



**Future
Ready
Fuel**

STAND UP FOR THE FUTURE OF YOUR HOME HEATING

You only have until the 10th February 2026.

As your local heating fuel distributor, we would like to share something important with you. Right now, the Government is consulting about how homes like yours will be heated in the future.

Your voice really matters.



Make sure you are given a real choice

Oil heating is the most popular choice for many rural homes, but we all know carbon emissions need to come down, and there's a practical solution.

The liquid fuel heating industry has already successfully tested a low-cost, lower-carbon renewable liquid fuel blend that works with your existing boiler and tank. It's ready to use now.

Even though a consultation has been launched on alternative heating options, the Government's plan is clear: most oil-heated homes are expected to switch to heat pumps, while renewable liquid fuel blends are being largely ignored.



What the consultation says

Heat pumps and heat networks will be the primary low-carbon technologies for decarbonising heating. But heat pumps cost **£16,900–£17,100** to install and running costs are estimated at **£1,700–£1,750** per year.

What it doesn't tell you

An oil boiler costs around **£1,500 per year** to run, using the same assumptions as the consultation. However, electricity is assumed at **19p/kWh** but today the average price cap unit rate is **27.95p/kWh**. The heat pump installation costs don't include extra work like insulation.

Why renewable liquid fuels make sense

- Cut emissions straight away
- Keep your existing boiler and tank
- Avoid huge upfront costs

Together we can make government listen

Thousands of oil heated households need to speak up – **be one of them**. Every response strengthens the case for renewable fuels. We believe rural communities deserve real choice of practical, affordable and sustainable heating, not one size fits all solutions.

About Future Ready Fuel

Future Ready Fuel, led by UKIFDA and OFTEC, is fighting for:

- Fair recognition of renewable liquid fuels like HVO
- Immediate, low-carbon heating solutions for rural homes
- A voice for consumers in shaping the future of heating

Your home, your voice — make it count

Visit www.futurereadyfuel.info/consultation to find out more and see how you can make your voice heard.