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Dear Resident

A NEW USE FOR CROWN GARDENS, ALCONBURY

This letter, to all residents in Alconbury, updates you on the on the changes we are making to our former sheltered accommodation at Crown Gardens.

We have found it difficult to let the flats at Crown Gardens to older people and so we needed to find a new use for it. We looked at the options with Huntingdonshire District Council (HDC) and are now repurposing the building as short term housing.

There are many households in the area that find themselves with short term housing problems. This could be because the private rented property they lived in is no longer available to them, or family circumstances have changed and they find themselves without a home.

HDC has a duty to support people in housing need, but, regrettably there isn't enough affordable housing for people to move into straight away. This means that the Council has to house people temporarily until a permanent home becomes available.

The refurbishment works will finish in early summer 2020. At this time we will invite you to tour the building before residents move in so you can get a good idea of how the new accommodation will be run.

If you have any questions please contact Simon Leher, Communications Manager at Chorus Homes by calling 0345 266 9760 or email simon.leher@chorushomesgroup.co.uk.

Yours faithfully

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