

## Creating greener homes and reducing fuel poverty

**8 September 2014, 10:00 – 16:00**

**CIH Offices, 236 Grays Inn Road, London**

10:00-10:05 Seminar Room	<b>Welcome from Chair</b>	<b>Joe Logan</b> , Chief Executive - Poole Housing Partnership (NFA Awards 2014 finalist)
10:10-10:50 Seminar Room	<b>Plenary 1: Setting the scene</b> <b>Andrew</b> will explore the current policy framework and the positions of the political parties on environmental sustainability issues in the run up to the next election, including climate change, fuel poverty and affordable warmth, and whatever happened to the 'Green Deal'?	<b>Andrew Eagles</b> , Managing Director - Sustainable Homes
10:50-11:30 Seminar Room	<b>Plenary 2: Bricks and Mortar</b> <b>Dave</b> will share good practice from the renovation of Harold Wilson Court, including how standards of energy efficiency have been improved and how the initiative has helped to tackle fuel poverty.	<b>Dave Woodhead</b> , Contracts Manager - Kirklees Neighbourhood Housing (NFA Awards 2014 winner)
11:30-11:45	<b>Tea and coffee break</b>	
11:45-12:30 Seminar Room	<b>Workshop 1: Retrofit and tenant training</b> <b>Nick</b> will discuss how South Tyneside Homes' 'Energy Matters' campaign, which includes installing renewable and low carbon technologies into their homes and working with residents to lower their fuel bills.	<b>Nick Huston</b> , Development Team Manager - South Tyneside Homes (NFA Awards 2014 finalist)
11:45-12:30 Barrington Room	<b>Workshop 2: Fuel poverty and rural communities</b> <b>Kevin</b> and <b>Peter</b> will share good practice on how they are addressing issues of off-gas properties in rural areas, their programme of installing air source heat pumps and how this has helped to address fuel poverty.	<b>Kevin Smith</b> , Electrical Team Leader - Homes for Northumberland (NFA Awards 2014 finalist)  <b>Peter Hately</b> , – Northumberland County Council

12:30-13:30	Lunch	
13:30-14:15 Seminar Room	<b>Workshop 3: Investment in being green</b> <b>Emily</b> will talk about the business case for being green, targeting investment, attracting additional funding and value for money	<b>Emily Braham</b> - Nottingham City Homes
13:30-14:15 Barrington Room	<b>Workshop 4: New build</b> <b>Clare</b> will discuss Hastoe's 4 point approach to environmental sustainability including development of Code for Sustainable Homes Level 4 and Passivhaus developments at Ditchingham.	<b>Clare Hendry</b> , Sustainability Manager - Hastoe Group
14:15-14:30	Tea and coffee break	
14:30-15:10 Seminar Room	<b>Plenary 3: Tenants and communities</b> <b>Paul</b> will outline how education of residents and supporting behavioural change has reduced energy use and tackled fuel poverty at Riverside.	<b>Paul Booth</b> , Community Regeneration Manager - Riverside
	<b>Plenary 4: Landlord energy rate for social housing</b> <b>David</b> will talk about how the Carbon Saving Alliance is looking to provide a landlord energy rate for social housing which is lower than the open market rate, investing surpluses in energy-efficiency measures across the stock.	<b>David Greensmith</b> , Director - Carbon Saving Alliance
15:10-15:55 Seminar Room	<b>Plenary 4: What next and NFA Manifesto - green agenda</b> <b>Chloe</b> will discuss how the green agenda can be taken forward by ALMOs, and launch the new NFA Best Practice Briefing on energy efficiency.	<b>Chloe Fletcher</b> , Policy Director - National Federation of ALMOs
15:55-16:00 Seminar Room	<b>Chair: Summing up and close</b>	<b>Joe Logan</b> , Chief Executive - Poole Housing Partnership