



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 01/04/24 Period start date To 31/03/25 Period end date

Charity name: Cumbria 4x4 Response

Charity registration number: 1194623

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	Cumbria 4x4 Response provides logistical support to emergency services and other user bodies; as well as the NHS and other charitable groups in times of need caused by adverse weather conditions, floods and other crises.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	The charity provides 4x4 vehicles and trained drivers to organisations facing logistical problems during adverse weather and other incidents.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	All CU4x4R trustees have regard to the commission's public benefit guidance when exercising any powers or duties to which the guidance is relevant.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	Responders drove a total of 1855 recorded miles in the period of this report. This does not take into account time or distances travelled for meetings, promotional events or training.

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<p>The team has had a reasonably quiet year with only two periods of activity, one in November 2024 due to floods in the central Lakes area and one in January 2025 due to snow in the eastern Lakes area. This created several jobs in a short spaces of time and has led to new members joining us following the incidents.</p> <p>The team has undertaken several training events and promotional days and seek to continue to increase the membership numbers going forward.</p>

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The charity is in a positive financial state. The last 12 months has seen greater expenditure from secured and unsecured funds, with the commencement of projects.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Reserves are held covering operational expenses that could be owed to members as well as covering 12 months ongoing costs.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£2000
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/A
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	N/A
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	None

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	The majority of funds come from grant funding or in-person fundraising and donations. A small portion of the charity's income comes from monies recouped as a result of operational callouts which cover our operational costs.
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	The charity has limited assets and ongoing costs, however should grant funding become significantly limited or costs rise this may make operations challenging.

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:			
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution	
How is the charity constituted? (e.g. unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	CIO	
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	By vote at AGM by members of the CIO. Retirement in rotation as detailed in Constitution.	

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Cumbria 4x4 Response
Other name the charity uses	CU4x4R
Registered charity number	1194623
Charity's principal address	Unit 2E Prior Rigg Services Prior Rigg Lane Belle Vue CARLISLE Cumbria CA2 7RG



Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Alan Waring	Chair		
2	Mike Winter	Secretary		
3	Duncan Michael Allen	Treasurer		

Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	ALAN WARING	D. Allen
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	CHAIR	TREASURER
Date	24-6-2025	



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Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

01/04/2024

To

31/03/2025

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations	1,703	-	-	1,703	508
Uniform Sales	15	-	-	15	50
Fund Raising	800	-	-	800	1,280
Grants	-	2,623	-	2,623	11,469
Membership	446	-	-	446	326
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	2,964	2,623	-	5,587	13,633
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	2,964	2,623	-	5,587	13,633
A3 Payments					
Insurance	649	-	-	649	579
Fees	100	-	-	100	55
Deployments	320	-	-	320	51
Uniform Purchase	574	-	-	574	-
Equipment Purchase	7,385	-	-	7,385	298
Administrative Costs	88	-	-	88	1,364
Training Costs	20	-	-	20	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	9,136	-	-	9,136	2,347
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	9,136	-	-	9,136	2,347
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 6,172	2,623	-	- 3,549	11,286
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	-	-	-	-	6,744
Cash funds this year end	- 6,172	2,623	-	- 3,549	18,030

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash in Bank	4,716	2,839	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	4,716	2,839	-
(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))				

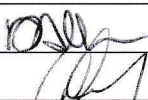
	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Response Trailer 1	Unrestricted	400	-
	Radio Equipment	Unrestricted	7,406	-
	Flood Suits	Unrestricted	2,000	-
	PPE Clothing	Unrestricted	1,238	-
	Response Trailer 2	Unrestricted	7,927	-
	Generator	Unrestricted	1,648	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Duncan Allen	24/6/25
	Alan Waring	24/6/25