

ABOUT THIS REPORT

This is the fourteenth edition of the Sustainability Report published by the Hong Kong Housing Authority (HA), **Quality Housing • Green Living**. This Report presents the HA's sustainability initiatives and performance on environmental, social and economic facets in the year of 2018/19, as well as its governance structures and management approaches. It also highlights the HA's performance in the past year and future plans on providing local public housing programmes in a sustainable manner for Hong Kong.

Report Scope

This Report highlights the annual achievements and progress of the HA's sustainability performance from 1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019 (unless otherwise mentioned in the Report). It refers to the HA's sustainability objectives and targets in terms of the planning and construction of new housing developments, the management and maintenance of the existing public rental housing estates, and the operation of our own office.

During the reporting period, there was no significant change in the size, structure, scope of work and ownership of the HA.

Readers are encouraged to read this Report in conjunction with the relevant parts of the HA's [Annual Report 2018/19](#). Where appropriate, content will be referenced to the Annual Report.

Reporting Standards

This Report has been prepared in accordance with the "Core Option" of the [Global Reporting Initiative \(GRI\) Sustainability Reporting Standards](#). The [GRI Content Index](#) at the end of the Report illustrates how all the sections in this Report are linked to the relevant GRI indicators.

We welcome stakeholders' comments on our operations, activities, sustainability performance and reporting process. A [Feedback Form](#) is enclosed at the end of this Report to collect readers' opinion and comments for our continuous improvement.

Assurance

To assure the completeness, accuracy, reliability and credibility of our Report, we have engaged an independent party to verify the claims and data quoted in the Report. The [Verification Statement](#), with the verifier's opinions and views on the Report, is presented in a later chapter.

