129 Trowell Road

Local Heritage Asset Register

Wollaton West

HA632



Status:	Recommendation to add
Age:	Victorian (1837-1901)
Conservation Area:	No
Date added to the list:	
Condition:	

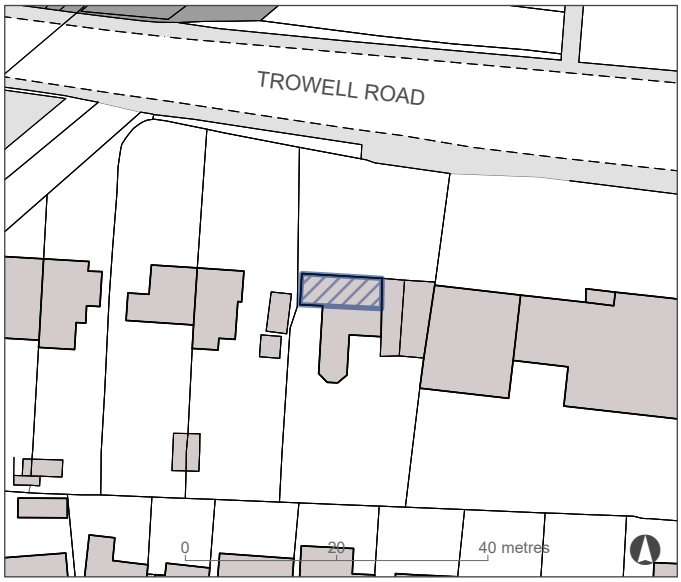
Assessment against Local Criteria

1. Age: pre-1850s
2. Good example of a pre-enclosure cottage
3. Good Example of a Nottinghamshire vernacular cottage

Reason for Designation

Good example of a pair of pre-enclosure cottages disconnected from Trowell Road by modern development. Part of a group with HA458-9, HA461, HA628-35.

Local List Proposal



Description

Further up the road is No129. Until recently it was rendered, but the owner decided, when adding the rendered extension, to remove the render from the original cottage. It revealed fine and undamaged brickwork, which suggests that the only reason this cottage, and possibly the others, were rendered was to “modernise” them in the 1950s. It was originally two very small one bedroomed cottages (168&170) measuring 11x13 feet, and it was to here that the widowed Elizabeth Butler came in 1848 after the death of her husband James a miner (RL). He may have died in a mining accident leaving his widow with seven children. In 1851 she must have been in a desperate situation as she is described as a pauper aged 54, with three children and a grand-daughter living with her.

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Additional Description:

In 1891 Ann (78) now a widow is living here on her own. After that it appears that the second front door on the right was bricked up (now concealed behind an evergreen bush) and the two cottages combined. A rear extension must also have been added, as by 1925 the cottage then had living room, kitchen, scullery, pantry, two bedrooms and also a boxroom. (The photo shows the angle of the ceiling on the upstairs landing.)

Heritage category:	Building
Asset type:	Houses
Original use:	
Current use:	
Currently occupied:	
Architect, style / material:	
Condition:	

Part of a group of heritage assets:

Yes

Associated with historical events or people:

Is it associated with any buried remains or archaeology? If so please describe:

How is it of importance to the local community? :

Selection Panel Date:	Date added to the list:
05/02/2019	

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