



Safety in your building

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Upton House, Hamella House, Aldermans House, Tan House, Humberton House, Kenworthy Road 14a-c, Ward Lane, Sadler Place, Kenworthy Place, Homerton, E9 5QQ

Dear residents,

Design team making good progress

We last wrote to let you know which organisations we had appointed to the design team, responsible for putting together the design solution to addresses the issues within the external wall system at your building. I'm pleased to say that they have been making steady progress since then:

- Site familiarisation visit
- IFC issuing technical note for further investigation into brickwork – opening up works will take place in September
- 3D scan of the block to support architectural design
- Further action taken to support warranty claim.

Government fund now open

The government has opened a fund for buildings of your height to support with costs to address cladding-related fire safety risks, now named the Cladding Safety Scheme (CSS). Now that the fund is open, we can consider the full eligibility criteria to see if your buildings would be eligible to apply. If this is the case, we will make an application. However, this will likely not be able to happen until we are further along with the design process, as we will need to submit details and costings for our solution.

Further support

If you need further support, you can:

- Go to the London Fire Brigade's website, which is offering a free online tool which guides you through a fire risk assessment of your home (home visits are available for more vulnerable residents): <https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/safety/the-home/home-fire-safety/>
- Visit our website where we have a building safety section with lots of information and frequently asked questions: <https://www.networkhomes.org.uk/buildingandfiresafety/>
- View resources which may help: <https://www.networkhomes.org.uk/buildingsafetyresources/>
- Check our document library for your building's letters and documents – it takes a little while to load: <https://www.networkhomes.org.uk/kenworthybuildingsafety/>
- Get in touch with us on customerservice@networkhomes.org.uk if you have any questions.

Kind regards

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A summary of this letter

The design team is making good progress on agreeing the design solution.

We'll be looking at the government's fund which has just opened, to see if your buildings are eligible to apply for support.

A reminder

Your building's fire strategy is **stay put**, so you should stay in your home unless you are directly affected by smoke, heat or fire, or are told to evacuate by the fire brigade. There is no communal alarm in the building.