14 Galileo Street, Ngaruawahia

Currently scheduled item # 125 - B ranking

Sec 107 Newcastle Town Property no. 1010067



28 June 2016

Land parcel first granted in c.1864 to John Rout (S0 57). Bay villa, c. 1907 for Jesse (c.1866-1933) and Florence Mines. Rusticated weatherboards, hipped roof, rear lean-to. Several other bay villas in the street; all on east side between Jordan and Jesmond Streets.

First title issued to William King, baker, in 1928. King had purchased property in 1926. Transferred to his widow in 1954, then sold by her in 1969. Various owners since.

Recommendation: This building should be removed from the WDC district plan Appendix C Historic Heritage. The dwelling has insufficient historic heritage significance to merit scheduling. It is a well presented bay villa but does not meet the assessment criteria.

Dr Ann McEwan 28 June 2016 [updated 1 April 2020]