



# Grants & funding available for Energy Efficiency measures in the home

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# About AgilityEco



At AgilityEco, we've made it our mission to play **a major role in eliminating fuel poverty**, to deliver tangible and permanent improvements for low income and vulnerable households and to **prepare Britain's homes for Net Zero**.

Our vision is a warm, efficient and healthy home for everyone.

We achieve our mission by bringing together:

- **high-quality vulnerable customer support**
- **funding and delivery of energy efficiency measures**
- **local partnerships**



# Grants/Funding Currently Available...

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Throughout West Sussex there are a number of programmes available offering funding for low carbon heating and insulation in the home, these are:

- **Green Homes Grant - Local Authority Delivery Scheme**

Government funding – local authorities must bid. Aims to raise energy efficiency of low income & low EPC rated homes, new from 2020.

- **ECO (Energy Company Obligation)**

Government energy efficiency scheme in Great Britain to help reduce carbon emissions and tackle fuel poverty, which began in 2013.

# Green Homes Grant Local Authority Delivery Scheme

Green Homes Grant Local Authority Delivery (LAD) is primarily focused on **EPC D, E, F & G rated homes** & **low income households**.

Homes with a low EPC rating are likely to have high energy bills and may have expensive heating and little insulation. Some homes are also 'hard to treat'.

## Who can get LAD funding support?

Household income of less than £30,000 (before housing costs/bills) AND home has an EPC rating of D, E, F or G

## What can LAD fund?

**Funding is currently available for Solar PV panels.**

Other measures (external/internal wall insulation, park home insulation & heat pumps may be available again early 2022)



# ECO (Energy Company Obligation)

**Energy Company Obligation (ECO)** is an obligation placed on the largest energy suppliers to support households to install energy improvements.

## Who can get ECO funding support?

- Those receiving Warm Homes Discount automatically
- OR those receiving a qualifying benefit



## What can ECO fund?

There is a long list of improvements that energy companies can support. In practice, most concentrate on **cavity wall insulation** and **loft insulation**.

The energy company may offer to **fit the improvement for free**, or they may ask you to **pay some of the cost yourself**.

# Grants/Funding that are on the horizon...

**Home Upgrade Grant (HUG):** government manifesto commitment of £2.5 billion to be made available, first £150 million has been released for bidding through Sustainable Warmth competition. Offers up to £25,000 of fully funded measures (e.g. insulation, heat pumps etc.) to low-income households that are off-gas.

**Boiler Upgrade Scheme (BUS):** this scheme will offer capital grants of £5000 to property owners towards the cost of a new low carbon heating system. This will be to install heat pumps and in some limited circumstances, biomass boilers, to replace fossil fuel heating systems. Due to open Spring 2022 (April)





## Thank you for listening, any questions?

Green Homes Grant – Local Authority Delivery Scheme: <https://www.warmerhomes.org.uk/lad-programme> or call us on 0800 037 5737.

Please do speak with me during the event for any further information on the grants & schemes available to you and I will do my best to help you!

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