



Good Practice

Objective

Affordable Housing Panel	To implement the action plan to improve the affordable housing service; to ensure this is done via a positive joined up working practice with internal and external partners.
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Detail

Following a review of the Council’s affordable housing service with its partners in 2006/7 the council produced an action plan to improve the service over the ensuing years. As the review was complete, the review group disbanded and formed into an Affordable Housing Panel.

The panel meets on a quarterly basis is chaired by the Portfolio Holder, Housing and Health, demonstrating the councils commitment to affordable housing. The membership of the panel includes council officers, HCA, Registered Providers (not limited to preferred management partners), Parish Councils and a representative from the local mortgage centre.

The panel brings together the key players in delivering affordable housing in the District. The meeting provides an opportunity to share information, share best practise and to seek to break through barriers to delivery.

Outcomes

Increased awareness of local issues by all those involved in affordable housing delivery in Daventry District.
Increased confidence in all parties that Daventry District Council is committed to affordable housing delivery.

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