



Social Value Report

2023/24

for Corporate Patron



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Registered Charity in England and Wales No. 1054107



CRASH charity unites the construction industry by channelling the professional expertise, products and donations of our Corporate Patrons.

As a Corporate Patron, **London Building Control** underpins every project CRASH charity undertakes. We simply could not continue our vital work across the UK, with homelessness charities and hospices, without your generous donations, practical support and fundraising.

Throughout the year, CRASH records the value of all your contributions, be they financial donations, professional expertise or products donated. This report offers a breakdown of your involvement with CRASH and examples of what this means to the lives of vulnerable homeless people, and children and adults with life-limiting conditions.

How to use this information:

Your Social Value Report can be incorporated into your company's social value strategy, to demonstrate how corporate patronage of CRASH charity helps you to deliver social value and impact economically, socially and environmentally. You can use this information when bidding for contracts as part of your company's social value profile. You can also use the information in communications to inspire employees, attract and retain graduates and inform stakeholders. All completed construction projects are listed in this report and in CRASH's annual statutory accounts.



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Thanks to London Building Control, CRASH has helped **44** homelessness and hospice projects during April 2023 – March 2024.

Leaving a legacy in the communities where we work and live that will help men, women and children for years to come.

CRASH provided professional expertise, products and grants totalling **£783,993** to help homelessness charities and hospices with life changing building projects.

£291,842

**PROFESSIONAL
EXPERTISE**

donated.

£56,966

**CONSTRUCTION
PRODUCTS**

donated or discounted.

£435,185

GRANTS

made possible through Corporate Patron donations and fundraisings.



All figures based on CRASH accounts for the financial period April 2023 – March 2024



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The homelessness charities and hospices CRASH has helped from April 2023 – March 2024, with the generous support of all our Corporate Patrons:

Homelessness charities:

- All People All Places, London
- Amazing Grace Spaces, Newport
- Emmaus Bolton, Bolton
- Emmaus Bradford, Bradford
- Emmaus Brighton, Brighton
- Emmaus Gloucestershire, Gloucester
- Emmaus Greenwich, London
- Emmaus Hertfordshire, St Albans
- Emmaus Merseyside, Liverpool
- Emmaus Oxford, Oxford
- Emmaus South Lambeth, London
- Homeless Oxfordshire, Oxford
- Kairos Community Trust, London
- London City Mission, London
- Maggs Day Centre, Worcester
- St Wilfrid's Centre, Sheffield
- The Manna, London
- The Open Door, Taunton
- The Porch, Oxford

- Waltham Forest Churches Nightshelter, London
- Winchester Nightshelter, Winchester
- Your Place, London

Hospices:

- Bury Hospice, Bury
- Forget Me Not Children's Hospice, Huddersfield
- Greenwich & Bexley Community Hospice, London
- Helen & Douglas House Hospice, Oxford
- Herriot Hospice, Harrogate
- Hospice UK, London
- Lewis Manning Hospice Care, Poole
- St Barnabas Hospice, Sussex
- St Christopher's Hospice, London
- St Giles Hospice, Lichfield
- St Mary's Hospice, Cumbria
- Phyllis Tuckwell Hospice, Surrey
- The Prince of Wales Hospice, Pontefract
- The Shakespeare Hospice, Stratford-upon-Avon
- Wigan and Leigh Hospice, Wigan



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London Building Control provided donations and professional expertise totalling **£10,600** from Sep 23 – Aug 24.

£10,100 of corporate donations:

- Corporate Patron donation
- Christmas Card Appeal

£500 of prize sponsorship:

- The Construction Industry Dragon Boat Challenge
- VolkerFitzpatrick Paul Lane Memorial Golf Day



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London Building Control was awarded **Corporate Patron of the Month** in May 2024 for generous raffle prize sponsorship.



The sponsorship of two John Lewis vouchers helped to raise vital donations at The Construction Industry Dragon Boat Challenge & VolkerFitzpatrick's Paul Lane Memorial Golf Day



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CGI of bereavement support room



CGI of finished support hub

Herriot Hospice – **£42,855** of support

Herriot Hospice Homecare provide hospice at home services including clinical and complimentary therapies, counselling and bereavement support for adults and children in the two rural districts of North Yorkshire. They applied to CRASH for help transforming the former cottage hospital in Thrisk into Herriot Hospice at the Lambert, a modern hospice building that will offer in-patient care to these rural communities for the first time.

CRASH Corporate Patrons collaborated to reconfigure the space; Herriot Hospice at the Lambert will make in-patient hospice care accessible in the area for the first time, helping to meet the needs of the local community. The Lambert will also house bereavement support rooms, a café and community hub facility – providing a warm and welcoming place for people to visit and stay.

“ We’re incredibly grateful to CRASH and its corporate patrons and supporters for their generous support for Herriot Hospice. Their Expertise and gifts in kind are helping us ensure we open our doors in early 2024. Without this fantastic support from right across our community, Herriot Hospice wouldn’t be in the place it is now – on the cusp of serving families across Hambleton and Richmondshire. ”

Tony Collins, Chief Executive at Herriot Hospice Homecare

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The Manna – £51,365 of support

The Manna is a day centre in Islington, London that supports people who are marginalised, vulnerable or homeless. With an average of 90 visitors a day, they offer a safe place where people can visit without judgement. Visitors can have a shower and wash their clothes; they can have something to eat and the chance to speak to a friendly face and receive independent advice.

With the help of our Corporate Patron companies, the shower room has been transformed into a clean and easy to maintain space. The new flooring in the main dining area and office area is durable and has removed all trips hazards. New energy efficient lighting has been fitted throughout the hall which has helped to give the space a cheerful lift. And finally, the bespoke colour palette now gives the space the warm cosy feeling it deserves.

“ We approached CRASH seeking help with a shower that was so well-used it had become shabby and not very pleasant and a floor that had pieces missing. CRASH undertook to tackle both these problems. But it didn't stop there! They looked round the building and came up with lots more ideas, things we hadn't really noticed or were reluctant to ask for. A big thank you to all involved , and CRASH who made us feel we were working in partnership rather than being recipients of charity. We now feel much more confident that we can offer our visitors a good standard of facilities and they feel that they matter. ”

Anne Cartwright, Volunteer at The Manna



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Useful links

- [Thank you for supporting CRASH at Christmas](#)
- [London Building Control is Corporate Patron of the Month for May](#)
- [Ready, Set, Row!](#)
- [CRASH delighted to attend Paul Lane Memorial Golf Day as charity partner](#)
- [Making an impact together: CRASH 2023-24 impact figures](#)

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