



## FREE SOLAR PANEL SYSTEMS FOR LOW INCOME HOUSEHOLDS

REFERENCE CODE TO APPLY: WHLAD1C21

Dear Homeowner,

Winchester City Council have been awarded additional funding through the Green Homes Grant Local Authority Delivery Scheme (<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/green-homes-grant-local-authority-delivery-successful-local-authorities>) to offer **fully funded** installations of Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Panels on homes within your area. In addition, all solar PV installations will be offered fully funded insulation measures, such as cavity wall or loft insulation\* (where appropriate) to help you further reduce your household energy bills.

Your property has been identified as potentially suitable for fully funded solar panels, through analysing publicly available energy efficiency data found within your home's Energy Performance Certificate (EPC). Installing solar PV panels on your home can help to save you money on your electricity bills and cut down your home's carbon emissions. An average property could expect to save around £200 a year on their electricity bill, and 400kg of carbon dioxide emissions.

### Eligibility for funding

- Your household must have a gross annual income of £30,000 or lower.
- Your property must have an Energy Efficiency rating of E or lower (if you are receiving this letter, it is because you have been identified as potentially having this rating).
- The property is owner-occupied. Funding is not available to private rental tenants, social rental tenants or landlords.
- Your property must not have already received Green Homes Grant funding.

### Apply today to avoid disappointment!

This funding is offered on a first-come-first-served basis and is only open until the **30<sup>th</sup> November 2021**. Applications will take no longer than 5 minutes.

- Apply online: [www.warmerhomes.org.uk](http://www.warmerhomes.org.uk) (please use the reference code at the top of this letter to access the application form)
- Call us (freephone): 0800 038 5737

Please note: all installations will be subject to a survey to determine suitability and technical feasibility. The specification/size of the solar PV system installed will be at the discretion of the scheme administrators.

Yours Faithfully,

Warmer Homes Project Team

\*Where a property is viable for an insulation measure, but this is refused by the applicant without good reason, Warmer Homes reserve the right to withdraw the application.