

CIH Scotland Housing Festival

The Importance of Home'

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## Key themes:

- Tenant & Customer Expectations;
   How are these changing?
- The Role of Housing Management; How is it changing?
- Can RSL's play a greater role in meeting Scotland's housing needs?



# The Importance of Home

A short video...





# Tenant & Customer Expectations



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# The Role of Housing Management

### The sectors response to Covid

- -The sector has played a key role in a swift, co-ordinated response
- -Consolidated role on communities
- 'Anchor' organisations

## Shift towards prevention and early intervention

- -Invest to save
- -More proactive, less reactive

### Priorities and outcomes

- -Fundamentally, about managing and protecting our homes
- -Providing tenants with the best quality of life

#### **Homes not Houses**

-We are social purposeorganisations-Key role to play in creating homesnot just houses

### The key to success

- -Partnerships
- -Connecting with the sector, communities and individuals

#### **Outcomes focused**

-Enabling positive change for tenants and communities





# Can RSL's play a greater role?



Yes!



In what areas?



**Homes not Houses.** 







### No Place like HOME?

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# What has the pandemic taught us? Focus on the important!







"Housing is a core and sensitive driver of social wellbeing – and therefore must be addressed within the **Public Health Priorities** in Scotland"

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### Health and Social Care Integration



Supporting people to live well and independently at home or in a homely setting in their community for as long as possible

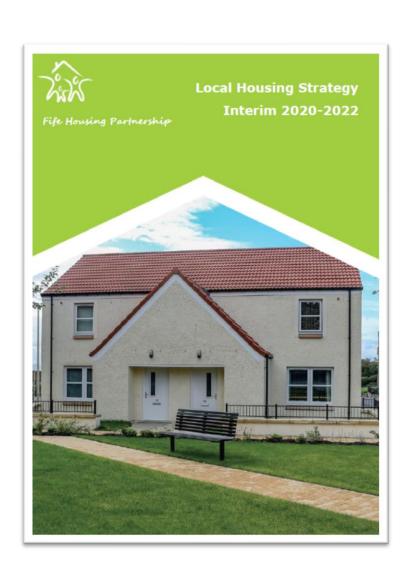
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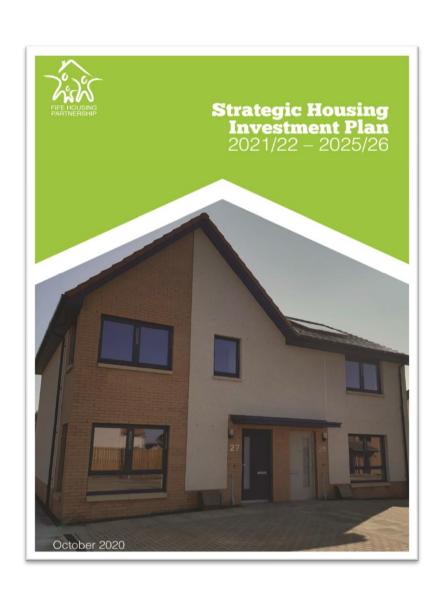
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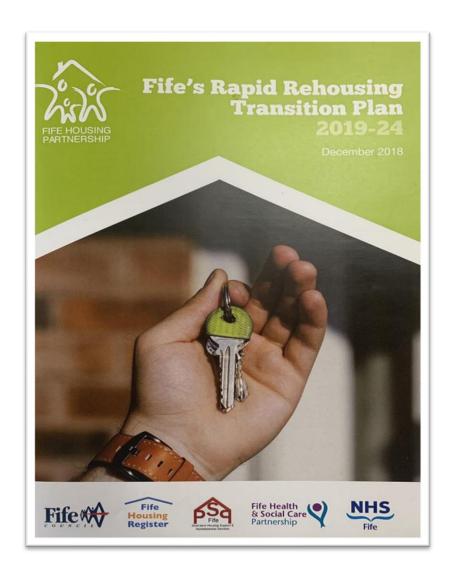




## 20-year strategic framework for housing?







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### **MAIN DRIVERS FOR NEXT 20 YEARS**



- BUILD, BUILD, BUILD!
- RESPONDING TO THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY new build and retrofit
- 2040 HOUSING ROUTEMAP
- SCOTTISH GOVERNMENT RESOURCES TO SUPPORT HOUSING INVESTMENT & GREATER SUPPORT FOR HRAS AND RSL REVENUE ACCOUNTS
- CLOSER ALIGNMENT OF HOUSING WITH PUBLIC HEALTH, AND HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE