Aboriginal Heritage Regulations 2018



CULTURAL HERITAGE MANAGEMENT PLAN DECLARATION

The purpose of the Aboriginal Heritage Regulations 2018 is to provide for the protection of Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in Victoria. Prior to gaining a planning permit, you must find out if a **Cultural Heritage Management Plan (CHMP**) is required under the Aboriginal Heritage Regulations.

Information in relation to the Aboriginal Heritage Regulations and requirements can be found at https://www.firstpeoplesrelations.vic.gov.au/cultural-heritage-management-plans and CHMP self-assessment at https://heritage.achris.vic.gov.au/aavQuestion1.aspx.

Information to be submitted with an application

The following information must be provided when lodging a planning application.

It is the responsibility of the applicant as the proponent of the activity requiring approval to determine if a CHMP is required.

Please advise which is applicable to your planning application:

A Cultural Heritage Management Plan is **NOT** required (a copy of the self-assessment is attached)

An approved CHMP is attached

A CHMP is required and has **NOT** been approved (refer note 1)

Note 1: The tool above serves as a guide and does not cover every possibility. The Aboriginal Heritage Regulations 2018 are the legislative basis for when a mandatory CHMP is required.

Note 2: Under Section 52(1) of the Aboriginal Heritage Act 2006 the responsible authority must not grant a planning permit which constitutes a statutory authorisation without an approved CHMP.

Under Section 52(4) of the Aboriginal Heritage Act 2006 until the responsible authority has received a copy of the approved CHMP the time required for the responsible authority to make a decision is deemed NOT to have commenced.

This form must be signed:

Remember it is against the law to provide false or misleading information, which could result in the planning permit being invalid.

I declare that the above information is true and correct and the owner (if not myself) has been advised.

Name:	
I am the (tick all that apply)	Owner Applicant
Signature:	
Date:	