

AFFORDABLE HOMES FOR LOCAL PEOPLE

GREAT BARDFIELD

Last year villagers will recall the housing survey delivered to all homes in the village. This was to find out whether a need existed for some local needs housing in the community. Affordable homes for rent and for part purchase for people with close ties to the community who are unable to compete on the open market for their housing needs and who wish to remain in the village rather than being forced to move away. People who have already had to move away but would like the chance to return can also be considered.

There was a high response from people registering a housing need and your Parish Council have been working with English Rural Housing Association in the hope of providing some homes for the village. English Rural H.A. only work in small rural communities and have a number of village schemes in Essex.

We now need to update that information. If you or someone you know has a local connection and a housing need, we would like to hear from you now. You just need to register your interest with the Housing Association. Doing so places you under no obligation whatsoever but gives the Association a firmer idea on which to base a scheme.

If you wish to place your name on our list please telephone English Rural Housing Association by 31st March 2011 on **020 7820 7930** and ask to speak to Karen Eagles (or contact by email: cmoor@btconnect.com)
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