

ACT GOVERNMENT HOUSING STOCK SURVEY  
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SUBURB: *Ngunnawal* GROUP: V

SHEET NO: 7

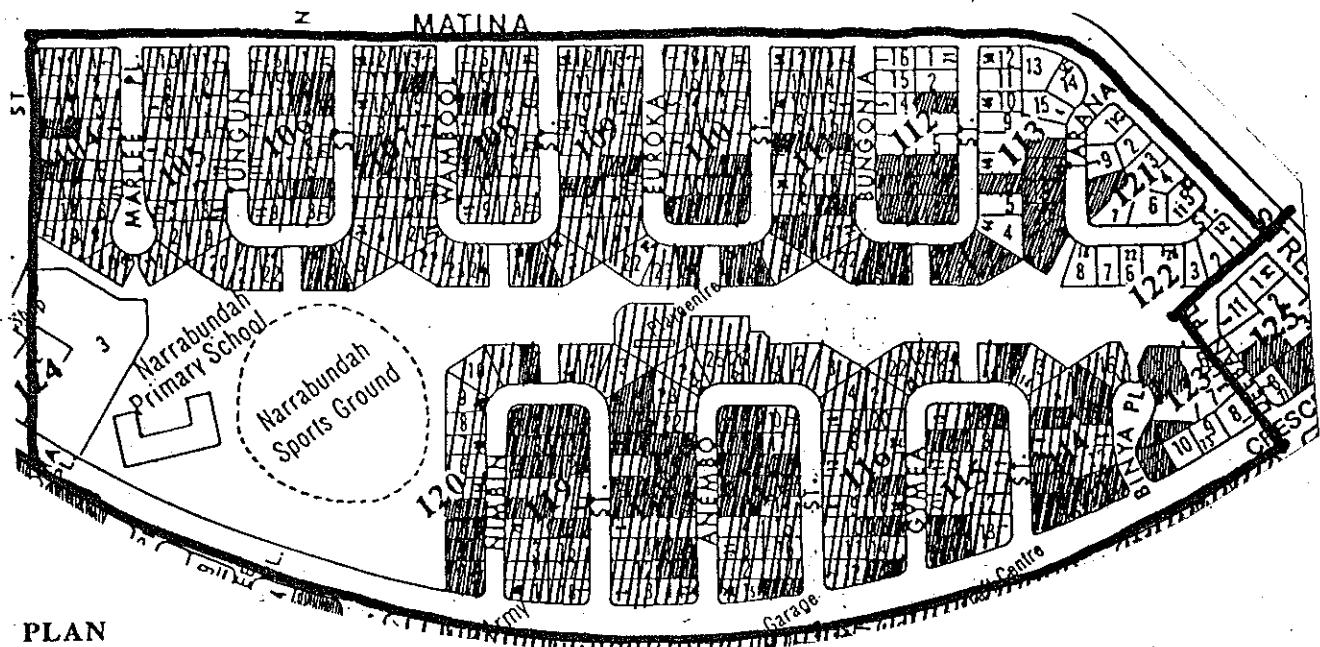
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Top : Matina Street . looking NW  
Bottom :



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PLAN

Note: hatched area indicates houses currently held by the ACT housing Trust (Nov 1989)

SCHEDULE: ACT HOUSING TRUST PROPERTIES

Note: Properties are listed in order of Street, Section and Block number.

Kerria Street Section 104 Blocks 14 & 16.

Tinquin Street Section 106 Blocks 2, 3 & 7.

" Section 107 Blocks 1, 2, 7 & 8.

Nambooi Street " Block 4

Section 108 Blocks 14, 12 & 11.

Section 109 Blocks 1, 2 & 6

Eureka Street " Blocks 18 & 24.

Section 110 Blocks 6, 7, 8 & 9.

Section 111 Blocks 1, 2, 4, & 8.

Bungonia Street " Blocks 17, 20, 23 & 24.

Section 112 Blocks 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 & 11.

Section 113 Blocks 1, 2, 3 & 6.

Tarana Street " Blocks 17, 18, 19, 20 & 21.

Section 121 Block 8.

Binya Place Section 123 Blocks 1, 2, 4 & 5.

Section 114 Blocks 10, 11, 14 & 15.

Gymea Street " Blocks 1, 2, 5, 7, 8 & 9.

Section 115 Blocks 1, 2, 6 & 8.

Section 116 Blocks 13, 15 & 17

Anenba Street Section 117 Blocks 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12 & 13.

Section 118 Blocks 15, 16, 18, 19, 20 & 21.



SUBURB: Naambudju GROUP: N

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ASSESSMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Note that the significance of the houses and blocks is considered within the categories of ARCHITECTURAL, PRECINCT, HISTORIC and AESTHETIC/PRESENTATION value.

ARCHITECTURAL VALUE CRITERIA

Representative of a particular style of architect, planner or a particular architectural style.

Original cottages in this group unique examples of workmens cottages of:

Subsequent houses typical of 70s & 80 public housing.

Displays a high degree of technical or creative excellence.

Never DH+C houses award winning Solar design. Both Public and private good examples of housing on tight blocks particularly Willemsen.

Important as a rare example of a building or group of buildings of this type within the ACT.

Unique examples of original cottage form.

PRECINCT VALUE CRITERIA

Representative of a particular planning philosophy eg. Garden City Planning.

NA

Representative of a particular planning technique such as cul-de-sac, Radburn.

Very clear representative of loop roads surrounding a central common, similar to Flynn St O'Connor

Displays a pattern of consistency between individual houses and landscape which contributes to a precinct quality.

Strong relationship between house siting and road pattern  
Central green space very well landscaped.

Displays streetscape components other than individual residences which contribute to a precinct quality.

NA



SUBURB: Namadgi GROUP: W

SHEET NO: 3

ASSESSMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE continued

HISTORIC VALUE CRITERIA

Representative of a particular stage of Canberra's development and planning.

Original houses demonstrate workmans cottages of  
Street pattern gives continuing evidence of original  
estate

Association with a person or event of significance in the history of Canberra.

NK.

Development of a way of life in the development of suburban Canberra.

NA.

AESTHETIC/PRESENTATION VALUE CRITERIA

The manner in which building and landscape present aesthetically.

Poor maintenance, insensitive upgrading and random  
redevelopment combine with weak landscaping to all but  
central green to give indifferent presentation.

The degree of unity and consistency of scale, style and materials within the  
housing group.

No consistency.

COMPARATIVE RATING OF SIGNIFICANCE : SUMMARY

Note that the following rating order is used:

- A of high significance
- B of some significance
- C of little significance
- D of no significance

HOUSING TRUST RESIDENCES WITHIN THE GROUP

- B..... Architectural value
- C..... Precinctual value
- A..... Historical value
- D..... Aesthetic/presentation value

OTHER RESIDENCES WITHIN THE GROUP

- ..... Architectural value -
- ..... Precinctual value
- N/A..... Historical value
- ..... Aesthetic/presentation value



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STATEMENT OF HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE FOR THE GROUP

The original cottages are highly significant as examples of early Canberra workmen's cottages. The recent redevelopment has destroyed any significance the group may have had as a precinct.

(Given the inadequate accommodation provided by the original cottages it can be expected these will disappear unless consciously retained)

IMPLICATIONS OF SIGNIFICANCE FOR FURTHER PLANNING/DEVELOPMENT

Two or three original cottages (preferably adjoining) should be upgraded retaining their original form and materials and preserved as evidence of the period.

OTHER REFERENCES/ASSESSMENTS

STREETSCAPE STUDY ASSESSMENT

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ACT TASK FORCE STUDY ASSESSMENT

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OTHER STUDY/REPORT ASSESSMENTS

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HOUSING DETAILS (*original cottages*)

Plan type .....

Date of construction .....

Typical Construction type .....

Area of house .....

External building materials  
walls *Asbestos cement sheet on timber frame*

roof *Asbestos cement corrugated sheeting*

windows *Timber framed*

Internal building materials

walls *Timber frame*

General condition of Houses

Extent of upgrading

*All houses have been subject of individual refurbishment/upgrading program. Therefore standard varies from very minor to substantial (including recladding).*

Maintenance history

*Maintenance likewise varies. Ongoing maintenance cost of cottages in original form are considerable.*

TYPE PLAN



SUBURB: *Naartjie Hill*

GROUP: W

SHEET NO: 6

**PLANNING/ DEVELOPMENT /CONSERVATION POTENTIALS**

Average area of Houses .....

Average area of Blocks .....

Current land values .....

Compliance with building code .....

Compliance with ACT Housing Trust Standards .....

Average cost of House Upgrading .....

Potential of Aggregation of Individual Blocks .....

Redevelopment Potential of Individual Blocks .....

**POTENTIAL FOR REDEVELOPMENT WITHIN:**

\* Dual Occupancy Policy *Blocks too small.* .....

\* APU Policy *Houses closest to shopping centre already redeveloped some possibilities still exist.* .....

\* Medium Density *Blocks and sections not conducive.*  
*Majority of aggregated blocks already redeveloped.* .....

\* Other Planning Policy *Not suitable.* .....

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