



Charity Commission Annual Return 2016

SOMERSET CHURCHES TOGETHER

Charity registration number: 1133175

31 October 2017 Deadline

Most of the information you give in this form will become publicly available on the Register of Charities. Any field that the Charity Commission will not display will be clearly marked.

This document is a record of the information provided in the Annual Return 2016.

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PART A - Charity information

Financial period

Financial period start date

01/01/2016

Financial period end date

31/12/2016

When is your next financial period end date after this one?

31/12/2017

Income and spending

Income £

£19,000

Spending £

£21,000

Operating outside England and Wales

Did your charity operate outside England and Wales during the financial period covered by this annual return?

No, the charity did not operate outside England and Wales in this financial period

Charity governance

How many UK volunteers, excluding trustees, did the charity have during this financial period?

0

Does your charity own or lease any land or buildings?

No, the charity does not own or lease any land or buildings

We currently have no active linked (subsidiary or constituent) charities associated with this charity. If this is incorrect please see our guidance on linking charities for administrative purposes.

Policies

Does the charity have a risk management policy?

Yes

Does the charity have a written investment policy?

Not applicable

Does the charity have a written safeguarding policy?

Not applicable

Does the charity have a conflict of interest policy?

Not applicable

Does the charity have a policy for managing volunteers?

Not applicable

Does the charity have written policies in handling complaints?

Not applicable

Does the charity have written policies on paying staff?

Yes

Has your charity reviewed its financial controls during the reporting year?

Yes, your charity has reviewed its financial controls during the reporting year

Regulators

Is your charity regulated by any of the following regulator(s) and/or registered with any of the following registrars?

No

Please tick any organisations in the following list which you are registered with or regulated by

Finance and funding

During the financial period of this annual return, how much did the charity receive from:

Contracts from central or local government to deliver services £

£0

Grants from central or local government £

£0

Does your charity raise funds from the public?

No, the charity does not raise funds from the public

Was your charity recognised by HMRC for Gift Aid during the last 12 months?

No, the charity was not recognised by HMRC for Gift Aid

Does the charity have a trading subsidiary?

No, the charity does not have a trading subsidiary

Is grant making the main way your charity carries out its purposes?

No, grant making is not the main way the charity carries out its purposes

Does the charity pay one or more of its trustees for acting as a trustee of the charity?

No, the charity does not pay any trustees for acting as a trustee of the charity

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Any information you give us will be held securely and processed only in accordance with the rules on data protection. We will not disclose your personal details to anyone unconnected to the Charity Commission unless:

- you have consented to their release; or
- we are legally obliged to disclose them; or
- we regard disclosure as either (a) necessary so that we can properly carry out our statutory functions or (b) necessary in the public interest.

We may share and disclose information about you with relevant public authorities, regulatory bodies and agencies, outside the Charity Commission but only if:

- we can lawfully do so; and
- we decide that disclosure is necessary for national security, crime detection, prevention, and law enforcement, or other issues in the public interest

Information we collect about you

We will use this information:

To enable us to carry out our statutory functions and duties;

This will include the following actions:

- (a) update, consolidate, and improve the accuracy of our records;
- (b) undertake crime detection and prevention and law enforcement and assist the third parties specified above to investigate or prevent crime and carry out law enforcement;
- (c) data analysis, testing, research, statistical and survey purposes

Information we receive from other sources.

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We may combine this information with information you give to us and information we collect about you. We may use this information and the combined information for the purposes set out above (depending on the types of information we receive).

We will ensure that any such disclosure and use is proportionate; considers your right to respect for your private life; and is done fairly and lawfully in accordance with the data protection principles of the Data Protection Act.

The Data Protection Act 1998 regulates the use of 'personal data', which is essentially any information, however stored, about identifiable living individuals. As a 'data controller' under the Act, the Charity Commission must comply with it.

Any changes we may make to our privacy statement in the future will be set out in the replacement version of this form. Please check back frequently to see any updates or changes to our privacy policy.

Declaration

This annual return has not been submitted and no Declaration has been made

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