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# REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES

## Permanent Entry

- 1. DATA BASE No.** 3344
- 2. NAME** *Anzac Cottage* (1916)
- 3. LOCATION** 38 Kalgoorlie Street, Mount Hawthorn
- 4. DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY**  
Lot 15 on Plan 1659, being the whole of the land comprised in Certificate of Title Volume 1918 Folio 578
- 5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA** Town of Vincent
- 6. OWNER** Vietnam Veterans Association of Australia (W.A. Branch) Inc
- 7. HERITAGE LISTINGS**

• Register of Heritage Places:	Interim Entry	23/06/2000
• National Trust Classification:	Permanent Entry	20/10/2000
• Town Planning Scheme:	Classified	12/06/1989
• Municipal Inventory:	Adopted	27/11/1995
• Register of the National Estate:	Permanent	28/05/1996
- 8. CONSERVATION ORDER**  
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- 9. HERITAGE AGREEMENT**  
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- 10. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE**  
*Anzac Cottage*, a substantially intact single storey, four-roomed brick and tile residence in the Federation Queen Anne style, has cultural heritage significance for the following reasons:
  - the place was the first war memorial built in Australia to commemorate the participation of Australian troops in World War I;
  - the place is representative of the effect that Australia's role in World War I, and the role of the Anzacs in particular, had on the Western Australian community in the immediate aftermath of the Gallipoli campaign;
  - the place is a rare example of an architect designed workers' cottage. While the internal arrangement is a conventional configuration, the combination of materials and detailing is unusual for workers' cottages from the era;

the place is a good example of a modest residential building constructed in suburban Perth in the 1910s, which is made exceptional by virtue of the circumstances of its construction by the Mount Hawthorn community as a war memorial and as a result has come to represent the values that are associated with the Anzac tradition in Australia; and,

the technical innovation and achievement of constructing a brick and tile cottage with the trades and skills of over 200 people from the Mount Hawthorn community in a single day in 1916 is a significant accomplishment.