

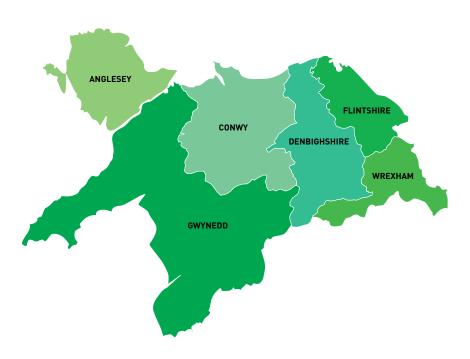




# social value charter 2017

# **SOCIAL VALUE CHARTER**

The North Wales Police & Crime Commissioner (NWPCC) has developed this **voluntary social value charter** to help capture the spirit of delivering social, economic environmental and cultural wellbeing to the North Wales Region and to add to the reputational value of its suppliers. The charter applies to contracts predominantly below £50,000 where suppliers voluntarily commit to supporting NWPCC's social value agenda in a proportionate way.



### The Public Services Social Value Act 2012

In conjunction with The Public Services (Social Value) Act 2012; The Well-being of Future Generations Act 2015 and The Modern Slavery Act 2015 the North Wales Police & Crime Commissioner (NWPCC) aims to create sustainable and safer communities, build a stronger economy, reduce energy consumption and create a vibrant and responsible North Wales and is committed to Social Value and will endeavor to ensure that social, economic, environmental and cultural issues are considered during all stages of our commissioning and procurement process and as part of the whole life cost of a contract. NWPCC aims to secure Improvements in Social Capital such as citizenship, neighbourliness, social networks and civic participation.



The Police and Crime Commissioner is responsible for maintaining an efficient and effective police service for North Wales. It is vital that effective commissioning is in place to ensure all partner agencies and suppliers play their role in building safer and stronger communities.

NWPCC and NWP believes that if a supplier has the opportunity to secure business in North Wales, then they also have a responsibility to do their bit for the Region.







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# The Charter in Action

The charter is a voluntary code of practice which invites suppliers to offer what they see as fit and proportionate in accordance with the work they are carrying out, with some examples of **what people have been doing** listed below, which range from offering work experience and volunteering opportunities to sponsoring local sports teams and supporting food banks.

# What people have been doing?















- Mentoring and work experience opportunities for young or unemployed people
- Sponsoring local sports team or organising events and competitions
- Giving your time and expertise to support community projects
- Donating materials or loaning equipment to support community projects
- Supporting Staff or Communities to learn and speak the Welsh Language
- Employing volunteers giving them the opportunity to gain valuable work experience
- Planting and maintaining trees and shrubs
- Supporting / donating to food banks



#### Signing up to the Charter

To sign up please follow the link to complete the **registration form**.



# What will I need to do?

An annual review of the charter will ask each supplier who has signed up to provide some basic statistical information on the voluntary social value(s) delivered in the past 12 months.



#### The Social Value Accreditation

In return for the good work you do not only will it strengthen your bid to win future business from NWP and NWPCC you could also be recognised with a Social Value "Gold, Silver or Bronze accreditation."