

### **National Insulation Programme Announced**

As part of the Government's Energy Policy, the National Insulation Programme was announced. Grants are available for the following works:

<b>Measure</b>	<b>Grant Rate</b>	<b>Typical Energy Improvement</b>
Roof Insulation	€250	10-20%
Cavity Wall Insulation	€400	15-20%
Internal Wall Insulation	€2,500	25-30%
External Wall Insulation	€4,000	25-30%
High efficiency boiler plus heating control upgrade	€700	25-30%
Heating control upgrade only	€500	15 -25%
Building Energy Rating	€200	

To apply for the grant, contact my office at 01 618 3830.

### **Enquiry for a Date for the Repair of Heritage Bridge**

I have written to Kerry County Council as to ascertain when they propose to repair the Heritage Bridge adjoining Turbid Road adjacent to Cromwell's Bridge.

The Heritage Trail Bridge is of great convenience to those visiting Our Lady's Well, and indeed, Cromwell's Bridge, and provides easy access to the Stone Circle for tourists.

I will continue my representations on behalf of the people of the town to ensure the speedy repair of the Bridge.

### **Water Abstraction**

A recent reply from Oliver Ring in Kerry County Council in relation to water abstraction from the Sheen River is of serious concern.

To quote 'The augmentation of supply is a very technical issue and he anticipated that the Water Services Department would be applying to An Bord Pleanála shortly for a Water Abstraction Order, as he was sure there would be objections to the abstraction of water.'

Given that the Council have not got a final report from the consultants into other potential sources, I feel that this is extremely premature. I have asked for a meeting with the Bonane Community Council.

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*If you are coming to Dublin would like to arrange a tour of Leinster House please ring my office on 01 618 3830 and I would be happy to arrange it for you.*

*Senator Mark Daly is always available to the people of Kerry and can be contacted at anytime on 086-8032612 or [Mark.Daly@oireachtas.ie](mailto:Mark.Daly@oireachtas.ie)*

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