

Nominated Charities

The Charities committee asked each AMEC Division to nominate charities which AMEC would support for employee matched funding.

From the nominations received the Charities Committee identified six charities which would be supported by the matched funding scheme. The six nominated charities for 2007 were:

Water Aid



WaterAid is an international charity. Its mission is to overcome poverty by enabling the world's poorest people to gain access to safe water, sanitation and hygiene education.

In total AMEC gave £5,000 to the charity in 2007.

CLAN (Cancer Link Aberdeen & North)



CLAN is an independent charity for people in NE Scotland affected by cancer, whether affected personally, as a carer, family member or close friend, CLAN's services offer comprehensive support. Based at CLAN House in Aberdeen, they cover the whole of Grampian, Orkney and Shetland.

In total AMEC gave £12,325 to the charity in 2007.

Engineers Against Poverty



Engineers Against Poverty works with industry, government and civil society to fight poverty and promote sustainable development. They influence corporate and public policy and help develop practical solutions aimed at creating jobs, promoting enterprise development and improving education and training.

In total AMEC gave £5,000 to the charity in 2007.

United Way



United Way is a North American network of more than 1,300 locally governed organisations that work to create lasting positive changes in communities and people's lives. United Way engages the community to identify the underlying causes of the most significant local issues, develops strategies and pulls together financial and human resources to address them, and measures the results.

In total AMEC gave £112,300 to the charity in 2007.

Children with Leukaemia



Children with Leukaemia are the UK's leading charity dedicated to fighting Britain's most common childhood cancers.

In total AMEC gave £5,380 to the charity in 2007.

Engineers without Borders



Engineers Without Borders is responding to this urgent need, helping people in developing communities gain access to technologies that will improve their lives. We believe that technology, when appropriately incorporated into each community's social, cultural, economic and political context, can drive extraordinary change. Engineers without boarder's mission is to facilitate human development through engineering.

In total AMEC gave £12,000 to the charity in 2007.

These charities were chosen by the Divisions and corporate and were thought to be worthy of our employee sponsorship.