Glen Eira Classified Tree Register TREE REPORT



Tree number: 63/CTR/2020

Date of Assessment: 26/07/2021

Assessing Officer: Christian Renaud

Tree Owner: Council Tree

Address: 21 Mitchell Rd, Caulfield North

Location: Public Open Space

Record type: Single Specimen Tree

Number of trees: 01

Botanical name: Syzygium smithii

Common name: Lilly Pilly

Structural Root Zone (SRZ): 3.7m

Approximate age: 50+ years

Diameter at breast height: 129.7cm

Tree Protection Zone (TPZ): 15m

Tree height: 18m





Statement of significance:

This tree fulfils the criteria of:

- Outstanding Size (girth height spread)
- Aesthetic value
- Outstanding habitat and biodiversity value

This is a particularly large and old example of this common native species within Glen Eira, with an impressive trunk girth and full, spreading canopy. It is the largest tree in the street which is predominantly planted with the same species.

The tree makes a striking contribution to the local landscape, providing amenity and enhancing the neighbourhood character.

Residents have noted that the tree supports a range of native wildlife particularly when flowering and in fruit, such as rainbow lorikeets, tawny frogmouths, ringtail possums and fruit bats.