

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 25 October 2024.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims:

Feed the Community operates a food bank in an area of Grimsby that has high unemployment and lots of low-income families. We fundraise to purchase store cupboard basics and work with local supermarkets, collecting unsold but still perfectly edible food, providing to people in need, sufficient food to last 3-4 days. Each client is assessed on an individual basis and no one is turned away if in need.

Public Benefit

The trustees have had regard to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit. The Prevention or Relief of Poverty.

Volunteers & partner agencies

The charity relies upon the valued support of its volunteers and partner agencies.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

Main achievements

Feed the community handed out over 2500 parcels in this financial year which is an increase from last year. The rising cost of living has had a detrimental impact on many people and we are seeing a rising need for our services.

We also managed to secure a retail premises mid financial year to help with our fundraising activities which we can see a £5k increase in sales already. We are receiving more donations also for us to make sales from. We are now looking for more volunteers to help within this sector so that more sales can be made to increase the services we offer.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Review of financial position

The charity has received donations from individuals and grants from the local authority to support the work of the Foodbank as well as fundraising activities.

Reserves policy

The charity adopted a reserves policy of £10,000 of unrestricted expenditure to be held in unrestricted reserves. This will allow the charity to continue to function for a small period of time should we not have the funds coming in as we hope. We are self funded so having this reserve is vital as we can not always rely on the grants and donations that we have fortunately received this financial year.

Going concern

The trustees consider that the Charity will remain a going concern for at least one year from the date of their approval of the financial statements.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The Charity is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (Foundation Model) and was registered on 14th April 2022.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

The Charity recruit's new trustees by way of recommendation, induction and supervision until they are comfortable and effective in their role.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Feed the community is registered as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation with the charity commission registration number 1198636 and the principal address is : Feed the community donation centre, 211 Grimsby Road, Cleethorpes, Dn357hb.

Trustees

During the year the following were trustees:

Susan Williams (Treasurer)

Sandra Brown

Hazel Aby

Lacey Langridge (Chair)

Nicole Perrin Tweedy

Signed on behalf and with consent from the above trustees.

Lacey Langridge: 

04/08/2025.

Feed the Community : Registered charity 1198636

Charity Name Feed the community		No (if any) 1198636		CC16a
Receipts and payments accounts				
For the period from	Period start date 26.10.23	To	Period end date 25.10.24	

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations, legacies and grants	-	10,730	-	10,730	-
Fundraising	21,066	-	-	21,066	-
refunds recieved	450	-	-	450	-
petty cash	1,424	-	-	1,424	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	22,940	10,730	-	33,670	-
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	22,940	10,730	-	33,670	-

A3 Payments

cost of fundraising events	525			525	-
rent/hire	2,685			2,685	-
maintenance	3,843			3,843	-
utilities/annual costs	1,107			1,107	-
membership/subscriptions		808		808	-
transport	1,490			1,490	-
stock	13,334	8,697		22,031	-
charitable activity		1,949		1,949	-
other	123			123	-
Sub total	23,107	11,454	-	34,561	-

A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)

	-	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-

Total payments	23,107	11,454	-	34,561	-
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Net of receipts/(payments)	- 168	- 724	-	- 892	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	-	-	-	-	-
Cash funds this year end	- 168	- 724	-	- 892	-

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	current account	- 1,592	- 724	-

B2 Other monetary assets

B3 Investment assets

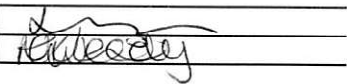
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use

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B5 Liabilities

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

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	LACEY LANGRIDGE	22/08/25
	Nicole Perrin-Tweedy	22/08/25



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees

Charity Name

FEED THE COMMUNITY

On accounts for the year
ended

2024 October

Charity no
(if any)

1198636

Set out on pages

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 25 October 2024.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent
examiner's statement

[The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of [insert name of applicable listed body]]. Delete [] if not applicable.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination (~~other than that disclosed below~~*) 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
- 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 no concerns and 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.

* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:

Date:

22/08/25

Name:

LINDA WHITE

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):

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Address:

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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern
(see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and
guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of
any items that the
examiner wishes to
disclose.

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