RepairsThanet District Council Tenant and Leaseholder Service Monthly Service Compliance Report

| Meeting: | Monthly Monitoring Report to Service Management Team |
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| Date: | 04/01/2023 |
| Monitoring Period | December 2022 |
| Author: | Claire Pryce (Asset Manager) |
| Summary: | This report covers health and safety compliance areas relating to Thanet District Council' housing stock, both for individual properties and for communal services and locations. The details of the current position with rates of compliance are detailed in appendix one. The rate of progress is shown in appendix two. (graph) |
| Recommendations: | That the director for housing and planning scrutinise the data contained within this report and escalate any exceptional positions to the council's Corporate Management Team and relevant Cabinet Member, in line with agreed policy. Quarterly reports to be escalated formally to Cabinet |

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TDC Housing Stock

| Туре | No. | Comments |
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| Domestic | 3047 | |
| Communal | 274 | |
| Garages | 354 | |
| Garages block | 34 | Harbour Towers car park included here |
| Commercial | 3 | Under lease: Brunswick community Centre and Newington community Centre, Managed: Millmead Hall |

<u>Lifts</u>

| Compliance with written examination schemes for lift plant | 14 (100%) |
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| Number of Entrapments - month and year to date | Entrapments this month 0 (from Mears) from 0 Precision lifts |
| Current Assets - lifts / stairlifts and changes in last month | Stairlifts - 81 Non Compliant - 10 87.65% Compliant 7 LOLERs completed in December 3 non access. Through floor lifts - 16 Non Compliant - 3 81.25% Compliant 2 LOLERs completed in December 2 non access. |
| Outstanding Defect A and Defect B risk actions as identified in insurers reports | Passenger lifts Defect A's - 0 Defect B - 35 Home aids (stairlifts and through floor lifts) Defect A - 0 Defect B - 14 |
| RIDDOR Notices issued | None |

Water

| Properties with a valid in date LRA as a number and overall percentage | 30 - 100% Compliant |
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| Properties which are due to be inspected and tested within the next 30 days - this is the early warning system | 2 Due in January 2023 and have been booked in and 25 Due in February 2023 which have also been booked in |
| Number of follow up works / actions arising from risk assessments and inspections - completed / in time and overdue | High Risk - 0 Medium Rask - 12 (100% overdue) Low Risk - 0 |
| Current Position | One Medium action was completed in December, the remaining 12 actions are legacy actions that we cannot gain access to. |
| Corrective Action required | Continue to contact and negotiate with residents to gain access. |

Fire Risk Assessment

| Properties with a valid in date FRA. This is the level of compliance as a number and overall percentage | 167 in date 100% |
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| Properties due for FRA within 90 days. This is the early warning system | 16 Due in February 2023 - all booked in within the expiry date |
| Follow up works - total number of actions (by priority) raised in period completed and outstanding - and time outstanding | 8 New FRAs completed in December with 41 new actions added in Quarter 3 Total actions = 173 142 actions are overdue |
| Narrative, including ■ Current Position | 130 Actions completed in total in Quarter 3 Overdue Actions 142 11 overdue with repairs 1 - to replace the flat door - on hold due to not being able to force entry - ASB |

- 1 to replace front door has had two non-accesses, the latest being in December, now looking to see if we can force entry.
- 2 included within insurance works
- 7 appointments booked

115 overdue with Planned

Works have stalled due to unsuccessful recruitment to project surveyor (fire) post.

Works are being issued to contractor but not at the same pace - currently awaiting quotes

9 overdue with Housing

Relate to Mobility Scooters, housing contacting the residents.

7 Overdue in Compliance

- 2 signage being ordered
- 5 visits required

Additional, including;

Compliance with fire safety equipment, systems and installation servicing and maintenance programmes.

Fire Alarms - 11 - compliant 20 - Non Compliant:

- 4 are currently having new alarms fitted. Experiencing issues with access
- 5 Towers blocks are planned works. This is mitigated with the waking watch on site.
- 1 Is part of a large project
- 1 Has failed due to non access to most of the flats, a joint visit has been arranged with housing, the contractor and compliance officer and asset manager to try and gain access to these flats.

One Failure is being disputed with the contractor by the asset manager, due to them stating call points should be fitted, however this block has a stay put policy and would not require call points and the design was agreed by Kent Fire and REscue and the FRA.

Nine - Became overdue at the end of December and are booked in to be completed in January.

AOV - 92.86%

One failure due to two vents not opening, handles have been broken, currently awaiting date from contractor.

| | Emergency Lighting - 100% |
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| | Fire Extinguishers - 100% |
| Recording and reporting on property fires | No fires were reported in December |

<u>Asbestos</u>

| Properties with a valid in date survey / re-inspection. This is the level of compliance as a number and percentage | Domestic - 1923 - 64.73 % |
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| | Communal - 109 100% |
| | Community buildings - 2 100% |
| | Garages Individual - 25 - 7.06% |
| Properties due to be surveyed / re-inspected in the next 90 days. This | Communal - 19 |
| is the early warning system. | All with the contractor and planned in before their due date. |
| The number of follow up works / actions arising from surveys and the numbers 'completed,' 'in time' and 'overdue.' | Works domestic: 8 - v low 8 - low 6 - Med 0 - High Communal - Zero outstanding |
| | Communal - Zero outstanding |

Electrical

| Properties with a valid in date EICR | Communal - 99.37% |
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| | Domestic - 2801 - 91.93% |
| Narrative including: | In the Month of Dec: |
| Current Position Corrective action required Anticipated impact of corrective action Progress with completion of follow up works | Communal Update - 1 overdue - UK Power Networks cancelled the appointment that was booked for December and we are now awaiting a new appointment date from them. |
| | Properties: - |
| | 178 EICR's completed in Q3 260 no access |
| | We have a high rate of no access and therefore we have in place a forced access procedure. These were successful - In December 11 Forced entries were booked. 5 were completed before the force entry appointment. 6 were completed on the force entry appointment. |
| | Mears December Stats:- 76 Properties Carded 45 Completed Satisfactory EICRs 12 Unsatisfactory EICRs Mears October Stats 89 Carded 40 Completed Satisfactory 3 Remedials completed |
| | Mears Nov Stats 95 Carded 56 Completed 21 remedial works completed |
| | NRT December Stats:- 37 Completed Satisfactory EICRs 8 Properties Carded |
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<u>Gas</u>

| Properties with a valid in date LGSR certification. This is the level of compliance expressed as a figure and a percentage | 2794 100.00% Complaint |
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| Properties due to be serviced in the next 30 days. This is the early warning system | All have booked appointments and the forced entry process has started. |
| The number of follow up works / actions arising from any tests / inspections and the numbers completed, in time and overdue | 40 follow on actions as of the end of December |
| Narrative including: | January and February we have a peak in servicing, Gas Call has the required resources in place to ensure the servicing is completed within time and has the use of engineers from other areas if required, this is being closely monitored with Gas Call. |