

## Towards climate neutrality in the buildings sector: 10 Recommendations

### A. Gear the policy framework to climate neutrality

1. A balanced policy mix to ensure a socially equitable transition to sustainable heating systems
2. Increase CO<sub>2</sub> prices and reduce electricity prices
3. Intelligently align standards with climate neutrality

### B. Distribute costs in a fair and socially equitable manner

4. Create support programme endowed with 12 billion euros annually
5. Solve landlord-tenant dilemma through inclusion of heating costs in rental payments

### C. Smart infrastructure planning and development

6. Mandate municipal heat planning for all municipalities
7. Expand local and district heating networks while encouraging transformation to green energy sources
8. Protect heating customers from the cost of market ramp-up for hydrogen

### D. Reduce costs while increasing capacities

9. Simplify rooftop PV regulations for prosumers and tenant collectives
10. Encourage standardized renovation solutions while funding training programmes for skilled labour in order to reduce costs and increase renovation rates