

## Funding the Future

# The Bank of England votes to maintain the status quo

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I have just posted this on Twitter, and I am not sure that there is much to add.

 **Richard Murphy**  @RichardJMurphy · 54s ...  
Absolutely no surprise here. In reality, the rate needs to be cut by at least 2% now, but neither the Bank nor any of our leading political parties are willing to discuss that fact. Is this a conspiracy against mortgage borrowers and renters?

 **Bank of England**  @bankofengland · 4m  
The Monetary Policy Committee voted by a majority of 7-2 to maintain #BankRate at 5.25%.  
Find out more: [b-o-e.uk/4eze1iz](http://b-o-e.uk/4eze1iz)

**Bank of England**

We have maintained interest rates at

**5.25%**

Vote 7-2

Two members want change. The rest want to maintain the status quo. They should get on very well with Rachel Reeves' Treasury.