

**RENT CONTROLS NOW!
COUNCIL HOMES NOT LUXURY FLATS!**



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Unaffordable housing is destroying our lives. Private rents, social rents, and service charges are spiralling. We are trapped in unaffordable, overcrowded and unsafe housing. Whether we are private renters, social tenants, or experiencing homelessness, we are all driven to breaking point by the same system, and we demand change.

Sky-high housing costs mean we work two jobs and cut back on essentials to get by. We fear being pushed out by a rent rise, too scared to complain about dangerous conditions. We face the highest levels of homelessness in the developed world. Disabled renters face discrimination and can't secure accessible homes, while an institutionally racist social housing system neglects and mismanages estates, damaging our health. All the while, developers hollow out our communities, demolishing homes and building luxury flats we can never afford.

This can't go on. Now is the time to fight back. Keir Starmer's government is super-charging the developer-landlord system. They expect us to believe that developers and landlords will fix the housing crisis when these are the very people who profit from it most. It's not a housing crisis. It's a racket and this government is making it worse.

Another housing system is possible. We can win homes that are affordable and secure. Retrofit, not demolition. Council housing, not private equity firms. Rent controls, not 20% annual rent rises. A government that spends our money on good homes, not on war and genocide.

We need to ramp up the pressure to end this rotten system. As more than 40 organisations, we are calling a national housing demonstration in London on Saturday 18 April. We demand:

- **Rent controls to stop rents spiralling further.**
- **Central government investment for more and better council homes.**

We know our movement can win. Housing campaigners won an end to section 21, and across Europe, tenants are getting organised and winning lower rents. **It's time to end the racket.**

Join us on 18th April. **Let's make housing affordable again.**



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