

**NEWBURY & THATCHAM HOSPITAL
BUILDING TRUST
(LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)
TRUSTEES' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

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CHARITY INFORMATION**

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The Board of Directors, who are the Charity Trustees for the purposes of the Charities Act 2011, present their Annual Report for the year ended 30 September 2024 under the Companies Act 2006 and the Charities Act 2011, together with the audited financial statements for the year. The Board confirms that the latter comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006, the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association and Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS102) (effective 1 January 2019) (Charities SORP (FRS102)).

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

The object of the Charity, in accordance with the Articles of Association, is the relief of sickness in the community.

The Charity aims to help the community of Newbury and Thatcham and the wider area especially, but not exclusively, by the provision and servicing of hospital buildings, facilities and equipment for the treatment of people referred for hospital treatment at the West Berkshire Community Hospital.

In order to fulfil this purpose, the Charity is, inter alia, authorised to receive donations, subscriptions and other assets in accordance with its objectives and to apply these funds solely towards the promotion of its objectives.

The Trustees confirm that they have complied with the duty in Section 17 (5) of the Charities Act 2011, to have due regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

The Trustees' objective for the year was to continue to provide first class accommodation to meet the strategic aims of the Charity. Additionally to improve patient care by the provision of equipment and improvements to facilities where the capital costs cannot be met by Berkshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust (BHFT) but where BHFT is able to meet revenue costs associated with the asset.

The Trustees select Facilities Management service companies who are able to provide this service and who are familiar with the requirements of hospitals. The Trustees scrutinise the performance of the Facilities Management Company to ensure performance at the highest level is maintained. The Trustees engage an outsourced finance and administration team to run the financial requirements associated with its activities.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

The Board's main focus this year was continuing the support given to the West Berkshire Community Hospital in various ways.

- We installed an awning on the Highclere ward balcony.
- We installed an awning on the Rainbow rooms balcony.
- Work continued on considering improvements to the car parking at the hospital.
- The lifecycle fund covered remediation works to the fire doors, together with resurfacing of the car park and replacement of fire alarm system devices. It also covered a major refresh of the theatres lighting system.

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ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE (continued)

Last year we said we would:-

- Continue to monitor the building of the new MRI unit at the hospital.
- This is still progressing, albeit very slowly. The original commercial contractor to the Royal Berkshire Foundation Hospital pulled out of the contract and a new contractor was sought by the hospital. As a result new plans had to be drawn up and this is on-going.
- Complete any car park works agreed as a result of the car park survey.
- This has been delayed by the decarbonisation project initiated by Berkshire Healthcare Foundation Trust. Until decisions have been made on locations for plants for this, the car park works are unable to progress.
- Consider providing work needed to enable the installation of mammogram and dexascanner equipment.
- This progressed rapidly over late Spring and commenced in early Autumn. The initial work was done in September and the turnkey installation was completed in October/November 2024. The equipment was provided by the Government via their funding for diagnostic hubs. The League of Friends provided the funding for the dexascanner. We are grateful to a charitable trust who provided a donation to cover this building work.
- Support Bellrock in undertaking a survey of the hospital rendering and facilitate any repairs.
- This was ongoing over the year. After contacting the original manufacturer of the render, a consultant recommended by them was engaged to conduct a further survey of the render and this was completed after the year end. The work required is less than originally anticipated and is being planned in over the next couple of years. It will be funded from the lifecycle fund.
- Consider any reasonable approaches from Berkshire Healthcare Foundation Trust for assistance to improve patient experience.
- No requests received other than noted above. The trustees will still consider any items requested.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Funding from BHFT continued to be received during the year in line with the financial model for the operation of the non-medical functions of the hospital. The expenditure for the year was made in accordance with the same model to provide the hospital facilities and the additional projects as above.

RESERVES POLICY

The Trustees consider that they need to keep sufficient funding available to overcome any given emergency with the hospital buildings and to provide operational costs in the case of failure of the Facilities Management Company. They also hold funds to develop the hospital if there is an appropriate medical requirement that BHFT is unable or unwilling to fund.

The Trust has entered into a long-term contract spanning some 30 years of which it is only part of the way through. The Trust requires substantial reserves in order to manage the risks associated with short term operational working capital needs, risks in the timing of funding streams and uncertainties surrounding long term assumptions within the funding model (e.g. inflation and interest rates). They are also required to hold cash balances in various accounts with the Funder in order to comply with the terms of the contract. These amounted to £8,693,744 (2023: £7,317,892) at the balance sheet date.

As the contract enters into its final decade, the condition of the building and facilities on hand-back has to be considered as "condition B" has to be achieved. The trustees are mindful of this when considering the reserves held.

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RESERVES POLICY (continued)

The balance of restricted funds received from a charitable trust for facilitating works for the mammography and dexascanner suite amounted to £118,029 (2023: £nil) at the balance sheet date.

Consequently the Trustees consider the current level of free reserves of £10,550,916 (2023: £9,588,367) appropriate to the Trust's current financial position.

INVESTMENT POLICY AND PERFORMANCE

The Charity's funds are held in interest bearing bank and building society accounts. Monies relating to contract sums under the PFI agreement are required to be retained within accounts held with the Funder. Non-contract sums, that are not anticipated to be required at short notice, are placed in time deposit accounts with British banks and building societies.

FUNDRAISING

The Charity does not engage in large scale fundraising activities like mass mailing campaigns and does not employ a professional fundraiser nor engage the services of third-party organisations to help raise funds, and therefore have not considered it necessary to sign up to any regulatory code of fundraising practice. No complaints have been received during the year about any aspect of the fundraising and consideration is always given to privacy and diplomacy to ensure approaches for fundraising are appropriate.

FUTURE PLANS

The primary objective for the future of the Charity is to continue to provide first class accommodation, facilities and equipment at the West Berkshire Community Hospital for the treatment of people referred for hospital treatment.

During the coming year we seek to:

- Complete the Alston Imaging Suite for mammography and dexascanner and ensure it is brought into operation
- Support the construction of the new MRI building.
- Reorganise the staff car park to alleviate parking in the patient car park
- Support Bellrock in undertaking repairs to the hospital rendering.
- Support Bellrock with the annual review of the hospital premises to ensure that the condition at the hand-back meets the required standard.

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STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Newbury & Thatcham Hospital Building Trust was founded in 1997. The Charity is governed by its Articles of Association and was incorporated on 15 August 1997. The Charity registration number is 1067608, and the company registration number is 3420143.

Company limited by guarantee

Newbury & Thatcham Hospital Building Trust is a company limited by guarantee, not having a share capital. The liability of the members in the event of winding up is limited to an amount not exceeding £1 per member. At 30 September 2024 there were 8 members (2023: 8 members).

Trustees

The Trustees who held office and who are all Directors of the company were as follows:

Sarah Deal	
Dr Keith Endersby	Secretary
Sylvia Galbraith	
Victoria Hopgood	
Shane Prater	
Richard Rudgey	
Dr Robert Tayton	Chairman
Paul Townsend	

Key Executives and Professional Advisers

Chairman:	Dr Robert Tayton
Company Secretary:	Dr Keith Endersby
Bankers:	Barclays Bank plc and Nationwide Building Society
Solicitors:	Bevan Brittan
Auditors:	UHY Ross Brooke

Details of the address at which the Charity can be contacted is on page 1.

Governing Body

The current Trustees have the power to appoint new Trustees who are chosen on the basis of their potential contribution to the Charity and the professional skills which are required to assist in the management of the Charity.

When an opportunity arises for a new Trustee, the existing Trustees draw up a short list of suitable candidates from the local community. These candidates are then invited to attend a Trustees meeting. Successful candidates will then be invited to become Trustees.

Trustee training

Trustees are selected due to their particular area of expertise as it relates to the Charity. An overview of the Charity's activities is given at Trustee meetings and a representative of the outsourced finance and administration team provides detailed information on procedures as required. The new Trustees are also provided with the Charity Commission publications 'The Essential Trustee: What you need to know' and 'Welcome'.

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Organisational management

The management of the Charity is undertaken by the Trustees who receive information from an outsourced finance and administration team that is responsible for the co-ordination of the financial and non-medical running of the hospital and which owes a duty of care to the Trustees. Actions arising from these reports are discussed at Trustees meetings and an individual Trustee will be delegated with the task of dealing with that issue and reporting progress to the Trustees. Any urgent issues are reported to the Trustees as they arise and where necessary the finance and administration team will be instructed on the course of action to be undertaken or the Trustees will take action themselves. Communication between meetings is generally by e-mail.

The Trustees consider that they comprise the key management. As they are not remunerated for their services there are no arrangements for setting the pay and remuneration of key management.

Organisation structure and relationships

The Newbury and Thatcham Hospital Building Trust Limited is a stand-alone Charity funded by the West Berkshire Clinical Commissioning Group (previously regional Primary Care Trust (PCT)) through Berkshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust, which provides funds for the non-medical running of the hospital. The PCTs were abolished on 31 March 2013 and the responsibility for the hospital passed to Berkshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust (BHFT). The Trustees outsource the majority of the day to day administration and the maintaining of the financial records to a third-party finance and administration team. The Trustees employ a Facilities Management Company to run the non-medical aspects of the hospital, including maintenance of the building.

RISK MANAGEMENT

The Charity works closely with the Facilities Management Company to ensure areas of risk are identified and documented. All risks in relation to medical activities are the responsibility of BHFT.

The main risks that the Trustees have identified and the actions they have taken to mitigate them are as follows:

- Financial problems of the Facilities Management Company causing it to default on the contract. The Trustees ensure that they hold sufficient funds to run the non-medical aspects of the hospital for six months to enable an orderly appointment of a new provider.
- Trustee age profile. The Trustees are keeping the composition of the board under review to ensure there is a succession plan.
- Failure of a counterparty with whom the Charity's reserves are invested. This risk is mitigated by spreading reserves amongst at least three separate counterparties and by restricting investment into British Banks and Building Societies only.
- Royal Berkshire Hospital Foundation Trust becomes insolvent and cannot afford to run the services. There is little the Trustees can do to manage this risk beyond keeping in contact with the Clinical Commissioning Groups who would have to appoint a new provider of services.

The Trustees continue to review their risk response on an annual basis.

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STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

The Trustees (who are also Directors of Newbury & Thatcham Hospital Building Trust for the purposes of company law) are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards).

Company law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under company law the Trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charitable company for that period. In preparing these 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 judgments 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; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue in business.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charitable company's transactions, disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act and the provisions of the Charity's constitution. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

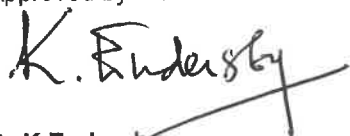
Provision of information to auditors

So far as the Trustees are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the charitable company's auditors are unaware. The Trustees have each taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as Trustees in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the charitable company's auditors are aware of that information.

In preparing this report, the Trustees have taken advantage of the small companies exemptions provided by the Companies Act 2006.

Approved by the Board on

and signed on its behalf by:



Dr K Endersby
Secretary and Trustee

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF NEWBURY & THATCHAM HOSPITAL BUILDING TRUST (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Newbury & Thatcham Hospital Building Trust (the charitable company) for the year ended 30 September 2024 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, the Balance Sheet, Statement of Cash Flows and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 *The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland* (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Charitable Company's affairs as at 30 September 2024 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the charitable company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the trustee's use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the charitable company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the trustees with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the trustees annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The trustees are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

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Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion based on the work undertaken in the course of our audit

- the information given in the Trustees' Annual Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the Trustees' Annual Report has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the Charitable Company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Trustees' Annual Report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- certain disclosures of Trustees' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.
- the trustees were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies' exemption in preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and take advantage of the small companies exemption from the requirement to prepare a Strategic Report.

Responsibilities of the Trustees

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 7, the trustees (who are also the directors of the Newbury & Thatcham Hospital Building Trust for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of a trustees' annual report and financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charitable company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the trustees either intend to liquidate the charitable company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The specific procedures for this engagement and the extent to which these are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below:

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We have considered:

- the nature of the charity and sector, control environment and operating performance;
- the charity's own assessment, including assessments made by key management, of the risks that irregularities may occur either as a result of fraud or error;
- any matters we identified having reviewed the charity's policies and procedures relating to:
 - identifying, evaluating and complying with laws and regulations and whether they were aware of any instances of non-compliance;
 - detecting and responding to the risks of fraud and whether they have knowledge of any actual, suspected or alleged fraud; and
 - the internal controls established to mitigate risks of fraud or non-compliance with laws and regulations;
- the matters discussed amongst the audit engagement team.

As a result of these procedures, we considered the opportunities and incentives that may exist within the organisation for fraud and identified the greatest potential for fraud in the areas in which management is required to exercise significant judgement, such as the recognition of income and provisions. In common with all audits under ISAs (UK), we are also required to perform specific procedures to respond to the risk of management override.

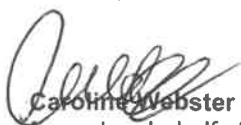
We also obtained an understanding of the legal and regulatory framework that the charity operates in, focusing on provisions of those laws and regulations that had a direct effect on the determination of material amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The key laws and regulations we considered in this context were the Companies Act, Charities Act and tax legislation.

Because of the inherent limitations of an audit, there is a risk that we will not detect all irregularities, including those leading to a material misstatement in the financial statements or non-compliance with regulation. This risk increases the more that compliance with a law or regulation is removed from the events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, as we will be less likely to become aware of instances of non-compliance. The risk is also greater regarding irregularities occurring due to fraud rather than error, as fraud involves intentional concealment, forgery, collusion, omission or misrepresentation.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: <http://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities>. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Use of our report

This report is made solely to the charitable company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charitable company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's 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 charitable company and the charitable company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.



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Date: 31/1/25

NEWBURY & THATCHAM HOSPITAL BUILDING TRUST
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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
(INCORPORATING AN INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024

	Notes	2024 Unrestricted Funds £	2024 Restricted Funds £	2024 Total Funds £	2023 Total Funds £ (Note 18)
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM:					
Donations and legacies	3	-	448,618	448,618	36,914
Income from charitable activities					
Provision of hospital services		6,400,765	-	6,400,765	5,474,302
Investment income		<u>265,522</u>	-	<u>265,522</u>	<u>132,218</u>
TOTAL		<u>6,666,287</u>	<u>448,618</u>	<u>7,114,905</u>	<u>5,643,434</u>
EXPENDITURE ON:					
Charitable Activities:					
Cost of hospital services – contractual		5,629,922	-	5,629,922	4,948,813
Cost of hospital services - voluntary		<u>73,816</u>	<u>330,589</u>	<u>404,405</u>	<u>321,459</u>
TOTAL	4	<u>5,703,738</u>	<u>330,589</u>	<u>6,034,327</u>	<u>5,270,272</u>
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE) BEFORE TRANSFERS		962,549	118,029	1,080,578	373,162
Transfers between funds	14	-	-	-	-
Net income/(expenditure) and net movement in funds in the year		962,549	118,029	1,080,578	373,162
Total funds at 1 October 2023		<u>9,588,367</u>	-	<u>9,588,367</u>	<u>9,215,205</u>
Total funds at 30 September 2024	15	<u>10,550,916</u>	<u>118,029</u>	<u>10,668,945</u>	<u>9,588,367</u>

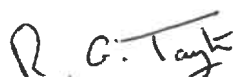
The notes on pages 14 to 22 form part of these financial statements

NEWBURY & THATCHAM HOSPITAL BUILDING TRUST
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BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2024
COMPANY NUMBER: 03420143

	Notes	2024	2023
		£	£
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors:			
Falling due within one year	7	1,643,859	1,449,557
Falling due after more than one year	8	7,034,874	7,945,315
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>11,098,732</u>	<u>9,646,853</u>
		19,777,465	19,041,725
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	9	<u>(1,689,014)</u>	<u>(1,257,716)</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS		18,088,451	17,784,009
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year	10	(5,505,356)	(6,348,683)
Provisions for liabilities and charges	11	<u>(1,914,150)</u>	<u>(1,846,959)</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS LIABILITIES		<u>10,668,945</u>	<u>9,588,367</u>
Unrestricted funds	13	10,550,916	9,588,367
Restricted funds	14	<u>118,029</u>	<u>-</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	15	<u>10,668,945</u>	<u>9,588,367</u>

Approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Trustees on behalf by

and signed on their



R Tayton
Chairman of Trustees

The notes on pages 14 to 22 form part of these financial statements

NEWBURY & THATCHAM HOSPITAL BUILDING TRUST
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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED
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	2024 £	2023 £
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net movement in funds	1,080,578	373,162
Amortisation of finance receivable	871,700	835,700
Interest received	(265,522)	(132,218)
Interest paid	454,022	493,913
Decrease/(increase)/in debtors	(155,561)	(41,312)
Increase/(decrease) in creditors	336,133	(46,198)
Increase/(decrease) in provisions	<u>67,191</u>	<u>554,604</u>
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>2,388,541</u>	<u>2,037,651</u>
Cash flows from investing activities		
Interest received	<u>265,522</u>	<u>132,218</u>
Net cash provided by investing activities	<u>265,522</u>	<u>132,218</u>
Cash flows from financing activities		
Interest paid	(454,022)	(493,913)
Repayment of loan	<u>(748,162)</u>	<u>(672,271)</u>
Net cash used in by financing activities	<u>(1,202,184)</u>	<u>(1,166,184)</u>
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the year	1,451,879	1,003,685
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	<u>9,646,853</u>	<u>8,643,168</u>
Total cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	<u>11,098,732</u>	<u>9,646,853</u>
	2024 £	2023 £
Analysis of cash and cash equivalents:		
Cash at bank and in hand	<u>11,098,732</u>	<u>9,646,853</u>

The notes on pages 14 to 22 form part of these financial statements

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1. CHARITY INFORMATION

The principal activity of the Charity is the provision and servicing of hospital buildings, facilities and equipment for the treatment of people referred for hospital treatment at the West Berkshire Community Hospital. The Charity (registered number 3420143 and Charity number 1067608) is incorporated and domiciled in the UK. The address of the principal place of business is West Berkshire Community Hospital, Rooke's Way, Benham Hill, Thatcham, Berkshire, RG18 3AS.

The functional and presentational currency of the Charity is GBP, and the accounts are rounded to the nearest GBP.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements 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 2019) – Charities SORP (FRS 102), the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Companies Act 2006.

Newbury & Thatcham Hospital Building Trust meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy note.

b) Going Concern

Having reviewed the funding facilities available to the Charity together with the expected on going demand for services and the Charity's future projected cash flows, the Trustees have a reasonable expectation that the Charity has adequate resources to continue its activities for the foreseeable future.

Having regard to the above, the Trustees believe it appropriate to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements

c) Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the Charity's accounting policies, which are described in note 2, Trustees are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying value of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimation and underlying assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an on-going basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of revision and future periods if the revision affects the current and future periods.

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In the view of the Trustees, the key source of estimation uncertainty that has a significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements is that of the Life Cycle and Maintenance provision. The discount rate used is in line with gilt rates for the same period as the provision.

d) Financial Instruments

Basic financial instruments include debtors and creditors. Debtors and creditors are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at amortised cost. Note 16 provides more information on financial instruments where future cash flows are anticipated, with financial assets referring to cash, debtor balances excluding prepayments and financial liabilities referring to all creditor balances excluding other taxes and social security.

e) Income

Voluntary income is included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when the Charity is legally entitled to the income, receipt is probable, and the amount can be quantified with reasonable certainty. For legacies, entitlement is considered established once the Charity has been notified of an impending distribution.

All other income is accounted for on an accruals basis.

f) Expenditure

All resources expended are accounted for on an accruals basis. Charitable activities include costs of services, support costs and governance costs (costs associated with constitutional and statutory requirements).

In previous years Governance costs (costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the Charity, the independent examiner fees and costs in respect of the strategic management of the Charity) were shown separately in the Statement of Financial Activities. To comply with Charities SORP (FRS 102) Governance costs have been included within charitable activities as an element of other support costs.

g) Taxation

The Trust is a registered Charity. Under S505 ICTA 1988 the Charity is not subject to taxation on its charitable activities.

h) Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds

- Funds which are expendable at the discretion of the Trustees for furtherance of the objects of the Charity.

Restricted funds

- Funds that have restrictions imposed by donors and can only be applied for the particular purposes specified by the donors.

Designated funds

- Funds that have restrictions imposed on them by the Trustees to be used on the purpose specified.

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2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

i) Accounting for the Hospital Facility Management Contract

The hospital was built and is operated under a PFI contract, which on completion of the build transferred substantially all the risks and rewards associated with ownership of the building to the Berkshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust (BHFT) - in exchange for finance receivable.

Due to the PFI Contract the revenue received from the BHFT, in relation to the operation and facility management of the hospital, is recognised as a fixed income stream as dictated by the Financial Model. The Financial Model sets out the revenues required by projecting the expected future costs for the operation of the hospital.

The finance receivable revenues received from the BHFT are apportioned between;

- Capital repayment
- Finance receivable
- Provision of hospital services

Finance receivable is allocated on a decreasing sum of digits basis over the life of the contract and is included in the Provision of Hospital Services.

j) Debtors

Trade and other debtors are recognised at the settlement amount due after any trade discount offered. Prepayments are valued at the amount prepaid after taking account of any trade discounts due.

k) Creditors and provisions

Creditors and provisions are recognised when the Charity has a present obligation resulting from a past event that will probably result in the transfer of funds to a third party and the amount due to settle the obligation can be measured or estimated reliably. Creditors and provisions are normally recognised at their settlement amount after allowing for any trade discounts due.

The Life Cycle and Maintenance provision has been recognised in the accounts relating to an obligation under the terms of the contract to ensure that the buildings and certain assets are maintained to a suitable standard. This provision reflects the balance held, plus amounts to be transferred into, the Life Cycle Bank Account, which holds funds relating to this obligation.

l) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash is represented by cash in hand and deposits with financial institutions repayable without penalty on notice of not more than 24 hours. Cash equivalents are highly liquid investments that mature in no more than three months from the date of acquisition and that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash with insignificant risk of change in value

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3. DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

	2024 £	2023 £
Other donations	<u>448,618</u>	<u>36,914</u>
	<u>448,618</u>	<u>36,914</u>

In 2024 and 2023 the donations received by the Charity were restricted.

4. EXPENDITURE

	2024 £	2023 £
Charitable Activities:		
Cost of hospital services - contractual		
Facilities management charge	2,822,141	2,621,339
Management fees	127,360	118,050
Sinking fund expenditure	665,414	180,026
Model update	6,600	6,600
Amortisation of finance receivable	867,579	830,390
Loan interest	454,022	493,913
Insurance	72,277	67,205
Variation expenditure recharged	9,175	171,743
Amortisation of loan arrangement fees	4,121	5,310
Utility charge	578,336	430,817
Governance	22,195	12,650
Other costs	<u>702</u>	<u>10,770</u>
	5,629,922	4,948,813
Cost of hospital services – voluntary		
Variation expenditure met by Charity	342,082	282,004
Rosemary Appeal final costs	1,002	-
MRI legal and professional costs	<u>61,321</u>	<u>39,455</u>
	404,405	321,459
	<u>6,034,327</u>	<u>5,270,272</u>

The Newbury and Thatcham Hospital Building Trust has nil employees (2023: nil) and key management personnel remuneration is £nil (2023: £nil).

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5. AUDITOR'S REMUNERATION

	2024 £	2023 £
Auditor's remuneration : audit	<u>13,500</u>	<u>12,650</u>

6. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES

The Trustees received neither remuneration nor reimbursed expenses in either the current or preceding year.

7. DEBTORS: Amounts falling due within one year

	2024 £	2023 £
Finance receivable	910,441	871,700
Prepayments and accrued income	<u>733,418</u>	<u>577,857</u>
	<u>1,643,859</u>	<u>1,449,557</u>

8. DEBTORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year

	2024 £	2023 £
Finance receivable	<u>7,034,874</u>	<u>7,945,315</u>

9. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

	2024 £	2023 £
Building Society - loan capital repayable within one year	843,327	748,162
Trade creditors	430,041	276,670
Social Security and other taxes	120,793	118,715
Accruals	<u>294,853</u>	<u>114,169</u>
	<u>1,689,014</u>	<u>1,257,716</u>

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10. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year

	2024 £	2023 £
Building Society loan capital due:		
In one – two years	1,030,620	843,327
In two – five years	4,102,378	3,690,936
In more than five years	<u>372,358</u>	<u>1,814,420</u>
	<u><u>5,505,356</u></u>	<u><u>6,348,683</u></u>

The loan is secured on the assets of the Trust and is for a term of 25 years which commenced in March 2004. Interest is repayable on the loan at a fixed rate of 5.52% plus at present an additional margin of 0.85%.

11. PROVISIONS

Life Cycle and Maintenance	£
At 1 October 2023	1,846,959
Additions	732,605
Amounts used	<u>(665,414)</u>
At 30 September 2024	<u><u>1,914,150</u></u>

The additions in respect of life-cycling and maintenance is based on expenditure forecasts over the term of contract. The timing of actual expenditure is subject to variation and the provision represents the difference between forecast and actual spend to date.

12. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

There were no Related Party transactions in the current or preceding years..

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13. UNRESTRICTED FUNDS

	<i>At 1 October 2023 £</i>	<i>Incoming resources £</i>	<i>Resources expended £</i>	<i>Transfers £</i>	<i>At 30 September 2024 £</i>
General fund	<u>9,588,367</u>	<u>6,666,287</u>	<u>(5,703,738)</u>		<u>10,550,916</u>
	<u>9,588,367</u>	<u>6,666,287</u>	<u>(5,703,738)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10,550,916</u>

The Switchgear fund relates to an electrical upgrade needed for the hospital.

	<i>At 1 October 2022 £</i>	<i>Incoming resources £</i>	<i>Resources expended £</i>	<i>Transfers £</i>	<i>At 30 September 2023 £</i>
General fund	9,014,736	5,606,520	(5,089,127)	56,238	9,588,367
Designated fund – Switchgear	150,000	-	(107,809)	(42,191)	-
Covid recovery	<u>41,218</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(27,171)</u>	<u>(14,047)</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>9,205,954</u>	<u>5,606,520</u>	<u>(5,224,107)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,588,367</u>

14. RESTRICTED FUNDS

	<i>At 1 October 2023 £</i>	<i>Incoming resources £</i>	<i>Resources expended £</i>	<i>Transfers £</i>	<i>At 30 September 2024 £</i>
Rainbow Room Works	-	11,618	(11,618)	-	-
Diagnostic Imaging	<u>-</u>	<u>437,000</u>	<u>(318,971)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>118,029</u>
	<u>-</u>	<u>448,618</u>	<u>(330,589)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>118,029</u>

The Rainbow Room Works fund represents donations received towards the awning on Highclere Ward. The Diagnostic Imaging represents donations received to move the Ultrasound rooms and create rooms for Mammography scanners and Dexascanner.

	<i>At 1 October 2022 £</i>	<i>Incoming resources £</i>	<i>Resources expended £</i>	<i>Transfers £</i>	<i>At 30 September 2023 £</i>
Renal Unit	9,251	36,914	(46,165)	-	-
	<u>9,251</u>	<u>36,914</u>	<u>(46,165)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

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15. ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BETWEEN FUNDS

2024	Net current assets	Long term liability	Provisions	Transfers	Total 2024
	£	£	£	£	£
Unrestricted – General fund	17,970,422	(5,505,356)	(1,914,150)	-	10,550,916
Unrestricted – Designated	-	-	-	-	-
Restricted	<u>118,029</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>118,029</u>
	<u>18,088,451</u>	<u>(5,505,356)</u>	<u>(1,914,150)</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>10,668,945</u>
2023	Net current assets	Long term liability	Provisions	Transfers	Total 2023
	£	£	£	£	£
Unrestricted – General fund	17,784,009	(6,348,683)	(1,846,959)	-	9,588,367
Unrestricted – Designated	-	-	-	-	-
Restricted	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>17,784,009</u>	<u>(6,348,683)</u>	<u>(1,846,959)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,588,367</u>

16. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value are finance receivable and provisions.

	2024	2023
	£	£
Financial assets measured at fair value	7,945,315	8,817,014
Financial liabilities measured at fair value	<u>(1,914,150)</u>	<u>(1,846,959)</u>

17. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT

	01 Oct 2023	Cash-flows	Other non-cash changes	30 Sep 2024
	£	£	£	£
Cash	9,646,853	1,451,879		11,098,732
Finance receivable due within one year	871,700	(871,700)	910,441	910,441
Finance receivable after more than one year	7,945,315		(910,441)	7,034,874
Loans falling due within one year	(748,162)	748,162	(843,327)	(843,327)
Loans falling due after more than one year	<u>(6,348,683)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>843,327</u>	<u>(5,505,356)</u>
Total	<u>11,367,023</u>	<u>1,328,341</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>12,695,364</u>

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18. COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Notes	2023 Unrestricted Funds £	2023 Restricted Funds £	2023 Total Funds £
<i>INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM:</i>				
<i>Donations and legacies</i>	3	-	36,914	36,914
<i>Income from charitable activities</i>				
<i>Provision of hospital services</i>		5,474,302	-	5,474,302
<i>Investment income</i>		<u>132,218</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>132,218</u>
TOTAL		<u>5,606,520</u>	<u>36,914</u>	<u>5,643,434</u>
<i>EXPENDITURE ON:</i>				
<i>Charitable Activities:</i>				
<i>Cost of hospital services – contractual</i>		4,948,8113	-	4,948,813
<i>Cost of hospital services - voluntary</i>		<u>275,294</u>	<u>46,165</u>	<u>321,459</u>
TOTAL	4	<u>5,224,107</u>	<u>46,165</u>	<u>5,280,272</u>
<i>NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE) BEFORE TRANSFERS</i>		382,413	(9,251)	373,162
<i>Transfers between funds</i>	14	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<i>Net income/(expenditure) and net movement in funds in the year</i>		382,413	(9,251)	373,162
<i>Total funds at 1 October 2022</i>		<u>9,205,954</u>	<u>9,251</u>	<u>9,215,205</u>
<i>Total funds at 30 September 2023</i>	15	<u>9,588,367</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,588,367</u>