



## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **Customers get keys to new Acis homes**

Lincolnshire based housing association Acis Group recently handed over the keys to their latest new homes in the village of Bardney, east of Lincoln.

Acis, who own and manage over 5,000 homes across Lincolnshire, Nottinghamshire and South Yorkshire, handed over the keys to new residents of their development on Norman Way, just off Wragby Road.

The scheme has created 19 much needed affordable homes and was handed over to Acis at the start of April. The project represents a total investment of £1.8 million and was part funded by a Homes and Communities Agency grant of £0.6 million. Acis appointed property developer Kier Homes to undertake the scheme's construction.

All properties on Norman Way meet level 3 compliance with the Code for Sustainable Homes. The code is the national standard for the sustainable design and construction of new homes and aims to reduce carbon emissions and create homes that are more sustainable. The code measures the sustainability of new homes against nine categories of sustainable design, including energy/CO2, water, materials, waste and pollution. Homes feature heat recovery units and up to 90% of the energy for heating and hot water is provided by solar panels.

Marketing and Communications Manager for Acis, Tim Steele, said,

“We are delighted to provide an opportunity for residents of Bardney and the surrounding area to have a brand new stylish home. Handing over our latest investment represents another milestone for the organisation and for our new customers in Bardney. Working in partnership with Kier Homes, we have ensured that a wide variety of property types have been included in the development, and with three different types of tenures. This shows our commitment to providing more homes for more people and ensuring that

those in housing need are provided with a choice of home that meets their aspirations.”

The project features a mix of two and three bedroom houses, with 17 available for rent and two available for rent to own, where customers can rent now and buy later.