IS THE ORGANISATION READY FOR VOLUNTEERS CHECKLIST

Ensure that you can answer the following considerations in planning for volunteer participation:

1. Physical Resources

- 1. What space you can provide for volunteers to work in?
- 2. What space can you provide as a tearoom?
- 3. Can the organisation provide the necessary equipment for the volunteer tasks?

2. Human Resources

- 1. Does the organisation have a volunteer who will take on the role of volunteer coordinator?
- 2. How many volunteers do you have with the ability to train, and the time to supervise, incoming volunteers?

3. Financial Resources

Does your organisation have the financial resources to pay for additional insurance, ongoing equipment costs, refreshments and rewards such as Christmas parties?

4. A 'welcoming culture'

- 1. Does your organisation have a welcoming culture and does it value the contribution of volunteers?
- 2. Does your organisation welcome fresh ideas, new people and input?