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20004. Ginninderra Blacksmith's Workshop

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4. Ginninderra Blacksmith's Workshop [V26]¹

Location

District of Gungahlin, Block 442 (Part). ACT 1:10 000 Planning Series Map 200612 Grid Reference 207170 - 613270. East of Barton Highway and approximately 300 metres south of Gold Creek Road. The subject land is contained within a fenced area approximately 20m x 25m, as identified in Figure 4 and on the Territory Plan Map by the Heritage Places Register Overlay H4.

Features Intrinsic To The Heritage Significance Of The Place

The place comprises a timber framed, earthen floored shed clad in corrugated galvanised iron.

Statement Of Significance

The Ginninderra Blacksmith's workshop is significant as it is the only known village blacksmith's workshop remaining in the ACT. It presents an opportunity to study nineteenth century vernacular construction and metal working techniques in the ACT.

Specific Requirements

In accordance with s.54(1) of the *Land (Planning and Environment) Act 1991*, the following requirements are identified as essential to the retention of the heritage significance of the place:

- i) A conservation plan is to be prepared for the Ginninderra Blacksmith's Workshop. The completed plan is to be submitted to the Heritage Council of the ACT within a time specified by the Council and in consultation with the lessee.
- ii) The conservation plan is to include full heritage recording of the shed and environs, including historical research, architectural assessment and archaeological excavation. Particular attention is to be paid to the area west of the workshop where there are at least two structures. Features which indicate the former sites of these elements of Ginninderra Village are to be fully recorded.
- iii) The recommendations of this conservation plan are to guide decisions on future management and conservation affecting the place.

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Figure 4: Ginninderra Blacksmith's Workshop

