

## PROGRAMME

# High Level Event on the Housing Crisis in the EU

European Parliament, Brussels  
5 May 2026 from 9:00 to 12:00  
Room: ANTALL 4Q2

### 08:30 Registration

### 09:00 Opening

- Welcome words by **Irene Tinagli**, Chair of the Special HOUS Committee, European Parliament, and by **Matthew Baldwin**, Head of the Housing Task Force, European Commission

### Keynote statements

- **Roberta Metsola**, President of the European Parliament (video message)
- European Commission (*tbc*)

### 09:20 Panel 1 – Financing the Housing Transition: the Next MFF and the Pan-European Investment Platform

- **Roberto Gualtieri**, Mayor of Rome
- **Jaume Collboni**, Mayor of Barcelona (*tbc*)
- **Sorcha Edwards**, Secretary General of Housing Europe
- **Johannes Böhmer**, Vice-Governor for Social Development Strategy, Council of Europe Development Bank
- **Tanguy Desrousseaux**, Chair of the Group Housing Task Force, European Investment Bank
- **Antonio Bandrés**, Director of *Instituto de Credito Oficial*

### 10:10 Panel 2 – Areas Under Housing Stress, the Affordable Housing Act and the Construction Sector

- **Federica Brancaccio**, President of the Italian National Association of Construction Companies
- **Karen Pein**, Senator of Hamburg for Urban Development and Housing (*tbc*)
- **Ivana Katurić**, Director of Urbanex
- **Rolf Van Rompaey**, Head of Public Affairs of the ETEX group

### 11:00 Panel 3 – Housing and Young People: Access, Affordability and Future Prospects

- **Tito Rodolfo Maraz Galassi**, member of the Italian National Council of University Students
- **Milosh Ristovski**, Secretary General of European Youth Forum (*tbc*)
- **Sara Villodre Pérez**, Vice President of *Consejo de la Juventud de España*
- **Ruth Owen**, Deputy Director of FEANTSA
- **Jens-Uwe Köhler**, General Manager of Studentendorf Berlin

### 11:50 Closing remarks

- Closing remarks by **Dan Jørgensen**, Commissioner for Energy and Housing, European Commission, and **Irene Tinagli**, Chair of the Special HOUS Committee, European Parliament