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Old Post Office Conservation Funding Found

The City of Albany Mayor Dennis Wellington will be accepting a grant this Wednesday for conservation works at the old Post Office Albany (UWA building).

The Hon Robyn McSweeney will be presenting a \$50,000 Lotterywest grant to conserve and stabilize a wall at the back of Spectrum Theatre in the old Post Office, Stirling Terrace.

The City of Albany Mayor Dennis Wellington appreciated the importance of the Albany Post Office as a key heritage building within the historic Stirling Terrace precinct.

“We aim to ensure the cultural heritage values of Albany Post Office are conserved, while also establishing a physical and commercial presence in the place that will help ensure its long term maintenance and conservation.

“We are delighted to accept the grant from the Hon Robyn McSweeney on behalf of Lotterywest. The funds will contribute to the City’s total conservation works of \$280,000 to repair the retaining wall and improve the drainage system,” said Mayor Dennis Wellington.

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NOTE: Media are invited to the City of Albany Civic Rooms this Wednesday, 11 November at 3pm, for a presentation by the Hon Robyn McSweeney MLC, member for South West Region, to City Mayor, Dennis Wellington and staff.

