

URBAN ADDRESSING

This information is a guide to the process and procedures of numbering and renumbering properties within the City of Greater Geraldton. It is also allocated property street addresses that are unique, clear, logical and unambiguous. In addition to this, it also outlines the process and procedures of numbering and renumbering properties within its municipality.

DECIDING THE PROPERTY STREET ADDRESS

The criteria used to determine the front boundary of a building (building footprint) is the street line that is the front boundary of the property.

number is clearly displayed.

Business and commercial properties with a letter box must have the street number placed in a clearly visible position on the front boundary of the property. For example, a letter box on a side wall should have the street number placed on the front boundary of the property.

Suburb/Localities/Localities

The street address allocated to a property also determines the correct locality/suburb name which is used for mail delivery. The City of Greater Geraldton has a list of localities/suburbs which also displays their corresponding street names.

Importantly, estate names like Seacrest, Forrester Park, Rayside, Eastlyn, Alexander Parklands and many more

NUMBERING METHODS AND PATTERNS

All street numbers will be consecutive and when a property street address has been allocated to a property, then that number must be used. Odd and even numbers must be used on the same side of the street. Odd numbers will be allocated to properties on the left hand side of a street from the start point, and even numbers will be allocated to properties on the right hand side of a street. Cul-de-sacs will be numbered in the same way to the head of the cul-de-sac.

Properties with special circumstances including reserves, schools, public utilities, drainage reserves and the like will be numbered in a different way. It is important to note that the City of Greater Geraldton will not issue additional numbers with the same address as the subject lot.

Where a lot has two frontages (i.e. a corner lot) then the property will be allocated two separate addresses. Initially, the property street address adjacent to the highway will be used with the smallest frontage. The second street number will be reserved in case of future changes.

If a property, containing a retaining existing dwelling/building is redeveloped with an additional dwelling/building at the rear and there is only one street address number available, the existing dwelling/building will retain the original street address and the new dwelling/building will be allocated a "suffix" to the property street address.

