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The Wyndham Community

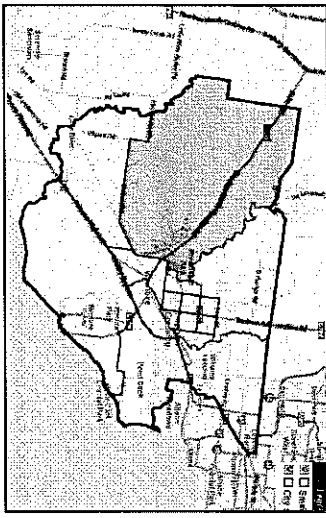
The City of Wyndham is located in Melbourne's outer south-west, between 12 and 45 kilometres from the Melbourne GPO. The official population of Wyndham at 30 June 2012 was 179,438. The Wyndham District was first incorporated as a local government entity on 6 October 1862. It became the Shire of Wyndham on 7 March 1864. The Shire was first named Wyndham, in honour of Major General Sir Henry Wyndham, a hero of the Napoleonic wars.

Settlement history

Settlement of the area dates from the mid 1800s, with land used mainly for farming and grazing. Significant development did not occur until the 1960s. Rapid growth took place during the 1980s in the areas closest to Werribee. The population increased substantially from the mid 1990s however, the most rapid growth took place between 2006 and 2011. (STOP POINT)

Areas within Wyndham

There are now many different suburbs that are within the city of Wyndham, including: Eynessbury, Hoppers Crossing, Little River, Point Cook, Tarneit, Werribee and Wyndham Vale.



Wyndham in 2014

The current mayor of Wyndham is Cr Bob Fairclough. There are many projects happening in an attempt to cater for the growing number of residents. The Recreation Centre is about to have a \$47 million development and further expansion of the Werribee Plaza to happen by 2016.

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