

From: EIR Compliance

To:

Subject: 2026010 – EIR – Data Supplied

Date: 10 June 2026 12:18:00

Reference Number: **EIR**

Dear

I refer to your request for information submitted to Yorkshire Water dated 14 May regarding:

“1. The most recent CCTV condition survey footage for the main Wyke Beck culvert passing beneath Primrose Valley and the Halton Deans site. If releasing the raw video files is not possible due to file size or policy restrictions, please provide the written surveyor notes, condition reports, or transcripts derived from these surveys. A series of individual frame grabs from a video would also be most gratefully received if filesize is problematic for video footage transfer.

2. The current asset register descriptions, including pipe material and profile (e.g., circular concrete, corrugated steel arch, brick), for this specific stretch of the culvert and its depth.

3. Any maintenance logs or engineering records detailing structural replacements or upgrades to this specific section of the culvert from its original installation to the present day.”

We wrote to you on the 22 May with the following in order to clarify details of your request:

"In discussing your request with the business we are currently unable to respond to your request as we require additional information to look into your request further.

- 1. Are there any identifiers that you can provide to help us locate the asset such as: 'what three words' location / street name / grid reference*

This information is required to help us carry out accurate searches of our records to identify if we hold any of the information you have requested."

You confirmed on the 2 June the following clarification:

*"The centre point of the area that I'm interested in is located at
///slope.gladiators.stone under a What3words reference.*

I am particularly interested to know if the original brick "springer" culvert that was constructed to channel Wyke Beck under the former landfill area (possibly around the 1920s) is still present, if it was replaced with a new structure or if there is a combination of both the original river culvert and a modern sewer pipe that run along that course."

Please see our response below:

In relation to the Wyke Beck culvert, the data protection team have conversed with the business and have established we do not hold any of the requested data as this is not a Yorkshire Water Asset. As such for the purposes of paragraph 12(4) a public authority may refuse to disclose information to the extent that (a) it does not hold that information when an applicant's request is received.

We can confirm that we have a combined sewer that is adjacent to, but is not contained within the culvert.

I trust that the provision of this data satisfies your request. In accordance with the Environmental Information Regulations 2004, if you are not satisfied with this reply to your request you can ask for an internal review. A request for an internal review must be submitted within 40 working days by contacting the Data Protection Team.

Thank you for contacting Yorkshire Water.

Yours sincerely,

Data Protection Team

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