BRIDGE FOR UKRAINIANS

Registered Charity No.: 1212450

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The Trustees present their report along with the financial statements of BRIDGE for Ukrainians ("BRIDGE" or "the Charity") for the period 10 March 2025 to 31 March 2026. The Charity is eligible to prepare its financial statements on a receipts and payments basis. The financial statements comply with the Charity's constitution and applicable law.

Objectives and activities

The objective of BRIDGE for Ukrainians is to promote social inclusion and integration for Ukrainians living in Ealing and surrounding areas and to relieve needs arising from displacement, including through mental health support, signposting and community activities.

During the reporting period, BRIDGE was primarily volunteer-led and delivered community support and activities designed to reduce isolation, support integration and strengthen wellbeing. The financial records identify programme activity including a Movie Club, day trips and Ivana Kupala activities, together with related programme delivery costs.

Achievements and performance

BRIDGE established and developed its local community programme during its first year of operation. Activities were delivered with a focus on reducing isolation, strengthening community connections and supporting the wellbeing and integration of Ukrainians living in Ealing and surrounding areas.

During the reporting period, BRIDGE received grants from Ealing Council via EHCVS of £1,884.14 on 16 October 2025 and £2,470.00 on 23 January 2026. These funds supported programme and activity costs during the year.

Financial Review

The Charity's accounts have been prepared on a receipts and payments basis. Total receipts for the period were £4,356.05, comprising £4,354.14 of grants from Ealing Council via EHCVS and £1.91 of bank interest. Total payments were £1,625.66, of which £1,600.66 related to programme and activity costs and £25.00 to bank and administration fees. The resulting net movement in funds was a surplus of £2,730.39.

At 31 March 2026, the Charity held £2,730.39 in its CAF Bank account. No liabilities were identified from the supplied financial records. The £19,600 grant from the National Lottery Community Fund, received in May 2026, falls after the reporting period and is therefore not included in these accounts.

Reserves policy

The Charity has no fixed commitments and, therefore, it is not considered necessary to hold any specific level of reserves. Monies are only allocated to projects after the funds have been raised. It is the policy of the Charity to determine that the total of funds committed will never exceed the funds held.

The Trustees review the Charity's funds against planned programme activity and ongoing administrative costs. At 31 March 2026, the Charity had cash funds of £2,730.39 and no identified liabilities. The Trustees consider the level of funds held as part of their ongoing financial oversight.

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Structure, governance and management

BRIDGE for Ukrainians is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) , registered on 10 March 2025. The Charity is governed by a written constitution dated 7 March 2025. During the reporting period, the organisation was primarily volunteer-led, with Trustees overseeing the Charity's activities, finances and governance.

Trustees

The Trustees during the reporting period were all people with the lived experience of refugees and are listed below:

Olena Horkovenko (Chair)

Gloriia Darling

Khrystyna Henko

Mykola Bochko

Nataliia Meduna

Nataliia Vengeruk

Hanna Mykolaienko

Myroslava Mazur

Yanina Ustinova

Yuta Shmitel

Risks

Internal risks are minimised by the implementation of formal procedures for the authorisation of all transactions and projects. Budgeting and expenditure control of events are formulated so that there is an excess of income over expenditure for each fundraising event. To reduce exposure to risk, monies are only committed to projects after the funds have been raised, never in anticipation.

Reference and administrative details

Charity name	BRIDGE for Ukrainians
Charity number	1212450
Legal form	Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) – Foundation
Registered office	45 Colin Gardens, London, NW9 6EL
Registration date	10 March 2025
Accounting period	10 March 2025 to 31 March 2026

Bank: Charities Aid Foundation (CAF Bank)

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Responsibilities of the Trustees

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the annual report and accounts in accordance with the Charity's governing document and applicable charity law and reporting requirements. They are also responsible for maintaining adequate accounting records and safeguarding the Charity's assets.

The Trustees confirm that, in preparing these accounts, they have taken reasonable steps to ensure that the financial information presented is supported by the Charity's accounting records and bank statements.

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Approved by the Trustees and signed on their behalf by:

Name: Olena Horkovenko

Role: Chair of Trustees

Signature: Olena Horkovenko

Date: 09 / 23 / 2026

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RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

For the period 10 March 2025 to 31 March 2026

Receipts	2025/26 (£)	Payments	2025/26 (£)
Ealing Council via EHCVS – grant 16 Oct 2025	1,884.14	Programme/activity costs	1,600.66
Ealing Council via EHCVS – grant 23 Jan 2026	2,470.00	Bank and administration fees	25.00
Bank interest	1.91	**Total payments**	1,625.66
Total receipts	4,356.05	**Net movement in funds**	2,730.39

Statement of assets and liabilities at 31 March 2026

CAF Bank cash balance	£2,730.39
Total assets	**£2,730.39**
Liabilities identified from supplied records	£0.00
Net assets	**£2,730.39**

Notes to the Receipts & Payments Account

1. The accounts have been prepared on a receipts and payments basis.

2. The accounting period runs from 10 March 2025, the Charity's registration date, to 31 March 2026.

3. The financial records supplied show two Ealing Council grants received during the reporting period, together with bank interest.

4. The closing CAF Bank balance at 31 March 2026 was £2,730.39. The supplied records identify no liabilities at that date.

5. The £19,600 National Lottery Community Fund grant received in May 2026 is outside the reporting period and has not been included in the 2025/26 receipts.

6. The supplied receipts and payments schedule identifies programme activity including Movie Club, day trips and Ivana Kupala, together with related programme and administration costs.

7. These draft accounts do not constitute an independent examiner's report. Any independent examination required by the applicable Charity Commission requirements should be completed before finalisation.

Approval

These accounts were approved by the Trustees and authorised for issue on: _____

Name: _____

Role: Chair of Trustees

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Independent examiner's report
to the trustees of
BRIDGE for Ukrainians

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of BRIDGE of Ukrainians ("the BRIDGE") for the period ended 31 March, 2026.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the BRIDGE 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 BRIDGE'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

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do 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.

Signed: 

Name: Ganna Abdulakh

Relevant professional qualification or membership of professional bodies:

CFA Institute (Chartered Financial Analyst Institute)

Address: 4 Ardwick Road, London, NW2 2BX

Date: 3 September, 2026