

**WEST MIDLANDS POLICE AND CRIME
COMMISSIONER**

**NON- CONFIDENTIAL
NOTICE OF DECISION
[063-2025]**

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Fees and Charges due from 1 January 2026

SUMMARY

This report details the proposed fees and charges to be made by West Midlands Police for services provided from 1 January 2026 to 31 December 2026.

The proposed rates have been calculated using the latest guidance issued in November 2025 by the NPCC in their documents:

- National Policing Guidelines on Charging for Policing Services – General
- National Policing Guidelines on Charging for Special Policing Services

DECISION

The decision is to approve the Fees and Charges for calendar year 2026, as set out in the attached Fees and Charges rates booklet.

West Midlands Police and Crime Commissioner

I confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interests in this decision and take the decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the Police and Crime Commissioner of the West Midlands. Any interests are indicated below.



Signature

Date30/12/2025.....

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INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

1. The Force is able to levy a charge to users for certain services. The charges for 2026 are shown in the attached Fees and Charges schedule.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

2. Rates have been calculated using the fees and charges methodology that is provided to policing nationally. The income received for the particular service will be used to fund the services provided.

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

3. Fees and Chargeable Rates are governed by Sections 25 and 26 of the Police Act 1996

EQUALITY IMPLICATIONS

4. The fees and chargeable rates are based on either statutory amounts or have been calculated using the agreed national framework and are applied consistently and lawfully, having regard to all of the protected characteristics as set out in Section 4 of the Equality Act 2010.

Schedule of Background Papers

Fees and Charges booklet 2026

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