

Wishaw and District Housing Association

Our Credit Union Voucher Scheme How It Works

! We want to give you £10 !

This is because we want to encourage all our tenants to join credit unions so they can save for financial security and borrow cheaply when they need to.

We will be sending out a voucher to all our tenant and sharing owner households on a phased basis. This voucher will be redeemable at your local credit union for £10 plus the cost of the membership fee that is payable when you open an account. Therefore, if the membership fee is £1.50 the voucher will be for £11.50. To redeem your voucher you must open a credit union account in your own name, or pay it into your existing local credit union account. If you are opening a new account you will have to pay the membership fee in cash at the time of opening.

When we send you the voucher we will send you details of where your local credit union is based.

We hope to send out all the vouchers in the next two to three months. We have to phase the programme as otherwise too many people might go their credit unions offices to redeem their vouchers at the same time. Those people who come along to our Residents' Conference 'Easy Money' will be included in the first phase, and will be entered into a raffle to win one of three prizes to upgrade their voucher to £30.

Each household will receive one voucher addressed to the tenant/sharing owner, or if there is joint tenure it will be redeemable by either of the two householders, for you to decide.

The voucher will be valid for 6 weeks from date of issue.

We hope you appreciate this gesture, and we hope that you will keep your account open and enjoy the many benefits that your local credit union offers, but if you decide not to do so, then you will be able to withdraw your money after a few weeks.