

Requisitioning a Watermain

Watermains are pipes that distribute and supply water to a number of buildings in an area and are owned and maintained by Northern Ireland Water. If you are constructing more than one property and your development is not adjacent to an existing watermain, it is likely that you will need to requisition a new watermain prior to applying for water connections.

Requisitioning procedures are also applicable when developers require the provision of watermains to service new development. Mains can be provided in full by Northern Ireland Water or the developer can assist in the provision of new watermains within the development by undertaking agreed works such as excavation, bedding, backfill and reinstatement of trenches.

Further information and an application form are available.

- **Application for Watermain Requisition WR1-A076**
- **Guidance Notes for making a Requisition of a Watermain WR2-A076**