



# Humber and Wolds Rural Action

## Annual Review

2017 to 2018



Voluntary and Community Sector (VCS) Partnership structures established: East Riding VCS network and North Lincolnshire Health and Social Care Alliance. Representing the VCS on North Lincolnshire Clinical Commissioning Group Patient and Community Assurance Group (PCAG) and East Riding of Yorkshire Integrated Better Care Programme Board (iBCF)

North Lincolnshire Voluntary Car Service passenger registrations increase by 216% to 540 with 7,768 passenger journeys completed

The Voluntary Car Service is rolled out across North East Lincolnshire and a community transport forum created to develop partnership working



North East Lincolnshire Wheels to Work scheme assisted 16 people to access work and as a result reduce dependence on benefits. Successes also included Wheels to Work users increasing their working hours and gaining permanent employment

Fleet size increased from 10 to 12 and offered a wider range of transport options including e-cycle, 49cc and 110cc scooters



19 Shedders joined Withernsea Men in Sheds with 9 attending on a regular basis providing space for 'tinkering, talking and tea'. Winterton Men in Sheds find a home and open for 'business'

25 participants are supported by Action Towards Inclusion Keyworkers to move further towards employment which is made more difficult by living in a rural area. Intervention opportunities included volunteering, work experience, training, business development and self-employment



The Village Halls Advisory Service continues to respond to a range of enquiries including health and safety, risk assessments, fire protection, trustee recruitment, governance, Hire Agreements, website, funding, Charity Commission returns etc.

Providing support to the East Riding Association of Rural Community Buildings (ERA of RCB) and building up relationships with village halls in North Lincolnshire and North East Lincolnshire

Assisting and assessing Hallmark, the quality standard scheme for village halls and other rural community buildings

8 communities took up the opportunity to investigate local housing needs through the Community Led Housing programme including research into Co-Housing development, potential for a green Co-Housing project and buildings refurbishment initiatives

The 160 East Riding Bulk Oil Buying Co-operative members saved an average of £45.36 per 500 litre order. North Lincolnshire Bulk Oil Buying Co-operative saved an average £32.95 per 500 litre order for its 29 members



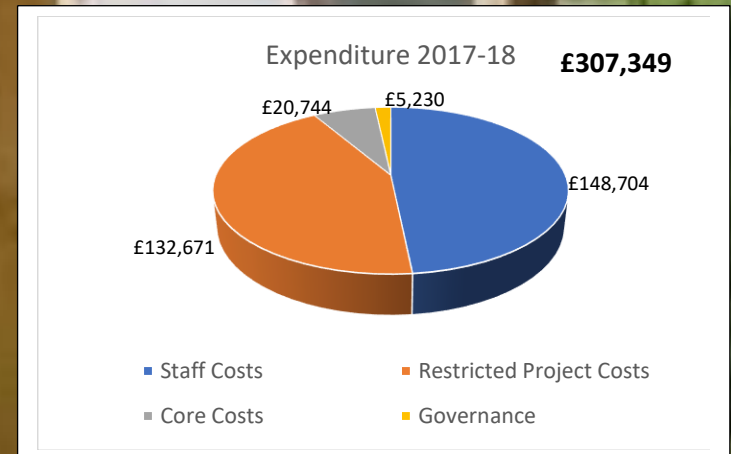
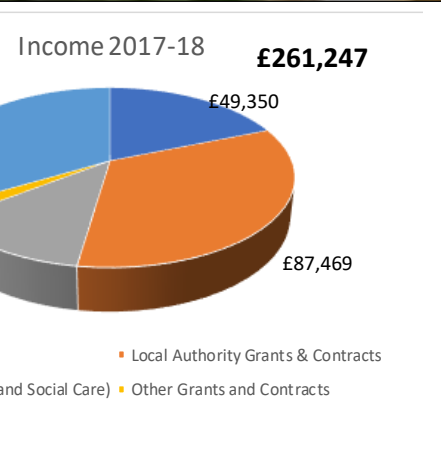
### Income and Expenditure 2017 - 2018

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