

# CITY OF WODONGA

## CONDITIONS FOR ROAD OPENINGS

- All works will need to be carried out by competent, skilled contractors.
- All works will need to be carried to Council standards during daylight hours. No trench or holes shall be left open at night with out permission and then only in accordance with the regards to public safety and OH&S.
- Inconvenience to traffic and pedestrians is to be controlled by the contractors. Traffic controls will need to be in place until the works are complete.
- You will need to contact Dial before you dig on 1100 which will then be register the works with the Council.
- **Backfilling: Roads-** Material used for backfilling the trench to the underside of the pavement and for the full length of the trench, shall be either crushed rock road base class 2, or 3% Cement Stabilised sand, or other approved alternative. **Materilas excavated from the trench shall NOT BE USED**, and shall be removed from the site. The backfilling material shall be damp but not wet and shall be thoroughly compacted with a mechanical rammer or approved tamper in layers not exceeding 150mm thickness. The pavement shall be reinstated, by compacting in maximum 75mm thick layers.
- **Road Surface for Unsealed Roads:** The road base material shall be left slightly above the general road surface, and shall be carefully tamped to prevent it being scattered by traffic.
- **Road Surface for Sealed Roads:** The backfilled excavation is to be sealed with a 50mm thick compacted asphalt wearing course. Later application of a sealing top coat may also be required by Council. Other requirements, such as reinstatement of linemarking etc., may also be specified by Council depending on the circumstances of the particular road opening.
- **Backfilling: Nature Strips-** Backfilling to be thoroughly compacted by ramming to within 75mm of the surface. The final 75mm of the trench or hole shall be filled with topsoil.
- Work shall be completed as soon as possible, but within one month maximum of the issue of the permit. Except where otherwise agreed to by council and shown on the permit.
- The area shall be cleaned of all surplus material and left in a neat and tidy condition.

- All work to be carried out in accordance with the “Albury Wodonga Region Soil & Water Management Policy” and the requirements set out in “Erosion and sediment Control Guidelines for Building Sites”.
- All reinstatement shall be inspected by Council. Where reinstatement fails to comply with the above standards, the permit holder will be required to remove the backfill and reinstate to the above standards or shall be charged for Council’s expense to undertake the work.