



**HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE**

Response Date:04/12/2025

2025/1225 - Water/sewerage usage

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

For the most recent yearly data to hand: - for financial year 2024-25

- **Your total billed water/sewerage usage?** Water = 29,866 m3 and sewerage = 28,373m3
- **Your total billed water/sewerage cost?** Total water & sewerage combined = £118,911
- **Name of your water provider?** Welsh Water and Hafren Dyfrdwy (depends on geographical location of the Police building)
- **Are you on a standard water tariff or negotiated/contracted rate i.e. via a framework/direct?** Standard charges as set by Welsh Water and Hafren Dyfrdwy
- **Have you switched water supplier?** No
- **Have you ever commissioned or undertaken a water and wastewater audit, with a review to reducing your water and wastewater costs?** yes, analysis of water consumption is a standard utilities management tool within the Estate/building management. Consumption profiles are monitored and excessive usage identified (and resolved i.e. a leaking toilet system)
- **Is funding prohibiting you from implementing a water and wastewater cost reduction project?** External funding can be limited.
- **Have you ever carried out a water consumption benchmark exercise to all of your buildings?** yes, analysis of water consumption is a standard utilities management tool within the Estate/building management. Water is also included in the annual National Police Estates Benchmarking exercise.
If so what is the water consumption per person per year? Due to the different types of buildings and how they are occupied (number of people and times) within the Estate, the benchmarking is based more on comparative data between similar size/use/occupancy sites (floor area is used as a comparative metric).
A general annual consumption per person per year can be calculated; for 2024-25 as a Force total = 9.2m3/person/annum
- **Do you have a future water strategy, if so, please supply details.** Water is included as part of the Estates management and Sustainability and Decarbonisation Strategy and Plans for the Force.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 04/12/2025

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