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Dear Resident

Warm Low-Cost Streets

Watford Borough Council is working with Better Housing Better Health to offer free energy saving advice. We can help you apply for grants towards:

- External and Internal Wall Insulation
- Heat Pumps
- Heating Control Upgrades
- Loft Insulation
- Cavity Wall Insulation
- Underfloor Insulation
- New Boilers or Solar PV (low-income households only)

Installing energy efficiency measures in your home will help reduce your bills, help you feel warm at home, and reduce your carbon emissions. **Some funding is available to any suitable home regardless of income**, so every home on Francis Road needing these improvements can benefit.

Better Housing Better Health (BHBH) can also access national and local funding schemes and will be able to advise you on which scheme you'll qualify for and help you apply. We have also teamed up with a number of specialist TrustMark accredited contractors which we can refer you to for free quotes. As well as support with grant funding, BHBH can also offer free home energy visits, where one of our home advisors can look at your energy bills, help you read your meter, check to see if any insulation is already present and offer behaviour change advice.

One local household has already benefited from energy efficiency improvements to their home using a robot to insulate under the draughty floor and have external wall insulation fitted to the walls with a new brick finish.



Mr Mubeen and his grandson Qasim, Peter Taylor Elected Mayor of Watford and Tim Glew from the Q-bot team holding Greta the robot!

As well as feeling warmer in their home, they will be expected to save over £425 on their energy bills every year (at today's prices).

To explore the funding options available to you, or for free impartial advice, please call Better Housing Better Health on 0800 107 0044 or visit <u>http://www.bhbh.org.uk/make-a-referral/</u>

More information about the Francis Road scheme is available at <u>www.watford.gov.uk/francis-</u> road

Yours sincerely,

The Better Housing Better Health Team

