



2026^{AND} BEYOND

Strategic Management Plan of the Peter Francis Points Arboretum

Peter Francis Points Arboretum Inc.
August 2026



**PETER FRANCIS
POINTS
ARBORETUM**



Acknowledgement of Country

Peter Francis Points Arboretum Inc acknowledges the Aboriginal and Torres strait Islander peoples of this nation. We acknowledge the Gunditjmara people, the traditional custodians of the lands on which the arboretum is located. We pay our respects to Elders, past and present.

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PREFACE

As we look beyond 2026, the Peter Francis Points Arboretum stands at an important moment in its history. The past several years have been a period of renewal, reflection, and reconnection with the values that first shaped this remarkable place. Our community, members, and supporters have consistently affirmed the arboretum’s significance-not only as a botanical collection, but as a living legacy of vision, volunteerism, and shared pride. Throughout consultation and planning, this sentiment has come across loud and clear.

A defining turning point came in late 2024. With the election of a new committee and the signing of a seven-year lease with Parks Victoria, management of the arboretum returned to local hands for the first time in decades. After years of underfunding and limited on-ground support, the arboretum was showing signs of fatigue- undermaintained and in need of care. This transition marked a return to community-led stewardship, echoing the spirit that established the arboretum more than 60 years ago.

This milestone anniversary offers both celebration and responsibility. What began as a bare hillside was transformed into one of the world’s most diverse collections of Australian native plants- a place valued by scientists and botanists and treasured by the community. The vision of the founders continues to guide us, reminding us that thoughtful stewardship and long-term commitment are essential to sustaining this legacy.

The direction set out in Towards 2026¹ remains central to our work. The goals of restoring plant records, improving labelling, strengthening our collections, enhancing interpretation, and enriching the visitor experience are ongoing commitments. What has changed is our capacity to act. With renewed governance, strong volunteer engagement, and growing community support, we are now better positioned to deliver on these priorities.

Already, tangible progress is evident. Walking tracks have been renewed, new facilities installed, and plans are underway to enhance key visitor vantage points. Community involvement has surged, with well-attended working bees and local events bringing new energy and visibility to the arboretum. These early achievements reflect a revived sense of ownership and demonstrate what is possible when community, expertise, and purpose align.

At the same time, we recognise the realities of managing a mature and complex landscape. The arboretum requires ongoing care- from restoring plant records and collections to maintaining infrastructure and improving interpretation. These challenges remain central to our planning, alongside opportunities to expand education, tourism, and community engagement.

2026 and Beyond sets out the next chapter of this journey. It builds on the foundations of earlier planning while extending our vision into the decades ahead. Our priorities remain grounded in the core purposes of the association: to maintain and document collections of Australian native plants, to support scientific study, to foster community participation, and to promote the arboretum as a valued regional destination.

Above all, this plan is a commitment-to stewardship, to excellence, and to the future of a place that has meant so much to so many. With the continued dedication of our volunteers, the expertise of our advisors, and the enthusiasm of our community, we are confident that the next era of the Peter Francis Points Arboretum will honour its past while embracing new opportunities for growth, learning, and connection.

Howard Templeton

President

Peter Francis Points Arboretum Inc.

BACKGROUND

THE ARBORETUM

AT A GLANCE

One of the world's oldest and most diverse planted collections of Australian native trees.

Situated on the edge of Coleraine, Victoria, the Peter Francis Points Arboretum is home to a significant and highly valued collection of Australian native plants.

Over the past 60 years, volunteers have carefully selected, planted, and curated the trees and shrubs that form the arboretum's collection.

An arboretum is a place where different species of trees are planted, curated, and displayed for scientific and botanical study. At The Points, we present a diverse collection of Australian native plants from across the country, with a particular emphasis on eucalypts.

Unlike many other arboreta, the trees at The Points are not arranged in formal rows, but in more natural groupings that reflect the character of the landscape.

The arboretum is highly regarded by scientists and botanists, with the breadth and maturity of its collections making it an important resource for research. The site has been recognised by the ICUN (The International Union for Conservation of Nature) as a strict Nature Reserve (Category IA) due to the extensive collection of Australian native plants².

As a pioneer in documented Australian plant collections, the Peter Francis Points Arboretum has welcomed many respected botanical figures throughout its history and has hosted visits from Governors of Victoria.

Beyond its botanical importance, the Peter Francis Points Arboretum is also a valued Southern Grampians destination, attracting visitors from the region, across Australia, and internationally.

The arboretum remains an important part of Coleraine's history and community and stands as a living repository of Australia's botanical heritage.



Banksia and Eucalyptus collections
recognised on the Plant Trust Inc
National Plant
Collections Register

Peter Francis Points Arboretum
Points Rd, Coleraine Vic
(See map inside back cover)



* Data last updated in 2012.
See page 25 for more information

THE ASSOCIATION AT A GLANCE

60 years on, the arboretum is still driven by a group of dedicated supporters and volunteers.

Since the 1960s, the Peter Francis Points Arboretum has been a community-driven, volunteer-led initiative.

Inspired by the vision and commitment of a small group of local supporters, community interest grew quickly, and large numbers of volunteers joined Peter Francis on planting days during the arboretum's early years.

These early community efforts were coordinated by the Wannon Conservation Society until a committee of management was established in 1972.

That strong culture of community support continues today through the Peter Francis Points Arboretum Inc. Throughout its history, the association has guided the arboretum's development. It's work in planting, promotion, and maintenance has continued under various forms, including an advisory group, a friends' group, and now a committee of management.

The association values its rich history and sees preserving its records and legacy as an important responsibility.

PFFPA Inc aims to maintain the community's connection to the arboretum's past while supporting its future development.

The association's official purposes can be found on page 20.



Peter Francis Points Arboretum
Incorporated Association No: A0022586F
ABN: 70 921 675 563

60+
members
of the association
(and growing)

DGR
registered
for tax-deductible
donations

50+
years
of volunteer
planting



OUR VALUE TO BOTANY (AND THE ENVIRONMENT)

With more than 12,000 Australian native plants in its records, the arboretum's collections are respected by botanists and horticulturalists.

The arboretum's collections include a broad range of Australian native trees and shrubs, with eucalypts especially well represented. Both the eucalyptus and banksia collections are listed on the National Plant Collections Register of Plant Trust Inc.

With some trees planted in 1966, the maturity of the Peter Francis Points Arboretum's plants creates valuable opportunities for study not available in younger arboretum collections.

The arboretum has long supported education and research, welcoming school groups, horticulture students, and university researchers.

Having many species in one place, including rare species and plants from across Australia, also makes the arboretum valuable to visiting researchers.

The collections have been recognised throughout the arboretum's history by respected scientists, botanical writers, Australian Plant Society groups, and political leaders.

Alongside the planted collections, the arboretum also includes several areas of remnant native grassland.

An overview of the genera planted at the arboretum appears on page 7.

The arboretum's botanical value is important to us. Read our Vision on page 20.

Botanical uses/users:

Scientists
Academics
Schools
Universities
Vocational training providers
Native plant enthusiasts & clubs

Benefits:

Contributes to the region's horticultural profile and study opportunities
Supports environmental and scientific study
Supports study of Australia's rich cultural heritage



“A place for both the academic and layman to gain valuable experience and information.”

Neville Bonney
Respected expert on Australian Flora
and author of more than 20 botanical books.





**“One of western Victoria’s
greatest educational and
tourist assets.”**

The Hon. Dr Denis Napthine¹⁰
(Arboretum Patron and
former Premier of Victoria)



OUR VALUE TO COMMUNITY

**The arboretum remains deeply valued
by the local community and continues
to make an important contribution today.**

Since the 1960s, the arboretum has been shaped by community effort and has become an important part of Coleraine’s history.

During the 1970s and 1980s, the arboretum grew through the leadership of Peter Francis and the dedicated support of people from Coleraine and the wider region.

Local schools and community groups have also helped shape the arboretum through tree planting and improvement works over many years.

Today, the arboretum is a valued local destination for recreation, social gatherings, and enjoyment of its plant collections, while walkers and joggers use its walking tracks daily.

The Points community extends beyond local supporters to include the association’s wider membership and local community groups such as Lions, the Coleraine and District Development Association and the Southern Grampians Shire Council.

Community members have clearly expressed their wish to see the arboretum continue to grow into the future.

This strategic management plan aims to create new opportunities for community involvement while strengthening the arboretum’s legacy and ongoing value to the community.

**The arboretum’s community value is important
to us. Read our Vision on page 20.**

Community uses/users:

Walkers and joggers
Social gatherings
Gardeners
Photographers
Birdwatchers

Benefits:

Provides opportunities for community participation in Coleraine
Provides a respected asset for the community to be proud of
Continues the legacy of fellow community members who have contributed to the arboretum throughout its history

Images, previous page L to R: Peter Francis. Mary Hope, planter of first tree. Denis Napthine. Joan Kirner & Peter Francis. Joe Wright, visionary behind the Arboretum.

OUR VALUE TO TOURISM

The Peter Francis Points Arboretum offers significant and unique tourism potential for Coleraine and the Shire of Southern Grampians.

As one of the world’s oldest and most diverse collections of Australian native plants, the arboretum offers visitors a distinctive and rewarding experience in regional Victoria.

Beyond its appeal to native plant enthusiasts, the arboretum’s walking tracks, scenery, seasonal colour, and wildlife make it attractive to tourists and families alike.

Visitors can enjoy picnic and barbecue facilities, information shelter, playground, walking tracks, and two lookouts. With ample bus parking, accessible toilets, and guided tours available on request, the arboretum caters to both brief visits and longer stays.

Located a short drive from Hamilton and an easy side trip from Grampians (Gariwerd) National Park, the arboretum sits on the Southern Grampians Touring Route near attractions including Wannon Falls, Nigretta Falls, the Volcanic Trail and the Hamilton to Coleraine Rail Trail.

When visitors dine in Coleraine or stay overnight, the arboretum’s value in supporting local businesses and community initiatives becomes clear.

The arboretum’s tourism value is important to us.
Read our Vision on page 20.

Tourism uses/users:

- Holiday makers in the Southern Grampians
- Regional day-trip visitors
- Passing travellers
- Attendees at arboretum events
- Group excursions from nearby cities.

Benefits:

- Supports and promotes Coleraine to Victoria and further afield.
- Attracts increased visitation in Coleraine, and assists local businesses.
- Contributes to the Shire of Southern Grampians’ regional profile.
- Provides a ‘Connection to Nature’.



POTTED HISTORY OF THE POINTS

1966 - 1986:

Early arboretum vision and development

The site of the future arboretum was a disused quarry in the early 1960s. Only a single tree remained on the hillside when Wannon Shire Council Engineer Joe Wright approached Mrs Mary Hope to assist in a 'beautification' project.

After establishing successful native shelter belts on her own farm, Mrs Hope established the first plantings at The Points in 1966, inside the reserve's southern boundary. From the start, there was a vision for the site to become a resource for the study of Australian trees and shrubs.

Retired shearer and bridge builder Peter Francis saw the potential of continuing these plantings through out the reserve. In 1970, Peter successfully campaigned to fence a larger area of The Points for further planting.

This began almost two decades of intensive development of the native plant collections, led by Mr Francis. It was his hard work and persistence which brought interest to the arboretum from near and far, as he worked towards his goal to have every Eucalypt species represented.

1987 - 1994:

Formalising the arboretum

By the 1980s, the site was recognised as a 'valuable State botanical asset and tourist feature'³, and believed by many to be the biggest collection of Eucalypts in the world

Management of the land was transferred from the Shire of Wannon to the Department of Conservation, Forests and Lands in 1986, and the volunteer group's continuing role was formally recognised.

Work began to formalise and protect the status of the arboretum, and the name 'Peter Francis Points Arboretum' was adopted, in recognition of the enormous contribution Mr Francis made in establishing the collections.

A curator and botanist were funded for a period of time, and a complete census of the arboretum's collections was completed. The volunteer group who had led the arboretum's development incorporated in 1991; this group is now the Peter Francis Points Arboretum Inc.

In 1994, the land was permanently reserved as a 'Native Plant Arboretum'.

1995 - 2009:

Diversifying activities

In 1995, the association employed a curator, who continued his role in maintaining and developing the arboretum for the next 17 years.

Parks Victoria was established in 1996, and took over management of the arboretum in 1997. The Department's previous focus on the arboretum's collections was diminished, and the role of the association became more critical for the arboretum's sustainability.

This began a period of change for the arboretum, as the association sought new development and fundraising opportunities.

In 1999, the association's Eucalyptus Discovery Centre (EDC) was opened in the former shire offices on Coleraine's main street. The Centre sought to attract visitors to Coleraine, and act as an interpretive introduction to the arboretum.

With the EDC as its base, the association also supported the delivery of horticultural training, landscaping and forestry study, in collaboration with vocational training providers.

2010 - 2017:

Back to basics

Two significant events changed the course of the association and arboretum during this period.

In 2010, the EDC was closed when the site was acquired for the development of the new Coleraine Hospital. Training operations wound up in this year also, and the association moved its base back to the arboretum.

The association's long-term curator retired in 2012 and was not replaced. Parks Victoria restrictions on engaging paid workers onsite led the committee to reduce its arboretum activities.

2018 - 2021:

Arboretum renewal

In 2018, the association's committee began efforts to revitalise the arboretum. The 'New Leaf Project' led to initial visitor improvements and allowed the committee to gauge public and member support of the arboretum. The committee undertook lengthy research and planning to secure the arboretum's future.

2021 - 2026:

Significant Development

This has been one of significant development and renewal for the Peter Francis Points Arboretum. An excellent Strategic Management Plan developed in 2022, provided a strong foundation for future progress. A change in governance was subsequently required and achieved, including a new committee and a seven-year lease with Parks Victoria in 2024. The Arboretum now has an updated Strategic Management Plan, '**2026 and Beyond**', together with strong and growing community interest and support for the future.



PRAISE FROM THE ARCHIVES

“...the most amazing collection of native plants... certainly the best collection of gum trees to be found anywhere in Australia.”

Jane Edmanson⁴
(known for her role on ABC's Gardening Australia)

“The legacy of the early volunteers speaks to us of a determination to transform a neglected common into a unique native arboretum giving inspiration for generations ”

Ray Clay
Long time curator and volunteer of the Arboretum

“The number and variety of native plants growing in the arboretum... serves as a tribute to all the people who have been involved.”

Ray Gilby⁹
(Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Portland)

“It is magnificent collection of native plants which should be cherished by the people of this State.”

The Hon. Joan Kirner⁸
(then Minister for Conservation, Forests and Lands, subsequently Premier of Victoria)

“...has the potential to become one of the best arboretums for its climatic type”

Albert Lindner⁷
(Nurseryman and supplier for the arboretum)

“...a welcome destination for visitors to the Hamilton–Coleraine Rail Trail. This remarkable community asset showcases Australia's unique natural heritage and offers an inspiring place to rest, explore and connect with nature. Great community project”

Hilary King
Hamilton-Coleraine Rail Reserve



“...a world-class collection of native plants. It is the largest collection of its kind in Australia and the Coleraine community is doing an outstanding job protecting it for future generations.”

The Hon Dan Tehan,
Member for Wannon



GROWING THE ARBORETUM

OUR VISION FOR THE ARBORETUM

A world-class arboretum of Australian native plants — valued by botanists, favoured by tourists and treasured by the community.

Association Purposes

The Peter Francis Points Arboretum Inc is a charitable organisation whose purpose is to develop and maintain documented collections of Australian native plants. The Arboretum operates as a museum for public exhibition, scientific study and celebration of our natural botanical heritage.

In achieving its purpose, the organisation also seeks to:

Continue to be recognised as an arboretum of national significance;

Foster community pride and participation in the Arboretum;

Encourage tourists to visit this valuable regional attraction; and

Acknowledge and maintain the legacy of the Arboretum's founders in the 1960's, and all those who have contributed since.

ASSOCIATION GOVERNANCE

Committee (as at 30/06/2026)

President:	Howard Templeton
Vice President:	Lynn Gunning
Secretary:	Jamie Reardon
Treasurer:	Greg Harker
Patron:	Dr. Denis Napthine
General committee:	Clare Durst, Dan O'Grady, Cynthia Harker, Barbara Waldron-Hunter, Claire Wettenhall

Past Botanical Advisors



Mr Neville Bonney

A respected expert on Australian flora, Mr Bonney has published more than 20 botanical books.

His skills have been sought after both in Australia and internationally, and he shares his knowledge as an engaging guest speaker at events.

Mr Bonney's involvement with the Peter Francis Points Arboretum extends back to the 1990s, when he conducted the arboretum's first plant census.



Mr Rodger Elliot AM

An award-winning horticulturalist, Mr Elliot is co-author of the Encyclopaedia of Australian Plants Suitable for Cultivation. His knowledge has been recognised in past roles on the Royal Botanic Gardens Victoria Board, and as President of the Cranbourne Friends RBGV Inc.

Mr Elliot supported Peter Francis in the arboretum's early development, and continues to support the arboretum today.

THE ASSOCIATION'S WORK & ACTIVITIES

In pursuing its vision, the Peter Francis Points Arboretum Inc carries out projects and tasks in the following four areas. To discover our specific goals, strategies and projects planned in each area, refer to the '2026 and Beyond' section of this plan.

1 PLANT COLLECTIONS

The plant collections are central to our purposes, our vision and our legacy. Their management, development and curation is also central to the reserve's status as an 'arboretum'. In addition to the practical management of plants, maintaining records about the collections is also a critical part of what we do.

2 STUDY & INTERPRETATION

As an arboretum, we encourage the study of our trees and shrubs. We support academic and research users of the arboretum and interpret our collections and our rich history for the benefit of the general community. Signage, printed materials, events and our website all play a role in these activities.

3 PROMOTION & ENGAGEMENT

Promotion to botanical, tourism and community audiences is important to build awareness and support for the arboretum. We strive to maintain the connection with our members and past volunteers, while also building new relationships with key stakeholders. We are pleased to respond to enquiries from members of the public on a regular basis.

4 LAND & PROPERTY

Maintaining the property and amenity of the arboretum helps ensure a positive visitor experience and provides a safe environment for visitors and volunteers alike. The committee of management is responsible for managing the land 'for the purposes for which it is reserved' under the Crown Land (Reserves) Act 1978: in our case, as a 'Native Plant Arboretum'. We strive to ensure the land is managed, improved, maintained and controlled according to these requirements, and for the benefit of the whole community.



2026 AND BEYOND

Introducing our 10 year plan.

‘2026 and Beyond’ builds on the earlier strategic management plan, ‘Towards 2026’. ‘2026 and Beyond’ seeks to set a practical and achievable course towards the arboretum’s vision.

It also marks a return to a more active management role for the association at the Peter Francis Points Arboretum.

Context of the plan.

The President’s preface on page 4 explain the significance and timing of this major strategic initiative, and how it responds to current management of the arboretum, the condition of the plant collections, and support for the arboretum’s future.

Alongside these internal drivers for a new approach, the broader operating environment was also considered during planning.

The committee believes its goals and direction align with Coleraine’s 2014–2020 Community Action Plan¹¹, as well as the proposed key priorities and objectives of the Southern Grampians Shire Council’s Coleraine Structure Plan¹².

Importantly, the plan also aligns with the association’s purposes and vision for the arboretum, as well as the Crown land reservation purpose of the reserve: a ‘Native Plant Arboretum’¹³.

Introducing our goals

Five goals underpin ‘2026 and Beyond’. The first four align with our key work and activity areas (see page 22), while the fifth takes a broader view of the arboretum’s future development. Together, they focus on:

1. Up-to-date plant records and restored collections
2. Better onsite information for visitors
3. Stronger public awareness and community engagement
4. Improved grounds-keeping and visitor experience
5. New visitor destinations within the arboretum

The following pages outline the strategies proposed to achieve each goal.

The goals are not listed in order of priority. Each is important to the arboretum’s development, and some strategies depend on others, which will affect the order of implementation.



GOAL #1

Up-to-date plant records and restored collections.

Our value as an arboretum depends on the quality of our collections and the knowledge we have about them.

Curated and identified plant collections are central to our status as an ‘arboretum’. Our plan is to extend the value of the arboretum with up-to-date plant records and restored collections.

A complete census of the plants at the arboretum will give greater understanding of our collections and provide a starting point for ongoing records maintenance. The last comprehensive census at the Peter Francis Points Arboretum was completed in the 1990s, and although records have been updated where possible, we know that our data does not reflect all additions and losses to the collections. Equipped with greater knowledge about our collections, we can then begin replacing lost plants (and, in the future, planning for new plantings).

The lack of access to mains water supply has hampered efforts to replant lost species, we plan to explore new techniques to establish new plantings.

Accurate plant data and growing collection numbers will bolster our value to botany and education, assisting the association in more widely and effectively promoting visitation and involvement.

Strategies

Undertake a complete census of the collections

Identify lost species and prioritise for replacement

Begin to source and plant replacement specimens

Investigate establishment/watering techniques for new plantings



GOAL #2

Better onsite information for arboretum visitors

Onsite resources can inspire and inform our visitors, providing a deeper understanding of the arboretum and our collections.

Study and education are core functions of an arboretum and helping visitors engage with and understand our collections is an important part of achieving our vision.

Many of the arboretum's trees have been labelled over time, but many engraved labels have deteriorated or been lost.

Many interpretive signs at the arboretum also need to be replaced or removed so visitors have access to accurate, user-friendly information.

As plant records are updated under Goal 1, we plan to share this knowledge through new trail labels and interpretive signage.

Better onsite information will help visitors understand the botanical value of the collections and the significance of the arboretum.

Greater awareness of the arboretum's value will support visitation, tourism, and community involvement.

Strategies

Label significant plants along all walking trails.

Add, remove or replace interpretative signage

GOAL #3

Stronger public awareness and community engagement.

The arboretum has a remarkable story to share, and it is our role to tell it and invite others to be part of its future.

Public engagement is central to our vision, and effective promotion is essential to strengthen the arboretum's botanical use, tourism appeal, and community involvement.

Our aim is not simply to raise awareness of the arboretum, but to help people understand what makes it distinctive. From its botanical importance to the community dedication that brought it to life, we want to show that The Points offers far more than first appears.

A thoughtful communication and engagement strategy will help us connect with potential visitors and users across Australia, while also strengthening ties with the Points community in Coleraine and beyond.

The first trees at the Peter Francis Points Arboretum were planted in 1966. In 2026, we look forward to celebrating 60 years since those first plantings and to beginning the next 60 years with stronger public awareness and renewed community engagement.

Strategies

Create a new and informative association website.

Establish relationships with academic institutions and other stakeholders.

60th anniversary community celebration



GOAL #4

Improved grounds-keeping and visitor experience.

The arboretum’s condition is important to us. We aim to provide a safe, well-maintained, and welcoming experience for all visitors.

The condition of the reserve and its facilities leave a lasting impression on visitors, and improving standards is important to our vision for the arboretum

Standards of grounds-keeping deteriorated in the past, and we share the views of many who have given feedback about messy visitor areas and branch-littered tracksides. The recent changes in land management have allowed us to regain local control over the arboretum’s condition

Expectations for an arboretum differ from a more common nature reserve: as a bare site planted with special tree collections, a greater level of maintenance is expected than in an area of bushland left to grow naturally.

We seek to restore the former reputation of the arboretum’s tidy visitor areas and walking tracks, while improving facilities such as shelters and seating. Alongside the interpretive signage proposed under Goal 2, we also plan to improve wayfinding and amenity signage.

A better visitor experience will help strengthen the arboretum’s reputation, encourage greater use, and show how highly it is valued and cared for.

Strategies

Undertake a major grounds-keeping clean-up.

Improve arboretum amenity signage.

Maintain shelters and install new seating.

Improve security and manage vandalism.

GOAL #5

New visitor destinations within the arboretum.

New destinations, features and visitor areas will entice visitors to venture further into the arboretum’s 37 hectares.

The arboretum spans 37 hectares, offering strong potential for longer visits and repeat visitation.

While some visitors make full use of its many walking tracks and features, many do not go beyond the main visitor area or the original Lindner Trail.

We want to encourage visitors to explore more of the arboretum by creating new features and visitor spaces. Attractions such as the new western lookout will add interest, while new seating and picnic areas will provide places to pause, gather, and enjoy the landscape.

We see this as a “bonus goal.” Unlike the other goals, which focus on specific aspects of arboretum operations, this one considers the broader picture of the arboretum’s future development.

These projects have the potential to improve the visitor experience, encourage longer stays in Coleraine, and attract new visitor groups.

Strategies

Develop a new Visitor Area in the South-West corner of the Arboretum

Complete development of the new western Lookout area

Document Status

This plan is intended to provide strategic direction for the Peter Francis Points Arboretum Inc for 2026 and beyond.

Endnotes

¹ Peter Francis Points Arboretum Inc. (2021, Towards 2026 Strategic Management Plan)

² DPCD South West Victoria Landscape Assessment Study |The Rolling Tablelands (2013) (updated 2024)

³ Victorian Parliamentary Debates, Legislative Council, vol. 387. 14/04/1987, p. 887

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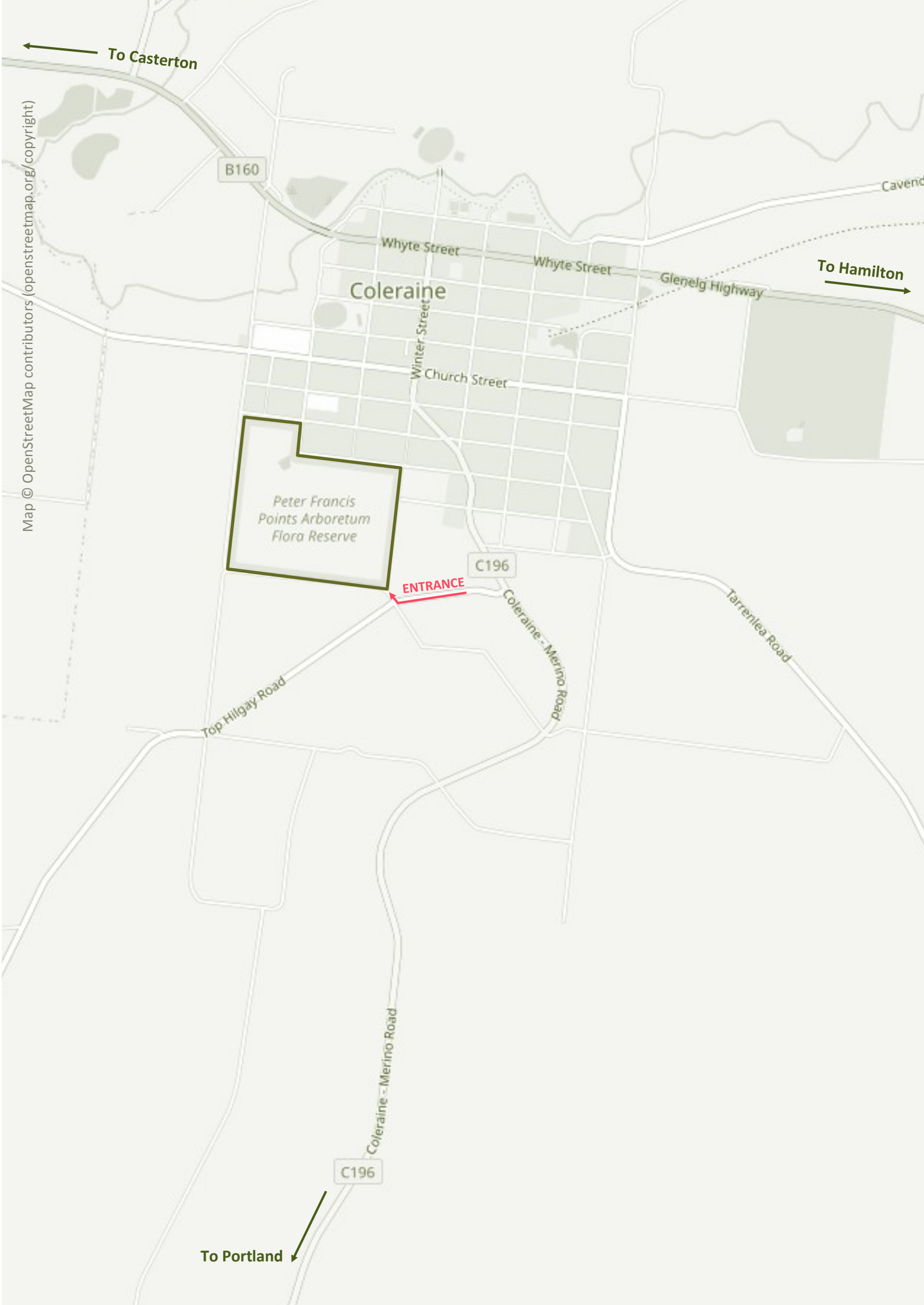
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¹² Southern Grampians Shire Council (2025). ‘Southern Grampians Shire Council: Final Coleraine Structure Plan’ <https://www.sthgrampians.vic.gov.au/files/assets/public/v/1/council-documents/community-plans/coleraine-structure-plan-final-nov-2025.pdf>

¹³ Victoria, Victoria Government Gazette, No G51, 22 December 1994, p. 3475.





**'A living library of Australian native
plants for botanical research and
everyday enjoyment'**

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