

## Merseyside Fire & Rescue Authority

### Proposed Fees & Charges: 2026/27

TYPE OF INCOME		eFin Sales Product Code	eFin Stock Product Code	Net Charge £	VAT £	VAT Code	Total Charge £
a)	Special services ('non-emergency' calls) per hour (or part hour) upto rank of Watch Manager	SC19 / SC403 SC404	-	475.00	95.00	S	<b>570.00</b>
b)	Environment & Safety Information Act 1988: Copies of entries from the register	SC17	-	54.00	Non-VAT	OU	<b>54.00</b>
c)	Ex-directory lines (Automatic Fire Alarms)	OPS001	-	646.00	129.20	S	<b>775.20</b>
d)	Incident Investigation Team (full report) *	SC400	-	1,218.00	243.60	S	<b>1,461.60</b>
e) Private hydrant testing:							
	- 1st Test	WAT001	-	132.00	26.40	S	<b>158.40</b>
	- Any subsequent test	WAT002	-	37.00	7.40	S	<b>44.40</b>
f)	Inspection of hydrant records	WAT004	-	199.00	39.80	S	<b>238.80</b>
g)	Hydrant flow and pressure readings	WAT003	-	63.00	12.60	S	<b>75.60</b>
h)	Standard incident reports (IRS) *	SC20	-	199.00	Non-VAT	OU	<b>199.00</b>
i)	Special report or search of statistical records (per year, per location) *	SC23	-	199.00	Non-VAT	OU	<b>199.00</b>
j)	The reproduction or copy of a document / report produced by MFRS (Protection)	SC18	-	199.00	Non-VAT	OU	<b>199.00</b>
k)	Interviews (per hour, per customer, per officer, up to rank of Area Manager)	SC2	-	199.00	Non-VAT	OU	<b>199.00</b>
l)	Photographs (per photograph) *	SC402	-	7.00	Non-VAT	OU	<b>7.00</b>
m)	Video footage (per hour) *	SC401	-	199.00	Non-VAT	OU	<b>199.00</b>
n)	Dry riser tests	SC29	-	235.00	47.00	S	<b>282.00</b>
o)	Attendance at Football Grounds	OPS002	-	407.00	81.40	S	<b>488.40</b>
p) Fire safety – alarms (General Public)							
	- Alarm 1	-	23139120FB	18.37	3.67	S	<b>22.04</b>
	- Alarm 2	-	23139120FB	24.85	4.97	S	<b>29.82</b>
	- Alarm 3	-	23139120FB	31.33	6.27	S	<b>37.60</b>
	- Alarm 4	-	23139120FB	37.81	7.56	S	<b>45.37</b>
	- Alarm 5	-	23139120FB	44.29	8.86	S	<b>53.15</b>

**Note:**

- Other than Fire Safety Equipment, the rates for 2026/27 are those approved for 2025/26, increased with the Firefighters pay award (3.2%).
- For convenience, the values are rounded up to the nearest whole £1.00 and VAT added to that figure where appropriate.
- Ex-Directory Lines (i.e. Automatic Fire Alarms) have been increased in line with the Consumer Price Index (3.4%).

\* Items marked with an asterisk are non-chargeable where the General Data Protection Regulation applies.

# Examples include, but not limited to:

- o Lift Rescues;
- o Removal of debris from premises, highways etc.;
- o Provision or removal of water such as filling swimming pools or barriers, pumping out basements;
- o Removal of dangerous structures such as scaffolding, slates and guttering, chimney stacks, hoardings and aerials);
- o Effecting entry to premises i.e. lock ins, lock outs