

Put Procurement at the Centre of Your Social Housing Strategy

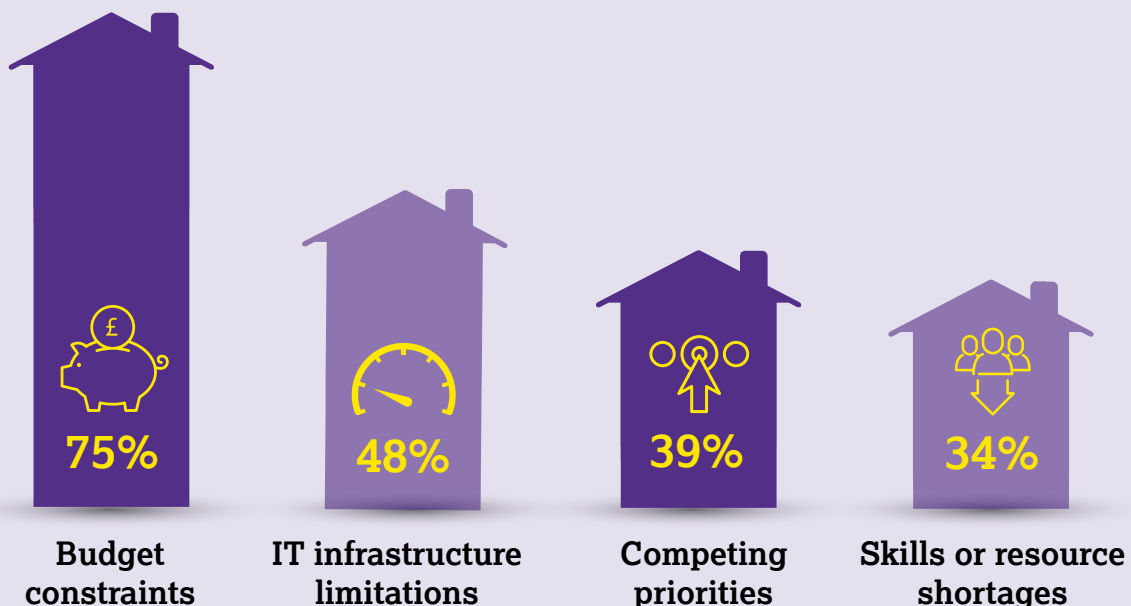
In spring 2024, YPO undertook our latest public sector study – **Safeguarding Social Housing in 2024 and Beyond** – focusing on the sustainability of UK social housing and the ways in which procurement can effect positive change.

But what do our findings tell us about the challenges social housing providers now face and the direction of travel for the sector as a whole?

According to senior decision makers, the outlook for social housing providers is decidedly mixed:



Budget is the single biggest barrier to implementing a successful digital transformation:



While the Procurement Act 2023 is imminent, many providers are potentially behind on social value and sustainable procurement:



46%

Sustainability and social value are embedded in all procurement processes



54%

Sustainability and social value have yet to be embedded in all procurement processes

However, efficient procurement is widely recognised as a means for social housing providers to make significant savings on cost and resources:



85%

Agree



15%

Other

Make Procurement Your Biggest Differentiator

Where procurement is concerned, YPO is here to help. With 100 compliant frameworks available and 50 years' experience helping the public sector to achieve the best possible value when buying products and services, we're dedicated to providing essential support and added value, as well as meeting your changing needs for greater flexibility, innovation and sustainability.

For further information about how YPO's frameworks and agreements can support your organisation, **visit our website: www.ypo.co.uk/public-sector** – featuring the latest news, insights and opinion on procurement best practice.

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