SAVE OUR 300-YEAR OLD RIVER RED GUM

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WHY SHOULD WE CARE?

Historic & Heritage Connections
Wildlife
Climate Information
Inadequate Offsets
Inadequate Alternatives
HISTORIC CONNECTIONS

- Wurundjeri people
- British colonists
- Mrs Fullartton

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Victorian Tree of the Year

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Celebrating your 2019 Victorian Tree of the Year
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Climate
Air properties
Water qualities

And so on, back to ancient times.
TREES

VIABILITY

- Tap root to be damaged by tunneling
- Are there no alternate options to save the tree?
300 X 1 YEAR OLD TREES ≠ 1 X 300 YEAR OLD TREE
30 GENERATIONS

Great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great, great,
great grandchildren will see a 300 year old REPLACEMENT tree!
ALTERNATIVES

Turn dead tree into sculpture?

Better to use resources for saving of current tree!
SAVE OUR TREE!
For the Past
For the Present
For the Future