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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Homelessness in London

Good Morning, All,

Since homelessness is a growing problem in London, and yet so many of us have more than ever, I would ask that priority be given to this issue.

As you put together the key, four-year budget, please consider funding these three vital components:

- 1) "Additional funding for affordable housing - Part B"
- 2) London Middlesex Community Housing regeneration
- 3) London Middlesex Community Housing staffing and security

The first two items allow for the creation of more affordable housing stock, the third allows for support of people already in social housing.

Thanks so much for your time,

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