

# Safety in your building

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Grand Union Heights, Northwick Road, Alperton, HA0

Dear residents,

## **Project update**

We last wrote to you with an update on your building's external wall remediation project saying that we had submitted our design proposal to the contractor.

We've received the first part of their response and expect to receive the remaining information in the next couple of weeks. Our consultants are now reviewing the price they have submitted. We are still awaiting further details of their programme and site facilities which we hope to receive in the coming days.

#### **Next steps**

Once we've reviewed the price, we'll submit that to the Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities (DLUHC) to determine any funding from the Building Safety Fund. We'll then be able to sign an agreement with the contractor and finalise the site logistics. We have had pre-meetings with DLUHC on our submission and we have met with their third party assessors.

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## A summary of this letter

We've received a price for our design proposal for the external wall remediation and our team is reviewing it.

We'll then be able to submit for consideration to the Building Safety Fund.

### A reminder

Your building's fire strategy is simultaneous evacuation, which means you must evacuate if you hear the fire alarm, even if you think it is a false alarm.

Thank you again for your patience while we progress towards agreeing the final design and price.

#### **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): <a href="https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/safety/the-home/home-fire-safety/">https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/safety/the-home/home-fire-safety/</a>
- Visit our website where we have a building safety section with lots of information and frequently asked questions: <a href="https://www.networkhomes.org.uk/buildingandfiresafety/">https://www.networkhomes.org.uk/buildingandfiresafety/</a>
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- Get in touch with us on <a href="mailto:customerservice@networkhomes.org.uk">customerservice@networkhomes.org.uk</a> if you have any questions.

Kind regards

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