



North Devon Liberal Democrats Accounts for the Year Ended 31st December 2023

Registered Address: 1 Vincent Square, London, SW1P 2PN

Elected Representatives

2 Councillors on Devon County Council
22 Councillors on North Devon Council

Responsible Officers

For the purposes of the Political Parties Elections Referendums Act 2000, the responsible officers are:

<u>Names</u>	<u>Position</u>
Helen Walker	Chair
Peter Leaver	Treasurer

Branches

The North Devon Liberal Democrats are responsible for 1 branches
Income received and expenditure incurred by those branches have been included in these accounts.

Accounting Notes

This statement of accounts uses cash accounting method.

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Income Overview

Income is mainly from donations.

Expenditure Overview

The majority of expenditure has been on campaigning costs related to the district council elections.

Balance Sheet Overview

There has been a small increase in reserves as income slightly higher than expenditure.

Overview of Political Activities

We campaigned in local elections in 2023 and in preparation for the 2024 general election

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Income and Expenditure Account

	Note	2023	2022
<u>Income</u>			
Membership	1	£1,493.05	£295.40
Affiliations	2	£0.00	£0.00
Donations	3	£32,791.13	£12,482.69
Branch income	4	£75.87	£135.53
Fundraising income	5	£2,474.49	£111.40
Investment income	6	£156.66	£26.90
Transfers in	7	£0.00	£3,382.06
Property & rental income / Office services	8	£84.31	£310.00
Miscellaneous	9	£0.00	£0.00
Total income		£37,075.51	£16,743.98
<u>Expenditure</u>			
Premises	-	£1,070.46	£413.00
Office & admin costs	-	£2,096.45	£1,166.73
Branch expenditure	4	£0.00	£68.00
Staff costs	10	£8,278.31	£0.00
Transfers out	7	£260.00	£48.00
Campaigning costs	-	£21,445.44	£8,859.96
Fundraising costs	5	£2,326.00	£490.88
Financing charges and Taxation	11	£0.00	£7.90
Depreciation	12	£0.00	£0.00
(Profit) / loss on sale of assets	15	£0.00	£0.00
Miscellaneous	9	£0.00	£0.00
Total expenditure		£35,476.66	£11,054.47
(Deficit) / surplus		£1,598.85	£5,689.51

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Balance Sheet

	Note	2023	2022
<u>Fixed Assets</u>			
Property	12	£0.00	£0.00
Fixtures and fittings	12	£0.00	£0.00
Office equipment	12	£0.00	£0.00
Investments	6	£0.00	£0.00
Total fixed assets		£0.00	£0.00
<u>Current Assets</u>			
Cash in hand and at bank	6	£32,478.19	£30,879.34
Stock	13	£0.00	£0.00
Debtors and Prepayments	14	£0.00	£0.00
Total current assets		£32,478.19	£30,879.34
<u>Liabilities</u>			
Creditors and Accruals	-	£0.00	£0.00
Loans outstanding	15	£0.00	£0.00
Total liabilities		£0.00	£0.00
<u>Total Net Assets / (Liabilities)</u>		£32,478.19	£30,879.34
<u>Reserves</u>			
Accumulated fund at the start of the year		£30,879.34	£25,189.83
Transfers between accumulated fund and other funds		£0.00	£0.00
Deficit / surplus		£1,598.85	£5,689.51
Accumulated fund at the end of the year		£32,478.19	£30,879.34
Asset Revaluation Reserve		£0.00	£0.00
Other funds		£0.00	£0.00
Total reserves		£32,478.19	£30,879.34

Notes to the Accounts

Membership fees received via the central party

2023	2022
£1,493.05	£295.40

Note 2: Affiliations

There were no affiliation fees

2023	2022
£0.00	£0.00

Note 3: Donations

Cash and cash equivalent donations

Notional / Donations in Kind

Total Donations

2023	2022
£32,791.13	£12,482.69
£0.00	£0.00
£32,791.13	£12,482.69

Note 4: Branch Income and Expenditure

Chittlehampton

2023		2022	
Income	Expenses	Income	Expenses
£75.87		£135.53	£68.00

Note 5: Fundraising Income and Expenditure

Fundraising in the year included annual dinner

Note 6: Investment Income

Bank accounts

Investments

2023		2022	
Year-end balance	Income received	Year-end balance	Income received
£32,478.19	£156.66	£30,879.34	£26.90
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00

Note 7: Transfers

From / to Liberal Democrat regional/state/central parties

From / to other Liberal Democrat local parties

Internal transfers between branches and accounting unit

From / to other Liberal Democrat accounting units

2023	
Incoming	Outgoing
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£260.00
£0.00	£260.00

Note 8: Property and rental income / Office services

Rent received

Other services income

2023	2022
£0.00	£0.00
£84.31	£310.00
£84.31	£310.00

Note 9: Miscellaneous Income / Expenditure

2023		2022	
Income	Expense	Income	Expense
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00

Note 10: Salary Costs

Salary costs
Employer's National Insurance and Pension costs
Training costs

Number of staff

2023	2022
£7,425.65	£0.00
£852.66	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£8,278.31	£0.00
1	0

Note 11: Financing Charges and Taxation

Bank charges
Interest charged
Taxation charged

2023	2022
£0.00	£7.90
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£7.90

Note 12: Fixed Assets

Value at start of year
Additions
Disposals
Revaluations
Depreciation
Value at end of year

Property	Fixtures & Fittings	Equipment	Total
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00

Note 13: Stock

Opening balance
Movements: Increase
Movements: Decrease
Closing balance

2023	2022
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00

Note 14: Debtors and Prepayments

Prepayments
Debtors

£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00

Note 15: Loans

Outstanding at start of year
Capital repayments
New loans

2023	2022
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00

Note 16: Profit / (Loss) on Disposal of Assets

No assets were disposed of during the year

Book value at disposal	Sale Proceeds	Profit / (Loss) on Disposal
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00

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Declaration

I confirm that the above statement of accounts has been prepared in accordance with guidance issued by the Electoral Commission and is correct to my knowledge.

In addition I confirm that these accounts have been approved by the executive committee of North Devon Liberal Democrats.

Signature:

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Name: Peter Leaver

Position: Treasurer

Date: 28/2/24

Signature:

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Name: Helen Walker

Position: Chair

Date: 28/2/24