TO THE OSPREY GROUP CHARTER REPORT FOR 2019

# **Osprey Tenants & Residents Association**

This report is produced in partnership with our tenants - for tenants. To help you understand our performance and how we compare against others

# **OTRA STATEMENT**

"We continue to work closely with the Osprey Group and we are seeing how our engagement is continuing to have a positive effect on service provision. As tenants we continue to be engaged with Osprey at all levels including Governing Body members, scheme champions, working group members...all

working towards good outcomes for tenants"



# ABOUT OSPREY



Osprey

Housing

Moray

1027 general needs properties
14 specially adapted supported units
Office in Westhill, Aberdeenshire

• 512 general needs properties

• Office in Lossiemouth, Moray



#### MEASURING...

#### QUALITY OF HOUSING

#### **Reactive Repairs**

#### Scottish Housing Quality Standard

#### Tenant Satisfaction



#### WHAT THE STATS SAY ..... QUALITY OF HOUSING

	SCOTTISH AVERAGE	Benchmark - Rural RSL	ОН	ОНМ
Average length of time taken to complete emergency repairs	3.7 hrs	3.6 hrs	2.3 hrs	2.1 hrs
Average length of time taken to complete non-emergency repairs	6.6 days	6.2 days	8.6 days	7.4 days
Right First time	92.3%	90.8%	95.1%	92.8%
% of tenants who have had repairs or maintenance in the last 12 months satisfied	92.1%	92.4%	90.7%	95.2%
% of stock meeting the SQHS	94.2%	93.7%	99.9%	100.0%

## OTRA SAYS....QUALITY OF HOUSING

"We are assured that Osprey deliver a **quality consistent service** for the day to day repairs service. The organisations shows a **clear commitment** to investing and improving the existing stock providing tenants with **homes** fit for the future "



#### MEASURING...

#### TENANCY SUSTAINMENT

Anti Social Behaviour

Sustainment of new lets

Legal action and tenancy recoveries



#### WHAT THE STATS SAY ..... TENANCY SUSTAINMENT

#### % NEW TENANCIES SUSTAINED MORE THAN ONE YEAR



	ОН	ОНМ		
Notice of Proceedings served	41	20		
Court actions initiated	26	10		
Court actions ending in eviction	2	2		
Abandonments	1	0		
Osprey Group are committed to supporting tenants lead successful tenancies and prevent evictions through support and intervention				

## **OTRA SAYS...** TENANCY SUSTAINMENT

"The current financial climate is **difficult for tenants and communities**, impacting on their ability to sustain their tenancy successfully. The Osprey staff **work hard** to **support** tenants offering advice and signposting to **help** tenants stay in their homes even when faced with challenges"

#### MEASURING...

## ACCESS TO HOUSING

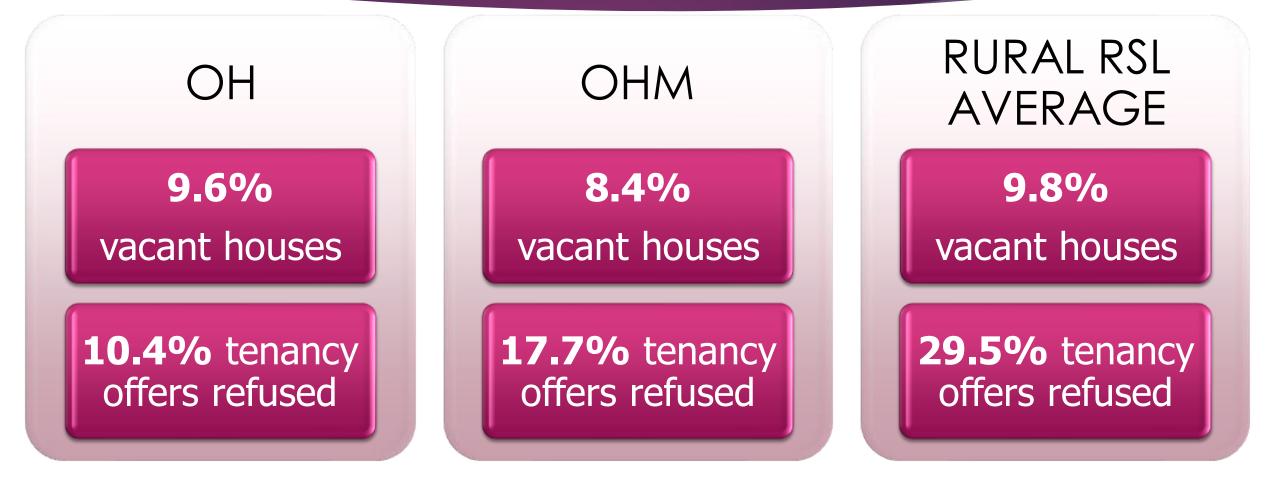
### New build and relets

# Mutual exchanges

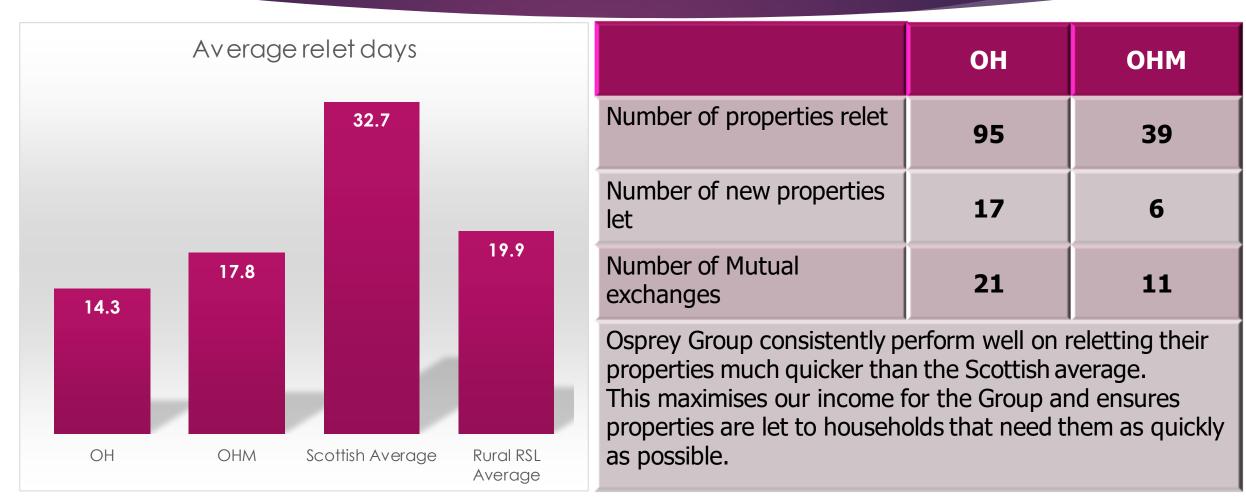
# Aids and adaptations



## WHAT THE STATS SAY .... ACCESS TO HOUSING



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# OTRA SAYS...ACCESS TO HOUSING

"The group has continued to deliver **strong** relet performance **maximising income** and the strength of the organisation. We are also pleased to note the low level of refusals evidencing that Osprey stock is **desirable** and meeting the needs of our **communities**"

## MEASURING... VALUE FOR MONEY

#### **Rent collection**

### Arrears management

### **Rent increases**



#### WHAT THE STATS SAY....VALUE FOR MONEY

	ОН	ОНМ	Scottish Average	RSL Rural Benchmark
% Rent collected	<b>99.2</b> %	<b>98.9</b> %	99.0%	<b>99.4</b> %
Current rent arrears	<b>2.45</b> %	3.24%	3.76%	2.77%
Former rent arrears	1.15%	0.92%	<b>2.16</b> %	1.52%
Rent increase applied	<b>2.1</b> %	<b>2.1</b> %	<b>3.01</b> %	3.28%
Osprey are committed to maximising income while minimising rent				

increases.



Despite the difficult financial climate, the income management performance of the Group remains good. We continue to have an **open and positive engagement relationship** with the Group and this is further demonstrated by the approach taken to tenant **consultation**.

The Business Plan is at the **heart** of the information shared with tenants, providing **transparency** and

assurance



# "making a difference every day"



"to provide high quality affordable housing and services to people in the communities we serve"



# FROM OUR CHIEF EXECUTIVE...

LOOKING FORWARD "I want to assure our tenants the Osprey Group constantly reviews its activities, internal operations and approach to service delivery "

We aim to continuously get better at what we do by:

	Improving our performance	Improving tenant and staff satisfaction
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#### FROM OUR CHIEF EXECUTIVE... LOOKING FORWARD

Examples of this include our investment in developing digital services; enhancing accessibility through modern communication methods; investment in our stock with fully funded improvements, maintenance and energy efficiency programmes and, our aim of becoming accredited for delivering customer service excellence.

In addition, the Group continues to engage with the Osprey Tenants and Residents Association (OTRA) and support a programme of Tenant Scrutiny activities. Osprey remains determined to deliver high quality housing and high performing services to tenants.

We strive to achieve value for money and we are committed to "making a difference every day"

