

Glen Eira Classified Tree Register

TREE REPORT

Tree number: 362/CTR/2022

Date of Assessment: 16/03/2022

Assessing Officer: Christian Renaud

Tree Owner: Council Tree

Address: Caulfield Park,
Inkerman Rd, Caulfield North

Location: Public Park

Record type: Single Specimen Tree

Number of trees: 01

Botanical name: *Combretum caffrum*

Common name: South African Bushwillow

Structural Root Zone (SRZ): 3.6m

Approximate age: 85+ years

Diameter at breast height: 113cm

Tree Protection Zone (TPZ): 13.6m

Tree height: 18m

Tree canopy width: 22m

Easting: 326709.3

Northing: 5806748.2

Glen Eira Asset ID: TP102276



Statement of significance:

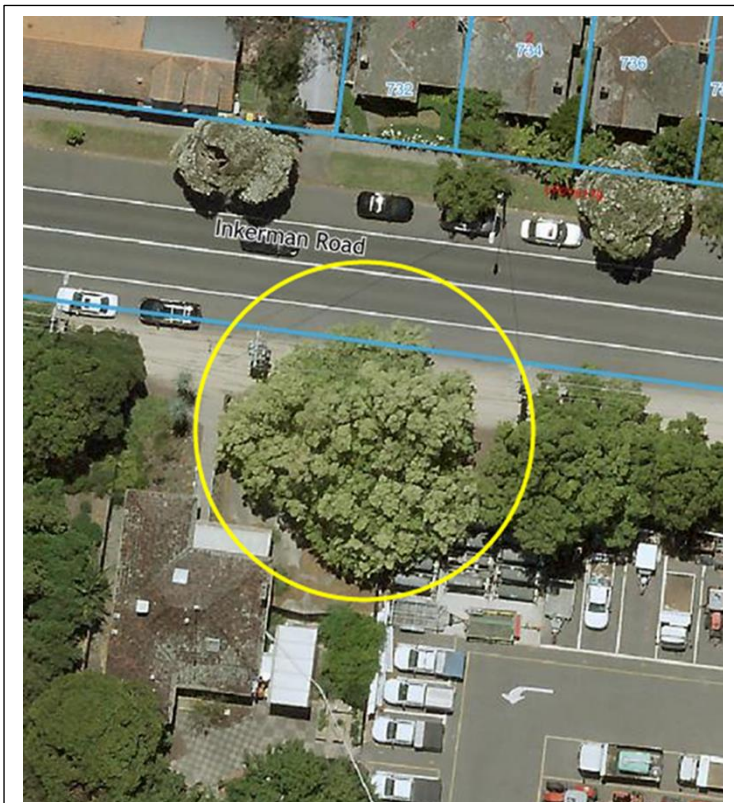
This tree fulfils the criteria of:

- Horticultural or genetic value
- Unique location or context
- Particularly old specimen
- Outstanding size (girth height spread)
- Aesthetic value
- An outstanding example of the species

This is a large, healthy and well-formed example of the species that could represent an important source of propagating stock in the future. It is uniquely located at the entrance to the Glen Eira Parks Depot at Caulfield Park and makes a major contribution to the landscape.

The tree is estimated at over 85 years old and has an outstanding trunk girth and canopy spread which make it striking and a prominent feature of the area. The canopy provides substantial amenity to the community with significant coverage and shading over the Depot carpark and the public walking track around the perimeter of the park.

This tree is an outstanding example of the species that is regionally significant. It is of comparable size and condition to the Heritage Victoria listed Bushwillow located in Hopetoun Gardens, with the two trees possibly planted at the same time.

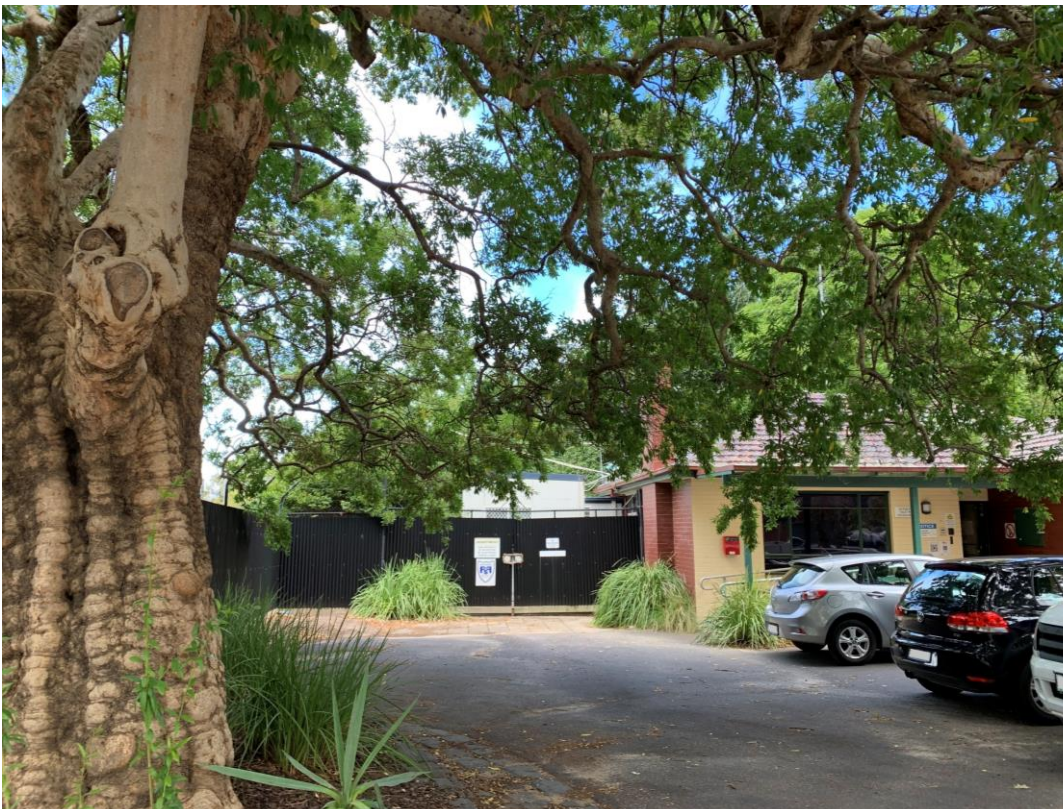


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Aerial photograph from 1945



Significant canopy spread reaching over the Parks Depot carpark