1.0 INTRODUCTION

This specification outlines the City of Perth's requirements for excavation and reinstatement works carried out by service providers and/or contractors within the City of Perth Malls. These works may include excavations along or across the roadway or footpath in the Malls, required for new service installations, relocations of existing services or for other reasons.

The cost of compliance with the requirements outlined in this specification shall be borne by the service provider and/or the contractor. (referred to as the 'applicant').

Prior to undertaking of any works within the Malls, approval is required by applying for a permit. Application forms can be obtained from the City of Perth Approval Services Unit by phone on 08 9461 3411 or from the City of Perth's web site - www.cityofperth.wa.gov.au

2.0 TRENCHING SCHEDULE

Works should be organised so as to cause minimal disruption to pedestrians, and businesses in accordance with these guidelines.

In order to avoid disruption to traders, work should be carried out during the following hours:

Monday - Thursday 7.00pm to 7.00am the following day
Friday 10.00pm to 7.00am Saturday
Saturday 6.00pm to 10.00am Sunday
Sunday 6.00pm to 7.00am Monday

Prior to any application being approved a bond of $450 per square metre or linear metre, whichever is greater, must be paid.

3.0 ELECTRICAL CABLES AND CCTV CABLES

All necessary care and precautions should be taken to prevent damage occurring to the City of Perth's electrical and CCTV cables.

Where damage has occurred, the applicant should contact the City of Perth's Project Officer Electrical on 9461 3122 or mobile 0418916737 or the Police Post to arrange for the replacement of the damaged cables at the applicant's expense.

4.0 LIFTING OF PAVERS

When lifting of granite pavers within the Malls, the granite pavers should be stacked neatly on the footpath in a location, which will not unduly compromise the safe passage of pedestrians, or obstruct access to businesses and should be suitably barricaded to the approval of the City of Perth Operations Unit.

If a suitable site location cannot be provided, granite pavers must be stored off site in a secure location, inaccessible to the public and to the approval of City of Perth Operations Unit.

5.0 REMOVAL OF EXCAVATED MATERIAL

Sand and limestone shall be separated and stockpiled separately if the excavated materials are to be used for reinstatement. If not, excavated material must be removed from the site and appropriately disposed of, by the applicant.