

Public Statement of Compliance

Public Statement of Compliance with the Governance Code for Community, Voluntary and Charity Organisations in Ireland



Name of organisation: Youth Work Ireland Meath	
Address: Navan, Co. Meath	
wish to state that we have completed the process as set out for a Type B organisation and now comply with the principles and practices of the Governance Code for a three-year period from December 2016 when our Board certified our compliance.	
Principle 1. Leading our organisation We do this by: Agreeing our vision, purpose, mission, values and objectives making sure that they remain relevant; Developing, resourcing, monitoring and evaluating a plan so that our organisation achieves its stated purpose and objectives; Managing, supporting and holding to account staff, volunteers and all who act on behalf of the organisation.	
Principle 2. Exercising control over our organisation We do this by: Identifying and complying with all relevant legal and regulatory requirements; Making sure there are appropriate internal financial and management controls; Identifying major risks for our organisation and deciding ways of managing the risks.	
Principle 3. Being transparent and accountable We do this by: Identifying those who have a legitimate interest in the work of our organisation (stakeholders) and making sure there is regular and effective communication with them about our organisation; Responding to stakeholders' questions or views about the work of our organisation and how we run it; Encouraging and enabling the engagement of those who benefit from our organisation in the planning and decision-making of the organisation.	
Principle 4. Working effectively We do this by: Making sure that our governing body, individual board members, committees, staff and volunteers understand their: role, legal duties, and delegated responsibility for decision-making; Making sure that as a board we exercise our collective responsibility through board meetings that are efficient and effective; Making sure that there is suitable board recruitment, development and retirement processes.	
Principle 5. Behaving with integrity We do this by: Being honest, fair and independent; Understanding, declaring and managing conflicts of interest and conflicts of loyalties; Protecting and promoting our organisation's reputation.	
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Geographic area of operation (1): County Meath	
Nature of work/services (2): Youth Service	
Chairperson name in BLOCK CAPITALS: MARK GOULD	
Signature:	Date of signature: 17/12/16.
Secretary name in BLOCK CAPITALS: SEAN MCDONAGH	
Signature:	Date of signature: 17/12/2016
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Example: Nationwide/ Region/ County or part of/City, or part of/Town. Please name the area. Example: Youth/Environmental/Sport/Residents Association. Please be as specific as possible. 	

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