

## **News from Soha Housing Soha residents nationally recognised**

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Soha tenants have just held a series of workshops in which they showed other social housing residents how they challenge the work of their landlord.



The six, pictured, were awarded the status of 'Co-regulation Champions' by the Tenant Services Authority. As such, they were one of only 10 teams across England to have been marked out to share best practice. Their workshops attracted 110 delegates from across the South, South-West and Midlands.

Co-regulation is a term that housing officers use to cover formal commitments to influence or make decisions, to check or to scrutinise a landlord's services. At Didcot-based Soha, which serves nearly 5,500 households across Oxfordshire and neighbouring counties, there are residents who are involved at all levels to make a significant difference in shaping the services the landlord provides.

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