

## ELSENBURG, MULDESVLEI ROAD

PHYSICAL ADDRESS:	Muldersvlei Road	ERF:	
ARCHITECTURAL PERIOD:		DATE BUILT:	
STYLE:		TYPE OF BUILDING:	
ZONING:		USE:	

### HERITAGE VALUES

RARITY:		HISTORICAL:	
AESTHETICAL:		TECHNOLOGICAL:	
CULTURAL:		SOCIAL HISTORY:	
SLAVE HISTORY:		PRESENT NHRA PROTECTION:	S27

### HERITAGE ANALYSIS

SITE & STRUCTURE DESCRIPTION:	A U-shaped homestead set within a rectangular werf, comprising barn-like structures of various ages (some modern student residence structures), and with a very fine walled mill stream and mill to the south. A bell tower is also located within the werf space. The entire werf is set on a gentle rise of the Klapmuts peak, facing southwards over the rolling farmland. To the east of the historic werf are several working, agricultural structures, some being Victorian and Cape Revival / Edwardian in age and style. To the west is the academic campus, with some notable buildings, including the Cape Rev ...
HISTORY:	Granted to Samuel Elsevier, Secunde, in 1698. Martin Melck took ownership in 1752, and he constructed the main house. In 1898 the site was first used as an Agricultural training college - the first of its kind in South Africa.
SOCIAL HISTORY:	
ALTERATIONS:	
GENERAL EVALUATION:	
SUGGESTED GRADING:	II
DATE OF SURVEY:	2016

### APPLICABLE LEGISLATION

OLDER THAN 60 YEARS:	unassessed	PREV. NATIONAL MONUMENT:	
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DATE OF PHOTOGRAPH(S):