

# **Precinct Plan – Spalding**

**Local Planning Policy** 

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#### 1.0 CITATION

This is a local planning policy prepared under the *Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015* and the City of Greater Geraldton Local Planning Scheme No. 1 ('the Scheme'). It may be cited as the *Precinct Plan – Spalding local planning policy*.

The local government may prepare a local planning policy in respect of any matter related to the planning and development of the Scheme area. In making a determination under the Scheme the local government must have regard to each relevant local planning policy to the extent that the policy is consistent with the Scheme.

#### 2.0 BACKGROUND

Future settlement patterns will require greater emphasis to be placed on the role of activity centres as local and district hubs for commercial and social interaction within the community. The challenge in the City of Greater Geraldton is to identify the existing and future activity centres that can contribute to Geraldton becoming a network of interconnected activity centres, and how currently under-performing activity centres and their surrounding catchments can be enhanced, with input and support from local communities to become important components of a more sustainable and liveable city.

The Spalding precinct is one such area that is able to play an important role in the growth of Greater Geraldton. It is also an area that needs planning and urban design input to identify and guide the improvements required for it to attract urban renewal investment and secure its future, and the precinct planning process is the first step in identifying what and where those improvements within the precinct might be.

#### 3.0 OBJECTIVES

a) To have due regard to the document in relevant decision making.

### 4.0 POLICY MEASURES

Refer to the attached "Spalding Precinct Plan" document.