# STRATHERRICK AND FOYERS COMMUNITY TRUST LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT AND UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

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#### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

**Directors** Miss M M Brown

Ms C Fraser
Mr C Gehrke
Mr G Jones
Ms M McGuire
Mr K N Sinclair
Mrs S Greer
Mr M Stewart
Mr M Sutherland
Mr C Lightbody

(Appointed 29 November 2023)

**Secretary** A9 Accountancy Limited

Company number SC270423

Registered office The Wildside Centre

Whitebridge Inverness Scotland IV2 6UN

**Accountants** A9 Accountancy Limited

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#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

The directors present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2024.

#### Principal activities

The principal activity of the company continued to be that of a community trust.

#### **Directors**

The directors who held office during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements were as follows:

Ms K Balfour (Resigned 29 November 2023)

Miss M M Brown

Ms C Fraser

Mr C Gehrke

Mr G Jones

Ms M McGuire

Mr K N Sinclair

Mrs S Greer

Mr M Stewart

Mr M Sutherland

Mr C Lightbody (Appointed 29 November 2023)

#### Small companies exemption

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

On behalf of the board

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# REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS ON THE PREPARATION OF THE UNAUDITED STATUTORY ACCOUNTS OF STRATHERRICK AND FOYERS COMMUNITY TRUST LIMITED

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the financial statements of Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited for the year ended 30 June 2024 which comprise the income and expenditure account, the balance sheet, the statement of changes in equity and the related notes from the company's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of the ICAS we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at https://icas.com/icas-framework-preparation-of-accounts.

This report is made solely to the Board of Directors of Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the financial statements of Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of Directors of Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited, as a body, in this report in accordance with the requirements of the ICAS as detailed at <a href="https://icas.com/icas-framework-preparation-of-accounts">https://icas.com/icas-framework-preparation-of-accounts</a>. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited and its Board of Directors as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and surplus of Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited. You consider that Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the financial statements of Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory financial statements.

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# INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	2024	2023
	£	£
Income	-	-
Administrative expenses	(657,407)	(470,211)
Other operating income	905,560	821,364
Operating surplus	248,153	351,153
Interest receivable and similar income	(14,823)	18,911
Surplus before taxation	233,330	370,064
Tax on surplus	(3,457)	(1,687)
Surplus for the financial year	229,873	368,377
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The income and expenditure account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

### **BALANCE SHEET**

#### **AS AT 30 JUNE 2024**

		20	2023			
	Notes	£	£	£	£	
Fixed assets						
Tangible assets	4		1,234,371		742,803	
Investments	5		1,056,713		1,026,731	
			2,291,084		1,769,534	
Current assets						
Debtors	6	263,332		453,463		
Cash at bank and in hand		778,712		853,266		
		1,042,044		1,306,729		
Creditors: amounts falling due within						
one year	7	(396,779)		(369,787)		
Net current assets			645,265		936,942	
Net assets			2,936,349		2,706,476	
Reserves						
Income and expenditure account			2,936,349		2,706,476	
Members' funds			2,936,349		2,706,476	

For the financial year ended 30 June 2024 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.



Company registration number SC270423 (Scotland)

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	Income and expenditure £
Balance at 1 July 2022	2,338,099
Year ended 30 June 2023: Surplus and total comprehensive income	368,377
Balance at 30 June 2023	2,706,476
Year ended 30 June 2024: Surplus and total comprehensive income	229,873
Balance at 30 June 2024	2,936,349

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

#### 1 Accounting policies

#### **Company information**

Stratherrick And Foyers Community Trust Limited is a private company limited by guarantee incorporated in Scotland. The registered office is The Wildside Centre, Whitebridge, Inverness, Scotland, IV2 6UN.

#### 1.1 Accounting convention

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" ("FRS 102") and the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime. The disclosure requirements of section 1A of FRS 102 have been applied other than where additional disclosure is required to show a true and fair view.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the company. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

The company transitioned from FRS 105 to FRS 102 - 1A effective 1 July 2023. There are no transitional adjustments required as a result in this change of accounting framework.

#### 1.2 Income and expenditure

Income and expenses are included in the financial statements as they become receivable or due.

Expenses include VAT where applicable as the company cannot reclaim it.

#### 1.3 Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost or valuation, net of depreciation and any impairment losses.

Depreciation is recognised so as to write off the cost or valuation of assets less their residual values over their useful lives on the following bases:

Freehold land and buildings Property 2% straight line basis, land not depreciated

Other tangible assets 10% to 20% straight line basis Equipment 25% reducing balance basis

The gain or loss arising on the disposal of an asset is determined as the difference between the sale proceeds and the carrying value of the asset, and is credited or charged to surplus or deficit.

#### 1.4 Impairment of fixed assets

At each reporting period end date, the company reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

#### 1.5 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are basic financial assets and include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

#### 1 Accounting policies

(Continued)

#### 1.6 Financial instruments

The company has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised in the company's balance sheet when the company becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset, with the net amounts presented in the financial statements, when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

#### Basic financial assets

Basic financial assets, which include debtors and cash and bank balances, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial assets classified as receivable within one year are not amortised.

#### Classification of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities and equity instruments are classified according to the substance of the contractual arrangements entered into. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

#### Basic financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including creditors, bank loans, loans from fellow group companies and preference shares that are classified as debt, are initially recognised at transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial liabilities classified as payable within one year are not amortised.

Debt instruments are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. Amounts payable are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less. If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities. Trade creditors are recognised initially at transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

#### 1.7 Taxation

The company is exempt from corporation tax, it being a company not carrying on a business for the purposes of making a profit. The exception to this is income derived from investments.

#### 1.8 Employee benefits

The costs of short-term employee benefits are recognised as a liability and an expense, unless those costs are required to be recognised as part of the cost of stock or fixed assets.

The cost of any unused holiday entitlement is recognised in the period in which the employee's services are received.

Termination benefits are recognised immediately as an expense when the company is demonstrably committed to terminate the employment of an employee or to provide termination benefits.

#### 1.9 Retirement benefits

Payments to defined contribution retirement benefit schemes are charged as an expense as they fall due.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

#### 2 Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the company's accounting policies, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated 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 ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised where the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods where the revision affects both current and future periods.

#### 3 Employees

The average monthly number of persons (including directors) employed by the company during the year was:

				2024 Number	2023 Number
	Total			14	10
4	Tangible fixed assets				
		Freehold land and buildings	Other tangible assets	Equipment	Total
		£	£	£	£
	Cost				
	At 1 July 2023	695,694	20,592	108,293	824,579
	Additions	479,252	42,264	10,330	531,846
	Disposals	-	-	(2,147)	(2,147)
	At 30 June 2024	1,174,946	62,856	116,476	1,354,278
	Depreciation and impairment				
	At 1 July 2023	25,606	686	55,484	81,776
	Depreciation charged in the year	22,025	2,726	14,621	39,372
	Eliminated in respect of disposals	-	-	(1,241)	(1,241)
	At 30 June 2024	47,631	3,412	68,864	119,907
	Carrying amount				
	At 30 June 2024	1,127,315	59,444	47,612	1,234,371
	At 30 June 2023	670,088	19,906	52,809	742,803
5	Fixed asset investments				
	r inou usset investments			2024 £	2023 £
	Other investments other than loans			1,056,713	1,026,731
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

5	Fixed asset investments		(Continued)
	Movements in fixed asset investments		Investments £
	Cost or valuation At 1 July 2023 Additions Disposals		1,026,731 384,320 (354,338)
	At 30 June 2024		1,056,713
	Carrying amount At 30 June 2024		1,056,713
	At 30 June 2023		1,026,731
6	Debtors		
	Amounts falling due within one year:	2024 £	2023 £
	Other debtors	263,332 ————	453,463
7	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2024	2023
		£	£
	Taxation and social security Other creditors	4,533 392,246	3,574 366,213
		396,779	369,787

#### 8 Members' liability

The company is limited by guarantee, not having a share capital and consequently the liability of members is limited, subject to an undertaking by each member to contribute to the net assets or liabilities of the company on winding up such amounts as may be required not exceeding £1.

#### 9 Restricted funds

The bank balance at the year end includes funds of £113,972.59 relating to the Glendoe Fund, £104,647.77 relating to the Dunmaglass Fund and £322,766.21 relating to the Stronelairg Fund. These are restricted funds provided by SSE in relation to a grant scheme for the benefit of residents within the Stratherrick and Foyers Community Council Area.

# STRATHERRICK AND FOYERS COMMUNITY TRUST LIMITED MANAGEMENT INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

# DETAILED INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	2024 £	2024 £	2023 £	2023 £
Income		-		-
Other operating income				
Donations and grants	903,829		820,263	
Other operating income	1,731		1,101 ———	
		905,560		821,364
Administrative expenses				
Wages and salaries	203,708		153,892	
Social security costs	6,508		4,595	
Staff training	1,218		1,541	
Staff pension costs defined contribution	12,484		10,115	
Rent	110		106	
Rates	3,045		6,647	
Power, light and heat	14,825		10,902	
Repairs and maintenance	62,661		7,705	
Insurance	3,818		1,859	
Computer running costs	7,277		5,533	
Hire of equipment	869		783	
Motor running expenses	8,021		2,755	
Professional subscriptions	1,510		1,104	
Legal and professional fees	95,421		72,057	
Accountancy	514		4,667	
Bank charges	576		447	
Printing and stationery	3,160		2,144	
Advertising	9,511		11,043	
Telecommunications	8,021		7,658	
Sundry expenses	3,754		2,048	
Grants paid out	130,422		110,025	
Events costs	39,696		27,528	
Depreciation	39,372		25,057	
Profit or loss on sale of tangible assets (non exceptional)	906		-	
		(657,407)		(470,211
Operating surplus		 248,153		351,153
Operating surplus		240,133		331,133
Interest receivable and similar income				
Bank interest received	16,929		8,868	
Interest received on financial investments	1,267		11	
Gains/(Losses) on financial investments	(39,828)		-	
Dividends from financial investments	6,809		10,032	
		(14,823)		18,911
Surplus before taxation		233,330		370,064