

Media Release

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Bunnings Warehouse Port Kennedy to close

Bunnings will be closing the Port Kennedy Warehouse ahead of the lease expiring in May 2021.

The final day of trading will be 21 March, which will give the team time to ensure the store is packed down and ready to exit at the end of the lease.

All of the current Port Kennedy team members will be offered transfers to nearby stores and Bunnings' focus is on working with them and supporting them throughout this transition.

Bunnings Regional Operations Manager, Hayley Coulson, said:

“As our store portfolio evolves, we are constantly looking at our network and our needs in the local areas in which we operate, and while many of our stores play an important role for a long period of time, we continually reassess our operations based on lease arrangements and location.

“As our lease expiry was nearing, we’ve made the decision to cease operations at Port Kennedy and will serve the local community from surrounding stores such as Baldivis, Rockingham and Mandurah. Both Baldivis and Mandurah opened in 2018 and offer customers a newer, wider and improved offer.

“The Bunnings team in Port Kennedy has done a great job serving customers and the local community since 2008, and we thank the team for their commitment,” Hayley said.

We look forward to welcoming customers into our nearby stores and continuing to provide them with great service from our team.

Bunnings will continue to serve its customers through its 39 other WA locations. This decision does not change Bunnings' ongoing commitment in WA or store opening plans, with six stores opened in the past three years, including new and replacement stores in Northam, Midland, and Albany.

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The Bunnings logo, featuring the word "BUNNINGS" in a bold, white, sans-serif font. The letter "B" is stylized with a red diagonal stripe.