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Berneslai Homes shortlisted for two regional awards

Berneslai Homes were pleased to have been shortlisted for two awards last week at the Barnsley and Rotherham Chamber of Commerce Business Awards, held at Magna Science Adventure Centre.

Office Apprentice Cory Hampson was shortlisted for the 'Apprentice of the Year' Award. Cory was nominated as he has demonstrated outstanding occupation progress, practical ability, positive approach to employment and personal qualities. Berneslai Homes were also highly commended for the 'Business Community Impact Award' for their Digital Device Doctors programme in partnership with Barnsley Council. The programme showed continued commitment, enthusiasm and energy in working to improve the environment or quality of life within a community.

Berneslai Homes Chief Executive Helen Jaggar adds, "We are really pleased to have been shortlisted at the awards. The awards recognise the hard work of businesses who go the extra mile and really make a difference to local people."

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Left to right

Cory Hampson (finalist Apprentice of the Year), Jacob Fox (Apprentice) and Hannah Bailey (Digital Inclusion Coordinator)

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Editors notes:

Berneslai Homes is the Council's managing agent for the management and maintenance of council housing in Barnsley. They have a track record for excellent performance at value for money cost and in 2015 the Council extended the service agreement for a further five years from April 2016 to March 2021 with the ability for rolling five year extensions. They have been listed in the Sunday

Times Top 100 Best Companies to Work For In The Not For Profit Sector for the last four years and achieved the Investors In People Gold Standard. They work closely with many partner agencies within the Sheffield city region and are part of the One Barnsley board.

The organisation is run by a board comprising of a Chair, three councillors, three independents and three tenant members. Berneslai Homes manages approximately 18,745 properties and employs just under 500 employees.