



# Warm Up Waterhouses

Staffs Moorlands District Council in association with Beat the Cold is delighted to offer homeowners the chance to improve their quality of life and to reduce their fuel bills. We have negotiated the best possible prices and added a significant subsidy to encourage you to insulate your home.

A well insulated home can sustain your health and comfort.

A well insulated home saves you money.

A well insulated home helps to reduce the problem of global warming.

**BEAT THE COLD**  
FREEPHONE 0800 389 2258

## Two other services which may be of interest:

### Staffordshire Moorlands Handyperson Service

Help for all homeowners to carry out small repairs and adaptations to their homes.

There is a small charge for this service.

If you would like the handyperson to contact you, Please tick the box on the pre-paid card.



The Handyperson Service is supported by Staffordshire Moorlands District Council



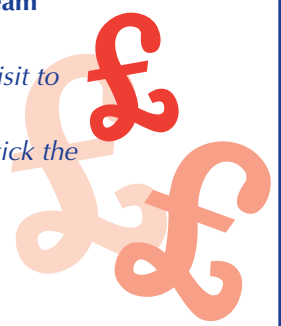
### Benefit Advice for Older People in Rural Areas

#### Staffordshire Moorlands Financial Assessment And Benefits Team

If you would like a home visit to check if you can claim any additional benefits, please tick the box on the prepaid card.

**Over 60s only**

This service is funded by The Department of Work & Pensions



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Freepost Plus RRYE-ZSUR-HXSL  
Beat the Cold  
The Bridge Centre  
Birches Head Road  
STOKE-ON-TRENT  
ST2 8DD



**Cavity wall insulation** can be installed on most homes built between 1930 and 1980. 30% of the heat that you pay for is lost through the brick walls. Up to two thirds of this can be prevented by insulating the cavities. The material used is usually Rockwool. It leaves no mess. The work takes only a few hours.

Under this scheme a standard 3-bed house can be insulated for less than **£140!** This compares with a price of around £350 a few years ago. It should pay for itself within a year or so. If your home is larger than standard, good discounts are still available.

**Loft insulation** can reduce the heat loss through your roof. Around 25% of heat is lost through an uninsulated roof. A recommended depth is 10”(250mm). If your loft has no insulation, or only a couple of inches that you would like to be topped up, it will cost less than **£140.**

A **hot water tank jacket** can pay for itself within 6 months. One would be available free of charge to householders having one of the measures above, or for £15 if the jacket is all you want.

**This scheme is open to *all* homeowners who live in the Parish of Waterhouses. You do not need to be in receipt of any benefits or be of a particular age.**

**Please note that these measures are now available *free of charge* to all residents over 70.**

**Simply complete the section opposite and return it, Freepost, to Beat The Cold. It is only an indication of interest; you are not committing yourself in any way.**

**An energy-efficiency adviser from Beat the Cold may call on you in the next few weeks to give you more information and to invite you to take advantage of the scheme. To make an appointment, or to ask them not to call at your address, please telephone Beat the Cold on 0800 389 2258.**

**Measures will be installed by Heatex Ltd, a local Stoke-on-Trent company. Payments would not be due until work has been completed to your satisfaction.**

If you would like to know more about the scheme, please complete, detach and return the prepaid card as soon as possible. We will contact you as soon as possible to provide further information.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

- I would like more information about cavity wall insulation
- I would like more information about loft insulation
- I would like a new hot water tank jacket.
- I would like a visit from the handy person
- I would like a visit to check my benefits (over 60s)

*Please tick as many boxes as appropriate*

In addition, there is a Government grant called **Warm Front**. This is available to homeowners and private tenants in receipt of benefits. This grant provides insulation measures and heating improvements *free of charge*, including those not on mains gas.

**Please contact us for further information.**



**Waterhouses Parish Council**

