



Permit Exemption No: P35651

Ms Conor Hickey
Collingwood Children's Farm
18 ST HELIERS STREET
ABBOTSFORD VIC 3067

Via email: conor@farm.org.au

Dear Ms Hickey,

RE: Permit Exemption Application Number P35651, FORMER CONVENT OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, CLARKE STREET and ST HELLIERS STREET ABBOTSFORD, Yarra City (H0951)

Thank you for your request of 29 September 2021 seeking a permit exemption for works or activities to the above registered place. I confirm receipt of the following documents in support of your request:

- Heritage Impact Statement prepared by John Briggs Architect and Heritage Consultant, dated 28 September 2021
- Heritage Victoria's Permit Exemption Application
- Consent Letter from Marc Boxer, A/Program Manager, Port Philip Region, DELWP, dated 20 September 2021
- Additional information received via an email from John Briggs Architect and Heritage Consultant, dated 5 October 2021
- Images of Collingwood Children's Farm

Your request has now been assessed and it has been determined that the following works or activities do not harm the cultural heritage significance of the place and, therefore, do not require a permit pursuant to s92(3) of the Heritage Act 2017 (the Act):

Description of activity exempted from requiring a permit, in accordance with the documents referred to above:

- **Removal of the garden bed materials such as steel picket fences, timber post and plank fences, corrugate iron fences, raised timber plank garden beds, steel pipe enclosures and other makeshift structures associated with the Community Garden, located at the Collingwood Children's Farm.**

Please Take Note: prior to the commencement of works you must obtain all necessary local law, planning, building and/or other approvals from the local Council or other regulatory authority. Failure to comply with other applicable laws and regulations may subject you to enforcement action.

Approved works or activities are to be planned and carried out in a manner which prevents damage to the registered place/object. However, if other previously hidden original or inaccessible details of the object or place are uncovered, any works that may affect such items must immediately cease.

The Executive Director, Heritage Victoria must be notified of the details immediately to enable Heritage Victoria representatives to inspect and record the items, and for discussion to take place on the possible retention of the items, or the issue of a modified approval.



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All works must cease, and Heritage Victoria must be contacted if historical archaeological artefacts or deposits are discovered during any excavation or subsurface works. Should any munitions or other potentially explosive artefacts be discovered, Victoria Police is to be immediately alerted and the site is to be immediately cleared of all personnel.

If you have any queries please contact Ann Gove, Heritage Officer, on (03) 8508 0081 or ann.gove@delwp.vic.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,

Caitlin Mitropoulos

Senior Heritage Officer (Major Projects)

Heritage Victoria

(As delegate for the Executive Director, Heritage Victoria, pursuant to the instrument of delegation)

11/10/2021

CC Owner: Planning Approvals Port Phillip Region (Marc Boxer) (enviroplan.portphillip@delwp.vic.gov.au)

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