

Point and Sandwich Development Trust

Scotland · Charity number SC041048

Details

Known as	Point and Sandwich Trust
Status	Active
Legal form	Company (the charity is registered with Companies House)
Registered	2009-11-23
Register	View on the OSCR register

Contact

Address	The Old School Knock Point Isle of Lewis HS2 0BW
Website	http://www.pointandsandwick.co.uk/

Activities

Activities: 'It makes grants, donations, loans, gifts or pensions to individuals','It makes grants, donations or gifts to organisations','It carries out activities or services itself'

Purposes: 'the prevention or relief of poverty','the advancement of education','the advancement of citizenship or community development','the advancement of the arts, heritage, culture or science','the provision of recreational facilities, or the organisation of recreational activities, with the object of improving the conditions of life for the persons for whom the facilities or activities are primarily intended','the advancement of environmental protection or improvement','the relief of those in need by reason of age, ill-health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage'

What the charity does: Point and Sandwich Trust is a charitable organisation based in the Outer Hebrides that uses the income of community generated wind power to support local social, cultural, educational and environmental development. The Trust built and operates the UK's biggest community wind farm and has been recognised as leading the way in community renewable energy. Funding projects of all sizes, the Trust provides significant support within the crofting communities of Point and Sandwich on the Isle of Lewis, and the wider Western Isles.

Beneficiaries: 'Older People','People with disabilities or health problems','No specific group, or for the benefit of the community','Other charities or voluntary bodies'

Objectives: The Company's object is to promote the social, educational, cultural and environmental wellbeing of the people of the Western Isles and in particular the residents of the areas known as Point and

Sandwick i.e. the area otherwise known as Sandwick and the Eye Peninsula and for the purposes hereof defined as comprising the whole area from and including North Street in the west to Tiumpthead in the East and by all or any of the following means:- (i) the promotion of community development, including rural regeneration, following principles of sustainable development, where 'sustainable development' means development which meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs. (ii) the provision of assistance to people who are disadvantaged by reason of age, ill-health, disability, financial or other disadvantage. (iii) the promotion of education, including all forms of training for work and life skills. (iii) the advancement of the arts, culture and heritage, including support for the Gaelic arts and the protection of buildings and sites of architectural or historic importance. (iv) the provision and support of recreational activities for the community, especially for disadvantaged or vulnerable groups, such as young people or the disabled. (v) the protection and enhancement of the natural heritage and environment. (vi) the relief of poverty in such ways as may be thought fit.

Geography

- **Main operating location:** Western Isles
- **Geographical spread:** Wider, but within one local authority area

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-05-31	£3,957,675	£3,664,957	-	4
2024-05-31	£3,091,409	£3,794,071	-	3
2023-05-31	£4,923,678	£3,124,642	-	3
2022-05-31	£4,849,738	£2,137,495	-	2
2021-05-31	£1,524,074	£3,227,500	-	2