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London Tenants Federation

London Plan Conference

Initial proposals for a revised London Plan have been published. The Plan will dominate planning policies and development in London for years to come.

Do the proposals meet the needs of our communities?

Public consultation will start in Autumn 2009, with a public examination of the proposals taking place next year.

How do we ensure tenants voices are heard?

Saturday 25th July 10.00am - 4.00pm Directory of Social Change 24 Stephenson Way, London NW1 2DP

PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING

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Agenda

10.00 Registration, tea and coffee

- 10.30 Welcome London Tenants Federation
- 10.45 **Peter Eversden**, *London Forum of Amenity and Civic Societies* - The London Plan, what it covers, its impact at the local level and the consultation process on proposals for a revised plan
- 11.10 **Workshops** with guest facilitators including event speakers, Friends of the Earth, Just Space Planning Network and others.
- 12.15 Plenary
- 13.00 Lunch
- 14.00 **Duncan Bowie** *Ex GLA planner and lecturer at Metropolitan University.* Weaknesses in the Mayor's proposals for the London Plan
- 14.25 **Michael Edwards** *Kings Cross Railway Lands Group and lecturer at The Bartlett School, UCL* Alternatives to the existing and proposed new London Plan
- 14.50 **Questions, comments and debate** on what we do next.

15.45 Ends

Workshop 1. Climate Change. What is the government and the Mayor saying on climate change and environmental issues. How will their proposals impact on our homes and our communities. What are the key issues for tenants?

Workshop 2. Regeneration, opportunity areas and areas for 'intensification'. Which areas are identified in the London Plan? How do avoid loss of social rented housing and gentrification? How do we ensure a bottom up approach? Are there ways for tenants living in regeneration areas to link?

Workshop 3. Lifetime Neighbourhoods. 'Lifetime homes' have generally been accepted by the policy makers, so why not 'lifetime neighbourhoods? Could we draw together issues identified in our own and other voluntary sector organisation's publications to refine a definition that could be supported by a wide range of tenant and community groups?

Workshop 4. Making our voices heard on proposals for a new London Plan. Formal consultation processes commence in Autumn 2009 and a public examination of proposals will take place next year. How do we ensure our voices are heard both within and outside the formal consultation processes?