

# **Council Policy – Excavations within Road Reserves**

Responsible Directorate	Operations	
Responsible Business Unit/s	Operations	
Responsible Officer	Manager Operations	
Affected Business Units	Operations	

#### Objective

The objective of this Policy is to ensure that excavations within the road reserves are completed to the appropriate standards.

## Scope

This Policy applies to road reserves within the Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale (the Shire).

## Policy

Works involving excavation within road reserves may be permitted providing that:

- The applicant is a licensed contractor in this field of work.
- The conditions imposed by the approval are adhered to.

In instances where underground services are required to cross Shire roads, the road shall be bored.

Applications for open trenching across Shire roads shall include data justifying the need for special approval to open trench.

All other conditions under which works may be approved shall be determined under delegated authority.

#### Definitions

Nil

#### **Related Documents**

• Council Plan 2023-2033

## Legislation / Local Law Requirements

• Local Government Act 1995



#### **Amendment Record**

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