

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN CHARGES FOR NEW CONNECTIONS AND NEW DEVELOPMENTS FOR 2023/24

This statement is published in accordance with the Charging Rules for New Connection Services (English Undertakers) issued by the Water Services Regulation Authority under sections 51CD, 105ZF, 143B and 144ZA of the Water Industry Act 1991, effective from April 2022

Our Charging Arrangements for 2023/24 can be found on our websites at:

<https://www.nwl.co.uk/services/developers/our-charges/>, and

<https://www.eswater.co.uk/services/developers/our-charges/>

In response to Ofwat's requirement that infrastructure charges should be equal to network reinforcement costs over a five-year period, we have periodically reviewed our network reinforcement requirements and adjusted our infrastructure charges accordingly. We have reassessed our forecast of water network reinforcement requirements and determined that we will need to increase water infrastructure charges to fund the forecast reinforcement up to 31 March 2028. We have opted to do this in a phased manner, increasing our water infrastructure charges to £165 from £130 per house in the Northumbrian (NW) area and to £200 from £140 in our Essex & Suffolk (ESW) area for the charging year that begins on 1 April 2023. Further increases to £218 per house in the NW area and £320 per house in the ESW area will follow in subsequent years.

We have reviewed the forecast of network reinforcement expenditure that is anticipated on our sewerage network and propose to reduce our wastewater infrastructure charges, applicable in the NW area only, from £95 per house in 2022/23 to £75 in 2023/24.

Our labour and contractor costs are affected by the volatile inflation that the UK is experiencing presently. To reflect this, many of our fees and charges have been increased in line with November 2022 Consumer Prices Index (CPIH) of 9.4%.

We recently carried out a substantial review of service connection costs and revenue and this has indicated a need to increase charges, by more than inflation, for constructing service connections where the connection is made to an existing water main. This is so these service connection charges are more cost reflective. Charges have also been increased, above inflation, for constructing service connections to a newly laid water main.

Where relevant, the fees and charges for non-contestable work we provide to Self Lay Providers (SLP) and new appointee (NAV) customers are also subject to the same influencing factors on our costs. Consequently, our fees for services and charges for non-contestable work we undertake for SLPs and NAVs have increased accordingly.

Handling strategies

When considering the impact of increased charges on customers, we have in previous years implemented strategies to phase in cost increases over time. After further analysis of cost and incomes, and in response to a general increase in costs (driven by inflationary pressures) over the past year we have opted to introduce some costs immediately in order to achieve cost reflective and stable charges.

We are conscious of the impact that increased charges can have on customers however we also must take into account that phased increases can result in delaying necessary cost increases, that may become more significant the longer they are delayed.

Given the current environment of rising costs and volatile inflation, this move from a phased strategy was adopted to avoid a situation where costs would have to increase more drastically in future years.

We have opted to phase in increases to our infrastructure charges with the aim of reaching a stable, predictable charge level, while allowing customers time to adapt to this increased cost. In line with Ofwat guidance, infrastructure charges have been set with the aim of recovering network reinforcement costs over a rolling 5-year period, affording us greater flexibility to phase these charges as compared to other costs.

Comparisons of 2023/24 charges with 2022/23 charges

We have set out in our Charging Arrangements worked examples of our new charges in accordance with Ofwat's document [Common Terms and Worked Examples - English New Connection Rules - Effective from April 2022](#). Within Appendices 1 and 2 of this statement we have included comparisons of our 2023/24 charges against our 2022/23 charges for the same worked examples.

The variance in the costs (based upon the installation of polyethylene mains and service connections) are summarised in the table below. The table shows the impacts after the handling strategies have been applied.

No.	Scenario description	Cost variance 23/24 vs 22/23	
		NW	ESW
1	Single connection to a house from an existing main	+38%	+12%
2	Single connection to block of flats from an existing main	+11%	+15%
3	Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others)	+11%	+14%
4	Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company)	+7%	+12%
5	Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others)	+12%	+14%
6	Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company)	+7%	+12%

For NW customers, our increased infrastructure charge is somewhat offset by our reduction in wastewater charges such that customers will typically pay £15 more per connected property in 2023/24 compared to 2022/23. Service connection construction costs represent the key factor driving increases in our charges.

Essex and Suffolk customers will typically pay £60 more per connected property in 2023/24 in terms of water infrastructure charges alone compared to 2022/23. Construction charges for service connections and water mains also represent the most significant cost factor in this region.

Consultation

In December 2022 we requested and considered feedback from our developer services customers (developers, SLPs, and NAVs), regarding our charges. This has informed our approach to setting charges, in particular our decision to phase in increases to infrastructure charge.

Appendix 1

Impact assessment of charges for 2023/24 in the NW area

Scenario 1: Single connection to a house from an existing main

2023/24 cost

Scenario 1: Single connection to a house from an existing main - Northumbrian Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	133	133	133	133		53	53
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	213	213	213	213		40	40
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Construction Charges										
Y	Connection	per connection	1	1432	1432	1587	1587	Y		
N	Pipework - Road surface	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	1					Y	39	39
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	1	77	77	77	77	Y	34	34
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	1	58	58	58	58		58	58
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	121	121	121	121		121	121
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	231	231	231	231		231	231
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	1	165	165	165	165		165	165
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	1	75	75	75	75		75	75
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	1	0	0	0	0		0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	1	0	0	0	0		0	0
	TOTALS				2505		2660			883

2022/23 cost

Scenario 1: Single connection to a house from an existing main - Northumbrian Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	122	122	122	122		48	48
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	195	195	195	195		37	37
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Construction Charges										
Y	Connection	per connection	1	848	848	909	909	Y		
N	Pipework - Road surface	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	1					Y	49	49
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	1	70	70	70	70	Y	31	31
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	1	35	35	35	35		35	35
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	111	111	111	111		111	111
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	211	211	211	211		211	211
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	1	130	130	130	130		130	130
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	1	95	95	95	95		95	95
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	1	0	0	0	0		0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	1	0	0	0	0		0	0
	TOTALS				1817		1878			808

Variance = +38%

Scenario 2: Single connection to block of flats from an existing main

2023/24 cost

Scenario 2: Single connection to block of flats from an existing main - Northumbrian Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	133	133	133	133	Y	53	53
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	213	213	213	213		40	40
Y	Administration fee - service connection made at same time as another	per connection	9	45	405	45	405		40	360
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Construction Charges										
Y	Connection	per connection	1	2060	2060	2282	2282	Y		
Y	Branch service connection or manifold connection	per connection	10	221	2210	282	2820	Y		
Y	Chlorination/pressure test	per connection	1	291	291	291	291	Y		
N	Pipework - Road surface	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	10					Y	39	390
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee (>32mm dia., domestic fittings)	per connection	1	467	467	467	467	Y	34	34
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	10	58	580	58	580		58	580
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	121	121	121	121		121	121
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	231	231	231	231		231	231
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	10	165	1650	165	1650		165	1650
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	10	75	750	75	750		75	750
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	10	0	0	0	0		0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	10	0	0	0	0		0	0
TOTALS										
					9111		9943			4276

2022/23 cost

Scenario 2: Single connection to block of flats from an existing main - Northumbrian Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	122	122	122	122	Y	48	48
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	195	195	195	195		37	37
Y	Administration fee - service connection made at same time as another	per connection	9	41	369	41	369		37	333
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Construction Charges										
Y	Connection	per connection	1	1883	1883	2068	2068	Y		
Y	Branch service connection or manifold connection	per connection	10	202	2020	202	2020	Y		
Y	Chlorination/pressure test	per connection	1	266	266	266	266	Y		
N	Pipework - Road surface	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	10					Y	49	490
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee (>32mm dia., domestic fittings)	per connection	1	427	427	427	427	Y	31	31
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	10	35	350	35	350		35	350
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	111	111	111	111		111	111
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	211	211	211	211		211	211
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	10	130	1300	130	1300		130	1300
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	10	95	950	95	950		95	950
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	10	0	0	0	0		0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	10	0	0	0	0		0	0
TOTALS										
					8204		8389			3922

Variance = +11%

Scenario 3: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others)

2023/24 cost

Scenario 3: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others) - Northumbrian Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	50	57	2850	57	2850		40	2000
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	118	118	118	118		118	118
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	513	513	513	513		382	382
Y	Design fee	per application	1	363	363	363	363	Y	227	227
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	3	78	234	78	234	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	50	299	14950	331	16550	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	50					Y	39	1950
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	3081	3081
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	10	197	1970	207	2070	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	190	51	9690	61	11590	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	100	48	4800	58	5800	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	1231	1231	1231	1231	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	183	183	183	183	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	89	712	89	712	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	1	399	399	399	399	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulation compliance fee	per connection	50	34	1700	34	1700	Y	34	1700
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	50	58	2900	58	2900		58	2900
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	121	121	121	121		121	
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	231	231	231	231		231	231
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1					67	67	
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	50	165	8250	165	8250		165	8250
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	50	75	3750	75	3750		75	3750
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS					54965		59565			24777

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Scenario 3: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others) - Northumbrian Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	50	52	2600	52	2600		37	1850
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	108	108	108	108		108	108
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	469	469	469	469		349	349
Y	Design fee	per application	1	332	332	332	332	Y	208	208
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	3	72	216	72	216	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	50	259	12950	322	16100	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	50					Y	49	2450
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	2816	2816
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	10	180	1800	189	1890	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	190	47	8930	56	10640	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	100	44	4400	53	5300	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	1497	1497	1497	1497	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	168	168	168	168	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	82	656	82	656	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	1	365	365	365	365	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulation compliance fee	per connection	50	31	1550	31	1550	Y	31	1550
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	50	35	1750	35	1750		35	1750
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	111	111	111	111		111	111
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	211	211	211	211		211	211
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1					61	61	
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	50	130	6500	130	6500		130	6500
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	50	95	4750	95	4750		95	4750
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS					49363		55213			22714

Variance = +11%

Scenario 4: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company)

2023/24 cost

Scenario 4: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company) - Northumbrian Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	50	57	2850	57	2850		40	2000
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	118	118	118	118		118	118
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	513	513	513	513		382	382
Y	Design fee	per application	1	363	363	363	363	Y	227	227
N	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	3	78	234	78	234	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	50	499	24950	553	27650	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	50					Y	39	1950
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	3081	3081
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	10	197	1970	207	2070	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - footpath	per metre	50	197	9850	207	10350	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - unmade ground	per metre	140	79	11060	89	12460	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main - unmade ground	per metre	100	75	7500	85	8500	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	1231	1231	1231	1231	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	163	163	163	163	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	6	69	712	69	712	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	1	399	399	399	399	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	50	34	1700	34	1700	Y	34	1700
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	50	58	2900	58	2900		58	2900
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	121	121	121	121		121	
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	231	231	231	231		231	231
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	50	165	8250	165	8250		165	8250
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	50	75	3750	75	3750		75	3750
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	50	0	0	0	0		0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	50	0	0	0	0		0	0
TOTALS										24777

2022/23 cost

Scenario 4: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company) - Northumbrian Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	50	52	2600	52	2600		37	1850
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	108	108	108	108		108	108
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	469	469	469	469		349	349
Y	Design fee	per application	1	332	332	332	332	Y	208	208
N	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	3	72	216	72	216	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	50	495	24750	547	27350	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	50					Y	49	2450
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	2816	2816
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	10	180	1800	189	1890	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - footpath	per metre	50	180	9000	189	9450	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - unmade ground	per metre	140	72	10080	81	11340	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main - unmade ground	per metre	100	69	6900	78	7800	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	1497	1497	1497	1497	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	168	168	168	168	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	6	82	656	82	656	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	1	365	365	365	365	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	50	31	1550	31	1550	Y	31	1550
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	50	35	1750	35	1750		35	1750
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	111	111	111	111		111	111
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	211	211	211	211		211	211
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	50	130	6500	130	6500		130	6500
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	50	95	4750	95	4750		95	4750
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	50	0	0	0	0		0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	50	0	0	0	0		0	0
TOTALS										22714

Variance = +7%

Scenario 5: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others)

2023/24 cost

Scenario 5: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others) - Northumbrian Water								Alternative Delivery Method		
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	200	57	11400	57	11400		40	8000
N	Design fee	per application		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	118	118	118	118		118	118
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	513	513	513	513		382	382
Y	Design fee	per application	1	363	363	363	363	Y	227	227
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	10	76	780	76	780	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	200	299	59800	331	66200	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	200					Y	38	7800
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1						N	4143
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	20	248	4960	265	5300	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main	per metre	100	80	8000	95	9500	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	480	51	24480	61	23280	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	400	48	19200	58	23200	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	1231	1231	1231	1231	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	183	183	183	183	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	6	69	712	69	712	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	2	399	798	399	798	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	200	34	6800	34	6800	Y	34	6800
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	200	58	11600	58	11600		58	11600
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	121	121	121	121		121	121
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	231	231	231	231		231	231
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	200	165	33000	165	33000		165	33000
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	200	75	15000	75	15000		75	15000
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS						193230	216330			87495

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Scenario 5: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others) - Northumbrian Water								Alternative Delivery Method		
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	200	52	10400	52	10400		37	7400
N	Design fee	per application		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	108	108	108	108		108	108
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	469	469	469	469		349	349
Y	Design fee	per application	1	332	332	332	332	Y	208	208
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	10	72	720	72	720	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	200	259	51800	322	64400	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	200					Y	49	9800
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	3792	3792
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	20	227	4540	242	4840	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main	per metre	100	73	7300	87	8700	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	480	47	22560	56	26880	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	400	44	17600	53	21200	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	1497	1497	1497	1497	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	168	168	168	168	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	82	656	82	656	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	2	365	730	365	730	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	200	31	6200	31	6200	Y	31	6200
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	200	35	7000	35	7000		35	7000
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	111	111	111	111		111	111
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	211	211	211	211		211	211
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	200	130	26000	130	26000		130	26000
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	200	95	19000	95	19000		95	19000
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS						177402	199622			80240

Variance = +12%

Scenario 6: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company)

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Scenario 6: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company) - Northumbrian Water										Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (%)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)	
Pre-Construction Charges - connection											
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Y	Administration fee	per connection	200	57	11400	57	11400		40	8000	
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
Pre-Construction Charges - mains											
Y	Application fee	per application	1	118	118	118	118		118	118	
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	513	513	513	513		382	382	
Y	Design fee	per application	1	363	363	363	363	Y	227	227	
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	10	78	780	78	780	Y			
Construction Charges - connection											
Y	Connection	per connection	200	493	98600	553	110600	Y			
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
Y	Meters	Per connection	200					Y	33	7800	
Construction Charges - mains											
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	4143	4143	
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	20	248	4960	265	5300	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - footpath	per metre	100	248	24800	265	26500	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	480	79	37920	89	42720	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	400	75	30000	85	34000	Y			
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	1231	1231	1231	1231	Y			
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	183	183	183	183	Y			
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	89	72	89	72	Y			
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	2	393	786	393	786	Y			
Other Charges											
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	200	34	6800	34	6800	Y	34	6800	
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	200	58	11600	58	11600		58	11600	
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	121	121	121	121		121		
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	231	231	231	231		231		
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67	
Infrastructure Charges											
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	200	165	33000	165	33000		165	33000	
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	200	75	15000	75	15000		75	15000	
Income Offset											
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	200	0	0	0	0		0	0	
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	200	0	0	0	0		0	0	
TOTALS					280330		301970			87495	

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Scenario 6: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company) - Northumbrian Water										Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)	
Pre-Construction Charges - connection											
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Y	Administration fee	per connection	200	52	10400	52	10400		37	7400	
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
Pre-Construction Charges - mains											
Y	Application fee	per application	1	108	108	108	108		108	108	
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	469	469	469	469		349	349	
Y	Design fee	per application	1	332	332	332	332	Y	208	208	
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	10	72	720	72	720	Y			
Construction Charges - connection											
Y	Connection	per connection	200	495	99000	547	109400	Y			
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
Y	Meters	Per connection	200					Y	49	9800	
Construction Charges - mains											
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	3792	3792	
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	20	227	4540	242	4840	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - footpath	per metre	100	227	22700	242	24200	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	480	72	34560	81	38880	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	400	68	27600	78	31200	Y			
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	1497	1497	1497	1497	Y			
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	168	168	168	168	Y			
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	82	656	62	656	Y			
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	2	365	730	365	730	Y			
Other Charges											
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	200	31	6200	31	6200	Y	31	6200	
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	200	35	7000	35	7000		35	7000	
Y	Wastewater connection application fee	per application	1	111	111	111	111		111	111	
Y	Wastewater connection administration fee	per application	1	211	211	211	211		211	211	
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61	
Infrastructure Charges											
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	200	130	26000	130	26000		130	26000	
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	200	95	19000	95	19000		95	19000	
Income Offset											
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	200	0	0	0	0		0	0	
Y	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	200	0	0	0	0		0	0	
TOTALS					262002		282122			80240	

Variance = +7%

Appendix 2

Impact assessment of charges for 2023/24 in the ESW area

Scenario 1: Single connection to a house from an existing main

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Scenario 1: Single connection to a house from an existing main - Essex & Suffolk Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	133	133	133	133		53	53
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	213	213	213	213		40	40
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Construction Charges										
Y	Connection	per connection	1	1434	1434	1589	1589	Y		
N	Pipework - Road surface	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	1					Y	39	39
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	1	77	77	77	77	Y	34	34
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	1	24	24	24	24		24	24
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	1	200	200	200	200		200	200
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	1	0	0	0	0		0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTALS					2081		2236			457

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Scenario 1: Single connection to a house from an existing main - Essex & Suffolk Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	122	122	122	122		48	48
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	195	195	195	195		37	37
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Construction Charges										
Y	Connection	per connection	1	1311	1311	1369	1369	Y		
N	Pipework - Road surface	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	1					Y	49	49
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	1	70	70	70	70	Y	31	31
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	1	23	23	23	23		23	23
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	1	140	140	140	140		140	140
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	1	0	0	0	0		0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTALS					1861		1919			389

Variance = +12%

Scenario 2: Single connection to block of flats from an existing main

2023/24 cost

Scenario 2: Single connection to block of flats from an existing main - Essex & Suffolk Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	133	133	133	133		53	53
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	213	213	213	213		40	40
Y	Administration fee - service connection made at same time as another	per connection	9	405	405	45	405		40	360
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Construction Charges										
Y	Connection	per connection	1	2504	2504	2774	2774	Y		
Y	Branch service connection or manifold connection	per connection	10	248	2480	316	3160	Y		
Y	Chlorination/pressure test	per connection	1	291	291	291	291	Y		
N	Pipework - Road surface	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	10					Y	39	390
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee (>32mm dia., domestic fittings)	per connection	1	467	467	467	467	Y	34	34
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	10	24	240	24	240		24	240
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						58	58
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	10	200	2000	200	2000		200	2000
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	10	0	0	0	0		0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
TOTALS					8733		9683			3175

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Scenario 2: Single connection to block of flats from an existing main - Essex & Suffolk Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	122	122	122	122		48	48
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	195	195	195	195		37	37
Y	Administration fee - service connection made at same time as another	per connection	9	41	369	41	369		37	333
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Construction Charges										
Y	Connection	per connection	1	2289	2289	2464	2464	Y		
Y	Branch service connection or manifold connection	per connection	10	227	2270	227	2270	Y		
Y	Chlorination/pressure test	per connection	1	266	266	266	266	Y		
N	Pipework - Road surface	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	10					Y	49	490
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee (>32mm dia., domestic fittings)	per connection	1	427	427	427	427	Y	31	31
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	10	23	230	23	230		23	230
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						58	58
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	10	140	1400	140	1400		140	1400
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	10	0	0	0	0		0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
TOTALS					7568		7743			2627

Variance = +15%

Scenario 3: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others)

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Scenario 3: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others) - Essex & Suffolk Water										Alternative Delivery Method
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	50	57	2850	57	2850		40	2000
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	118	118	118	118		118	118
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	513	513	513	513		382	382
Y	Design fee	per application	1	363	363	363	363	Y	227	227
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	3	78	234	78	234	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	50	304	15200	337	16850	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	50					Y	39	1950
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	3681	3681
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	10	281	2810	292	2920	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	190	66	12540	77	14530	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	100	61	6100	72	7200	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	2194	2194	2194	2194	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	183	183	183	183			
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	113	904	113	904	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	1	399	399	399	399	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	50	34	1700	34	1700	Y	34	1700
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	50	24	1200	24	1200		24	1200
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	50	200	10000	200	10000		200	10000
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	50	0	0	0	0		0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
TOTALS										21325

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Scenario 3: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others) - Essex & Suffolk Water										Alternative Delivery Method
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	50	52	2600	52	2600		37	1850
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	108	108	108	108		108	108
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	469	469	469	469		349	349
Y	Design fee	per application	1	332	332	332	332	Y	208	208
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	3	72	216	72	216	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	50	278	13900	339	16950	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	50					Y	49	2450
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	3365	3365
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	10	257	2570	267	2670	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	190	60	11400	70	13300	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	100	56	5600	66	6600	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	2096	2096	2096	2096	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	168	168	168	168			
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	104	832	104	832	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	1	365	365	365	365	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	50	31	1550	31	1550	Y	31	1550
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	50	23	1150	23	1150		23	1150
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	50	140	7000	140	7000		140	7000
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	50	0	0	0	0		0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
TOTALS										18091

Variance = +14%

Scenario 4: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company)

2023/24 cost

Scenario 4: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company) - Essex & Suffolk Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	50	57	2850	57	2850	Y	40	2000
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	118	118	118	118		118	118
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	513	513	513	513	Y	382	382
Y	Design fee	per application	1	363	363	363	363	Y	227	227
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	3	78	234	78	234	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	50	574	28700	636	31800	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	50					Y	39	1950
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	3681	3681
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	10	281	2810	292	2920	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - footpath	per metre	50	281	14050	292	14600	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - unmade ground	per metre	140	106	14840	117	16380	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main - unmade ground	per metre	100	102	10200	113	11300	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	2194	2194	2194	2194	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	183	183	183	183	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	113	904	113	904	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	1	399	399	399	399	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	50	34	1700	34	1700	Y	34	1700
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	50	24	1200	24	1200		24	1200
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	50	200	10000	200	10000		200	10000
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTALS					91256		97658			21325

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Scenario 4: Medium housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company) - Essex & Suffolk Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	50	52	2600	52	2600	Y	37	1850
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	108	108	108	108		108	108
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	469	469	469	469	Y	349	349
Y	Design fee	per application	1	332	332	332	332	Y	208	208
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	3	72	216	72	216	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	50	525	26250	574	28700	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	50					Y	49	2450
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	3365	3365
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	10	257	2570	267	2670	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - footpath	per metre	50	257	12850	267	13350	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main - unmade ground	per metre	140	97	13580	107	14980	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main - unmade ground	per metre	100	93	9300	103	10300	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	2096	2096	2096	2096	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	168	168	168	168	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	104	832	104	832	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	1	365	365	365	365	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	50	31	1550	31	1550	Y	31	1550
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	50	23	1150	23	1150		23	1150
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	50	140	7000	140	7000		140	7000
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTALS					81436		86886			18091

Variance = +12%

Scenario 5: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others)

2023/24 cost:

Scenario 5: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others) - Essex & Suffolk Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	200	57	11400	57	11400	Y	40	8000
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	118	118	118	118		118	118
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	513	513	513	513		382	382
Y	Design fee	per application	1	363	363	363	363	Y	227	227
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	10	78	780	78	780	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	200	304	60800	337	67400	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	200					Y	39	7800
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	5011	5011
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	20	348	6960	365	7300	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main	per metre	100	98	9800	116	11600	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	480	66	31680	77	36560	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	400	61	24400	72	28800	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	2194	2194	2194	2194	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	183	183	183	183	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	113	904	113	904	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	2	399	798	399	798	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	200	34	6800	34	6800	Y	34	6800
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	200	24	4800	24	4800		24	4800
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	200	200	40000	200	40000		200	40000
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	200	0	0	0	0		0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
	TOTALS				202453				220913	
										73205

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Scenario 5: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by others) - Essex & Suffolk Water									Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate (£)	Barrier Pipe Total Charge (£)	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)
Pre-Construction Charges - connection										
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Y	Administration fee	per connection	200	52	10400	52	10400	Y	37	7400
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Pre-Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Application fee	per application	1	108	108	108	108		108	108
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	469	469	469	469		349	349
Y	Design fee	per application	1	332	332	332	332	Y	208	208
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	10	72	720	72	720	Y		
Construction Charges - connection										
Y	Connection	per connection	200	278	55600	339	67800	Y		
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y		
Y	Meters	Per connection	200					Y	49	9800
Construction Charges - mains										
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	4580	4580
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	20	318	6360	334	6680	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main	per metre	100	90	9000	106	10600	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	480	60	28800	70	33600	Y		
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	400	56	22400	66	26400	Y		
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	2096	2096	2096	2096	Y		
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	168	168	168	168	Y		
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	104	832	104	832	Y		
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	2	365	730	365	730	Y		
Other Charges										
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	200	31	6200	31	6200	Y	31	6200
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	200	23	4600	23	4600		23	4600
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61
Infrastructure Charges										
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	200	140	28000	140	28000		140	28000
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
Income Offset										
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	200	0	0	0	0		0	0
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
	TOTALS				176815				199735	
										61306

Variance = +15%

Scenario 6: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company)

2023/24 cost

Scenario 6: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company) - Essex & Suffolk Water										Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate	Barrier Pipe Total Charge	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)	
Pre-Construction Charges - connection											
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Y	Administration fee	per connection	200	57	11400	57	11400	Y	40	8000	
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
Pre-Construction Charges - mains											
Y	Application fee	per application	1	118	118	118	118	Y	118	118	
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	513	513	513	513	Y	362	362	
Y	Design fee	per application	1	363	363	363	363	Y	227	227	
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	10	78	780	78	780	Y			
Construction Charges - connection											
Y	Connection	per connection	200	574	114800	636	127200	Y			
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
Y	Meters	Per connection	200					Y	39	7800	
Construction Charges - mains											
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	5011	5011	
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	20	348	6960	365	7300	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - footpath	per metre	100	348	34800	365	36500	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	480	106	50800	117	56160	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	400	102	40800	113	45200	Y			
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	2194	2194	2194	2194	Y			
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	183	183	183	183	Y			
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	113	904	113	904	Y			
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	2	359	738	359	738	Y			
Other Charges											
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	200	34	6800	34	6800	Y	34	6800	
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	200	24	4800	24	4800	Y	24	4800	
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						67	67	
Infrastructure Charges											
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	200	200	40000	200	40000		200	40000	
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Income Offset											
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
TOTALS										73205	

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Scenario 6: Large housing development requiring new mains and communication pipes (excavation and reinstatement by Water Company) - Essex & Suffolk Water										Alternative Delivery Method	
Applicable Charge?	Item	Unit	Qty	Rate (£)	Total Charge (£)	Barrier Pipe Uplift/Rate	Barrier Pipe Total Charge	Contestable (Y/N)	Self-Lay Rate (£)	Self-Lay Total Charge (£)	
Pre-Construction Charges - connection											
N	Application fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Y	Administration fee	per connection	200	52	10400	52	10400	Y	37	7400	
N	Design fee	per application	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
Pre-Construction Charges - mains											
Y	Application fee	per application	1	108	108	108	108	Y	108	108	
Y	Administration fee	per application	1	469	469	469	469	Y	349	349	
Y	Design fee	per application	1	332	332	332	332	Y	208	208	
Y	Design fee	per 20 connections or part thereof	10	72	720	72	720	Y			
Construction Charges - connection											
Y	Connection	per connection	200	525	105000	574	114800	Y			
N	Pipework	per metre	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
N	Traffic management	Per TM usage	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Y			
Y	Meters	Per connection	200					Y	49	9800	
Construction Charges - mains											
Y	Connection	per connection	1					N	4580	4580	
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - road	per metre	20	318	6360	334	6680	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 180 mm diameter water main - footpath	per metre	100	318	31800	334	33400	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 125 mm diameter water main	per metre	480	97	46560	107	51360	Y			
Y	Pipework - construct 90 mm diameter water main	per metre	400	93	37200	103	41200	Y			
Y	Traffic management - highway authority closure fee	Per closure	1	2096	2096	2096	2096	Y			
Y	Traffic management - set up, hire and removal of equipment	Per closure	1	168	168	168	168	Y			
Y	Traffic management - parking bay suspensions	Per suspension	8	104	832	104	832	Y			
Y	Trial hole	per excavation	2	365	730	365	730	Y			
Other Charges											
Y	Water Regulations compliance fee	per connection	200	31	6200	31	6200	Y	31	6200	
Y	Pre-occupancy charge	per property	200	23	4600	23	4600	Y	23	4600	
Y	Self-lay legal fee	per application	1						61	61	
Infrastructure Charges											
Y	Infrastructure Charge - Water	per property	200	140	28000	140	28000		140	28000	
N	Infrastructure Charge - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Income Offset											
Y	Income Offset - Water	per property	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
N	Income Offset - Sewerage	per property	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
TOTALS										61306	

Variance = +13%