



Fintry Development Trust has developed grant programs which aim to support and meet the Trusts' aims and objectives of reducing carbon and energy use.

The grants, while helping residents meet the costs of improving the energy efficiency and comfort of their homes also have their core roots in improving the village's sustainability.

While we all still face the effects of the ongoing fuel and cost of living crisis, FDT supports the community with a selection of grants and funds which target key areas. The funds for the grants come entirely from the income generated from our share in the Earlsburn Windfarm.

Read on to explore our current grants and funds and please do tell your friends and neighbours about them if they don't already know!



Log Discount Grant

The Log Discount Grant opened on the 1st September and will run until 31st March 2026. We offer £40 per bulk bag of logs (up to 2 bags per household) bought from local suppliers.



Energy Efficiency Grant

Our Energy Efficiency Grant continues to be popular with Fintry homeowners, helping to fund improvements such as home EV chargers, new radiators, triple glazing and battery storage. Households can apply for up to £1000 for their home energy efficiency projects. This round of the grant continues until 31 March 2026.



Fuel Payment Grant

This will be the last winter the Fuel Payment Grant will be offered. The grant was originally set up in response to the fuel and cost of living crisis and is a departure from the main aims of the Trust. As the government will once again provide support to certain households, FDT will re-focus efforts on sustainability, energy efficiency and green energy. We are working closely with Energy Action Scotland to ensure that the households in Fintry who have received the Fuel Payment Grant, gain access to all the relevant help and support offered in Scotland to tackle fuel poverty. We will continue in our efforts to assist Fintry homeowners to make their homes as energy efficient as possible to further reduce fuel bills.

For this, last round, of the Fuel Payment Grant, ALL previous applicants must RE-APPLY. The application form will be available from mid-October, the grant is open until 31 March 2026.



Renewables Assistance Grant

This grant of up to £5000 has been designed to assist households looking to convert their home energy system from fossil fuels to a renewable, green system (e.g.

ASHP/GSHP/Solar), or to make major improvements/updates to their existing, inadequate renewable energy system to make it fit for purpose. This grant is now closed to applications. We hope to offer it again Spring 2026.



Emergency Discretionary Renewables Fund

This grant is intended to support those who have reached a crisis point with their renewable energy system, and whose circumstances require urgent assistance to provide a functioning renewable energy system. The amount of funding available is assessed and agreed on a case-by-case basis by the FDT Board. This fund is open, so please do enquire if you feel you match the criteria:

grants@fintrydt.org.uk

How to Apply

Application forms for all our grants and funds are available in the Sports Club Foyer or can be downloaded from our website: www.fintrydt.org.uk

Please remember that only one grant can be applied for at a time (except for the Fuel Payment Grant and Log Discount Grant which can be applied for alongside any of our other grants/funds).

If you have any questions, or would like assistance in completing an application, please contact us: grants@fintrydt.org.uk or telephone: 07927 874979

