

Protos Community Benefit Fund
Report and Financial Statements
Year ended 31 January 2021

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Fund Information

Panel Members

Cllr. S. Temple (Helsby Parish Council)
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Cllr. J. Critchley (Frodsham Town Council)
Cllr. C. Wright (Thornton-le-Moors Parish Council)
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Secretary

K Butterick

Accountant

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Secretary's Report for the Year ended 31 January 2021

The secretary presents his report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 January 2021.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the fund is the provision of funding for local community causes.

During the year a further £40,000 was made available to the fund and £18,751 was paid out in respect of applications received from members of the community.

As at the balance sheet date applications for a further £28,459 had been approved by the Benefit Fund Panel. This amount breaks down as follows:

Little Stanney & District Council - £1,581 (new sign)
Ince Village - £7,787 (lamp)
Passion for Learning: £2,000 (enrichment scheme Elton School)
Helsby Sports Club: £3,791 (bowling equipment)
Runcorn Rowing Club £4,000 (new pumping scheme)
Elton Gardeners Project £1,600 (new fencing)
Hornsmill Primary School £3,500 (recycling scheme)
Friends of Elton School £1,500 (reading project)
1st Ince and Elton Scouts £1,200 (replacement equipment)
Ince Parish Council £1,500 (replacement of safety mats)

Secretary

The secretary who served during the period is K Butterick.

This report has been prepared in accordance with applicable UK Accounting Standards using the accruals basis of accounting.

This report was approved by the Benefit Fund Panel on 24 March 2021 and signed on its behalf by

K Butterick
Secretary

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Accountant's report to the panel members of the Protos Community Benefit Fund

I report on the financial statements of the fund for the year ended 31 January 2021 which are set out on pages 6-9.

In accordance with the engagement letter dated 6 February 2017, and in order to assist you to fulfil your duties, we have compiled the financial statements of the fund from the accounting records and information and explanations you have given to us.

This report is made to the secretary in accordance with the terms of our engagement. Our work has been undertaken to prepare for approval by the secretary the financial statements that we have been engaged to compile, to report to the secretary that we have done so, and to state those matters that we have agreed to state to them in this report and for no other purpose.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the fund and the fund's secretary for our work or for this report.

You have acknowledged on the balance sheet as at 31 January 2021 your duty to ensure that the fund has kept proper accounting records and to prepare financial statements that give a true and fair view.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit of the financial statements. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the financial statements.

Olata Limited

24 February 2021

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Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31 January 2021

		2021	2020
	Notes	£	£
Funds received		40,000	30,000
Funds applied		<u>(18,751)</u>	<u>(28,154)</u>
Net funds available		21,249	1,846
Administrative expenses	2	<u>(2,290)</u>	<u>(1,760)</u>
Surplus/(Deficit) of income over expenditure		<u>18,959</u>	<u>86</u>
Surplus brought forward		10,227	10,141
Surplus carried forward		<u>29,186</u>	<u>10,227</u>

The notes on page 9 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Balance Sheet as at 31 January 2021

		2021	2020
	Notes	£	£
Current assets			
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>79,606</u>	<u>10,427</u>
		79,606	10,427
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	3	<u>(50,420)</u>	<u>(200)</u>
Net current assets		<u>29,186</u>	<u>10,227</u>
Total assets less current liabilities		29,186	10,227
Net assets		<u>29,186</u>	<u>10,227</u>
Reserves			
Surplus of income over expenditure		<u>29,186</u>	<u>10,227</u>

The Secretary's statement is shown on the following page which forms part of this Balance Sheet.

The notes on page 9 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Balance Sheet (continued)

Secretary's statement For the year ended 31 January 2021

In approving these financial statements as Secretary of the fund I hereby confirm that I acknowledge my responsibility for:

1. ensuring that the fund keeps accounting records: and
2. preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the fund as at the end of the financial period and of its income and expenditure for the period then ended.

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards on the accruals basis of accounting.

The financial statements were approved by the Benefit Fund Panel on 24 March 2021 and signed on its behalf by;

K Butterick

Secretary

The notes on page 9 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Notes to the financial statements For the year ended 31 January 2021

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention.

1.2 Income

Funds received comprise of payments made by Peel Environmental Ltd into the fund relating to the period. Funds received relating to future periods are treated as deferred income.

2	Administrative expenses	2021	2020
		£	£
	Secretary's remuneration	2,000	1,500
	Accountancy fees	200	200
	Hire of village hall	60	60
	Postage	<u>30</u>	<u>-</u>
		<u>2,290</u>	<u>1,760</u>
3	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2021	2020
		£	£
	Deferred income	50,000	-
	Accruals	<u>420</u>	<u>200</u>
		<u>50,420</u>	<u>200</u>

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Detailed Income and Expenditure account for the year ended 31 January 2021

	2021 £	2020 £
Income		
Funds received	40,000	30,000
Funds applied		
Elton Allotments	1,000	-
Passion for Learning	2,000	-
Thornton-le-Moors Parish Council	-	4,000
Ince Village Hall	3,704	3,700
Elton Community Events	3,368	3,356
Elton Parish Council	3,179	4,000
Harmers Wood Trust	4,000	-
Frodsham Bell Ringers	-	2,918
Hornsmill Primary School	-	4,000
Elton Primary School	<u>1,500</u>	<u>6,180</u>
Total funds applied	18,751	28,154
Administrative expenses		
Secretary's remuneration	2,000	1,500
Accountancy fees	200	200
Hire of village hall	60	60
Postage	<u>30</u>	<u>-</u>
Total administrative expenses	2,290	1,760
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