

# INFORMATION ON THE ANNUAL RENT REVIEW 2025

### What does your rent include:

Your rent helps pay to keep your home well-maintained and safe. It also helps build new homes and pay for tenancy-related services. Every year the rent you pay to us will be reviewed. This only happens once a year, no more.

Rent increase: In 2025, your rent will go up by up to 2.7%. This means if you pay £100 per week in rent, your rent will increase by £2.70\*.

\*If you are a shared owner, your rent will go up by a different amount depending on the terms of your lease. In 2025, this will likely be either 2.7% or 3.2%.

# Did you know



 Last year, we collected £39 million in rent and other charges from 7,143 homes. This works out an average of £105 per week per home.



 The government tells us how much rent we can charge.



 The money we get from rent helps make our homes and services better.



 Rent makes up 74p out of every £1 of our annual income.

### What your rent pays for



 Repairs: over £10 million was spent on repairing and maintaining homes.



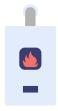
 Building new homes: £40 million was spent on building new homes.



• **Keeping you safe:** over £2 million was spent on making sure homes are safe with checks for gas, electric, and fire safety.



• **Support:** rent also helped fund local groups, projects, and support services for tenants, like help with bills, mental health, and finding jobs and training.



 Saving energy: over £2 million was spent on things like insulation and new boilers to help save energy.

### What your rent does not pay for



 Bills: such as your Council Tax, water, energy, and broadband.



 Personal items: you are responsible for things like your own appliances, carpets, and furniture.



 Public space: your local council manages public roads, pavements, and open spaces.

## Service charges



 Service charges cover things like cleaning, gardening, or lighting in shared areas.



 You may pay for extra support services if you live in an independent or supported housing scheme.

### Support available

We are here for you if you need help with understanding the rent review or want support with money worries, bills, finding work or wellbeing, get in touch.

Let us know what you think about the Annual Rent Review

Call **0333 320 4555**, email us or use our live chat on the website, **www.progressgroup.org.uk/rent-setting** 

In person - Sumner House, 21 King Street, Leyland, PR25 2LW or speak to your housing officer, independent living coordinator or Customer Voice Team.