

## EXT 011: WIND LOAD RATING

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### Objective

To provide a standard for wind loads within the Shire of Esperance.

### Policy

The minimum wind load rating for the Shire of Esperance district is deemed to be N3.

Where a certified practicing structural engineer or a registered building surveyor provides a certification lower than N3, this rating may be accepted by the Shire as an adequate assessment at the Shire’s discretion.

Additionally, if an assessment is provided by a suitably qualified person and the calculation has been carried out in accordance current relevant Australian Standards, which may include, but is not limited to the below documents, this rating may also be accepted at the Shire’s discretion:

- AS/NZS 4055 – Wind Loads for Housing;
- AS/NZS 1170 – Structural Design Actions – Wind Actions

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