Defend Council Housing

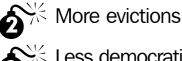
Resist the blackmail

to Privatisation



☆ Higher rents





Less democratic housing service



 $lap{1}{16}$ Banks and building societies controlling your homes



Big pay rises for senior managers - no wonder they are in favour!

Did you know?
It is MUCH easier for a landlord to evict you under an ASSURED tenancy than with a council SECURE tenancy

Evictions by housing associations rose by 36% between 1998 - 2000. You can even be evicted if Housing Benefit delay your payments.
43% of councils who privatised their

housing have problems rehousing the homeless, according to Shelter. If housing is sold off other council services will be put at risk too.

RSLs are in the private sector, depend on private borrowing, and they can and do go broke, merge or get taken over.

It's a one-way trap - if you vote for transfer you can't come back.

Demand investment in council housing

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