for \$ basis, although 'inkind' contributions are encouraged. Benefit to the community is a significant factor in assessment

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for funding. A Conservation Management Plan or Conservation Management Strategy is usually a pre-requisite for conservation works funding and may also be funded on same basis as works funding assistance.

Category 4 A place (including a site with no built remains) of little cultural heritage significance to Wyndham-East Kimberley.

No constraints.

Recommend: Encourage retention of the place, or where there are ruins, archaeological findings or no built remains: Interpret the place.

IMPLICATIONS:

If a planning application is submitted to the Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley for approval, if approved a condition of development will require documentation and a photographic record of the place prior to any development or if retention is not possible.

There are **no statutory requirements** pertaining to heritage issues.

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Local Government, churches and community (not-for-profit) owners qualify for Lotterywest conservation funding, although at a lower priority. It is funded loosely on a \$ for \$ basis, although 'inkind' contributions are encouraged. Benefit to the community is a significant factor in assessment for funding. A Conservation Management Plan or Conservation Management Strategy is usually a pre-requisite for conservation works funding and may also be funded on same basis as works funding assistance.

Of the 114 identified places, there are 2 registered 'places' (actually recorded by HCWA as 3 places) entered onto the Heritage Council's Register of Heritage Places: Category 1. Those places together with 30 places recommended for Category 2, form the "Heritage List". Six places beyond the review brief have also been identified for the Heritage List.

This review recommends that Category 1 and 2 places of the highest level of cultural heritage significance to the Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley form the "Heritage List" that is relevant to the provisions of the Local Planning Policy.

The 2023 Heritage List is comprised of categories 1 and 2 in the Local Heritage Survey.

Category 3 and 4 places are not included in the Heritage List and consequently have no implications.

Refer to:

Appendix 1 Local Heritage Survey, in detail

Appendix 2 Heritage List recommended for Local Planning Policy and relevant to Planning Scheme.

Community consultation is invaluable in providing local input to places and their histories to further build on the Local Heritage Survey and to engage and empower the community in recognition of their heritage.

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5.0 LOCAL HERITAGE SURVEY

LHS#	inHerit#	Place name	Address	Category	97 #
			KUNUNURRA		
1	8270	Ampol Station (former)	32 Bandicoot Drive	3	6
2	9568	First government house/s	4 Cajuput Street	3	20
3		Kununurra District Hospital	7 Coolibah Drive	3	
4	9617	Kununurra Picture Gardens	33-39 Coolibah Drive	2	
5	9594	SITE The Chalet	72 Coolibah Drive	3	49
6	9563	PWD Mess Hall (former) & Single men's Quarters (site)	47 Coolibah Drive	2	15
7	18940	Kununurra District Courthouse	94 Coolibah Drive	3	
8	17365	Kununurra Police Station	96-100 Coolibah Drive	3	
9		Kununurra War Memorial	115 Coolibah Drive	3	
10	9577	Kununurra Cemetery	Hidden Valley Road	2	31
11		The People's Church of Kununurra	Ironwood Drive cnr Speargrass Road	3	
12	9618	SITE Mirima building	Ironwood Drive	4	
13	9610	SITE (plaque) Carlton Research Station	Lakeview Drive (near caravan park)	4	
14	9589	M1 Pump Station (former)	Lakeview Drive	1	44
15		St James Anglican Church and Rectory	2 Bauhinia Street (cnr Leichhardt Street)	3	
16		St Vincent's Catholic Church	7 Leichhardt Street (cnr Konkerberry Ave & Rosewood Ave)	3	
17	9560	Kununurra Hotel: Zebra Rock Bar	11 Messmate Way	3	11
18	9593	Lake Kununurra Swimming beach	Millington Drive, upstream from Dam	3	48
19	9575	Boab tree	Kimberleyland Caravan Park, 2 Old Darwin Road	3	29
20		Peace tree- Celebrity Tree Park	Old Darwin Road	4	
21	9578	Kununurra Community Pre-School (former)	15 Pindan Ave	3	32
22	9582	Church of St Vincent Pallotti (former)	7 Leichardt Street (cnr Rosewood Avenue)	3	36
23		Kununurra Race Club and Racecourse	Drovers Road (east of town)	3	
24		Ord River Pilot Scheme Site remnants	Off Victoria Highway /Ord River South side	2	
25	9564	Christiani & Nielsen's Crushing Plant (former)	Victoria Highway, (opposite Millington Drive)	3	16
26	9585	Ord River Diversion Dam	Victoria Highway, Ord River	2	33,41
27	9562	Ord River Irrigation Area (ORIA) commemorative cairn	Victoria Highway, Kununurra Diversion Dam	3	14
28		Gantry crane (former)	Victoria Highway, Ord River (off Millington Drive)	3	

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			KUNUNURRA DISTRICT		
KD1		Ord River Irrigation Area (ORIA) project		2	
KD2	16601 9576 25144	Frank Wise Institute of Tropical Agriculture (fmr) School House (former) SITE of Sandy Block	Durack Drive (off Research Station Road	1	30
KD3	9753	Ivanhoe Crossing	Ivanhoe Road	2	27
KD4	9559	Carlton Hill Homestead	Carlton Hill Road	3	
KD5	9605	SITE Galboorang Crossing Formerly signed as Philchowski's Crossing	Victoria Highway (near NT Border Crossing)	4	
			ARGYLE		
A1	9459	Lake Argyle and Dam	Lake Argyle Road	3	2
A2		Lake Argyle Resort	Lake Argyle Road	3	
A3	9560	Argyle Downs Homestead (1979 Reconstructed)	Lake Argyle Road	3	3
A4		Argyle Diamond Mine (former)	Lissadell Road, (off Great Northern Highway)	4	
A5	9599	SITE Zebra Rock Mine	Argyle Downs Station	4	56
A6	9567	SITE Durack's Folly	Lake Argyle Road, Stonewall Creek	4	19
			WYNDHAM PORT		
WP1	4554 9469	SITE Wyndham Meatworks	Off Barytes Road	2	53
WP2	9469 19834	Wyndham Port & Nickel Store SITE of MV Koolama wreck	Barytes Road	3	
WP3		SITE: original Wyndham town	Barytes Road	2	
WP4		Cambridge Gulf Magistrate's Residency remnants	Barytes Road	2	
WP5		Crocodile Farm (former)	Barytes Road	3	
WP6	4295	Port Train Park	Barytes Road	3	
			GULLY ROAD PRECINCT		
G1	9571	Gully Road Precinct	Gully Road	3	23
G2	9611	Gully PWD camp building	Gully Road	3	
G3	9570	Gully Cemetery	Gully Road	2	22
			WYNDHAM PORT TOWN		
WT1		Wyndham Port Townsite	O'Donnell & McPhee streets	3	
WT2	9601	SITE Anthon's Landing	Off Foreshore Road	2	
WT3	3281 9615	Wyndham Court House (former) The 1954 North Kimberley Survey & Mapping Expedition Plaque	1 McPhee Street North corner of Gambier Street	2	37
WT4	9583	Wyndham Road Board office (former)	17 O'Donnell Street	3	39
WT5		Wyndham Postmaster's residence (former)	19 O'Donnell Street	3	42
WT6	4163	Wyndham Post Office (former)	21 O'Donnell Street	3	38

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WT7	4169	Chinese shop , Fong Fan's Store & residence (former)	27 O'Donnell Street	2	
WT8		RSL Memorial Park	29 O'Donnell Street	2	
WT9	4168	Chinese Shop , Lee Tong Store	33 O'Donnell Street	2	
WT10	4168	Daphne's Den café (former)	35 O'Donnell Street	3	
WT11	4165	Gee Hong Yet Residence & Store SITE	47 O'Donnell Street	3	
WT12	4164	Wyndham Port Hospital (former)	12-28 O'Donnell Street	2	
WT13	9566	Drovers Memorial	26 O'Donnell Street	2	18
WT14	6998	Bluey Lloyd's House & Flat (former)	30-32 O'Donnell Street	2	5
WT15	4166	SITE Durack Stores Truscott shed	34 O'Donnell Street	2	
WT16		Wyndham Hotel (former)	38 O'Donnell Street	2	
WT17	6585	The Bend Cemetery	Great Northern Highway, (midway between Port town and The Three Mile)	2	4
			WYNDHAM- THE THREE MILE		
TM1		Wyndham District Hospital	44 Minderoo Street	3	
TM2		Wyndham Nurses & Staff Quarters (former)	44 Minderoo Street	3	
TM3	9590	Royal Flying Doctor Service Base (former)	60 Great Northern Highway	3	45
TM4		The Big Croc	Great Northern Highway	3	
TM5		Peoples Church	Kangaroo Drive	3	
TM6		Shire Administration, Council Chambers, Library	65 Koolama Street	3	
TM7		Wyndham Anglican Church	61 Koolama Street (cnr St Pauls Way)	3	
TM8	14666	Wyndham Picture Gardens	47 Koolama Street	2	
TM9	9596	Warriu Park & Statues	23 Koolama Street	2	52
TM10		Wyndham Post Office & former Phone exchange	17 Koolinda Street	3	
TM11		Peter Reid Memorial Hall	65 Koolama Street (off St Peters Way)	3	
TM12		St Joseph's Group	77 Koolama Street (off St Peters Way)	3	
TM13		St Joseph's Catholic Church	77 Koolama Street (off St Peters Way)	3	
TM14		Wyndham Recreation Centre & Pool	2 and 12 Civic Way (off St Paul's Way)	3	
TM15	9581	SITE Native Hospital & Matron's Quarters	Joorook Ngarni Aboriginal Reserve	3	35
TM16		SITE Cambridge Gulf Aerated Water factory	16 Great Northern Highway	4	
TM17	8904	Boab Tree	Wyndham Caravan Park, 2 Baker Street	3	
TM18		SITE Afghan Store		4	

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			WYNDHAM DISTRICT		
			4 MILE		
Wd1		Afghan Cemetery	4 Mile Creek off Great Northern Highway (Astridge Way)	2	1
Wd2		SITE Afghan Settlement	Located south of Bonaparte Street	2	
Wd3		Old Drinking Shed	71 Great Northern highway (located south of Bonaparte Street and the Afghan Settlement)	4	
			6 MILE		
Wd4	9608	SITE Wyndham Airport	Arthur Road (off Great Northern Highway)	4	
Wd5		SITE of The Six Mile Wyndham Community Club Inc	Great Northern Highway	3	
Wd6		Wyndham Turf Club and Racecourse	Great Northern Highway	3	
			7 MILE		
Wd7		Seven Mile Cemetery	Great Northern Highway	2	
			PARRY CREEK		
PC1	9606	Telegraph Station ruins	Parry Creek Reserve	2	
PC2	9603	SITE Chinese Gardens	Parry Creek Reserve	4	
PC3	9561	Chimooly Dam & stockyard remnants	Old Durack Stock Route into Parry Lagoon	4	12
PC4	9612	SITE Curtin's Cowboys camp	Near Parry's Lagoon	4	
			WYNDHAM DISTRICT		
WD1	9579	SITE Lonely Stockman's grave	Parry Creek Road Buttons Gap	2	
WD2	9600	SITE Buttons Gap	6km from Ivanhoe Station	4	
WD3	9604	SITE Cattle dip	Goose Hill Station	4	21
WD4	9569	SITE Fork Creek Community	12 Mile Great Northern Highway	4	
WD5	9595	The Grotto	38 Mile Great Northern Highway	2	50
WD6	9616	38 mile cairn	38 Mile Great Northern Highway	4	
WD7		The Bastion		4	
WD8	9587	Prison Boab	King River and Kurunji Gibb River Roads	3	43
WD9	9580	Moochalabra Dam & Pump Station	King River Road	3	34
WD10		King River Dam	King River Road	3	
WD11	9602	SITE Singh's gardens	King River Road 10 km from Wyndham	4	
			NOT IN REVIEW BRIEF		
	9619	Kurunji	Gibb River Road		
	9607	Café Royale	Mudflat nr Glenelg River		8
		Careening Bay & Boab tree	Prince Regent Nature reserve		9
	9584	Oombulgurri (Former Forrest River Mission)	Forrest River Reserve Cambridge Gulf	2	40
		Oombulgurri Cemetery	Forrest River Cambridge Gulf	2	
		Truscott Base & Airfield	Anjo peninsula Doongan	2	51
	18783	B24 Liberator crash site	Vansittart Bay- off the base		
	12409	Mitchell Lawley Rivers region			
	9613	Koolamba Bay	Mouth of King George River/Joseph Bonaparte		
	9609	Seaplane bay	Cape Bernier		

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	9621	Swift Bay	Montague Sound		
	9574	Kalumburu Mission	Drysdale River	2	28
		Kalumburu Cemetery	Drysdale River	2	
		Kalumburu mission huts	Drysdale River		
	18666	SITE Kalumburu Airfield			
	-	SITE Pago Mission	Pago North of Kalumburu		
		Pago Pago Cemetery	Pago North of Kalumburu	2	
	18703	SITE #317 Radar Station	Pago North of Kalumburu		
	18703	SITE Loran Radar Station	45km from Kalumburu		
	18729	SITE Shady Lady WW2 Forced landing	40km N of Kalumburu Sir Graham Moore Island		
	18722	SITE SS Sunbeam Wreck	Kalumburu Admiralty Gulf		
	18603	SITE C53 Wreck			
		Camden Harbour			
	4156	Association Camp			
	4157	Government Camp			
	4158	Brown's Camp			
	4161	Meadow's lonely grave	Sheep Island		
	4160	Sheep Island Cemetery	Sheep Island		
	4159	SITE Calliance Wreck			
	4162	Marked Boab tree	Camden town		

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6.0 HERITAGE LIST

Categories 1 & 2 places

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Categories have been determined relevant to the assessed level of significance for each place. Implications for each recommendation are also summarised. The Heritage List is subject to the provisions of the Local Planning Policy.

The Heritage List is comprised of:

Category 1 A place of exceptional cultural heritage significance to Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley and the state of Western Australia, that is either in the Heritage Council of Western Australia's (HCWA) Register of Heritage Places (R) or worthy of consideration for entry into the Register.

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			KUNUNURRA		
4	9617	Kununurra Picture Gardens	33-39 Coolibah Drive	2	
6	9563	PWD Mess Hall (former) & Single men's Quarters	47 Coolibah Drive	2	15
10	9577	Kununurra Cemetery	Hidden Valley Road	2	31
14	9589	M1 Pump Station (former)	Lakeview Drive	1	44
24		Ord River Pilot Scheme- Site remnants	Off Victoria Highway / Ord River South side	2	
26	9585	Ord River Diversion Dam	Victoria Highway, Ord River	2	33,41
			KUNUNURRA DISTRICT		
KD1		Ord River Irrigation Area (ORIA) project		2	
KD2	16601 9576 25144	Frank Wise Institute of Tropical Agriculture (fmr) School House (former) SITE of Sandy Block	Durack Drive (off Research Station Road)	1	30
KD3	9753	Ivanhoe Crossing	Ivanhoe Road	2	27
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WP3		SITE: original Wyndham town	Barytes Road	2	
WP4		Cambridge Gulf Magistrate's Residency remnants	Barytes Road	2	
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WT7	4169	Chinese shop Fong Fan's Store & residence (former)	27 O'Donnell Street	2	
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WT9	4168	Chinese Shop Lee Tong Store	33 O'Donnell Street	2	
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WT17	6585	The Bend Cemetery	Great Northern Highway (midway between Port town and the Three Mile)	2	4
WYNDHAM- THE THREE MILE					
TM8	14666	Wyndham Picture Gardens	47 Koolama Street	2	
TM9	9596	Warriu Park & Statues	23 Koolama Street	2	52
WYNDHAM DISTRICT					
4 MILE					
Wd1		Afghan Cemetery	4 Mile Creek off Great Northern Highway (Astridge Way)	2	1
Wd2		SITE Afghan Settlement	Located south of Bonaparte Street	2	
6 MILE					
7 MILE					
Wd7		Seven Mile Cemetery	Great Northern Highway	2	
PARRY CREEK					
PC1	9606	Telegraph Station ruins	Parry Creek Reserve	2	
WYNDHAM DISTRICT					
WD1	9579	SITE Lonely Stockman's grave	Parry Creek Road, Buttons Gap	2	
WD5	9595	The Grotto	38 Mile, Great Northern Highway	2	50
NOT IN REVIEW BRIEF					
	9584	Oombulgurri (Former Forrest River Mission)	Forrest River Reserve Cambridge Gulf	2	40
		Oombulgurri Cemetery	Forrest River Cambridge Gulf	2	
		Truscott Base & Airfield	Anjo peninsula Doongan	2	51
	9574	Kalumburu Mission	Drysdale River	2	28
		Kalumburu Cemetery	Drysdale River	2	
		Pago Pago Cemetery	Pago North of Kalumburu	2	

7.0 ABORIGINAL HERITAGE

The Heritage Inventory under the requirements of the Heritage Act 2018 is relevant to places of Aboriginal significance of the post-contact period only.

The Department of Aboriginal Affairs (DAA) oversees an “Aboriginal Sites Database” and works with Aboriginal people to protect their culture and to protect and manage sites, places and objects of significance to Aboriginal heritage.

8.0 CONCLUSION

The 2023 Local Heritage Survey reiterates the considerable significance of the rich heritage and history of Wyndham East Kimberley’s towns and districts and will provide strategic guidance to conserve those places assessed as having a high level of cultural significance.

9.0 APPENDICES (attached)

Appendix 1	Local Heritage Survey 2023
Appendix 2	Heritage List 2023
Appendix 3	DPLH Guidelines for Local Heritage Surveys
Appendix 4	DPLH Criteria for assessment of Local Places and Heritage areas
Appendix 5	Burra Charter – Foundation of heritage and conservation