



# Manchester

## Heritage Buildings Network

### Macc



THE ARCHITECTURAL  
HERITAGE FUND



Historic England



MANCHESTER  
CITY COUNCIL





## Macc's role

Provide support to voluntary, community and social enterprise (VCSE) sector organisations

- Being Supportive
  - Volunteer Centre
  - Policy & Influence
  - Capacity Building
  - Training
- Being Cooperative
  - Spirit of Manchester
  - Community asset transfer
  - State of the Sector
  - Grants Management
    - and more
- Being Influential



# HBN & the evaluation -relevant to you?

- HBN Groups celebrate, share, future networking
- Other groups: support available for you?
- Agencies: Food for thought; signposting & resources for groups
- Evaluation & Resources

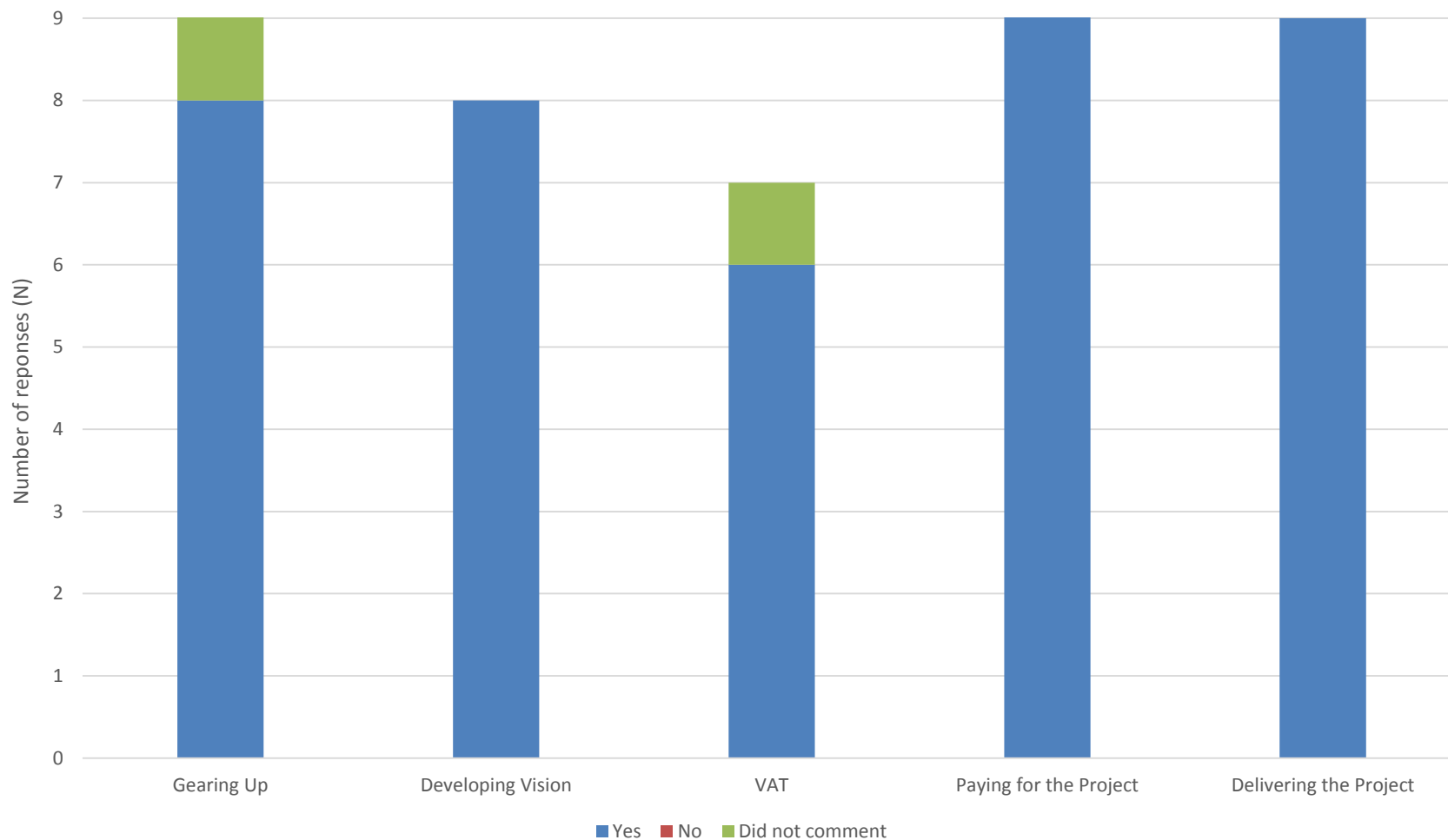


# Did HBN meet its aims?

## **Groups :**

- 1.Are more knowledgeable about managing heritage buildings**
- 2.have better understanding of how to plan & deliver a capital works programme, including sourcing funding**
- 3. Skills, knowledge, expertise & volunteers shared within the network**

## Usefulness Survey Rating





***‘We have been  
given a framework  
for delivering our  
project’***

***‘Overall it helped to  
balance the larger  
version with  
detailed planning’***

***‘Fascinating insight  
into all aspects of  
our project worth  
pure gold’***



# Knowledge & Understanding

- Knowledge & understanding of risk improved
- Governance improved
- Increased groups' confidence
- Better able to engage with funders & make stronger applications
- Much better position to undertake or manage a major heritage project



# Networking

## **Groups:**

Shared skills,  
knowledge &  
contact details

Peer learning &  
support

## **Partners:**

Stronger links;  
better equipped to  
provide the right  
support and direct  
groups to the right  
places for help





# Future Support

- Your local support agency / Council for Voluntary Services (CVS)
- Funders: HLF, HE, AHF...
- Your Local Authority



# Heritage Building Network Film

***What difference has being part of the  
Network made to you?***

<http://bit.ly/2sPwVx9>

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