Learn More About A Blueprint for Change



A Blueprint for Change is a plan that will improve NYCHA buildings and protect residents' rights:

Will Blueprint for Change...

Invest new money in NYCHA?	Yes!	Invests \$18-25 billion in 110,000 apartments to address mold, lead, heating systems, elevators, pests and waste, and more.
Keep public housing public?	Yes!	NYCHA remains 100% public . NYCHA continues to own its land/buildings & NYCHA staff continue to manage and maintain the properties. A new NYCHA-affiliated public agency - the NYC Public Housing Preservation Trust - oversees construction work and funding of the properties.
Protect residents' rights and permanent affordability?	Yes!	Residents keep their full rights & protections permanently , including right to organize resident organizations, automatic lease renewal, succession rights, and all rights under 24 CFR Part 964. Rent remains capped at 30% of household income.
Ensure steady funding for public housing?	Yes!	Transfers developments from HUD Section 9 funding to the more stable HUD project-based Section 8 funding, enabling NYCHA to raise funding for repairs & access valuable HUD Tenant Protection Voucher funding.
Create good jobs for residents?	Yes!	Building investments generate jobs & job training for residents through strengthened Section 3 requirements.
Prevent permanent displacement of residents?	Yes!	No residents displaced.
Renovate every NYCHA building?	Yes!	When combined with the separate PACT program, NYCHA will have a comprehensive repair plan for every building.
Invest in resident health?	Yes!	Renovations will address capital needs, including kitchens, bathrooms, boilers, elevators, ventilation systems, facades, and high-security front doors - repairs that create healthier homes for residents.

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