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## **The Federation of Private Residents' Associations (FPRA) 40th Anniversary Event for leaseholders**

Keynote speech by Shadow Housing Minister Alison Seabeck MP and advice "surgery" is FPRA's focus of our 40th Anniversary Event for leaseholders



This year The Federation of Private Residents Associations (FPRA) is celebrating 40 years providing advice and support to long-leasehold home owners as well as helping flat dwellers set up and run residents associations.

To mark the milestone the FPRA are holding a leaseholders advice surgery on **Wednesday 9th November from 5.45pm to 9.15pm** in association with SKY HOMES and we will be expanding our AGM to invite leasehold flat owners from across England and Wales to hear a keynote speech from **Shadow Housing Minister Alison Seabeck MP** as well as presentations by a wide range of industry experts; and we will be offering 'one to one' free legal advice sessions on any matters relating to the leasehold property sector.

Delegates will be able to meet experts from the following organisations and sponsors:

- The Federation of Private Residents Associations (FPRA)
- Leasehold Advisory Service (LEASE)
- Association of Leasehold Enfranchisement Practitioners (ALEP)
- Sky Homes
- Anglian Building Products
- Jaffe Porter Crossick LLP (JPC Law)
- Barrett Corp & Harrington, building insurance assessors & surveyors
- SLC Solicitors

- Flat-Living
- News on the Block

Plus other organisations who can assist leaseholders with a wide range of issues from lease extensions, Right to Manage and Insurance queries to offering satellite TV to every resident and dealing with the implications of non-residents taking flat owners parking spaces.

This complimentary event will be held at the prestigious Carisbrooke Hall, Victory Services Club, near Marble Arch, London W1 and is open to anyone who is a leaseholder or involved with groups of leaseholders who would like to form their own Residents Association or Right to Manage Company.

Registration is essential as places are limited and offered on a 'first come first served' basis.

FPRA Chairman Bob Smytherman said:

"For 40 years, the FPRA has been lobbying on behalf of and supporting residents associations who face the daily complexities of property management in private blocks of flats. As current Chairman, I am delighted we can celebrate this historic milestone with an event which shows the FPRA at its best, and with the added bonus of having an advice surgery on hand to help any of our member associations with queries they may have. I would encourage any residents association, Right to Manage or Resident Management Company committee to come along and find out more about what we at the FPRA can offer you as members."

Delegates can register on-line from the front page of our website

<http://www.fpra.org.uk>

or alternatively by visiting our media partners websites:

[News on the Block](#)

[Flat-Living](#)

For further information about the event.

Contact our event organiser Katherine Hersey-Meade on:-  
07974 112203 or e-mail [khm@khmc.co.uk](mailto:khm@khmc.co.uk)

For Organisations interested in taking part in the advice surgery there are still a few places left please contact Katherine for more details.

Notes to Editors:

The FPRA is a non-political, not for profit advice, support and lobbying organisation for our members who include private residential leaseholders, tenants, residents associations, residential management companies as well as those companies where the leaseholders together own the freehold of their own residential block.

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