

# Residential Secure Income plc

31 March 2024

## Overview

Residential Secure Income plc (LSE: RESI) (ReSI plc) is a real estate investment trust (REIT) which aims to deliver secure, inflation-linked returns and has a focus on two sub-sectors in UK residential - independent retirement rentals and shared ownership - underpinned by an ageing demographic and untapped, strong demand for affordable home ownership.

ReSI plc's purpose is to deliver affordable, high-quality, safe homes with great customer service and long-term stability of tenure for residents.

## H1 24 results and outlook

### Strong operational performance underpinned by contractual inflation linked income

- 6.5% rent review growth (includes shared ownership rent increases on 1 April 2024)
- EPRA adjusted earnings<sup>1</sup> of £4.5mn (H1 23: £4.1mn) with strong net growth across retirement and shared ownership delivering 117% H1 2024 dividend coverage
- Shared ownership rents increasing by average of 8.3% on 1 April 2024, set to underpin further earnings growth
- EPRA Net Tangible Assets ("NTA") total return of (3.2%) (H1 23: (13.7%)) to give 77.2p per share. NTA valuations continue to be impacted by increased gilt yields, down 2.1% like-for-like with 20bps outwards yield shift

### Portfolio and operational insights

- Diversified portfolio of 2,996 homes worth £317mn
- 81mn reversionary surplus of vacant possession value compared to fair value (26% uplift)
- Portfolio focused on direct leases with pensioners and part homeowners
- Rent collection of over 99% for half year (H1 23: 99%)
- Shared ownership portfolio 100% occupied
- Record retirement occupancy of 96% continuing for half year (H1 23: 94%)

### Strategic initiatives and retirement asset management programme

Local authority portfolio disposal:

- One asset sale completed at start of April for £5.6mn net of costs, ahead of the September 2023 valuation of £5.5mn

ReSI plc achieves this through meeting demand from housing developers (housing associations, local authorities and private developers) for long-term investment partners to accelerate the development of socially and economically beneficial affordable housing.

ReSI plc's subsidiary ReSI Housing Limited is authorised as a Registered Provider of Social Housing and holds our shared ownership portfolio.

- Remainder of portfolio remains under offer with sale expected in H2
- Local authority portfolio sale is expected to reduce annualised dividend cover by (c.6%) but improve quality through the repayment of the floating rate revolving credit facility

Good initial progress on retirement portfolio asset management initiatives including:

- Improved re-letting times ensuring occupancy is maintained at the 96% levels achieved in H2 2023 despite the winter months generally seeing increased turnover, and allowing a focus on rent growth of 6.1%
- Portfolio rationalisation has commenced, with the first 20 retirement properties (1% of portfolio) either old or under offer and progressing to completion

### Outlook

- Strong rental inflation-linked growth expected to continue, underpinned by wage and pension growth, which will underpin ReSI plc's earnings growth
- Continued focus on operational improvements to the retirement portfolio including rationalising portfolio footprint, driving rents and reducing leakage
- Sale of remainder of local authority portfolio expected to complete in H2 2024
- Continuing to review options for further disposals which support maximising shareholder value, from which we would prioritise the return of capital
- Acute shortfall of more affordable homes with an estimated £34bn<sup>4</sup> of annual investment needed in the UK

## Investment team



**Mike Adams**

Managing Director, Real Estate



**Ben Fry**

Fund Manager



**Sandeep Patel**

Finance Director

## Fund information

LEI LAR763213800D24WA531

Ticker RESI

ISIN GB00BYSX1508

Launch date 12 July 2017

## Key facts as at 31 March 2024

Homes owned 2,996

Gross valuation £317mn

Dividend yield (prospective - share price)<sup>1</sup> 7.7%

Ongoing charges (annualised)<sup>1</sup> 1.5%

Share price 53.4p<sup>1</sup>

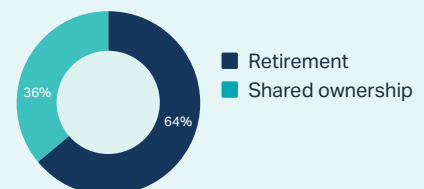
Market capitalisation £98.9mn<sup>1</sup>

Discount to NTA<sup>2</sup> 30.8%

EPRA NTA per share 77.2p

IFRS NAV per share 83.4p

## Asset type



Source: Gresham House (as at 31 March 2024)

EPRA - European Public Real Estate Association  
IFRS - International Financial Reporting Standards

1. Based on the Share Price as at 2 April 2024

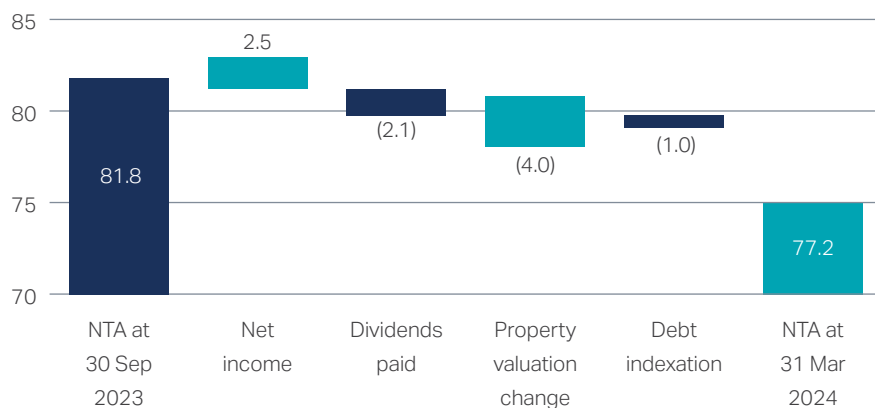
2. Based on the EPRA NTA per share of 77.2p and Share Price as at 2 April 2024 (as above)

3. Source: Gresham House, based on recent conversations with institutional investors and brokers

4. British Property Federation, and Legal & General 2022

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## EPRA NTA (p per share)



## Why ReSI plc

ReSI plc delivers inflation-linked income, which is generated from affordable and secure rents<sup>5</sup> and supported by strong market drivers in shared ownership housing and independent retirement living<sup>6</sup>

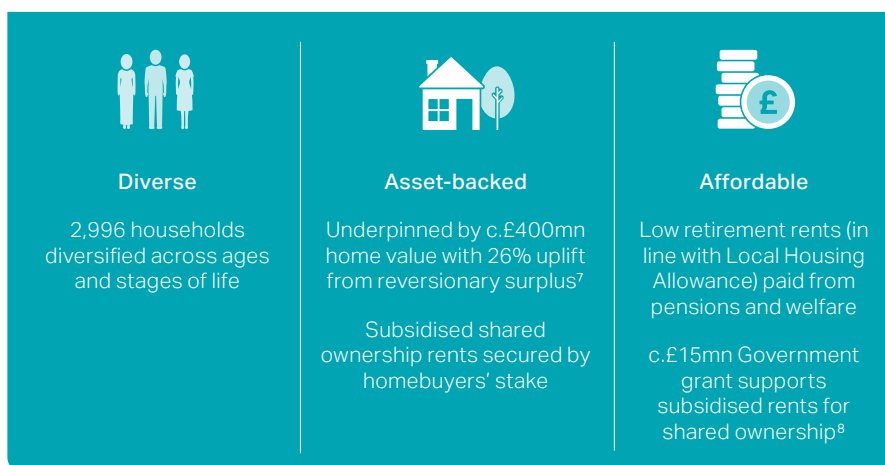
### Secure long-term inflation-linked income<sup>5</sup>

Dividends paid quarterly

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5. ReSI plc maintained c.99% rent collection since January 2020. **100% rent collection is not guaranteed**

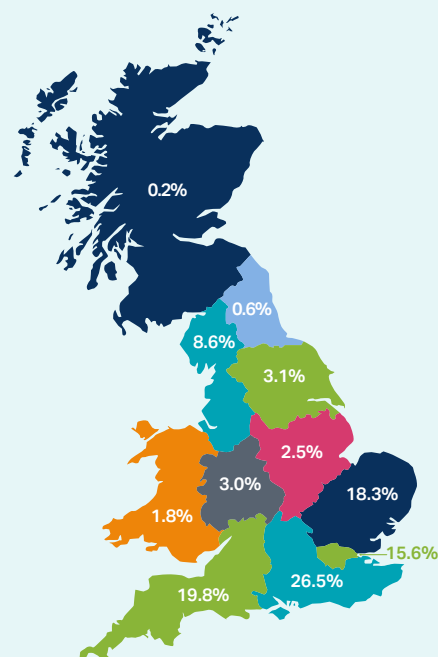
6. For further information regarding market drivers, please refer to the Market Drivers section in Residential Secure Income plc's Annual Report & Accounts 2023

7. ReSI plc Interim Results, as at 31 March 2024

8. Grant policy for future acquisitions may be subject to change

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## Portfolio by location



## Board

Rob Whiteman, Chairman  
 Robert Gray, Senior Independent Director & Audit Committee Chairman  
 Elaine Bailey, Director

## Key dates

Financial Year End: 30 September  
 Interim: 31 March

## Dividends payment dates

September 2023 1.29p  
 January 2024 1.03p  
 March 2024 1.03p  
 July 2024 (declared) 1.03p

## Service providers

**Fund manager:** Gresham House Asset Management  
**Administrator:** MGR Weston Kay  
**Registrar:** Computershare  
**Auditor:** BDO LLP  
**Company secretary:** Computershare  
**Corporate broker:** Peel Hunt  
**Depository:** Indos Financial Limited  
**Legal adviser:** Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP  
**Tax adviser:** Evelyn Partners Group Limited  
**PR:** KL Communications  
**Valuers:** Savills





## ReSI plc's portfolio focus

	Independent retirement living housing (£202mn GAV   2,238 homes   64% of portfolio)	Shared ownership housing (£115mn GAV   758 homes   36% of portfolio)
Driver	Growing and increasingly lonely older population	Huge untapped demand for affordable home ownership
Summary	Let to elderly residents with affordable rents and assured tenancies Provides fit-for purpose homes for retired people, allowing them to maintain their independence without care provision	Homebuyers acquire a share in a residential property and rent the remainder Helps house buyers acquire homes they would otherwise be unable to buy Capital grant funding from Government <sup>9</sup> allows total shared ownership housing costs to be c.30% below the level expected for renting an equivalent property in the private rented sector
Rent growth	Increase with RPI each year, capped at 6.0%	Increase contractually by RPI+ 0.5% each year
Secure income <sup>5</sup>	Rent income paid from pensions and welfare	Subsidised rents c.30% below market Homebuyer equity stake
ReSI plc advantages	Scale: UK's largest private independent retirement rentals business Specialist in-house 60-person team with over 20-year track record	ReSI Housing - a for-profit Registered Provider of Social Housing Unique 45-year, 1.1% coupon, RPI-linked USS debt facility

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