

1. Booral Public School - classroom, former residence and brick capped well	
Locality: Booral	Heritage Study Code: BO08 Heritage Database Number: 1650490
	
Images taken by Garry Smith	
Address: 2300 The Bucketts Way.	Owner: Minister for Education Training & Youth Affairs Contact: Department of Education Booral
Property Description: Lot 1 DP 797564. Listing includes the following buildings on the site: Classroom and former residence (1883). This includes the brick capped well at the rear of the building.	
<p>Summary of Heritage Significance: The Booral Public School was the third Government school to be established in the Great Lakes Area, and is the oldest continuing school still in operation. The school group includes two buildings that date to around the 19th Century and are therefore rare in view of the substantial rebuilding and replacement of timber schools during the early to mid-20th Century.</p> <p>The school is prominently sited on the Bucketts Way and is a major visual element at the southern extremity of the historically important Australian Agricultural Company's Gloucester Estate.</p> <p>The school buildings are prominently sited and combine with the Booral Community Hall and St Barnabas Anglican Church to form a socially and historically significant group in the region's first important agricultural area.</p>	
Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of Local significance (heritage item I66)	
Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_005A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I66	

2. Booral Soldiers Memorial Hall

Locality: Booral

Heritage Study Code: BO10

Heritage Database Number: 1650494



Images taken by Lillian Cullen



Address: 2296, The Bucketts Way.

Owner: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 1058302.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The simple timber hall, despite some modifications, is sufficiently original to reveal its style and form. It reflects Booral's early 20th Century growth and dependence on the expanding timber milling industry after the brick era of the Australian Agricultural Company. It forms an important highly visible roadside group with the Booral School and St Barnaby's Church. It retains strong community support and use.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I68)

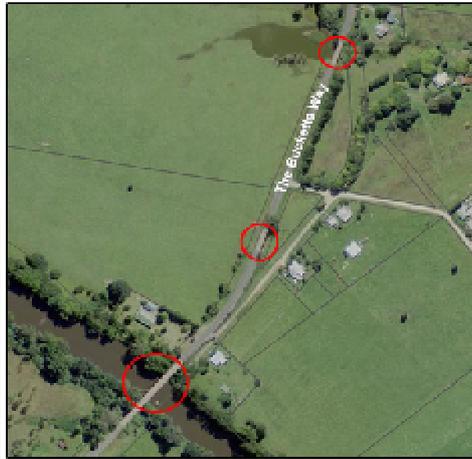
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3. 3 x Concrete Bridges - South of Booral on The Bucketts Way

Locality: Booral

Heritage Study Code: BO11

Heritage Database Number: 1650495



Images taken by Garry Smith and Lillian Cullen

Address: The Bucketts Way, South of Booral

Owner: Roads and Maritime Services

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description:

11a: within The Bucketts Way, adjacent to Lot 1 DP 47370

11b: Within Lot 1 DP 47370

11c: Across the Karuah River, south-east of the existing bridge, off Pt Lot 205 DP 95038

Summary of Heritage Significance: The three concrete bridges are over half a century old and are a record of the importance of the Bucketts Way, then the Pacific Highway, at the time of their construction. They appear to be in original condition and are accessible, highly visible examples of modern, small bridge construction of their era. Their significance is enhanced by their close grouping of three matching examples.

The bridges also add to the historical evidence of the growth and importance of Booral to the Stroud region as an agricultural area, major transport route and administrative centre of the region before the re-routing of the Pacific Highway.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I65a, I65b and I65c)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_005A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I65a, I65b and I65c

4. Two adjoined dwellings - corner of Booral Road and The Bucketts Way

Locality: Booral

Heritage Study Code: BO09

Database Number: 1650493



Image taken by Garry Smith

Address: 2755 Booral Road - located on the corner of Booral Road and The Bucketts Way.

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 82 DP 853953.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The two dwellings are substantially original and establish Booral's historic character in the late 19th Century - early 20th Century. It was during this time that the Australian Agricultural Company prepared to leave the region and dairying and timber industries began to be established. They have very high streetscape and landmark qualities because of their prominent corner location.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I67)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_005A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I67

5. Catholic Church and School Group - Presbytery, St Brigid's Church and St Joseph's Convent

Locality: Bulahdelah

Heritage Study Code: BU06

Database Number: 1650278



Images taken by Garry Smith



Address: 26 Bulahdelah Way, Bulahdelah

Owner: Roman Catholic Church - Myall Coast Catholic Parish

Contact: Catholic Diocese of Maitland - Newcastle

Property Description: Lot 142 DP 753154 The following buildings are to be included in the listing: St Brigid's Church 1927 and St Joseph's Convent 1926.

Summary of Heritage Significance: St Brigid's Church is historically significant in recording the development of the Catholic religion in the region. It is the oldest remaining Catholic Church in the area, other than St Columbanus Church at Stroud. The Catholic Church has a long presence in the Bulahdelah township and local historians tell how the opening of the school in 1959 caused the closing of nearby Markwell Public School due to the strong Catholic presence in the area.

St Brigid's Church has outstanding street presence and is of landmark significance within the Bulahdelah township. Its traditional 20th Century, Gothic style and red brick construction give it strong and appealing visual qualities. The proximity of the first brick Presbytery and the later weatherboard Presbytery enhance the Church's historical significance and together form an important visual group.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of Local significance (heritage item I70)

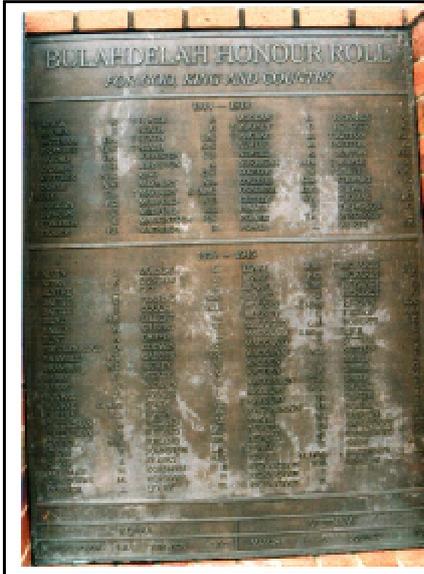
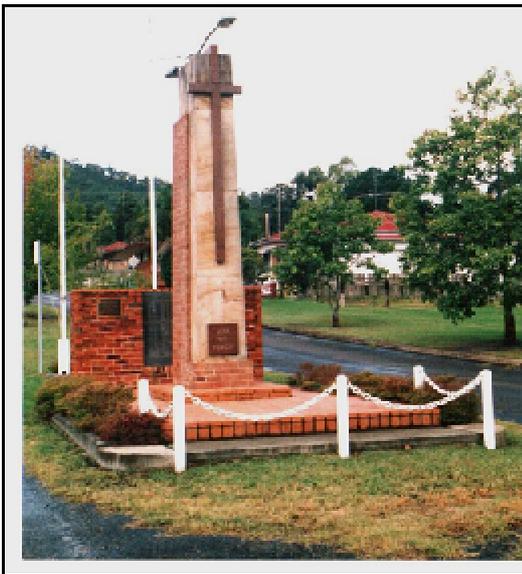
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6. War Memorial - Meade Street

Locality: Bulahdelah

Heritage Study Code: BU19

Database Number: 1650612



Images taken by Garry Smith



Address: Meade Street, Bulahdelah

Owner: Roads and Maritime Services

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Located within the median strip in Meade Street between Bulahdelah and Crawford Streets.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Bulahdelah Cenotaph and War Memorial is a historical and socially significant landmark within the town. Its distinctive appearance and central location makes it a prominent item in the town's built environment.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I69)

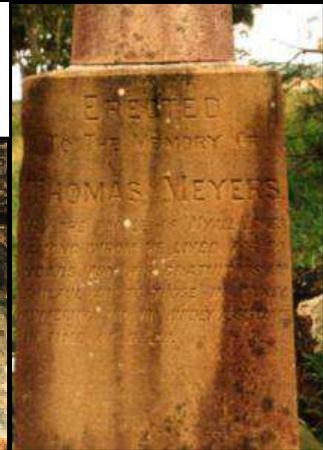
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7. Bungwahl Community Hall & Roll of Honour

Locality: Bungwahl

Heritage Study Code: BW04

Database Number: 1650565



Images taken by Garry Smith



Address: 2473 The Lakes Way

Owner: Trustees School of Arts Bungwahl

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 950982

Summary of Heritage Significance: The timber hall is in substantially original condition (though enlarged) and is a distinctive visual element in the Bungwahl village. It reflects Bungwahl's early 20th Century growth and its dependence on the expanding timber milling industry. The hall was originally built as a School of Arts and as such records the mixed community / cultural / library functions of such buildings in often isolated communities before a range of Local Government cultural facilities were available.

The Bungwahl Hall has strong social significance and retains ongoing community support and use. The hall contains memorial plaques to those who served in WWI, WWII and the Vietnam War. There are also two community memorials placed nearby, one to Mary Bramble and one to Thomas Meyers.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I74)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_012A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I74

8. Bungwahl Public School - Administration Building and Classroom

Locality: Bungwahl

Heritage Study Code: BW02

Database Number: 1650564



Images taken by Garry Smith



Address: 56 Seal Rocks Road, Bungwahl

Owner: Department of Education & Training NSW

Property Description: Lot 479 DP 821624 and Lot 1 DP 1048738. The following buildings on the site are included in the listing: B00A Administration (1884) and B00B Classroom (1912).

Summary of Heritage Significance: Although not the original school building established in 1876, it is an example of the later rusticated weatherboard construction undertaken by the Department of Education in expanding and upgrading of schools throughout NSW in the early 20th Century. In addition the building includes signage depicting the original date of establishment (1876) which provides strong visual evidence of Bungwahl's early years.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I71)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_012A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I71

9. St James Anglican Church

Locality: Bungwahl

Heritage Study Code: BW03

Database Number: 1650285



Images taken by Rebecca Underwood



Address: 2523 The Lakes Way

Owner: Trustees Church Property Diocese Newcastle

Contact: Church of England Property Trust - Forster

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 724147

Summary of Heritage Significance: St Andrew's Church was originally established in 1876 on land donated by Bungwahl's first timber mill owner, Alex Croll. It is one of the region's earliest churches outside of the Australian Agricultural Company's settled areas. The present building is an early 20th Century, 'carpenter gothic' style church in original condition and is prominently sited overlooking the Bungwahl village and Smiths Lake.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I72)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_012A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I72

10. Bungwahl Cemetery	
Locality: Bungwahl	Heritage Study Code: BW05 Database Number: 1650566
	
Image taken by Garry Smith	
Address: 2214-2216 The Lakes Way	Owner: Lot 1 - Trustees Church Property Diocese Newcastle Lot 2 - Roman Catholic Church Contact: Church Property, Parish Secretary - Forster
Property Description: Lots 1 & 2 DP 506289	
Summary of Heritage Significance: The present Bungwahl Cemetery is an example of a country cemetery that is conspicuously located in an unchanged setting. It provides an historical record of Bungwahl marked by a variety of monuments across a range of time periods.	
Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of Local significance (heritage item I73)	
Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_012A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I73	

11. Waterfront - Little Street (including wharf)

Locality: Forster

Heritage Study Code: FO05

Database Number: 1650574



Image taken by Rebecca Underwood and Lillian Cullen

Address:

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Little Street waterfront - wharf, waterside vegetation, the 'Little Street Baths' and concrete block from Albert von Ehlefeldt's shop and bakery.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Little Street waterfront is significant for natural, archaeological and historic reasons. The area has remnants of littoral vegetation, including large fig trees. It is associated historically with Forster's early growth and its relationship to the Wallis Lake foreshore. It contains archaeological remains from early commercial use related to lake water transport. It is visually important to the Forster residential area and socially important to the local community because of its long history of recreational use. It is also believed to have Aboriginal Cultural Heritage significance, and from that potential archaeological significance.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I75)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011D_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I75

12. Forster War Memorial - Little Street

Locality: Forster

Heritage Study Code: FO06

Database Number:1650626



Images taken by Garry Smith

Address: Lot 7378 Little Street

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Lot 7378 DP 1157446, Belton Park waterfront along Little Street.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Forster War Memorial is a public commemoration of those who serviced the country in the World Wars and Vietnam war. It is unusual for its late construction (1980) but this has not lessened its social and historical significance within the community. The memorial is particularly pleasing aesthetically because of its spacious, modern design and waterfront location. It is distinctive among regional war memorials because of these qualities.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I76)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011D_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I76

13. Angel Close Cemetery

Locality: Forster

Heritage Study Code: FO07

Database Number: 1650625



Image taken by Rebecca Underwood



Address: Lot 110 Angel Close

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Lot 110 DP 753168, Reserve 19324

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Angel Close Cemetery is a small, disused cemetery with links to Forster's 19th Century settlement. The only clearly identifiable grave is that of Captain John Pennington. Captain Pennington (spelling also recorded as Penenton and Penerton) was Cape Hawke's first harbour master and the cemetery assumes extra significance for this reason. Other burials are believed to be in the cemetery, including passed-on oral evidence of Aboriginal burials.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I77)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_0011_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I77

14. Forster Breakwater

Locality: Forster

Heritage Study Code: FO08

Database Number: 1650161



Image taken by Geoff Frewin Image taken by Lillian Cullen



Address:

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Cape Hawke Harbour

Summary of Heritage Significance: Forster Breakwater is an important historical landmark from when the area was almost totally dependent upon shipping before the arrival of the railway at Taree in 1913. Cape Hawk Harbour was also important in the development of the area's timber milling, boat building and fishing industries. Commercial and recreational fishing and the use of pleasure craft remain important maritime functions today.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I82)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_008A_011D_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I82

15. Forster-Tuncurry Bridge

Locality: Forster / Tuncurry

Heritage Study Code: TU13

Database Number: 1650620



Address:

Owner: Roads & Maritime Services

Contact: NSW Roads and Traffic Authority -
Newcastle

Property Description:

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Forster-Tuncurry bridge was opened on the 18 July 1959. It opened up the twin towns and eastern part of the Great Lakes area to a new phase of development. Prior to the construction of the bridge the ferry service was the only means of travelling directly between the towns. The ferry service had become increasingly under pressure from the volume of traffic and the challenges of navigating changing sandbanks and shifting channels. The new bridge and the efficient road link it provided affected all aspects of the area's social and economic interaction. It is symbolic of modern day Forster-Tuncurry and its clean, modern style compliments the natural and cultural landscape in the area's urban expansion.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I81)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011C_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I81

16. Forster Ocean Baths

Locality: Forster

Heritage Study Code: FO10

Database Number: 1650371



Image taken by Garry Smith

Address: North Street

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Ocean, swimming baths located on reserve 66029. Lot 7086 DP 1055392

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Forster Ocean Baths are a record of Forster's growth as a tourism destination and a growing seaside urban area during the birth of modern motorised tourism from about the 1920s to the 1960s. This was a period marked by depression and war and yet was a period of growth that helped shape Forster's present day appearance.

The construction and management of the baths reveal much about life during these hard financial times and may be a record of the construction techniques of the time.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I80)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_008A_011D_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I80

17. Old Ferry Wharf Site - off Memorial Drive

Locality: Forster

Heritage Study Code: FO18

Database Number: 1650372



Images taken by Rebecca Underwood and Lillian Cullen

Address: off Memorial Drive

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Located on the Forster side, at the north end of Lot 7098 DP 1051656.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Forster ferry site has local significance in recording the growth of Forster and Tuncurry from two seaside villages into today's modern 'twin towns.' It records the development of past transport patterns, demonstrating the use of a regular ferry service as being intermediate between the early individual use of small service craft and today's use of the Forster-Tuncurry bridge. It provides physical evidence of the long use of the regular ferry service which serviced the two villages / towns for a longer period than the bridge has to date.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I79)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011D_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I79

18. Pilot Hill

Locality: Forster

Heritage Study Code: FO09

Database Number: 1650021



Image taken by Geoff Frewin



Image taken by Lillian Cullen



Address: John Holland Park

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Lot 440 DP 40071, Pt Reserve 79681 Located near Forster Beach Caravan Park.

Summary of Heritage Significance: Pilot Hill is historically significant because of its association with coastal shipping at a time when it was the main transport system along the NSW North Coast. In addition, Pilot Hill played an important part in the growth of towns of Forster and Tuncurry. Its operation was critical for the development of the fishing, boatbuilding and timber industries as well as the transport of passengers and supplies.

Pilot Hill is a low, rounded hill on the southern side of the entrance to Cape Hawke Harbour. A pilot station was established on the site in 1883 to assist ships entering the harbour to navigate a dangerous sandbar. Captain John Pennington was appointed Signaller of the pilot station.

The station originally contained a pilot's residence, quarters for the first boatman, quarters for the second boatman, signal house, signal mast, lighthouse, office, store shed, rocket shed, telescope rocket apparatus, three boats (whale boat, flat bottom punt and launch), a subsidised tug, code flags and Morse lamp. With the development of road and rail systems along the coast, the use of shipping to move goods to and from Sydney diminished and the pilot station was closed in the early 1970s. The last of the buildings were demolished in 1996. The flagpole is the only remaining evidence of the pilot station.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I78)

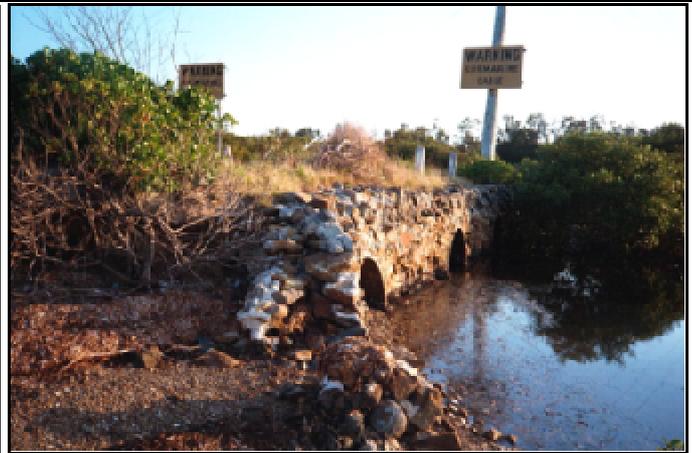
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19. Old Ferry approach - Foreshore Reserve north of Signing Bridge

Locality: Hawks Nest & Winda Woopa

Heritage Study Code: HN02

Database Number: 1650591



Images taken by Norm Cruikshank



Address: Foreshore Reserve Myall River

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Located on the eastern bank of Myall River, north of the Singing Bridge.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The old ferry approach is a reminder of Hawk's Nest's earlier social and economic dependence on the ferry service and should be interpreted jointly with the Singing Bridge which also has historical, aesthetic, social and technical significance. It is in good condition relative to other such crossings along the NSW north coast and as such offers a distinctive landmark.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I83)

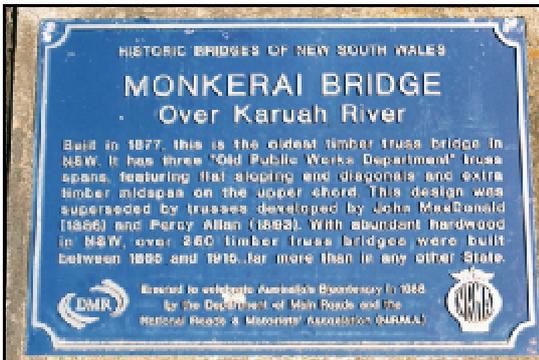
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20. Monkerai Bridge

Locality: Monkerai

Heritage Study Code: MO02

Database Number: 1650294



Images taken by Garry Smith

Address: Monkerai Road

Owner: Roads & Maritime Services

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Monkerai Road crossing over the Karuah River off northern portion of Lot 1 DP 798203.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Monkerai Bridge is listed on the State Heritage Register which provides the following description.

The Monkerai Bridge is one of the most significant bridges in the NSW road network from a heritage perspective. It has been assessed previously as being of heritage significance at a National level (McMillan, Britton & Kell 1998), although it is endorsed and managed by the RTA as being significant at a State level. While the Bridge is of aesthetic and social significance, its high level of heritage significance stems chiefly from it being of great historical and technical significance. The Bridge is the second oldest surviving timber truss bridge in the NSW road network, and is an exceptionally rare example of an Old PWD truss bridge. Old PWD truss bridges were the first in the five-stage development of timber truss bridges in NSW, and represent the genesis of this form of bridge construction. While the Bridge as a whole has been assessed as fulfilling the criteria for listing on the SHR, the various elements that comprise the Bridge are of varying levels of significance: abutments, piers, decking and hand railing are of moderate significance, of works the cross girders are of considerable significance and the truss spans are of exceptional significance. Reference: Monkerai Bridge, Conservation Management Plan, Claire Everett and Raymond Taylor

Date: 2003 Date Significance Updated: 28 Jun 05

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **State** significance (heritage item I84)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004_004_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I84

21. Nabiac Public School - Administration Building and Classroom

Locality: Nabiac

Heritage Study Code: NA09

Database Number: 1650507



Image taken by Leonie Bell

Address: 17 Clarkson Street

Owner: Department of Education & Training NSW

Property Description: Cnr of Clarkson & Hoskins Street. Lot 17 DP 753195. Notes: Listing includes the following buildings; B00A Administration (1884) and B00B Classroom (1912).

Summary of Heritage Significance: Nabiac School is historically significant as one of the earliest schools in the region with unbroken use.

It officially became a public school in 1876 indicating there were a minimum of 25 children in attendance. It operated as a public school until 1943 when it became a central school offering a range of subjects at secondary level. In 1971 it reverted back to a public school which it remains today.

The main building is dated 1884 and this would appear to be the construction date. The School has had many name changes over the years which provide a record of settlement patterns, transport and access routes, village areas and how the social structure developed in the region. It was originally named Wallamba or Wollomba River Upper until 1872; Wallamba River until 1876; Cape Hawk until 1884; Clarkson's Crossing until 1900 and then Nabiac.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I87)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I87

22. St Paul's Anglican Church

Locality: Nahiack

Heritage Study Code: NA10

Database Number: 1650508



Image taken by Lillian Cullen

Address: 38 Clarkson Street

Owner: Church of England Property Trust - Anglican Parish of Forster / Tuncurry

Property Description: Lot 3 Section 3 DP 758747

Summary of Heritage Significance: St Paul's Anglican Church is a typical 20th Century timber church in 'carpenter gothic' style, clad in rusticated weatherboards with corrugated iron roof. It is prominently sited in Clarkson Street and has high streetscape significance and is enhanced by the former rectory opposite.

It demonstrates Nahiack's early 20th Century development as the timber and dairying industries expanded and it records the development of early 20th Century churches in the region.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I89)

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23. St Paul's Rectory	
Locality: Nahiack	Heritage Study Code: NA11 Database Number: 1650509
	
Image taken by Leonie Bell	
Address: 21 Clarkson Street	Owner: Private
Property Description: Lots 11 & 12 DP 5687	
Summary of Heritage Significance: The first rectory was built adjacent to St Paul's Church but was later moved across the road to land opposite the church in 1922. The new rectory was built in the same year. The rectory ceased to function as a rectory in 1979 and was sold as a private residence.	
Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of Local significance (heritage item I88)	
Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I88	

24. Dwelling - 9 Showground Lane

Locality: Nabiac

Heritage Study Code: NA26

Database Number: 1650513



Image taken by Leonie Bell

Address: 9 Showground Lane

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 936568

Summary of Heritage Significance: The building is of a style that is seen in other areas but is rare in Nabiac. It is in substantially original condition and is prominently sited across from the Nabiac Showgrounds. The house is remembered as being the home and consulting rooms of Nabiac's first resident doctor. This association makes it significant in addition to more generally recording the manner in which medical services were provided to country towns in times past.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I90)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I90

25. NABIAC Uniting Church

Locality: NABIAC

Heritage Study Code: NA27

Database Number: 1650514



Images taken by Garry Smith, Leonie Bell and Lillian Cullen

Address: 44 Nabiac Street

Owner: Uniting Church of Australia Trust (NSW)

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 618787

Summary of Heritage Significance: The NABIAC Uniting Church is a substantially original early 20th Century church prominently sited opposite the NABIAC Showground in spacious grounds with a distinctive Camphor Laurel tree at the front. It demonstrates the growth of early 20th Century churches in the region and is an example of NABIAC's buildings during this time.

The addition of the former Wallanbah Church at the rear adds to its historical interest. The custom of relocating timber buildings is common in rural areas and this is viewed as adding to the historical significant rather than diminishing it.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I91)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I91

26. Willow Point Cemetery

Locality: Nahiach

Heritage Study Code: NA43

Database Number: 1650522



Images taken by Leonie Bell



Address: Accessible via Carefree Road from the Pacific Highway or via Willow Point Road, through private property, from Failford.

Owners:
 Lot 1 DP 668410 - Uniting Church of Australia Property Trust (NSW)
 Remaining lots - Private
 Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 668409 - Wesley Methodist, Lot 1 DP 650654 - Church of England, Lot 1 DP 668410 - Presbyterian, Lot 1 DP 1054152 - Roman Catholic, Lot 7318 DP 1137167 - Jewish and general & Lot 1 DP 668443 - general cemetery.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Willow Point Cemetery has historical significance as the first cemetery in the Wallamba Valley. It serviced the area from at least 1873 and probably from the 1860's, but fell from use as other cemeteries were opened in the general area. It is set in an appealing but lonely part of the Wallamba River where its previous access by river can be understood.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I92)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_0011_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I92

27. War Memorial - Clarkson Street

Locality: Nabiac & Wallamba River

Heritage Study Code: NA05

Database Number: 1650503



Image taken by Garry Smith

Address: 70A Clarkson Street

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Lot 6 Sec 1 DP 758747 (Memorial Reserve 90741)

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Nabiac War Memorial is historically and socially significant in the manner that all Australia's war memorials are significant. The Cenotaph's height, distinctive appearance and centre of town setting make it a prominent item in the town's built environment and the central item in the town's Heritage Conservation Area.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I85)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I85

28. Timber Mill & Bullock Wharf site

Locality: Nahiack

Heritage Study Code: NA33 & NA34

Database Number: 1650516



Images taken by Rebecca Underwood

Address: Nahiack Street

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Land

Property Description: Located at the river end of Nahiack Street - Bullocky Wharf Recreation Reserve. Lot 7011 DP 1028701

Summary of Heritage Significance: The site is an important record of the historical and economic growth of the late 19th Century and early 20th Century in Nahiack and the Wallamba Valley. During this time Nahiack prospered (within the relatively limited prosperity of the North Coast), as a timber milling and dairying settlement.

The area's riverside setting is evocative of its former function despite some weed growth and loss of all physical remains except for some wharf piles.

Such trading/transport complexes were once reasonably common on the lower river valleys along the North Coast. Most sites have little or no physical remains but have archaeological significance as well as historical significance. In this regard, the Nahiack site appears to have suffered little disturbance and may have a high level of archaeological significance because of this.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I86)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I86

29. Old Mill Well

Locality: Nerong

Heritage Study Code: NE02

Database Number: 1650523



Images taken by Garry Smith



Address: Whimbrel Drive

Owner: National Parks & Wildlife Service

Property Description: Lot 181 DP 753190 and adjacent foreshore.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Well serviced a nearby sawmill (not domestic water) and was part of the Nerong timber milling village. It is believed to be just over 30 meters deep.

Timber villages were once common along the NSW East Coast and particularly along the North Coast. Most have been lost with the passing of time and changes to the timber milling industry. Nerong timber milling village is believed to be one of the earliest such villages in the region and once contained around ten houses, a store, church as well as the mill. The site also has associations with the early timber milling families.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I93)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_009_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I93

30. Pyramids - Wamwarra Bay

Locality: Smiths Lake

Heritage Study Code: SL01

Database Number: 1650581



Images taken by Garry Smith and Rebecca Underwood

Address: Lot 7044 Foreshore Reserve

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Land

Property Description: The Smith Lakes traps are located on Lot 7044 DP 1059824, Wamwarra Bay, opposite 2291 The Lakes Way, Tarbuck Bay.

Summary of Heritage Significance: As part of preparing for possible invasion during World War II, there were a number of points along the NSW coast and beyond that were equipped with various emergency facilities, including gun emplacements, emergency aerodromes and anti-landing devices. The pyramids are thought to have been constructed as anti-landing devices and have historical and research significance in understanding Australia's defence system at a time of feared military invasion.

There are two rows of seven concrete pyramids or tetrahedrons extending from the edge of dry land to the water of Smiths Lake. The pyramids are approximately 1700mm high, although depth in ground is not known, and approximately 1700mm across each face at ground level. A row of naturally found timber poles about 250mm diameter and approximately 900mm apart, extends from the shoreline to the roadway.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of Local significance (heritage item I94)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_012A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I94

31. Dwelling - 39 Berkeley Street

Locality: Stroud

Heritage Study Code: ST26

Database Number: 1650533



Image taken by Lillian Cullen

Address: 39 Berkeley Street

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 3 DP 1088361

Summary of Heritage Significance: The dwelling known as Hollydene is an intact, original example of a typical 20th Century Federation style bungalow. It reflects the late 19th Century to early 20th Century growth that Stroud enjoyed following the winding down and eventual exit of the Australian Agricultural Company. This coincided with the establishment of the dairy industry and the expansion of the timber milling industry. These created a new era of prosperity for Stroud and gave a new character to the town and its surroundings.

The building's historic significance is also enhanced by its use as a coach staging point. Hollydene is prominently located on the southern approaches to Stroud and, along with 46 and 51 Berkeley Street, adds to the range of historic buildings that are readily visible.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I96)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004B_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I96

32. Dwelling - 46 Berkeley Street

Locality: Stroud

Heritage Study Code: ST27

Database Number: 1650534



Image taken by Lillian Cullen

Address: 46 Berkeley Street

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 1095460

Summary of Heritage Significance: The dwelling is an intact, original example of late 19th Century to early 20th Century bungalow of plank construction. This type of construction was a progression of the earlier split slab construction and developed after about 1860 as sawn timber became more readily available. At the time it was the major construction type for rural buildings but has suffered over the years because of the use of corner-post stability rather than a braced balloon frame and the use of single, unlined walls.

As with the nearby 39 and 51 Berkeley Street, the dwelling is prominently located on the southern approaches to Stroud and adds to the range of historic buildings that are readily visible.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I97)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004B_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I97

33. Dwelling - 51 Berkeley Street

Locality: Stroud

Heritage Study Code: ST28

Database Number: 1650535



Images taken by Garry Smith



Image taken by Lillian Cullen



Address: 51 Berkeley Street

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 3 Sec N DP 95902

Summary of Heritage Significance: The dwelling is an intact, original example of late 19th Century to early 20th Century bungalow of plank construction. This type of construction was a progression of the earlier split slab construction and developed after about 1860 as sawn timber became more readily available. At the time it was the major construction type for rural buildings but has suffered over the years because of the use of corner-post stability rather than a braced balloon frame and the use of single, unlined walls.

As with the nearby 39 and 46 Berkeley Street, the dwelling is prominently located on the southern approaches to Stroud and adds to the range of historic buildings that are readily visible.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I98)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004B_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I98

34. Dwelling - 27 Cowper Street

Locality: Stroud

Heritage Study Code: ST34

Database Number: 1650536



Images taken by Garry Smith



Images taken by Lillian Cullen



Address: 27 Cowper Street

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 130 DP 544206

Summary of Heritage Significance: The dwelling is an intact example of a typical 19th Century to early 20th Century Federation style bungalow. It reflects the late 19th Century to early 20th Century growth that Stroud enjoyed following the winding down and eventual exit of the Australian Agricultural Company. This coincided with the establishment of the dairy industry and the expansion of the timber milling industry. These created a new era of prosperity for Stroud and gave a new character to the village and its surroundings.

The house combines with numbers 31, 37 and 49 Cowper Street to provide an example of Stroud's character during this time. It adds to the range of building styles and is located at the northern entry to the village.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I99)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004B_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I99

35. Stroud Showground

Locality: Stroud

Heritage Study Code: ST32

Database Number: 1650268



Images taken by Lillian Cullen



Address: 36 Cowper Street

Owner: MidCoast Council

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 719494

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Stroud Showground is aesthetically significant for its picturesque setting, the abundance of significant trees including the formal planting around the arena and its fine early 20th Century showground character. It makes an important contribution to the Stroud village by softening the formal quality of the village. The showgrounds have historical value for its strong association with the Australian Agricultural Company and early development in Australia. It has also been in continuous use as a recreational area and showgrounds since 1922.

The Grandstand is a well-crafted stand that compliments the nearby vernacular pavilions and accentuates the main focus of the grounds by defining the western boundary of the arena. The grandstand is believed to have been built as a WW I memorial and has a plaque and setting in commemoration of those who served.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I100)

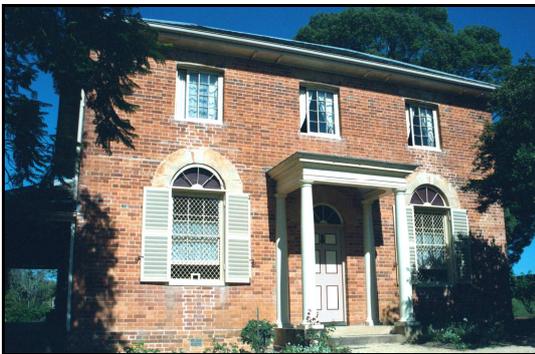
Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004B_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I100

36. Quambi House

Locality: Stroud

Heritage Study Code: ST18

Database Number: 1650200



Images taken by Garry Smith

Address: 87 Cowper Street, Stroud

Owner: MidCoast Council

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Lot 130 DP 544206

Summary of Heritage Significance:

Quambi House is significant because of its association with the Australia Agricultural Company, Stroud's early development and early pastoral endeavour in Australia. It is significant as the oldest surviving (former) school, now operating as a museum, on the NSW North Coast and as one of the oldest surviving school buildings in NSW.

Quambi House is aesthetically significant because of its simple but elegant early colonial Georgian architecture. It is a major visual element in the Stroud Heritage Conservation area and combines with the adjacent St Johns group (church, cemetery, hall, and rectory) as the heritage focus within the Stroud Heritage Conservation area.

Register of the National Estate 20/12/1976, State listing date:21/03/78

LEP Change: Amend Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage, to show item I46, Quambi House as being an item of **State** significance.

No amendment required to the associated LEP Heritage Map.

37. War Memorial - Memorial Avenue

Locality: Stroud

Heritage Study Code: ST38

Database Number: 1650376



Images taken by Garry Smith



Address: Memorial Avenue

Owner: Roads & Maritime Services

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Located within Memorial Avenue road reserve near Gloucester Street.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Stroud War Memorial is historically and socially significant in the manner that all of Australia's war memorials are significant. It is located within the Stroud Heritage Conservation Area and is a combination of brick and rendered brick surfaces. The elongated crosses on the sides give the monument a 1920s-30s art deco style.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I95)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004B_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I95

38. Old Brick Kiln

Locality: Stroud Road

Heritage Study Code: SD11

Database Number: 1650033



Images taken by Rebecca Underwood and Garry Smith



Address: 520 The Bucketts Way

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 996294

Summary of Heritage Significance: The brick kiln remains historically significant as it most likely relates to the early days of occupation of the valley by the Australian Agricultural Company. It is believed that the kiln was used as a camp oven by the company.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I104)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I104

39. Railway Bridge - over Karuah River

Locality: Stroud Road

Heritage Study Code: SD09

Database Number: 1650111



Image taken by Garry Smith

Address: North Coast Railway line

Owner: Australian Railtrack Corporation

Property Description: Railway bridge over Karuah River near community of Stroud Road

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Railway Bridge is historically significant as a component of the North Coast Rail, which was the last major rail line built in NSW. The North Coast Rail completely changed the transport infrastructure of the area with resultant economic and social change. It created new villages and transport points as was the case with the creation of Stroud Road. The rail created expansion in the dairy industry by providing fast, reliable transport and changed the way the hardwood timber industry functioned by providing rail loading points away from the traditional water transport points.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I101)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I101

40. Stroud Road Community Hall

Locality: Stroud Road

Heritage Study Code: SD03

Database Number: 1650580



Images taken by Garry Smith and Lillian Cullen



Address: 8 The Bucketts Way

Owner: Stroud Road Community Hall & Progress Association

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 1032311

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Stroud Road Community Hall is a typical country community hall in substantially original condition and is sited in the Stroud Road village area. It records the community and spiritual growth of the area by way of its use as a church hall, community hall and for present day church services.

It also adds to the range of construction styles and techniques used in rural timber buildings.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I103)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I103

41. Stroud Road Public School - Classroom and Weather Shed

Locality: Stroud Road

Heritage Study Code: SD04

Database Number: 1650624



Images taken by Garry Smith



Address: 733 The Bucketts Way

Owner: Department of Education & Training NSW

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 794883. The following buildings on the site are included in the listing; B00A Classroom (1918), B00B Weather Shed (1918).

Summary of Heritage Significance: Stroud Road Public School is a substantially original early 20th Century school house prominently sited on The Bucketts Way. It is an intact and conspicuous example of its style and era and broadens the range of civic, community and service buildings that form the Stroud Road Village.

The school reflects Stroud Road's beginnings as a railway village after the arrival of the railway in 1912. At this time Stroud Road eclipsed Telegherry in the south as the first village and service point north from Stroud on the road to Gloucester, Taree and Port Macquarie. Telegherry School closed in favour of Stroud Road in 1919.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I102)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I102

42. Dwelling and Former Anglican Church - 181 Myall Street

Locality: Tea Gardens

Heritage Study Code: TG02 (Church) and TG03 (Dwelling)

Database Number:1650543



Dwelling - images taken by Rebecca Underwood



Former Anglican Church - image taken by Lillian Cullen

Address: 181 Myall Street

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 10 DP 996102 (Former Anglican Church located at the rear of 181 Myall Street)

Summary of Heritage Significance:

TGO03 (Dwelling) - The dwelling is a good example of housing in Tea Gardens development during the early 20th Century. It was an important period due to the expansion of the fishing and timber industries and is the period from which Tea Gardens gets its present day historical character.

The cottage is well presented with original or carefully replaced detail such as the appropriate hardwood picket fence. Although there is no historical connection with the former St Andrew's Church located behind the dwelling, together they form a prominent and visually appealing pair.

TGO02 (Church) - The former St Andrew's Anglican Church is historically significant because of its association with the Australian Agricultural Company at a time when the Company was preparing its departure from the Port Stephens Estates. It is prominently located and retains a high level of original condition, despite the addition of a timber decking.

The church is one of the oldest surviving buildings in Tea Gardens and was built with the help of community fund raising. It was dedicated the Church of St Andrews by the Bishop of Newcastle on 9 December 1910. In 1998, it was de-consecrated, sold and moved to the adjoining property.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I109)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_010D_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I109

43. Large Fig Tree - road reserve Marine Drive

Locality: Tea Gardens

Heritage Study Code: TG17

Database Number: 1650551



Images taken by Garry Smith and Nick Green



Address: Road Reserve Marine Drive

Owner: Roads & Maritime Services

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: located in road reserve in front of 57 Marine Drive.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Fig Tree is a significant streetscape element and is historically significant in recording Tea Gardens' earlier growth. It is believed to date from at least the early 20th Century.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I105)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_010D_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I105

44. Marine Slipway - Anzac Park

Locality: Tea Gardens

Heritage Study Code: TG30

Database Number: 1650377



Image taken by Norm Cruikshank and Lilian Cullen



Address: Anzac Park

Owner & Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Pt Lot 45 DP 151242 located at the eastern end of the foreshore reserve.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Slipway is an important visual record of Tea Gardens' maritime setting and its dependence on water transport for its historical development. It also illustrates the continuing importance of water transport to Tea Gardens' current way of life and economy.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I107)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_010D_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I107

45. 2 x Norfolk Island Pine Trees - road reserve Marine Drive

Locality: Tea Gardens

Heritage Study Code: TG34

Database Number: 1650585



Image taken by Garry Smith

Address: Road Reserve - Marine Drive

Owner: Roads & Maritime Services

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Located in the road reserve in front of 45 Marine Drive.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The two Norfolk Island Pine Trees have a high level of aesthetic significance. They are tall, stately trees of landmark importance. They relate to the area's past development and are probably early 20th Century plantings.

Norfolk Island Pines are typically seaside and river bank plantings in NSW and form significant coastal features. They were frequently planted in river and estuary shipping areas as property markers.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I106)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_010D_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I106

46. Memorial Park (including the entry gates)

Locality: Tea Gardens

Heritage Study Code: TG36

Database Number: 1650584



Address: 9 Witt Street

Owner: MidCoast Council

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 719495

Summary of Heritage Significance: Memorial Park is historically significant as a memorial to those who served in WW1 and as recording the development of Tea Gardens during the early to mid-20th Century. It also has social significance to the people of Tea Gardens and forms an aesthetically pleasing and popular open space.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I110)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_010D_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I110

47. War Memorial - Anzac Park

Locality: Tea Gardens

Heritage Study Code: TG31

Database Number:1650378



Images taken by Nick Green



Address: Anzac Park

Owner: MidCoast Council

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Pt Lot 45 DP 151242. Located within the foreshore reserve on Marine Drive.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Tea Gardens War Memorial is historically and socially significant in the manner that all Australia's war memorials are significant. Its later construction adds to the significance as it demonstrates the enduring place that Australia's war service has in today's society and in the understanding of the past.

The Memorial also has aesthetic significance because of its design and setting on the bank of the Myall River.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I108)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_010D_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I108

48. Dwelling - 501 The Bucketts Way

Locality: Telegherry

Heritage Study Code: TE01

Database Number:1650616



Images taken by Garry Smith



Address: 501 The Bucketts Way

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 1 DP 797984

Summary of Heritage Significance: The former Teacher's residence for Telegherry Public School is historically significant in recording the area's growth. It also documents the change following the arrival of the North Coast railway in 1912 which brought about the demise of Telegherry as the first village north from Stroud on the road to Port Macquarie in favour of the new locality, Stroud Road.

It also records the development of education during the 19th and early 20th Centuries and relates to the first Telegherry school building in the former shearing shed, which was the first public school opened in the region.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I111)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_004A_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I111

49. The Green Cathedral (including adjacent wharf remains)

Locality: Tiona

Heritage Study Code: TI01

Database Number:1650617



Images taken by Garry Smith

Address: 4451 The Lakes Way

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Land

Contact: Community of Christ Australian Region National Office

Property Description: Lot 7127 DP 1074971. Located at the southern end of the property.

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Green Cathedral is important for social, aesthetic and historical reasons as the first and only outdoor Cathedral in the area. The adjacent wharf remains are also included in the listing.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I112)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_0012_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I112

50. 6 x Canary Island Palm Trees - Taree Street

Locality: Tuncurry

Heritage Study Code: TU10

Database Number:5063373



Images taken by Rebecca Underwood



Address: Taree Street

Owner: Roads & Maritime Services

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Taree Street Road Reserve near Tokelau

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Canary Island Palm trees and nearby Norfolk Island Pine trees are associated with Tuncurry's late 19th and early 20th Century development. The Canary Island Palm trees were popular from around WW I and one theory is that they were planted from seeds brought back from the Middle East after the war. They are also believed to have been planted by the Wright family who were local residents and prominent in Tuncurry's early development because of their ship building and timber milling businesses.

The trees are prominent elements of the streetscape and form part of the Tuncurry Heritage Conservation Area. The scenic impact of these remaining historical items, the Forster-Tuncurry bridge and the views over the northern end of Wallis Lake is outstanding and shapes the way the area is perceived by visitors and local residents alike.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I115)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011C_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I115

51. Former Tuncurry Public School (now a Museum)

Locality: Tuncurry

Heritage Study Code: TU21

Database Number:1650176



Image taken by Lillian Cullen Images taken by Garry Smith



Address: 3 Capel Street

Owner: Private

Property Description: Lot 5 DP 1213611, Reserve 91224

Summary of Heritage Significance: Tuncurry's first public school was established in June 1881 as a provisional school. It became a full public school in March 1882 but continued to be known as Forster North until September 1891. The building has been relocated from its original site and is now used as part of the Great Lakes Historical Society museum. It has historical significance because of its age and being Tuncurry's first school; its current role as a museum also adds a degree of social significance within the community.

The building is a rare survivor from the early weatherboard period and is clad in the earlier splayed type of weatherboards. A plaque exhibited on the front, external wall regarding funding for the replaced roof sheeting indicates an association with the prominent (formally local) Fazio family.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I119)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011C_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I119

52. John Wright Park

Locality: Tuncurry

Heritage Study Code: TU08

Database Number:1650621



Images taken by Rebecca Underwood

Address: Manning Street

Owner:

Lots A & B DP 376137: MidCoast Council

Remaining lots: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Land

Contact: MidCoast Council - Forster Office

Property Description: Lots 7030 & 7031 DP 1116836, Lot 7044 DP 1116839, Lot 267 DP 753207, Lot 7028 & 7027 DP 1000967, Lot 7029 DP 1116845 and Lots A & B DP 376137

Summary of Heritage Significance: John Wright Park is a significant public waterfront area with links to Tuncurry's early development as a waterfront timber milling and boat building settlement. It is adjacent to the Forster-Tuncurry bridge and is a part of the important view when entering Forster and Tuncurry. The park has links to John Wright and the Wright family, acknowledged as beginning the area's European settlement, by way of previous land ownership and the Norfolk Island Pine trees, planted by Ernest Wright.

The park is valued by residents and visitors for its scenic and recreational qualities and it is an important element in the Tuncurry Heritage Conservation Area.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I113)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011C_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I113

53. 2 x Norfolk Island Pine Trees - Manning Street

Locality: Tuncurry

Heritage Study Code: TU11

Database Number:5063374



Images taken by James Bucknell

Address: Manning Street

Owner: Private

Property Description: Trees located near number 18-20 Manning Street SP 19711 and 22 Manning Street SP 69922

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Norfolk Island Pine Trees are a distinctive landmark feature in the Tuncurry Heritage Conservation Area. The trees are believed to have been planted by the Wright family and are estimated to be in excess of 100 years old. They have historical significance because of their age, association with Tuncurry's early development including one of the first European families to settle in the area; the Wright Family.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I116)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011C_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I116

54. Memorial Park & former Ferry Crossing - south of Forster-Tuncurry bridge

Locality: Tuncurry

Heritage Study Code: TU14

Database Number:1650619



Images taken by Rebecca Underwood

Address: Coral Avenue

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Lot 232 DP 753207 (Pt Res 88846). Ferry crossing located south of bridge on Tuncurry side.

Summary of Heritage Significance: Memorial Park is a small but significant area of recreational open space within the Tuncurry Heritage Conservation Area. It provides attractive views across Wallis Lake to the entrance of Cape Hawke Harbour and retains a link with Forster-Tuncurry's early urban, economic and social development by way of the former waterfront industry and the site of the former ferry crossing wharf.

The former ferry crossing site first operated from around 1890 and included a row boat and a flat bottomed boat used to carry passengers, stage sulkies and buggies. Ownership of the service changed a number of times and was the only route of access between Forster and Tuncurry until the bridge was opened in 1959.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I117)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011C_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I117

55. Rotunda (including BBQ area) - Point Road

Locality: Tuncurry

Heritage Study Code: TU15

Database Number: 5063375



Images taken by James Bucknell and Garry Smith



Address: Point Road

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Lot 7309 DP 1130452 (PtRes 88846).

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Tuncurry Rotunda was constructed as part of the Tuncurry baths in 1939. It is the last remaining building in a complex that included baths, change rooms, recreational pavilion and a sundeck. The baths in conjunction with the nearby Memorial Hall formed a popular entertainment area for local residents and tourists alike. The Rotunda survives from an era of great change in Forster - Tuncurry's history as a growing township and tourist destination. It is also an important feature in the Tuncurry Heritage Conservation Area.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I118)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011C_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I118

56. Slipway - John Wright Park

Locality: Tuncurry

Heritage Study Code: TU09

Database Number:1650269



Address: Lot 3 Manning Street

Owner: NSW Trade & Investment - Crown Lands

Property Description: Lot 3 Sec 8 DP 759005 (Pt John Wright Park & Tuncurry Foreshore).

Summary of Heritage Significance: The Tuncurry Slipway is a functioning slipway that has connections to the early days of European settlement and to Tuncurry's boat building and fishing industries. It is an important part of Tuncurry's waterfront character and a feature within the Heritage Conservation Area. The slipway was sold to the local fisherman's Co-op in early 1950 and is still in use today.

Great Lakes LEP Change: Addition of this item to Part 1 of Schedule 5 - Environmental Heritage as an item of **Local** significance (heritage item I113)

Amend Map Identification Number 3320_COM_HER_011C_080_20160914 to include the location of heritage item I113