



Event on affordable housing

“How to build better?”

21ST OF APRIL 2026

ROOM: EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT, BRUSSELS, ROOM A5E3

13:30 – 15:30

– PROGRAMME –

13:30 – 13:45 | Welcome & Introduction

- Welcome by MEP Nikolina Brnjac, EPP HOUS coordinator

13:45 – 14:00 | Keynote intervention from the European Commission

- Matthew Baldwin, Head of Housing Task Force, European Commission

Presenting main elements of the European Affordable Housing plan

14:00 – 14:20 | Industry input

- Nina Dražin Lovrec, President of European Council of Engineers Chambers (ECEC)
- Platonas Stylianou, President of European Council of Civil Engineers (ECCE)

Reflecting on Parliament’s report and Commission’s European Affordable Housing Plan and providing feedback and inputs

14:20 – 15:00 | Open dialogue and Q&A

- Intervention by different MEPs:

Borja Gimenez Larraz, Rapporteur of INI report in HOUS Committee, EPP

Regina Doherty, Vice-Chair of HOUS Committee, EPP

Andreas Schieder, S&D HOUS Coordinator

Exchange of views between policy makers and industry representatives

15:00 – 15:15 | Conclusion