

## SMR/HER commercial charging policy 2010/11

SMR/HER	Per Hour (excl. VAT)	Minimum Charge (if charging)	VAT	Clients Charged				Updated by	Comments
				Public	Commercial	Utilities	Funded		
Bristol City	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	2009	
Derbyshire	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	G. Stroud, 22.07.10	Previously charged £39.50 per hour, but DCC legal team decided this contravened the EIA legislation
Devon	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	G Tait, 22.07.10	
Dorset	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	C. Pinder, 23.07.10	This is likely to change shortly.
Dudley	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	2009	
Exeter City	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	A. Pye, 23.07.10	Charge for copying only; do not carry out searches for commercial enquirers
Exmoor NP	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	F. Glover 22.07.10	
Guernsey	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	T. Walls, 22.07.10	
Herefordshire	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	L. Dingwall, 22.07.2010	This is likely to change shortly.
Leicester City	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	2009	
Lincoln City	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	2009	
NE Lincolnshire	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	H Winfield, 22.07.10	
Somerset	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	2009	
Torbay	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	H. Bishop, 26.07.10	
Dartmoor	£0.00	£0.00	-	-	-	-	-	A. Richards, 31.08.10	
Central Bedfordshire	£35.00	£17.50	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	S. Mellonie, 22.07.10	Charge in 1/2 hr chunks. If we do search for them (not public) we charge £45/hr, min 1 hr - rarely more than 1hr. Are considering introducing charging for PPS5 consultations for the public - nominal charge of £5-£10. 10p/photocopy to commercial users.
Norfolk	£50.00	£25.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	A. Cattermole, 28.07.10	Charge by the 1/2 hour. We also have a GIS licence agreement, and charge for reproduction of our GIS data (the same as Cambridgeshire does).
Hertfordshire	£56.00	£30.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	I Thompson, 22.07.10	If a search takes less than 15 minutes there will usually be no charge.
Southampton City	£60.00	£30.00	No	Discretional	Yes	Yes	Discretional	I. Peckham, 26.07.10	Charged in half hour units, the first half hour at £30. Priority searches (within 2 days) £120. Public enquiries charged if take over 2 hours. Funded enquiries not charged if the HER gets back data at the end of the project.
Stoke-on-Trent	£30.00	£30.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	N. Boothroyd, 23.07.10	
Yorkshire Dales	£60.00	£30.00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	L. O Hagan, 22.07.10	
City of York	£35.00	£35.00	No	No	Yes	No	No	J. Oxley, 26.07.10	photocopying charged at 5p/A4 10p/A3; no charge for digital data
Northumberland	£35.00	£35.00	No	No	Yes	No	Discretional	E. Williams, 22.07.10	
Nottinghamshire	£35.00	£35.00						2009	
Bedford Borough	£36.05	£36.05	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	V. Clarke, 22.07.10	£46.35 for remote searches. Minimum charge 1 hour – and then by subsequent half hour blocks
Cheshire	£40.00	£40.00	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	R Edwards, 22.07.10	
Cumbria	£40.00	£40.00	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	J. Mackintosh, 22.07.10	
Lake District NP	£40.00	£40.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	E. Kingston 22.07.10	
Plymouth	£15.00/£20.00/£25.00	£40.00	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	J. Maslen, 26.07.10	£25 standing charge and then the hourly rate added. The hourly rate depends on who does the work i.e. £25 for a co-ordinator; £20 for an officer; and £15 for an assistant (but since there's only me doing it at the moment they get the cheaper price!)
Suffolk	£40.00	£40.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Discretional	C. Pendleton, 22.07.10	Hourly charges depend on individual officer rates. No charge if searchers come in and do it their selves if takes less than 15mins officer time. Double charge if urgent request (delaying others in queue) or requiring digital maps. Charges for funded searches depend on nature/reason for search etc.
Berkshire Archaeology HER	£35.00	£45.00	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	T. Hocking, 22.07.10	
Greater London	£45.00	£45.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	S. Cakebread 23.07.10	£45+VAT for the first hour, and half-hour increments thereafter. 48hrs Priority Response: £100+VAT for the first hour and thereafter £45+VAT per half-hourly increments [6 month trial period]
West Berkshire	£50.00	£45.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	S. Orr. 23.07.10	Chargeable at £25 per 1/2 hour but with the first 1/2 hour at £45 (ie 1 hour = £70)
Staffordshire	£47.00	£47.00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	S Blake, 14.09.10	
Cambridgeshire	£50.00	£50.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes		Chargable by 1/2 hours after 1st hour
Merseyside	£50.00	£50.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	S. Farr, 22.07.10	1/2 hr free intro. After this 1st hr £50.00; subsequent/part of £25.00
Milton Keynes	£50.00	£50.00	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	N Crank, 22.07.10	
Solihull	£50.00	£50.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	B. Wallace, 22.07.10	No charge if visit made to office and uses less than half hour of staff time.
Tyne and Wear	£100.00	£50.00	No	No	Yes	No	No	J. Morrison, 22.07.10	Chargable by 1/2 hours, photocopying 20p per sheet, VAT charged on
Warwickshire	£50.00	£50.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	B. Wallace, 22.07.10	No charge if visit made to office and uses less than half hour of staff time.
Winchester City	£50.00	£50.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Discretional	T Matthews, 23.07.10	Chargable by 1/2 hours after 1st hour. Public may be charged for
Worcestershire	£50.00	£50.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	E. Hancox 22.07.10	
Dumfries and Galloway	£27.75 - £40	£60.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	A. Nicholson, 23.07.10	Variable dependent on who has to input (HER Officer or Council
Essex	£60.00	£60.00	No	No	Yes	No	Discretional	A. Bennett, 22.07.10	£60 for shp files only, or £120 if they require maps.
Highland Council (Inverness)	£60.00	£60.00	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	A. Puls, 22.07.10	
Humber Archaeology Partnership	£60.00	£60.00	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	R. Atkinson, 22.07.10	Chargable by 1/2 hours after 1st hour
South Gloucestershire	£60.00	£60.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Discretional	P Driscoll, 22.07.10	£60 for the first two hours (set charge even if it only takes 30 mins) and then
West Sussex	£60.00	£60.00	Yes	No	Yes	Discretional	No	R. Salter, 22.07.10	We add on an additional £30.00 for every additional hour
Leicestershire	£64.00	£64.00						2009	
Birmingham	£65.00	£65.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	M. Hodder, 22.07.10	
East Sussex	£65.00	£65.00						2009	
Kent	£65.00	£65.00	No	No	Yes	Some*	No	B. Croxford, 02.09.10	Priority rate of £140. *Utilities without Service Level Agreements. Charged VAT until Sept 2010, when legal team advised not to.
Greater Manchester	£75.00	£75.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Discretional	L. Mitchell, 22.07.10	Previously we did not charge those who visited the office. We introduced a charge for [commercial] visitors in April this year.
Oxfordshire	£75.00	£75.00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	S. Lisk, 22.07.10	By 1 Sept, rates are same for in-house/remote consultations
Tees	£77.00	£77.00	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	P. Rowe, 23.07.10	Chargable by 1/2 hours after 1st hour
Black Country	£40.00	£80.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	M. Shaw, 22.07.10	
Buckinghamshire	£45.00	£90.00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	J. Wise, 22.07.10	Chargable by 1/2 hours after 1st hour. Additional £45 for priority search.
West Yorkshire	£90.00	£90.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	J. Dodds, 22.07.10	charge is for 1 hour of officer time and the visitor may stay as long a necessary. Following this £45 per 1/2 hour. Maximum charge of £675 per day.
Worcester City	£93.62	£93.62	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	S. Payne-Lunn, 22.07.10	Priority rate of £220 inclusive of VAT
Durham CC	£95.00	£95.00						2009	£25 per hour after the first hour.
Lancashire	£100.00	£100.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	K Davies, 22.07.10	
North Lincolnshire	£100.00	£100.00	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	A. Williams, 22.07.10	£53.00 per each subsequent hours
Gloucestershire	£122.00	£122.00	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	A Keith Elliott, 22.07.10	
North Yorkshire	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
North York Moors	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
South Yorkshire Archaeological Service	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Nottingham	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Coventry	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Sandwell	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Shropshire	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Colchester	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Peterborough	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Southend	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Canterbury	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Hampshire	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Chichester	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Isle of Wight	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Oxford City	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Portsmouth	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Surrey	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Bath and NE Somerset	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Cornwall and Scilly	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Gloucester City	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
North Somerset	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Wiltshire	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		
Lincolnshire	?	?	?	?	?	?	?		