

Democratic Services

CABINET

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Item 9(c) - Calling for Action to Build More Homes

**Written response from Councillor Long
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Action to Build More Homes –Referral to Cabinet

“The Cabinet is asked to call for a detailed report on how to achieve the following principles and outcomes:

Table 1: Principle

No	Principles
1	To retain ownership of current Council stock
2	That mixed tenure estates are key to social inclusion and the provision of choice.
3	That we retain the HRA as the principle manager of Council housing.(whoever owns that stock)
4	That new council housing should be secured through new build, acquisition and planning gain.

Table 2: Outcomes.

No	Outcomes
1	To offer the choice of Council housing across the city.
2	All old and new estates to be mixed tenure.
3	Provision of 30,000 Council houses by 2050 through both new build and acquisition.
4	Sustainable, balanced communities with good schools and working households.
5	Funding a range of new housing through General Fund related borrowing as well as investing HRA resources.

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