# Historic Heritage Inventory



### **Thorp Stone Cairn**



Location: Puke Road North (State Highway 2), Paeroa

#### Heritage Status:

Historic Places Trust Registration Number: Historic Places Trust Category: HDC Heritage Category: A - Heritage Feature. National or Outstanding Regional Significance Other:

**Physical Description:** Stone on a concrete pedestal with double stylobate. Marks the location of Joshua Thorp's home.

Other known names: Thorp Landing, Thorp Grant

Notable features:

Style:

Materials: Stone, brass

Date of Construction: 1975

### District Plan Schedule Number: HAU033 Heritage Category: A

#### Heritage Type:

- Wahi Tapu
- Cultural Landscape
- Building
- Group of Buildings
- □ Structure
- Monument
- Historic Place
- Archaeological Site
- Other

Date Period: 1941-1980

#### Significance:

- Archaeological
- Architectural
- Cultural
- Historic
- □ Scientific
- Technological

#### **Thematic Context**

- Maori
- Early Settlement
- Industry
- Extraction
- □ Forestry
- □ Agriculture
- Transport
- **Communication**
- **Commerce**
- Residential
- Social/Cultural
- Civic
- Health
- Educational
- Church/yard
- Other

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## Thorp Stone Cairn

**History:** The cairn marks the site of the home of Joshua Thorp, the first European settler in Paeroa. The plaque was erected in 1975 by A F and H R Thorp, founders of the Paeroa and District Historical Society.

Architect: Designer: Builder: Engineer:

History of changes:

Condition: Good

Integrity: Substantially intact

Current Uses: Memorial

Former Uses:

Registered owner: NZ Transport Authority

Legal Description: Sections 26, 27 Blk XII Waihou Survey district

**Reference Source:** 

**Associated Pictures:** 

District Plan Schedule Number: HAU033 Heritage Category: A