

investing in everyone's future



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what is the pensioners trust?

The Pensioners Trust has been set up by Age Sector Platform, a charity that represents the voice of older people in Northern Ireland.

The Trust will be used to improve the lives of older people in Northern Ireland by:

- Engaging with older people to identify the areas of concern to them; and
- Supporting projects which will tackle these concerns for older people.

who is age sector platform?

Age Sector Platform represents the interests of older people in Northern Ireland. It supports older people to make their voice heard on the issues that matter to them. Its aims are:

- To engage with older people, allowing them to make their voice heard
- To enable older people to advocate on their own behalf
- To empower older people so they can change their lives for the better

It is the charity responsible for the Northern Ireland Pensioners Parliament.

why is a pensioners trust needed?

With around 360,000 people aged 60 and over living in Northern Ireland, it is vital that their voices are heard, respected and acted upon.

- 4 out of 5 pensioners in Northern Ireland are worried about keeping warm in winter
- 2 out of 3 pensioners are fearful of becoming a victim of crime
- 2 out of 3 pensioners are concerned about the price of food
- 1 in 4 pensioners feel lonely.

With reduced Government spending and an increasing number of older people, it is essential that resources are made available to engage, enable and empower the older population; and that resources are dedicated to tackling problems that are not currently being addressed by others.

how you can help

Do you feel strongly about tackling the problems facing older people in Northern Ireland? Could you provide some financial support to help us identify and address these problems?

Whether it's a one-off donation or a regular commitment of support, we welcome your investment in our vital work, and offer several flexible ways to contribute.

Donate by cheque

Make it payable to 'Age Sector Platform', and post it to the address overleaf. Please remember to indicate whether you would like Gift Aid* to be applied to your donation by filling in a gift aid declaration form.

Donate online

Visit our website at www.agesectorplatform.org and click on the 'Donate' button, or visit our Just Giving page at www.justgiving.com/agesector.

Donate by text

Simply text the words 'PLAT28' then a space, then '£5' to 70070 to donate £5. Or text 'PLAT28 £10' to 70070 to donate £10. The donation will show on your next phone bill, or will be taken from your current balance.

Donate by standing order

Request a standing order form today, fill it in, and return it to the address overleaf. This will allow you to make a regular donation to the Pensioners Trust on a monthly, quarterly or annual basis.

Leave a legacy

Speak to your solicitor about including a gift to Age Sector Platform in your will. Any amount - big or small - will help us do more.

^{*} You will need to have paid enough UK Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax in the current tax year to cover the 25% that Age Sector Platform and any other charities and Community Amateur Sports Clubs that you donate to will claim for the current tax year

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Request Gift Aid declaration forms or standing order forms by using the below contact details:

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