



South WalesFire and Rescue Service

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FOI REQUEST AND RESPONSE

Under the freedom of information act, Glyncoch Tenants & Residents Association would like to establish the number of fire equipment disposed of and where to, such as fire hoses, breathing apparatus, safety clothing, defibrillators, fire engines, ladders etc.:

Fire hoses - Metal ends are re-used, hose is scrapped

Breathing Apparatus - Cylinders are re-used, other working parts are re-used. Any part which cannot be used is returned to supplier.

Safety clothing - If unworn then we will re-use. Used kit is donated to Fire Fighters Charity

Defibrillators - We have never had call to dispose of our defibrillators

Fire Engines - These are either sent to auction or donated to Fire Aid. In 2017/2018 one rescue tender was auctioned and 3 Water Tenders were donated to Fire Aid.

Ladders - If ladders are in working use then they are donated through Fire Aid. Anything which is unusable is scrapped for income.