Glen Eira Classified Tree Register TREE REPORT



Tree number: 12/CTR/2020

Date of Assessment: 23/12/2021

Assessing Officer: Christian Renaud

Tree Owner: Private Tree

Address: 2 Woornack Rd, Carnegie

Location: Private Open Space

Record type: Single Specimen Tree

Number of trees: 01

Botanical name: Eucalyptus camaldulensis

Common name: River Red Gum

Structural Root Zone (SRZ): 3.39m

Approximate age: 350+ years

Diameter at breast height: 147cm

Tree Protection Zone (TPZ): 15m

Tree height: 20m

Tree canopy width: 16m

Easting: 329098 **Northing:** 5803828

Glen Eira Asset ID: N/A





Statement of significance:

This tree fulfils the criteria of:

- Horticultural or Genetic Value
- Unique Location or Context
- Particularly Old Specimen
- Outstanding Size
- Outstanding Example of Species
- · Outstanding Habitat and Biodiversity Value

This large, mature River Red Gum could represent a source of future propagating stock as it is a remnant tree predating colonial settlement in the area from a time when the natural intermittent watercourse flowed along the path of Koornang Rd. The tree has a significant trunk girth, with spreading canopy and is 300+ years old. It is and outstanding, large tree and is unique in being one of the few remnant trees growing on private lands within GECC. The tree has previously suffered due to lack of sufficient protection and care from past developments close to the tree but is showing good signs of recovery. It should continue to respond well to future care and protection. The tree attracts a range of native birdlife and has some hollows present that may be serving as nesting sites.