



**Timaru District Plan**  
**Significant Tree Assessment Form**

DP2005ID 45

**Botanical Name:** Taxodium distichum

**Common Name:** Swamp Cypress

**Year Planted :** 1935

**Planted by:** Timaru Woman's Club

**Notable Tree Measurements**

**Height calculation method:** SUUNTO

**Single Tree** Height of Tree: 18m

Spread of canopy: 10.5m

Girth of trunk: 1.79m

Girth measured at: 1.4m

*Girth measured at ground level (gl.) or at 600mm or at 1m or at 1.40m*

**Stand** (same species) or **Group** (mixed species)

No. of trees: \_\_\_\_\_

Maximum height: \_\_\_\_\_

Minimum height: \_\_\_\_\_

Average height: \_\_\_\_\_

Area covered: \_\_\_\_\_

**RNZIH Evaluation Score:** 768

STEM equivalent: 96

*(for Evaluation see reverse page)*

**Location**

Address: 26 King Street, Kensington, Timaru

Locality: Botanic Gardens, top end of lower pond, south east tree of pair of Taxodium trees.

Legal Description of Land: Part Lot 1 DP 11137

**Photograph**





Assessment by: Peter Thomson

Date: 20/5/1994

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**RNZIH (Royal NZ Institute of Horticulture) TREE EVALUATION REGISTRATION FORM**

<b>Location at/near</b>	Botanic Gardens, top end of lower pond, south east tree of pair of Taxodium trees.	<b>Parcel ID</b>	58436
<b>Tree Species</b>	Taxodium distichum	<b>Date Photo Taken</b>	5 July 2018
<b>Tree Evaluation Score</b>	768	<b>Tree Owner</b>	Timaru District Council
<b>Tree Monetary Value</b>		<b>Address</b>	PO Box 522, Timaru 7940
<b>Evaluating Officer</b>	Peter Thomson		

<b>Rating Categories</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Score</b>
<b>A</b>	Size of tree 2 Height + Width	Small 1-25	Medium 26-60	Large 61-85	Outstanding 86+	2
						X
<b>B</b>	Importance of Position	Minor Road	Main Road	Trunk Road	Landmark	2
						X
<b>C</b>	Presence of other trees	Forest or woodland park	Group or park 10+ trees	Small group 2+ trees	Solitary	2
						X
<b>D</b>	Occurrence of the species	Very common	Common	Infrequent	Rare	2
						X
<b>E</b>	Role in location or setting	Some significance	Significant	Very significant	Most significant	4
						X
<b>F</b>	Useful life expectancy in years from now (vigour)	0-30	30-60	60-90	90+	4
						X
<b>G</b>	Form or shapeliness	Poor	Fair	Good	Specimen	3
						X
<b>H</b>	Special factors awarded for additional merit in one of the above categories		Important	Very important	Major importance	0
						X

**Tree evaluation point total**

**768**