

Rehousing Ukraine: introducing the series

Looking forward: Situation, Rebuilding, Returning, Reforming



A residential building in the small town of Irpin, north west of Kyiv before and after it was hit in a Russian missile attack after Moscow's forces invaded Ukraine

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Rehousing Ukraine: Why we are doing this

Housing is foundational to recovery following disruptions

- Safe, stable, adequate housing is critical to post-crisis recovery
 - Proven again and again around the world; people's well-being and ability to rebound is impacted by their housing context
 - Rehousing Ukrainians is essential to Ukraine's rebound
- Recovery is a continuum from relief to redevelopment
 - Considering long-term housing solutions for both IDPs and refugees early on lays the foundation for strong recovery
 - AHI has worked in post-crisis contexts in the Caribbean, Middle-East, and SE Asia to design policies and programs that work with this continuum
- Recovery benefits from synergy of local and international
 - Knowledge, resources, ideas
 - AHI uses our platform to encourage this synergy at all stages from planning to implementation



Rehousing Ukraine: Why now

Affordable housing is an urgent priority for Ukraine's rebound

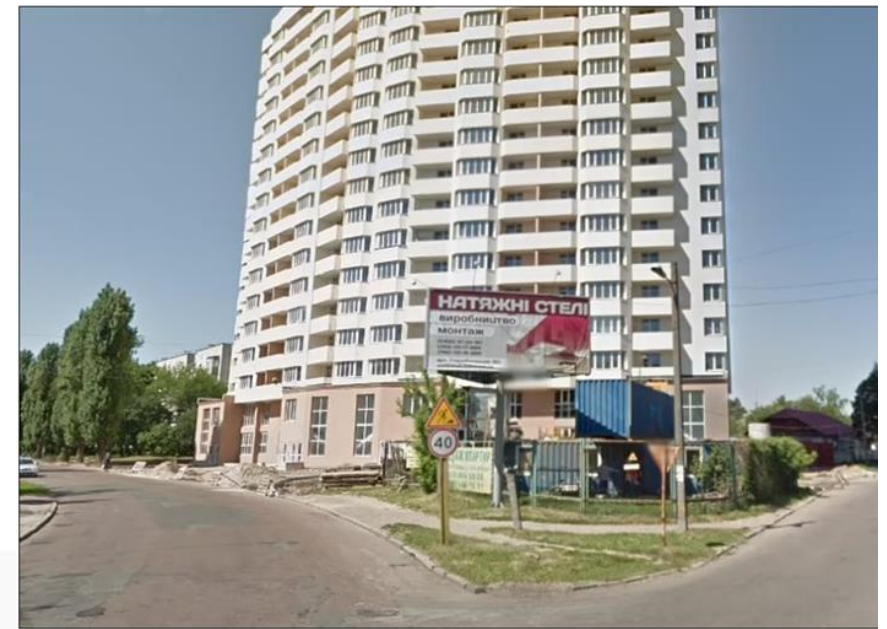
- Rehousing Ukrainians is essential to Ukraine's rebound
 - Housing is where jobs and families sleep safely at night
 - Housing is the foundation of hopes and dreams
 - Family ↔ community ↔ children's education ↔ economic growth
- Affordable housing doesn't "just happen" by itself
 - Takes strategic intervention by good government
- Affordable housing is hard to do right and fast
 - Complicated
 - Two objectives: economic sustainability, social benefit
- "The best way to predict the future is to invent it"
 - Capture, channel, and constructively use money coming soon
- 'The day rebuilding begins is here already'
 - Ordinary people will act, build, repair, and need positive help



Rehousing Ukraine: This series

Giving voice to Ukrainians and offering advice based on experience

- Rehousing Ukrainians is essential to Ukraine's rebound
 - Has to be done quickly and correctly
 - People will rebuild whether government helps them or not
- Give primary voice to Ukrainians
 - For benefit of Ukrainian, regional, and global audience
- Weekly virtual conferences: 90 minutes apiece
 - Wednesdays, 16h00 to 17h30 Kyiv time
 - English and Ukrainian: simultaneous translation
- 8 June *What is: Situation, challenges, priorities*
- 15 June *Returnees: Better, smarter, faster, fairer*
- 22 June *People disrupted: Refugees, IDP's, dispersed families*
- More are being developed → Guided by your interest
 - AHI will be at World Urban Forum in Katowice, Poland (26-30 Jun)
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Images show before and after images of a residential building in Chernihiv after Russia bombed the city on Thursday

