

**El Dorado County Development Services Department
Building Services**

POLICY

*A department policy is based on an interpretation of a code provision
and is subject to change based on new information.*

SHADE STRUCTURES SNOW LOAD

In areas of the county designated as 20 lb snow load:

Shade structures not having a solid roof covering may be designed with a 10 lb live load
(example: open lattice).

The Building Official will consider alternate materials and design on a case-by-case basis.