

PLACE NAME: MURDI YOUNG (MT. ROTHWELL ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREA)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA SHIRE OF CORIO

ARCHITECTURAL HISTORY (References)

STYLE OR PERIOD: Pre-European Occupation

ARCHITECT(S)/DESIGN ORIGIN: Aboriginal Relic
Reference:BUILDER:
Reference:PRINCIPAL ARTISANS/ARTISTS/TRADES
Reference:TENDER NOTICE:
Reference:DATE(S) OF CONSTRUCTION
Reference:

ESTIMATE/CONTRACT VALUE

SUBSEQUENT WORKS/ALTERATIONS/ADDITIONS

ORIGINAL OWNER(S)/OCCUPANT(S)

SUBSEQUENT SIGNIFICANT OWNERS/OCCUPANTS

OTHER NOTES

NO PICTURE ALLOWED.

NEGATIVE FILE:

☐Australian Heritage Commission
Register of National Estate☐Historic Buildings Preservation Council
Register No.
File No.☐National Trust of Aust. (Vic)
Classified/Recorded
File No.☒Geelong Regional Commission
Register No. 294

IDENTIFICATION DATA

PLACE NAME
ADDRESSMurdi Young (Mt. Rothwell
Archaeological Area)
'Mt. Rothwell',
Little River. 3211.LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA Shire of Corio
TITLE INFORMATION

MAP REFERENCE

PRESENT USE

PRESENT OWNER/LESSEE R.S., V.M., S. & A.E. Chirnside
ADDRESS 'Mt. Rothwell',
Little River. 3211

TELEPHONE

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DOCUMENTATION REFERENCES AND BIOGRAPHIC NOTES

Lane, L., & Fullagar, R.L.K., 'Previously Unrecorded
Aboriginal Stone Alignments in Victoria',
Records of the Victoria Archaeological Survey,
(1980).

(See attached notes.)

CITATION

An oval ground plan of approximately 150m in circumference
of basalt rocks, some very large and standing 75cm above
ground. An adjacent headland contains considerable evidence
of aboriginal occupation.

SIGNIFICANCE OF PLACE

- ☐ its creative and/or technical accomplishment
☒ its demonstration of a way of life, custom, process or function no longer practised.
☐ in danger of being lost or of exceptional interest.
☒ its strong association with an important figure or figures, development, or cultural phase.
☐ its townscape and/or landscape value.
☒ its scarcity value.

SIGNIFICANCE

- ☐ LOCAL ☐ REGIONAL ☒ STATE ☐ NATIONAL ☐ WORLD

CONDITION

- ☐ EXCELLENT ☐ GOOD ☐ FAIR ☐ DETERIORATED ☒ RUINS

INTEGRITY

- ☐ HIGH ☐ LOW ☒ ALTERED ☐ DAMAGED

RECOMMENDATIONS: PROTECTIVE MEASURES

Geelong Regional Commission Register
Victoria Archaeological Survey

DOCUMENTATION -

SIGNATURE

DATE