

'Making a Mark'

Mark Holder Social Impact Declaration

Manor House Development Trust

Manor House Development Trust (MHDT) is a community-led, charitable Trust that works in partnership with local residents, community groups, voluntary sector, private sector, and public agencies to bring about lasting improvements for the benefit of all in the Woodberry Down and Stamford Hill area of East London.



We champion environmental, health and economic improvements across the area and co-ordinate the delivery of a wide range of community development services across north-east Hackney.

The Social Enterprise Mark criteria includes a requirement for all applicants and renewing Mark Holders to provide at least three 'social impact statements', which illustrate how they are striving to meet their social/environmental objectives.

Below are examples of how **MHDT** is making a mark, striving to make a difference in local communities:

We are connecting people and organisations

SUPPORTING ISOLATED PEOPLE IN THEIR HOMES	Tackling fuel poverty and the illnesses associated with it. We estimate the PACT home visits service has created savings in energy bills of £125,300 per year.
COLLECTIVE LEARNING	Group activities encourage people to keep attending and aid the learning process, which promotes long-term behaviour change.
LONG-TERM ENGAGEMENT	Increases the likelihood of people adopting green and healthy behaviours by up to 70%.
BUILDING CONNECTIONS WITH OTHER COMMUNITIES	Broadening the horizons of young people, encouraging them to open about issues that affect them.

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We are building community resilience



We are making better use of space

MHDT is innovative in the way it manages its own space and how it influences its partners to use space.



Over the years, we have used our strong relationships with regeneration partners to use disused space to the advantage of local people in a range of ways, promoting training and job opportunities and transforming local green spaces into areas to be enjoyed by the community.



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