



**BUILDINGS SET BACK FROM THE BOUNDARY ADDITIONAL  
ACCEPTABLE DEVELOPMENT PROVISIONS – CLAUSE 3.3.1  
OF THE RESIDENTIAL DESIGN CODES 2002**

<b>STATUS:</b>	<b>City Policy</b> - <i>A policy that is developed for administrative and operational imperatives and has an internal focus.</i>  <i>Developed by the Policy Committee and/or the administration and adopted by Council.</i>
<b>RESPONSIBLE DIRECTORATE:</b>	Planning and Community Development
<b>OBJECTIVE:</b>	To augment the Residential Design Codes 2002 (the R Codes) by providing Acceptable Development provisions for the setback of buildings in the case of Single House developments on survey strata lots without common property, and Grouped Dwelling developments on survey strata lots with common property or on strata lots.

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**STATEMENT:**

**Policy Application and Definitions**

This policy shall apply to the development of land within the City of Joondalup for any of the residential purposes set out in the R Codes. The terms contained within this policy shall be interpreted in accordance with the R Codes.

The provisions of this policy do not apply to developments on land over which a Structure Plan has been adopted by the City wherein there may be different setback requirements.

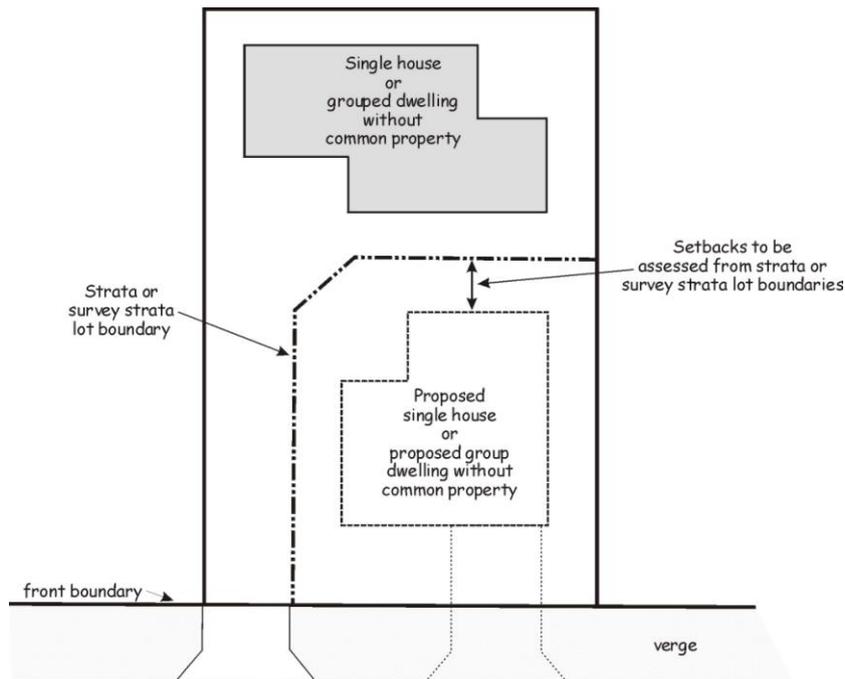
**Authority**

Clauses 2.6.1 and 2.6.2 of the R Codes enable Council's to adopt Local Planning Policies that are consistent with the provisions of the R Codes. This policy has been expressly formulated to provide additional Acceptable Development provisions under Clause 3.3.1 of the R Codes.

**Clause 3.3.1 – Buildings Set Back from the Boundary – Additional Acceptable Development Provisions**

In addition to the Acceptable Development provisions under Clause 3.3.1 Buildings Set Back from the Boundary of the R Codes, development which complies with the following provisions are also deemed to be Acceptable Development:

- 1 In the case of Single House development that has not previously been approved or constructed on an approved survey strata lot without common property, building setbacks shall be assessed from survey strata lot boundaries.
- 2 In the case of a Grouped Dwelling development that has not previously been approved or constructed where survey strata or strata lot boundaries exist, building setbacks shall be assessed from strata or survey strata lot boundaries.



### Application Requirements

Proposed developments that comply with the provisions of proposed subclause (vi) above of this policy (that is, in relation to Single Houses) require only an application for a Building Licence to be submitted to and approved by the City.

Proposed developments that comply with the provisions of proposed subclause (vii) above of this policy (that is, Grouped Dwellings), however, continue to require an application for a Development Application to be submitted to and approved by the City, prior to or in conjunction with seeking a Building Licence.

### NOTE:

Where a development application has been approved by the City for Grouped Dwellings, and is current, the setback requirements of this Policy do not apply.

Amendments: CJ086-04/04, CJ206-10/05, CJ207-10/07

Related Documentation:

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