# REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31 March 2020

**Charity Number 1152656** 

The Bede Foodbank
The Lillia Centre
Benwell Lane
Newcastle-upon Tyne NE15 6LX

#### TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT

For the year ended 31 March 2020

The Trustees of The Bede Foodbank are pleased to present their annual report together with the financial statements of the Charity for the year ended 31 March 2020.

The financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Memorandum and Articles of Association and Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable to the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015).

# **Our Purpose**

- a) To show the love of Christ by the prevention or relief of poverty in the West end of Newcastleupon-Tyne and surrounding areas, in particular but not exclusively by providing emergency food parcels to individuals in need and/or charities or other organisations working to prevent or relieve poverty.
- b) To do any other thing consistent with the primary purpose of the Charity as described above.

## **Our Objectives and Activities**

We have identified strategic objectives to achieve our purposes. These are:

- To provide food parcels, emotional and practical support for persons and families in crisis.
- To provide longer term support through a holistic range of services to address their individual needs with the aim of putting their lives on a sustainable footing.
- To be recognised as a model of excellence in helping take people and families out of poverty and into productive and fulfilling lives.
- To raise awareness with the general public of the nature, impact and prevalence of food poverty and its underlying causes.
- To influence and shape policy and service delivery relating to the causes and alleviation of food poverty.
- To build and maintain effective governance, management and staffing to support the delivery of all our objectives.
- To maintain physical and financial stability of The Bede Foodbank in order to achieve its objectives.

# **Direct Services Activity**

During the period of this report, we have continued to operate two principal food distribution centres.

The centre at The Venerable Bede Church on the West Road operated on Mondays and Thursdays each week. Food parcels were distributed at that centre to feed some 18,200 people during the year, 43% of whom were children.

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The Lillia Centre on Benwell Lane operated on Tuesdays and Wednesdays each week and focused on helping those people who needed longer term support. Food parcels were distributed at this centre to feed some 13,900 people, 37% of whom were children. In addition, some 7,700 hot meals were provided with a value of £3 per meal, providing an in-kind value of some £23,100 for our clients. The statistics for the Lillia Centre include distributions from our hub in Lemington.

Service users also had the opportunity to discuss their situation with professional counsellors and develop a plan to help them to resolve their particular issues such as debt, employment, physical, social and mental health problems. We are grateful for the continuing support that we receive from our network of professional services and referral agencies which includes, among others, Shelter, Christians Against Poverty, Citizen's Advice, Sure Start, Riverside Community Group, Newcastle City Council and the Department for Works and Pensions. The activities at the Lillia Centre relate to the Pathways Project mentioned in the accounts. In total, some 11,700 people visited the Foodbank in this year with a total of some 32,100 people fed by food-parcels issued to families, couples or individuals that utilised our services.

During the year, 154 tonnes of food (value £270k) were collected from individuals, supermarkets, manufacturers and other foodbanks. The vast majority of the food was collected locally. We are very grateful to all those individuals and organisations that donated food for distribution.

## Awareness Raising Activity

In relation to raising general public awareness to the problems of food poverty during the period, we have had significant coverage on local and national radio, local and national TV, in local and national press as well as via our Facebook page and Twitter account.

## **Regard to Public Benefit**

When exercising any powers or duties in the operation of The Bede Foodbank, the Trustees have complied with their duty to have due regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

## **Contribution made by Volunteers**

We recognise and greatly appreciate the essential part that continues to be played in carrying out our activities by our dedicated individual and corporate volunteers. They have made a valuable contribution in fundraising, food collections, food distribution, promotional events, administration, warehouse duties and foodbank centre operations. Corporate volunteers include, among others, Newcastle United Foundation and NUFC Fans Foodbank, Sage UK Ltd, Virgin Money, Newcastle Building Society, NHS and Leeds Building Society, with staff from local businesses volunteering throughout the year. We are grateful to Womble Bond Dickinson LLP, EE, Intu, Marriott International, and Greggs for their continued support. The importance of food donated by the general public, public agencies' staff and the private sector from their in-house collections is immeasurable in sustaining much needed food supplies. Our staff and service users have benefitted from interaction with a mixed and changing diverse group of volunteers. Volunteers have benefited from a greater social awareness and greater appreciation of why foodbanks are necessary and what is required to alleviate the problem.

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#### **Achievements and Performance**

During the year, we have been able to signpost a number of beneficiaries to referral agencies and have improved our services to those in need of more long-term support. Through the availability of longer-term food interventions to help people explore the exact nature of their situation, we have encouraged beneficiaries to adopt strategies to reduce hardship and elevate food related crisis.

We are very grateful to all those organisations and individuals who have donated to the Charity in the year and to those bodies mentioned in note 7 to the accounts who have provided us with grants to enable us to deliver this year's level of service.

We have increased our networks to source food locally and throughout the North East and have made increased collections of food accordingly.

We are delighted to continue to have strong support from the Newcastle United Fans Foodbank and this has proved to be a major source of fund raising during the year through regular collections at football matches and other activities.

We have web-based facilities for online donations through Charity Checkout and Virgin Money Giving and these also contribute significantly to the fund-raising activities of the Charity.

We have maintained our food-parcel distribution services during the pandemic and introduced a series of hygiene and social distancing measures to combat the risk of Coronavirus transmission. COVID-19 has resulted in fewer food donations from the public and match-day collections have ceased. Conversely, increased support from the business community, online donations and the continued commitment of volunteers have all helped to minimise disruption from COVID-19 and its impacts on the Charity and beneficiaries.

## **Financial Review**

The Charity, through the strong commitment of its staff, volunteers, external donors and fundraisers, has generated a stable financial outcome for the period. Total income for the year ended 31 March 2020 was £586k (2019: £479k) and the Charity reported a surplus of £190k (2019: £ 90k). The balance sheet shows total funds carried forward of £411k (2019: £221k).

# **Reserves Policy**

The Trustees have a policy of holding six months' running costs in free reserves (unrestricted reserves not invested in fixed assets or stock). Reserves are held to cover shortfalls in funding and provide working capital. The Trustees are pleased to be able to report that the level of free reserves has increased to £235k at 31 March 2020 (2019: £140k).

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## Preparation of the accounts on a going concern basis

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis. The Trustees have reviewed and considered relevant information, including the annual budget and future cash flows in making their assessment. In particular, in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Trustees have revised their forecasts to take into account the impact on the business of possible scenarios brought on by the impact of COVID-19, alongside the measures that they can take to mitigate the impact. Based on these assessments, given the measures that could be undertaken to mitigate the current adverse conditions, and the current resources available, the Trustees have concluded that they can continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the annual report and accounts.

## **Funding Strategy**

We have a Funding Strategy and Fundraising plan to ensure that we secure the funds required to deliver all our activities. Grant income has increased during the year and we have significantly increased cash donations through regular giving, our cash and food collections and our food donations received at supermarkets and events. During the coming year, we shall be refreshing our Funding Strategy.

## **Risk Management**

The Bede Foodbank has a wide range of policies in place which provide it with the means to manage the key risks. These policies include those for health and safety, equality and diversity, safeguarding, data protection, finance and employment and codes of conduct for staff and volunteers.

#### **Reference and Administrative Details**

Charity Name The Bede Foodbank

Registered Charity Number 1152656

Benwell Lane

Newcastle-upon-Tyne

NE15 6LX

Trustees Revd. D J Coad ( Chair)

Mr. S J Lightley
Ms. D M Robertson
Mr. P D Rogerson
Mrs. J Slesenger

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For the year ended 31 March 2020

Independent J. Dodds FCIE
Examiner Ellison Services

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25 Kings, Hill Avenue Kings Hill, West Mailing

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# **Changes in Board of Trustees**

During the year, Mr P D Rogerson was appointed as a Trustee.

# **Structure Governance and Management**

# **Governing Documents**

The Bede Foodbank is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO), first registered on 1 July 2013, and has a constitution as its governing document.

## Appointment of Trustees

Every Trustee must be appointed for a term of three years by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the Trustees. In selecting individuals for appointment as Trustees, the Trustees must have regard to the skills, knowledge and experience needed for the effective administration of the CIO.

# **Organisation**

The Trustees meet at least quarterly and deal with the administration of the Charity encompassing the strategic vision, financial accountability and risk management. The operational management of the organisation is undertaken by the Chief Executive Officer and the Charity's employees.

## Trustees' Responsibilities in Relation to the Financial Statements

The Charity's Trustees are responsible for preparing a Trustees' annual report and financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The Charity's Trustees are required to prepare financial statements for each year, which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the CIO and of the incoming resources and application of

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resources, including the income and expenditure, of the Charity for that period. In preparing the financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Charity will continue in business.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Charity. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Charity and hence taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The Trustees are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the Charity's website. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

By order of the Board of Trustees

Date 20 October 2020

and signed on their behalf by:

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Rev. Dr. D J Coad Chair of Trustees

#### INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES

For the year ended 31 March 2020

I report on the financial statements of The Bede Foodbank CIO for the year ended 31 March 2020, which are set out on pages 8 to 20.

#### Respective responsibilities of Trustees and Examiner

The charity's Trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's Trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Charities Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a Fellow of the Association of Charity Independent Examiners.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit under company law and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

- · examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act,
- to follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the Charities Act), and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

#### **Basis of Independent Examiner's Statement**

My examination was carried out in accordance with general Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the Trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

# **Independent Examiner's Statement**

In connection with my examination, no material matters have come to my attention which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

· the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or

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- · the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a "true and fair" view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Jim Dodds FCIE
Ellison Services Limited
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NE1 8AF

Date: 20 October 2020

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

For the year ended 31 March 2020

Income from:	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total 2020 £	Total 2019 £
Income from:	0	405 500	0.000	405 404	407.000
Donations and legacies Charitable activities	6	485,582	9,899	495,481	427,396
Grants and contracts	7	8,901	68,625	77 506	36,083
	8	977	00,025	77,526 977	12,163
Sale of donated goods Other income	9	11,508	-		
Investments	10	740	-	11,508 740	3,130
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Total is	ncome	507,708	78,524	586,232	478,772
Expenditure on:					
Raising funds	11	121	-	121	2,033
Charitable activities					
Operation of the charity	12	371,657	24,410	396,067	386,514
Total exper	nditure	371,778	24,410	396,188	388,547
Net income/(expen	diture)	135,930	54,114	190,044	90,225
Transfers between funds		29,275	( 29,275 )		<del>-</del>
Net movement of	funds	165,205	24,839	190,044	90,225
Reconciliation of funds					
Total funds brought forward		206,507	14,804	221,311	131,086
Total funds carried fo	orward	371,712	39,643	411,355	221,311

The Statement of Financial Activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year. All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities

The notes on pages 10 to 20 form an integral part of these accounts.

and are signed on its behalf by:

# **BALANCE SHEET**

As at 31 March 2020

Fixed assets Tangible assets	Notes 19	£	Total 2020 £ 35,637	£	Total 2019 £
-	19		35,637	-	11,680
Total fixed assets			33,637		11,000
Current assets					
Stock	20	101,563		55,269	
Debtors	21	14,192		7,667	
Cash at bank and in hand	22	283,394		149,862	
Total current assets		399,149	•	212,798	
<b>Creditors:</b> amounts falling due within one year	23	( 23,431 )	_	( 3,167 )	
Net current assets			375,718		209,631
Total assets less current liabilities			411,355	-	221,311
Total net assets			411,355	-	221,311
Funds of the charity					
Unrestricted income funds			371,712		206,507
Restricted income funds			39,643		14,804
Total funds			411,355	-	221,311
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Treasurer

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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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# 1 Accounting Policies

The principal accounting policies adopted, judgements and key sources of estimation or uncertainty in the preparation of the financial statements are as follows:

#### 2 Basis of accounting

#### 2.1 Basis of preparation

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015) – Charities SORP (FRS 102), the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011.

The Bede Foodbank CIO meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102.

## 2.2 Preparation of the accounts on a going concern basis

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis. The Trustees have reviewed and considered relevant information, including the annual budget and future cash flows in making their assessment. In particular, in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Trustees have revised their forecasts to take into account the impact on the business of possible scenarios brought on by the impact of COVID-19, alongside the measures that they can take to mitigate the impact. Based on these assessments, given the measures that could be undertaken to mitigate the current adverse conditions, and the current resources available, the Trustees have concluded that they can continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the annual report and accounts.

#### 3 Income

#### 3.1 Recognition of income

Income is recognised when the charity has entitlement to the resources, any performance conditions attached to the item(s) of income have been met, it is more likely than not that the resources will be received and the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability.

## 3.2 Offsetting

There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by FRS102 SORP or FRS102.

#### 3.3 Grants and donations

Income from government and other grants, whether 'capital' grants or 'revenue' grants, is recognised when the charity has entitlement to the funds, any performance conditions attached to the grants have been met, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably and is not deferred.

Income received in advance of the provision of a specified service is deferred until the criteria of income recognition are met.

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#### 3.4 Donated goods and services

Donated goods are measured at fair value (the amount for which the asset could be exchanged) unless impractical to do so.

Donated services and facilities are included in the SoFA when received at the value of the gift to the charity provided that the value of the gift can be measured reliably. Donated services and facilities that are consumed immediately are recognised as income with the equivalent amount recognised as an expense under the appropriate heading in the SoFA.

#### 3.5 Volunteer help

The value of volunteer help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the Trustees' annual report.

#### 3.6 Interest receivable

Interest on funds held on deposit is included when received and the amount can be measured reliably by the charity; this is normally upon notification of the interest paid or payable by the bank.

## 3.7 Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available to spend on activities that further any purpose of the charity. Designated funds are unrestricted funds of the charity which the Trustees have decided at their discretion to set aside to use for a specific purpose. Restricted funds are donations which the donor has specified are to be solely used for particular areas of the charity's work or for specific projects being undertaken by the charity.

## 4 Expenditure and liabilities

## 4.1 Liability recognition

Liabilities are recognised when it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.

#### 4.2 Charitable activities

Expenditure on charitable activities includes the costs of food distribution and other activities undertaken to further the purposes of the charity and their associated support costs.

#### 4.3 Governance and support costs

Support costs have been allocated between governance and other support costs. Governance costs comprise all costs involving public accountability of the charity and its compliance with regulation and good practice.

Support costs are those functions that assist the work of the charity but do not directly undertake charitable activities. Support costs include central functions and have been allocated to activity cost categories on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

## 4.4 Irrecoverable VAT

Irrecoverable VAT is charged as a cost against the activity for which the expenditure was incurred.

#### 4.5 Creditors

The charity has creditors which are measured at settlement amounts less any trade discounts.

## **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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## 5 Assets

# 5.1 Tangible fixed assets for use by the charity

Individual fixed assets costing £1,000 or more are capitalised at cost and are depreciated over their estimated useful economic lives on a straight line basis as follows:

Office equipment Straight line over four years
Kitchen equipment Straight line over four years
Garden structures Straight line over four years
Vehicles Straight line over four years

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 31 March 2020

Ana	alysis of income				
		Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total 2020 £	Total 2019 £
6	Donations and legacies		£	<b>L</b>	
	Donated goods for distribution to beneficiaries	270,193	_	270,193	239,941
	Community Foundation	4,700	8,571	13,271	2,930
	Newcastle Ward Committee	-	-	-	1,315
	intu Metro Centre	2,576	-	2,576	-
	Celtic FC Foundation	5,000	-	5,000	-
	Wor Flags	3,700	-	3,700	-
	Bruce Grant	2,000	-	2,000	-
	Gift Aid	13,474	-	13,474	12,882
	Other donations and gifts	135,262	1,328	136,590	112,410
	Orphan House Trust	-	-	-	5,000
	Fenwick	-	-	-	5,000
	Fundraising				4 000
	Tesco	1,115	-	1,115	1,036
	NUFC	39,691	-	39,691	38,436
	Grainger Market	1,874	-	1,874	5,629
	Asda Other fundraining	1,966 4,031	-	1,966 4,031	1,538 1,279
	Other fundraising				
		485,582	9,899	<u>495,481</u>	427,396
7	Charitable activities				
	Income from grants				
	Newcastle City Council	-	13,957	13,957	-
	LGA Foundation	-	14,085	14,085	-
	Asda Foundation	-	9,201	9,201	-
	Morrison Foundation	-	20,000	20,000	-
	Sage Foundation The Trussell Trust	- 6.001	7,500 3,882	7,500	-
	The Joseph Strong Trust	6,901 2,000	3,002	10,783 2,000	1,000
	Sir James Knott Trust	2,000	_	2,000	8,750
	The 29th May 1961 Charitable Trust	_	_	_	5,000
	Greggs Foundation	_	_	_	18,333
	G S May Family Fund at the Community	_	_	-	2,000
	Foundation				,
	Esmee Fairburn Foundation	-	-	-	1,000
		8,901	68,625	77,526	36,083
8	Sale of donated goods				
	Donated batch food sales	-	-	-	2,089
	Auction of donated items	977	-	977	10,074
		977		977	12,163
9	Other income				
	Other income	11,508	-	11,508	3,130
		11,508		11,508	3,130
					5,100

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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Analysis of income continued				
-	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total	Total
	Funds	Funds	2020	2019
	£	£	£	£
10 Income from investments				
Bank interest	740	-	740	-
	740		740	

Income was £586,232 (2019: £478,772) of which £507,708 was unrestricted or designated (2019: £435,885) and £78,524 was restricted (2019: £42,887)

10 Donated goods, facilities and services	2020	2019
	£	£
Value of food donated to the Foodbank	270,193	239,941

The charity recognises the value of donated food with reference to the average value of food per kilogram, (Trussell Trust valuation of £1,75 per kilogram).

During the year ended 31 March 2020, food parcels were issued to feed 32,100 people (2019: 38,000). Additionally 7,700 (2019: 10,100) hot meals were provided at a value of £3 per meal.

The charity has also benefitted from, but not recognised in its accounts, the contribution of services made by unpaid general volunteers.

# **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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Ana	lysis of expenditure on charitable activities				
	•	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total	Total
		Funds	Funds	2020	2019
11	Raising funds	£	£	£	£
11	•	404		404	2.022
	Fundraising costs	121		121	2,033
		121		<u>121</u>	2,033
12	Charitable activities				
	<u>Direct costs</u>				
	Staff salaries	106,372	14,663	121,035	103,535
	Other staff costs	1,972	-	1,972	415
	Travel and subsistence	239	-	239	339
	Volunteer costs	1,045	-	1,045	318
	Food purchases and consumables	1,421	3,815	5,236	588
	Carrier bags and packing	-	-	-	520
	Storage	-	-	-	4,074
	Project resources		4,586	4,586	<del>-</del>
	Transport costs	7,064	1,270	8,334	9,421
	Vehicle depreciation	4,444	-	4,444	5,848
	Other direct costs	6,121	76	6,197	449
	Value of goods distributed to beneficiaries	223,899	-	223,899	235,652
	Support costs				
	Rent and rates	1,243	-	1,243	2,678
	Heating and electricity	3,209	-	3,209	4,076
	Premises	355	-	355	3,326
	Insurance	1,025	-	1,025	979
	Printing, postage and stationery	933	-	933	1,460
	Telephone	713	-	713	801
	IT costs	1,216	-	1,216	2,616
	Small equipment	1,892	-	1,892	228
	Depreciation	874	-	874	1,160
	Subscriptions and fees	35	-	35	413
	Legal and professional fees	6,401	-	6,401	6,502
	Bank charges	188	-	188	168
	Governance costs				
	Independent examiner's fees for reporting on				
	the accounts	996		996	948
		371,657	24,410	396,067	386,514

# Analysis of expenditure on charitable activities continued

Expenditure on charitable activities was £396,188 (2019: £388,547) of which £371,778 was unrestricted or designated (2019: £360,464) and £24,410 was restricted (2019: £28,083)

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13 Fees for examination of the accounts		
	2020	2019
	£	£
Independent examiner's fees for reporting on the accounts	996	940
Other accountancy services paid to the examiner	6,701	6,043
	7,697	6,983
14 Analysis of staff costs and the cost of key management personnel	2020 £	2019 £
Salaries and wages	109,596	94,731
Social security costs	9,154	7,528
Pension costs (defined contribution pension plan)	2,285	1,276
	121,035	103,535

No employee received remuneration above £60,000 (2019: nil).

The key management personnel of the charity comprise the Trustees and the CEO. The total employee benefits of the key management personnel of the charity were £46,235 (2019: £41,566).

#### 15 Staff Numbers

The average monthly head count was 5.5 staff (2019: 5 staff) and the average monthly numbers of full-time equivalent employees during the year were as follows:

	2020	2019
The parts of the charity in which the employees work were:	Number	Number
Charitable activities	5.5	4.3
	5.5	4.3

#### 16 Transactions with Trustees

None of the Trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits from an employment with their charity or a related entity.

#### Trustees' expenses

No Trustee expenses have been incurred in the year.

#### Transactions with related parties

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period.

#### 17 Defined contribution pension scheme

The charity operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the charity in an independently administered fund.

The employer's pension costs represent contributions payable by the charity to the fund and amount to £2,285 (2019: £1,276). There was £526 outstanding as at 31 March 2020 (2019: £235).

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# **18 Corporation Taxation**

The charity is exempt from tax on income and gains falling within section 505 of the Taxes Act 1988 or section 252 of the Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992 to the extent that these are applied to its charitable objectives.

19	Tangible fixed assets	Office equipment	Kitchen equipment £	Garden structures £	Vehicles £	Total £
	Cost Balance brought forward Additions Disposals	- 2,835 -	4,640 23,928 -	- 2,512 -	17,776 - -	22,416 29,275 -
	Balance carried forward	2,835	28,568	2,512	17,776	51,691
	<b>Depreciation</b> Basis Rate	SL 25%	SL 25%	SL 25%	SL 25%	
	Balance brought forward Depreciation charge for year Disposals	- 255 -	4,070 410 -	209 -	6,666 4,444 -	10,736 5,318 -
	Balance carried forward	255	4,480	209	11,110	16,054
	Net book value					
	Brought forward		570		11,110	11,680
	Carried forward	2,580	24,088	2,303	6,666	35,637
20	Stock			Donated goods for distribution 2020 £	Donated goods for distribution 2019 £	
	Opening Added in period Distributed in period Closing			55,269 270,193 ( 223,899 ) 101,563	50,980 239,941 ( 235,652 ) 55,269	
21	Debtors and prepayments (receive	able within 1 y	ear)	2020 £	2019 £	
	Gift Aid due Other debtors			3,749 10,443	4,663 3,004	
				14,192	7,667	

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22 Cash at bank and ir
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	2020 £	2019 £
Short term deposits	140,000	80,000
Cash at bank	143,182	69,672
Cash in hand	212	190
	283,394	149,862

# 23 Creditors and accruals (payable within 1 year)

	2020 £	2019 £
Trade creditors	1,671	1,043
Accruals		
Independent examination of accounts	996	948
Other accruals	-	941
Deferred income		
LGA Foundation	3,000	-
Trussell Trust	10,001	-
Other creditors	7,763	235
	23,431	3,167

## 24 Deferred income

Deferred income comprises advance payments from grants that relate to future periods

	2020	2019
	£	£
Balance brought forward	-	12,083
Amount released to income earned from	-	( 12,083 )
charitable activities		
Amount deferred in year	13,001	-
Balance carried forward	13,001	

# 25 Events after the end of the reporting period

No events have occurred after the end of the reporting period, but before the accounts are authorised, that require adjustment to the accounts.

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# 26 Analysis of charitable funds

# Analysis of movements in unrestricted funds

	Fund balances brought forward	Incoming resources	Resources expended	Transfers	Fund balances carried forward
Unrestricted funds	£	£	£	£	£
General unrestricted fund	206,507	507,708	( 371,778 )	29,275	371,712
Totals	206,507	507,708	(371,778)	29,275	371,712

# Purpose of unrestricted funds

General unrestricted fund: The 'free reserves' of the charity.

# Analysis of movement in restricted funds

Restricted funds	Fund balances brought forward	Incoming resources	Resources expended	Transfers £	Fund balances carried forward £
Advocacy Welfare Project	_	25,955	(10,461)	_	15,494
Christmas food	_	5,085	(5,085)	_	-
Foodbank administration	_	4,202	(4,202)	_	-
Foodbank security and equipment	-	4,999	-	-	4,999
Foodbank IT equipment	-	3,882	-	(2,835)	1,047
Foodbank kitchen refurbishment	10,559	31,213	(76)	(23,928)	17,768
Foodbank kitchen garden	4,245	3,188	(4,586)	(2,512)	335
Totals	14,804	78,524	( 24,410 )	( 29,275 )	39,643

# **Purpose of restricted funds**

Restricted funds represent income resources used for a specific purpose within the charity as identified by the donor.

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Advocacy Welfare Project	Funding the Advocacy Welfare Project to help meet the needs of the Foodbank's clients relating to issues such as debt, physical, social and mental health to improve their situation and help move them out of crisis.
Christmas food	Funding for the purchase of food over the Christmas period.
Foodbank administration	Funding to contribute the administration of the foodbank.
Foodbank security and equipment	Funding to be spent on Security and other equipment.
Foodbank IT equipment	Funding for IT equipment.
Marriott - kitchen refurbishment	Funding for the refurbishment and refit of the Foodbank kitchen.
Foodbank kitchen garden	Funding for developing a kitchen garden for the Foodbank.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 26 Analysis of charitable funds continued

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Transfers between funds	Reason for transfer	Amount £
Between unrestricted and restricted funds	The transfer represents the value of equipment purchased by the Charity added to tangible fixed assets that will be depreciated over the next four years.	29,275

## 27 Capital commitments

As at 31 March 2020, the charity had no capital commitments (2019 -£nil).

# 28 Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total 2020 £	Total 2019 £
Tangible fixed assets	35,637	-	35,637	11,680
Stock	101,563	-	101,563	55,269
Cash at bank and in hand	243,751	39,643	283,394	149,862
Other net current assets (liabilities)	(9,239)	-	( 9,239 )	4,500
	371,712	39,643	411,355	221,311

# 29 Guarantee

There have been no guarantees given by the charity at 31 March 2020.

## 30 **Debt**

There is no debt outstanding which is owed by the charity and which is secured by an excess charge on any of the assets of the charity at 31 March 2020.

# 31 Governing document

The organisation is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation - registered on 1 July 2013 as a body corporate under part 11 of the Charities Act 2011.