





#### Social Investment Tax Relief - a tax relief for good

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#### **Rules of Engagement**

- Respect confidentiality & privacy
- No solicitation or pitches
- Keep an open mind
- Honour others wherever they are on their journey





#### "Ventures"

corporate finance advisory work and deal arranging, enabling social enterprises to become investment ready and raise capital from investors

#### "Fund Management"

and managing investment funds where this is the right tool to scale up or replicate good models for social enterprise

- Social Impact Investment Company
- Established: 2002
- FCA Authorised Fund Manager
- £145m Funds Under Management
- 7 operational impact investment funds
- Team of 30: specialist experience in finance, property & social enterprise
- Offices in Bristol, Manchester, Cornwall & London

Our mission is to connect capital and social enterprise



# Resonance Bristol SITR Fund

# Dismantling Poverty through investment in social enterprise

→ Social: Mission driven

→Enterprise: Income generating

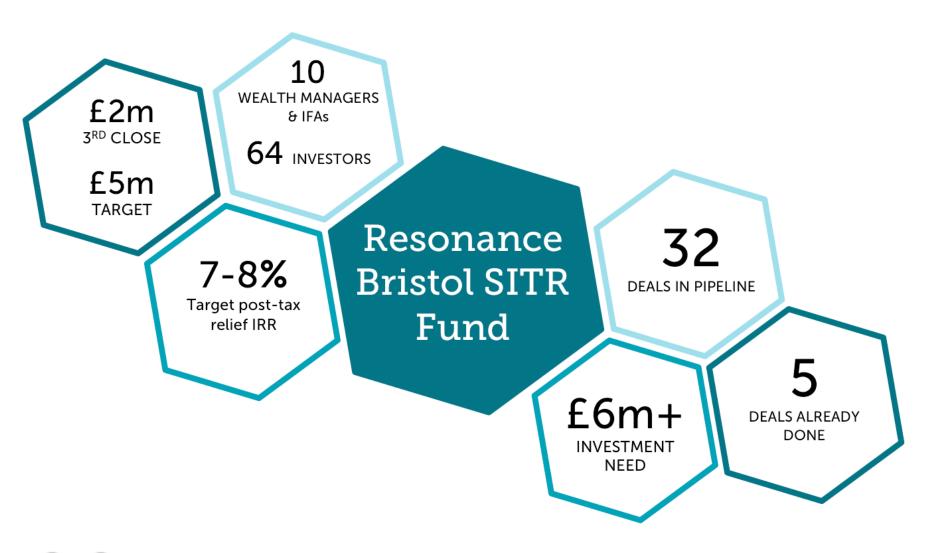


# Social Investment Tax Relief





- Income Tax Relief (30%)
  - + Carry Back Facility
- CGT Deferral
- CGT Exemption
   (interest income taxable)







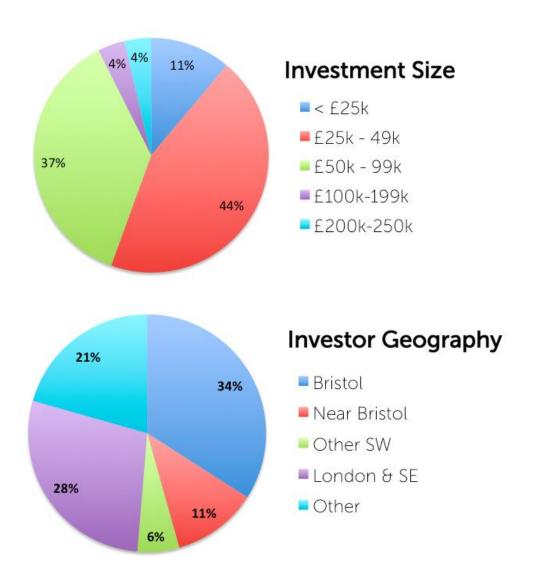






#### **Investor Breakdown**

RESONANCE BRISTOL SITR FUND: FIRST CLOSE



# **Fund Structure**



£25k-£1m

Subscription levels

minimum number of enterprises invested in by each investor

24
month
deployment period

## **Fund Structure**



#### 6 year loan term

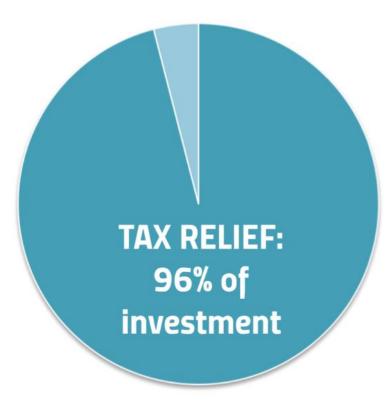
YEARS 1-3: INTEREST ONLY

YEARS 4-6: INTEREST+CAPITAL

SEMI ANNUAL DISTRIBUTIONS TO INVESTORS

## **Fund Structure**





- Upfront investment fee:3% + VAT
- Monitoring & Arrangement fees covered by investees

#### SOUTH BRISTOL SPORTS CENTRE



Deal Closing Date	5 <sup>th</sup> April 2016
Investment Size	£250,000
Form of Investment	6 year loan
Legal Structure	Charity
Year Established	2006



Sports Facilities & sessions for general public



- Engaging 'hard to reach' young people
- Training to become coaches & referees



- 6 state of the art, all-weather 5-a-side pitches
- More sessions, all year round, and new income generator

#### SOUTH BRISTOL SPORTS CENTRE





#### BEARPIT BRISTOL CIC



Deal Closing Date	23 <sup>rd</sup> December 2016
Investment Size	£112,000
Form of Investment	6 year loan
Legal Structure	Community Interest Company



- Collaboration of Social Enterprises
- Catering, markets and events



- Regeneration, reducing crime and anti-social behaviour
- Employment & Training for disadvantaged groups



- Commercial kitchen unit, delivery vehicle and infrastructure
- Merged enterprises and increased trading opportunities



Personalised programmes supporting individuals overcoming barriers





#### Who do we help?

- 1. Young people (NEET's)
- 2. Victims of Modern Slavery
- 3. People who have been in prison
- 4. Women recovering from substance misuse
- 5. Learning difficulties/disabilities
- 6. 25+ long term unemployed



**Bringing Hope** 





#### History

- → Began in 1990's as volunteer led 'drop in'
- → Registered as a charity in 1993
- → Bought current HQ in 1998
- → Began trading as a social enterprise in 1999





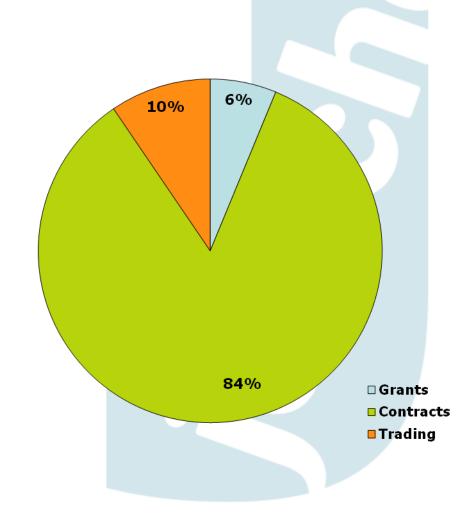


#### 06/07 Income

Contracts = £860,000 Trading = £100,000 Grants = £60,000

Total = £1,021,000

Jobcentre Plus Birmingham City Council LSC Connexions



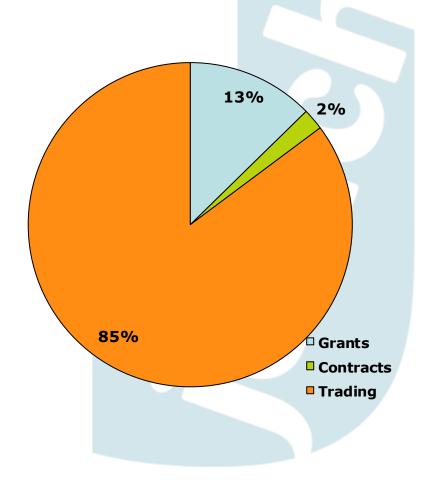


#### 15/16 Actual

Contracts = £69,000 Trading = £2,768,000

**Grants/corporate = £412,000** 

Total = £3,249,000







Make your money make a difference



#### **Direct SITR Loans**

- → Advance Assurance
- → Min £5k investment
- → 5 year term
- → 30 % tax rebate
- → 2% year interest





#### Norris Way, Sutton Coldfield











Second Retail Outlet











#### Reuse Successes (since Feb 2013)

- → Sold over 400,000 kg of product including 800 bikes
- → A further 150,000 kg is in stock
- → Created 16 jobs, of which 9 are former clients
- Delivered 28 supported work placements and/or apprenticeships
- → 25 volunteers from schools, DofE and locals
- → 1500 people per week visit Sutton
- Generated over £900k income to support our mission





#### Reuser Expansion

- → Total £1.5m business
- → 5 HWRCs
- → 1 Logistic /Retail operation
- → 10 Tonnes of stock a week
- 50 jobs/supported employment opportunities
- → Go live Summer 17
- → Investment required £450k







Bright Futures SITR Fund



#### Benefits and Challenges with SITR

- → Low cost + great return = Win Win
- Finding investors regulatory restrictions?
- Opening up opportunities to smaller investors
- Financial limits on fundraise for more mature orgs
- → Property Development restriction







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