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City of Greater Geraldton CEO 63 Cathedral Avenue GERALDTON WA 6530

Dear CEO

Woolworths would like to ask the City of Greater Geraldton to make an application to the West Australian Government for additional retail trading hours to be permitted on 26 and 27 April 2015.

Without such an application, the retail sector will be subject to three consecutive closed days on 25, 26 and 27 April.

Anzac Day is commemorated on 25 April and no application for trading on this day should be made. However, because Anzac Day this year falls on a Saturday, there is the prospect that with no trading allowed on both 26 (Sunday) and 27 April (Monday), retailers in Kalgoorlie will face closure for three full days.

A three day closure will obviously have serious impacts on retail businesses and will also cause inconvenience to both local families and tourists who may not have anticipated, and will not have planned, for a three day closure.

To avert this situation, Woolworths suggests that an application for limited trading from 11am to 5pm on 26 and 27 April is appropriate.

If you require any additional information please contact me on 08 9351 5060 or 0404 829 816.

Yours sincerely

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State Administration Manager

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