Core File Requirements	
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Letter from EDFC solicitor confirming clean title	
Confirmation of contractual site possession (with date)	
Evidence that contractor and consultants selection in line with EDFC	
terms of appointment & procedures	
Where capital subsidy to the scheme from other sources, including	
public sources, confirmation of the amounts and sources of funding	
should be retained	
Terms of appointment of consultants	
Copies of the building contract document and final account	
documentation	
Evidence whole life costs assessed at pre-acquisition stage	
Copies of Housing Quality Indicator assessments	
Evidence that HCA waivers, where applicable, have been agreed for	
variations for non-compliance with required standards	
Copy of Cabinet approval, and all subsequent re-approvals.	
Completed TPISH (Tender Price Index for Social Housing) return	
made to BCIS - evidence (email or covering letter) that document	
sent also kept on file	
An "as built" site plan (not required for street properties)	
List of plot numbers, and corresponding full postal addresses and	
tenure	
Section 106 Planning Agreement	
Section 106 Agreement – letters or emails from Local Planning	
Authority confirming that the conditions in the Agreement have been	
satisfied (copies acceptable)	
Copy of Section 38 Road Adoption Agreement. If not to be adopted	
note in comment e.g. estate roads to remain private but site abuts	
adopted road	
Copy of Section 104 Sewer Adoption Agreement. if not to be	
adopted note in comment e.g. estate sewers to remain private - join	
adopted main in [x] street.	

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Section 38/ Section 104 – update on expected date of adoption.	
Enclose letters from appropriate authorities confirming acceptance	
of works/ start of maintenance period/ adoption. NB If adopted,	
earlier letters from appropriate authorities are not required.	
If development was in breach of old restrictive covenants on title has	
any notice of breach been received?	
Copy of Planning Permission (if n/a state why e.g. refurbishment)	
Conditions to planning permission – letters or emails confirming sign	
off of reserved matters and approval of conditions having been	
satisfied from Local Planning Authority or explain why sign off not	
available	
Conservation area consent/listed building consent	
Building Regulation completion certificate	
Confirmation of date of Practical Completion (note is this covered by	
NHBC certification?)	
Consultant's estimate of final works costs, and where appropriate a	
separate estimate of the non-works elements, e.g. on costs	
Restrictive Covenant or Defective Title Indemnity Policies	
NHBC/ Zurich/ HAPM documentation. Please note we need final	
certificates not cover notes. If copies are not available, please obtain	
confirmation from NHBC/Zurich etc. of policy numbers and that	
policy is in force.	
Environmental Reports – soil reports, site investigation reports.	
Environmental – final report. Written confirmation from a third party	
validating that recommendations have been carried outNB written	
confirmation from the local authority that a planning condition to	
remediate and to validate the remediation will suffice if a validation	
report is unavailable.	
Build Contract and Consultants Appointments - only required if no	
NHBC	
Warranty – architect - only required if no NHBC	

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Warranty – main contractor - only required if no NHBC	
Warranty – sub contractor(s) only required if no NHBC	
Deeds of Grant to statutory authorities of rights / easements (e.g.	
licences/ wayleaves)	
Is the development on a floodplain? If so are there any defences?	
Any items incorporated into the build? Agreed mediation plan with	
the Environment Agency?	
Details of rents, including HB eligible service charges	
Any other documentation specifically relating to any interest or	
restriction on land and /or build	
Confirmation that there are no outstanding matters/disputes with	
regard to the scheme e.g. boundary disputes, lack of sign off by	
planning authority.	
Evidence that the 20 Building for Life criteria have been carried out	
and the scheme achieves the required standard.	
Required sustainability certificates have been achieved and carried	
out by registered assessor on the basis of the scheme designs as	
planned and delivered.	
Prepared By	
Name	
Signed	
Dated	
Head of Development (name)	
Signed	
Dated	