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Maigne Rivers Trust
(A Company Limited by Guarantee and not having a Share Capital)

Directors Report and Financial Statements

for the financial period from ended 31 December 2020

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Directors and other information

Directors: Thomas Harrington
Catherine Dalton
Rhiannon Sarah Laubach
Sybren Oggel
David Busten
Aidan Gleeson
Veronica Santorum
Michael Donegan (Appointed 10th August 2020)
Mary Fitzgerald (Appointed 10th August 2020)
Kevin Cribbin (Appointed 10th August 2020)
Noreen Ryan (Resigned 18th June 2020)
Edmond John Ryan (Resigned 10th August 2020)
Johanna Carmel Fox (Resigned 10th August 2020)

Company Secretary: Ballyhoura Development CLG

Company Number: 593027

Registered Charity Number (RCN): 20156510

Registered Office: Ballyhoura Centre
Main Street
Kilfinane
Co. Limerick

Accountants: Liston Lonergan Meade
4th & 5th Floor
Cornmarket Square
Limerick

Business address: Ballyhoura Centre
Main Street
Kilfinane
Co. Limerick

Bankers: Allied Irish Bank
Lord Edward Street
Kilmallock
Co. Limerick

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Directors Report
for the financial period from ended 31 December 2020

The directors present their report and unaudited accounts for the financial period to 31 December 2020.

Principal activity and business review

The principal activity of the company is to carry on the business of, to conserve, protect, rehabilitate and improve the rivers, streams, watercourses, lakes, groundwaters and water impoundments of the Maigue River Catchment, including adjacent estuarine and coastal areas, for the advancement of environmental protection or improvement and in the interests of economic, social and ecological sustainability, for the benefit of the public. This will be achieved by delivery of on-the-ground environmental projects, involving stakeholders and volunteers, that monitors the health of the river catchment, and addresses the causes of deterioration through direct investment in improvements and by encouraging behaviour change.

Results

The results for the year are set out on page 5.

Principal risk and uncertainties

The involvement of the directors in the day to day management of the company's cash reserves is adequate to manage the cash flow and liquidity risk that the company faces.

Political Donations

The company did not make any political donations for the year.

Future Developments

The directors are not expected to make any significant changes in the nature of the business in the near future

Events since the year end

There have been no events since the end of the year that would have a material impact on the financial statements as presented.

Directors of the Company

The present membership of the board is listed on the 'Directors and other information' page 1.

Books of Account

The measures taken by the directors to secure compliance with the requirements of sections 281 and 285 of the Companies Act 2014 with regard to the keeping of accounting records are the implementation of necessary policies and procedures for recording transactions, the employment of qualified accounting staff and the maintenance of an effective information management system. The accounting records are maintained at the Registered Office.

This report was approved by the board on 16th August 2021 and signed on its behalf by

Sybren Oggel
Director



Thomas Harrington
Director



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Directors' Responsibilities Statement

The directors made the following statement in respect of the unaudited financial statements.

General Responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Irish law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the Financial Statements in accordance with Companies Act 2014 and accounting standards issued by the Financial Reporting Council, including FRS102 The Financial Reporting Standards applicable in the UK and Ireland (Generally Accepted Accounting Practice in Ireland). Under company law, the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view to the assets, liabilities and financial position of the company as to the financial year end and of the profit or loss of the company for the financial year and otherwise comply with the Companies Act.

In preparing of the Company financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, identify those standards and note the effect and the reasons for any material departure from those standards.

- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for ensuring that the company keeps or causes to be kept adequate accounting records which correctly explain and record the transactions of the company, enable at any time the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss of the company to be determined with reasonable accuracy, enable them to ensure the financial statement and directors report comply with the Companies Act 2014 and enable them to ensure that the financial statements be audited. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The directors are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the Company's website. Legislation in the Republic of Ireland governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

On behalf of the board

Sybren Oggel
Director

16th August 2021



Thomas Harrington
Director



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Accountants' report on the unaudited financial statements of the directors of
Maigue Rivers Trust

You consider that the company is exempt from an audit for the year ended 31st December 2020. You have acknowledged, on the balance sheet, your responsibilities for ensuring that the company has kept adequate accounting records and for to prepare financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the company at the end of the financial year and of its surplus or deficit for such a year under the Companies Act 2014. You consider that the company is exempt from the statutory requirements for an audit for the year.

In accordance with your instructions, we have prepared the financial statements on pages 5& 6 from the accounting records of the company and on the basis of the information and explanations given by you.

We have not carried out an audit or any other review, and consequently we do not express any opinion on these financial statements.

Liston Lonergan Meade
4th & 5th Floor
Cornmarket Square
Limerick

Date: 16th August 2021

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Profit and Loss Account

for the financial period from ended 31 December 2020

	Notes	2020 €	2019 €
Turnover		50,891	69,002
Operating expenses		51,686	67,524
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		- 795	1,478
Tax on ordinary activities		-	-
Loss for the year		- 795	1,478
Retained surplus brought forward		1,834	356
Retained surplus carried forward		<u>1,039</u>	<u>1,834</u>

There are no recognised gains or losses other than for the surplus or loss for the above.

On behalf of the board

Sybren Oggel
Director



Thomas Harrington
Director



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Balance Sheet
as at 31 December 2020

	Notes	2020 €	2019 €
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible Asset	5	2,137	-
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors	6	-	29,921
Cash at bank and in hand		19,857	42
		19,857	29,963
CREDITORS (amount falling due with one year)	4	20,956	28,129
NET CURRENT ASSETS		1,039	1,834
Total assets less current liabilities		1,039	1,834
CREDITORS (amount falling due after more than one year)		-	-
Net assets		1,039	1,834
<u>CAPITAL & RESERVES</u>			
Profit and Loss Account		1,039	1,834

We, as directors of Maigne Rivers Trust, state that :

- (a) the company is availing itself of the exemption provided for by Chapter 15 of Part 6 of the Companies Act 2014,
- (b) the company is availing itself of the exemption on the grounds that the conditions specified in s.358 are satisfied,
- c) no notice on the company under s.334(1) in accordance with s.334(2), been served on the company; and
- (d) the directors acknowledge the company's obligations under the Companies Act 2014, to keep adequate accounting records and prepare Financial Statements which give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the company at the end of its financial year and of its profit or loss for such a year and to otherwise comply with the provisions of Companies Act 2014 relating to Financial Statements so far as they are applicable to the company,
- (e) the company has relied on the specified exemption contained in s.352 Companies Act 2014; and has done so on the grounds that the company is entitled to the benefit of that exemption as a small company and the abridged Financial Statements have been properly prepared in accordance with s.353 Companies Act 2014.

On behalf of the board

Sybren Oggel
Director

Thomas Harrington
Director

Date: 16th August 2021

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
for the financial period from ended 31 December 2020

1 GENERAL INFORMATION

Maugue Rivers Trust is a company limited by guarantee incorporated in the Republic of Ireland, Main Street, Kilfinane, Co. Limerick, is the registered office, which is also the principal place of business of the company. The nature of the company's operations and its principal activities are set out in the Directors Report. The financial statements have been presented in Euro (€) which is the functional currency of the company.

2 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's financial statements.

Basis of preparation

The financial statements are prepared on the going concern basis, under the historical cost convention and comply with the financial reporting standards of the Financial Reporting Council and the Companies Act 2014.

Cash flow statement

The company has availed of the exemption in FRS 102 Section 1A from the requirement to prepare a Cash Flow Statement because it is classified as a small company.

Income

Turnover comprises the value of goods supplied by the company, exclusive of trade discounts and value added tax.

Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost or a valuation, less accumulated depreciation. The charge to depreciation is calculated to write off the original cost or valuation of tangible fixed , less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives as follows:

Buildings - Straight line over - 33 years

Computer Equipment - Straight line over - 3 years

Fixtures, fittings and office equipment - Straight Line - 5 years

The carrying values of tangible fixed assets are reviewed annual for impairment in periods if events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying value may not be recoverable.

Trade and other debtors

Trade and other debtors are initially recognised at fair value and thereafter stated at amortised cost using the effective interest method less impairment losses for bad and doubtful debts except where the effect of discounting would be immaterial. In such cases the receivables are stated at cost less impairment losses for bad and doubtful debts.

Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs relating to the acquisition of assets are capitalised at the appropriate rate by adding them to the cost of assets being acquired. Investment income earned on the temporary investment of specific borrowing pending their expenditure on the assets is deducted from the borrowing costs eligible for capitalisation. All other costs are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they are incurred.

Trade and other creditors

Trade and other creditors are initially recognised at fair value and thereafter stated at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, unless the effect of discounting would be immaterial, in which case they are stated at cost.

Taxation

Tax is recognised in the Profit and Loss Account, except where it relates to an item recognised in other comprehensive income or equity in which case the related tax is recognised directly in other comprehensive income and equity.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date in the countries where the Company operates and generates income.

Deferred tax balances are recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed by the Balance Sheet date, except that:

- The recognition of deferred tax assets are limited to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits;
- Any deferred tax balances are reversed if and when all conditions for retaining associated tax allowances have been met; and
- Where they relate to timing differences in respect of interest in subsidiaries, associates, branches and joint ventures and the Company can control the reversal of the timing differences and such reversal is not considered probable in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax balances are not recognised in respect of permanent differences except in respect of business combinations, when deferred tax is recognised on the differences between the fair values of assets acquired and the future tax deductions available for them and the differences between the fair values of the liabilities acquired and the amount that will be assessed for tax. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

Government Grants

Capital grants received and receivable are treated as deferred income and amortised to the Income and Expenditure Account annually over the useful economic life of the asset to which it relates. Revenue grants are credited to the Income and Expenditure account when received.

Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates of exchange in ruling at the Balance Sheet date. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated at the rates of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary items that are measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was determined. The resulting exchange differences are dealt with in the income and expenditure account.

3 EMPLOYEES

The average number of employees, including directors, during the year was 1.

Employment Costs

	2020	2019
Wages and Salaries	28,350	
Social Welfare Costs	3,133	
	<u>31,483</u>	<u>-</u>

4 CREDITORS

Amount falling due within one year

	2020	2019
	€	€
Trade Creditors	3,000	3,000
Programme/Project Creditors	16,618	2,945
Loan		22,184
Collector General	1,339	
	<u>20,956</u>	<u>5,945</u>

5 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Computer Equipment	Fixtures, fittings & Equipment	Total
Cost			
At 1 January 2020	-	-	-
At 31 December 2020	1,343	1,018	2,361
Depreciation			
At 1 January 2020	0	0	0
Charge for the financial year	224		224
At 31 December 2020	224	0	224
Net Book Value			
At 31 December 2020	1,119	1,018	2,137
At 31 December 2019	-	-	-

6 DEBTORS

	2020	2019
	€	€
Programme Debtors	-	29,921

7 CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

The company had no material capital commitments at the year ended 31 December 2020.

8 POST- BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

Since the year-end, the COVID-19 pandemic has continued to have an effect on the company, the economy and the general population. The directors are continuing to closely monitor the evolution of the pandemic, and while there is no clear indication as to when the impact will be curtailed or eliminated, they will continue to take appropriate actions to mitigate any possible adverse effects on the company.

The COVID-19 restrictions have not had a significant impact so far on the company's finances.

9 TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS

There was no related party transactions with the directors under the period.

10 ACCOUNTING PERIOD

The current accounting period are for 12 months.

11 APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The board of directors approved these financial statements for issue on 16th August 2021.