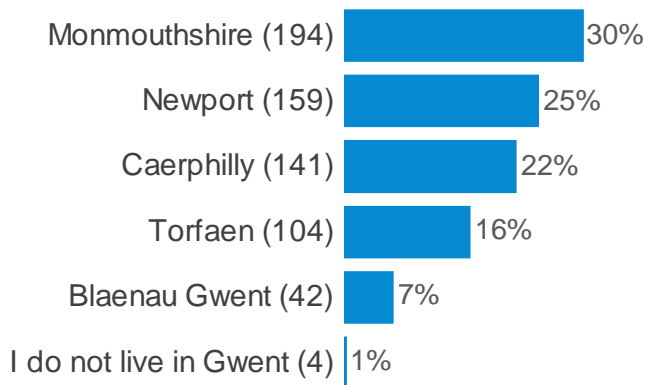
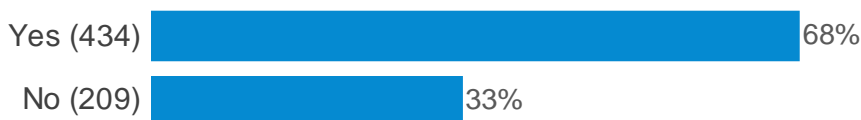


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Which Gwent local authority do you live in?**Do you know who your Police and Crime Commissioner is?****Do you know what the Police and Crime Commissioner's office does?****Would you like to receive the Police and Crime Commissioner's weekly ebuletin featuring news, opinions and activities of his Office?**

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Increasing demands are placed upon the Police and these cannot be satisfied without proper funding. Politicians should not play games with police funding figures. The current political climate is likely to increase the workload for the Police.

I'm on low income

My property is in Band I. We already pay £3,700 per annum Council Tax. Enough is enough. The only police presence I recall seeing in the village is the so-called "Safety Vehicle" with its speed camera. Even then that's at an inappropriate time - not in the morning or even

I have personally seen an increase to my council tax of £300 over the last few years (Newport council tax has been raised by 5% on two occasions). I would have no problem with £2 per month additional council tax for police funding but this is based on band D or less. No doubt

I believe it should be the main government to ensure money given to each police force is sufficient to cover all aspects of running the force. It is not the people who should be 'taxed' to pay for shortfalls. The direction the police forces are heading to this day and age is

Whilst I think it is vital that our Police are properly funded, in principle I do not think the local community should be expected to pay more for the current gap in funding that has arisen from overly enthusiastic reductions by national Government. Given the uncertainty o

We have lived in Penhow..NP26 . We never see any evidence of police presence or activity in our area, so cannot support any increase in funding. Sorry..

More people on the beat solving proper crime .Less worrying about cars (speeding parking) plenty of people for that

Council Tax is HIGH ENOUGH as it is. If Council didn't waste some of it's money, more could go to the Police.

I can't afford this on top of what the council tax goes up each year as this alone outstrips the small increase in my annual income. Each year I am worse off and need to make cuts to reduce bills. I don't go on holiday, I don't send xmas cards or give presents. Those who are

I would if I could see the effects of increased policing levels locally. I were aware that local issues were being reported and action was being taken by the local police.

I don't feel we get value for money with the police. A simple thing of being able to talk to an officer is impossible. The closure of Abergavenny station has taken any possible face to face service. Having a part time office now located in the town centre is completely unacce

I have tried to report an online crime of persistent incitement to violence in the comments section of the South Wales Argus after they have failed to act in removing said incitements. There doesn't seem to be any easy way of doing it as I do not use Twitter or Facebook. This

as long as it goes on policing and not wasted by the council

Every year the same story, requests for more money - but nothing changes! In the valleys the police presence is a rare sight, and response to a problem even rarer. PCSO's seem to have disappeared, and the police don't seem to have any interest in responding to break-ins, lo

If our police service needs this we must provide it. They are struggling enough with short numbers having been cut so drastically.

Some one has to and it's not going to be the government

Until the Police resume a traditional policing role I will not support any increase. Far too much time resource and money is spent on issues that are periphery to a reasonable definition of policing. Searching for things to be offended by that can be labelled a hate crime of

As long as it resulted in more visible policing in communities like ours in caldicot then i would happily pay another £2 a month.

We pay £15 per car a year for parking permits which isn't residential only. If someone is in our parking space then we have to park elsewhere away from our property. Therefore we suggest you use the £15 towards funding the extra Police.

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Gwent has already turned Caerphilly into practically a no police zone. Caerphilly finding seems to be used for other areas, particularly Newport. I do not agree to additional funding as this will not benefit Caerphilly basin area. I would go as far as saying that police in

I don't this increase because we pay £122 a month already in council tax for an area in Newport which is not very nice, it is loud and dirty, full of strange people, day and night. We had a neighbour playing loud music at 2:00 am - I phone the council's neighbourhood wardens,

I am happy to pay more for policing in my area as there are so many issues that are not being dealt with. for instance, myself and many others have been complaining about the 'boy-racers' who are making residents lives a misery. Every night from 11pm - 6am ALL night (for fou

Council Tax for Band D properties in Blaenau Gwent has increased significantly over the past few years - I don't have exact figures to hand, but I believe the increase to be in the region of £20/month over the past 7-8years. For this, I can honestly say that residents have o

Police force should be recruited from people who are strong, kind and caring who would respond the same way irrespective race, religion, disability, etc.

Absolutely not. I pay £2200 per year for my council tax. This will go up anyway next year and you want to add more to it. It is a really big chunk of my pension and I do not even get my bins emptied each week! The government has pledged more money for the police -that is where

I think we pay enough tax and council tax

I like many others are struggling to pay existing council tax charges. I believe the council should allocate extra funds for policing from current council tax income. There must be provision when it can spend millions on a protracted legal battle against its own member of s

What is the annual wage for the pcc

I would gladly pay an extra £2 to the police. I would not trust our politicians to direct that money to the police, I feel they would cream those additional funds off for their mamby pamby hair brained useless projects.

Yes if we move away from what the police do not deal with to how can I help you.

Once said yes but change of mind now. Just poor value for money. Hear so many experiences of poor attitude and service. Why chuck good money after bad.

I Keep repeating myself I am a 85 year old pensioner on a state pension we don't see any police here in Chepstow and you keep asking for more money no I definitely don't want any increase in band D council tax

Why should I pay more when Welsh Labour waste money on idiotic projects. They've pulled the money from the M4 relief road so they got plenty in the pot. How many of Gwent Police worked and supported the Climate and Rebellion protests sorry but we pay a ridiculous amount of t

There needs to be a wholly strategic approach to policing - maybe based on a Wales-wide view of what is needed. I see little evidence of a proactive preventative approach and a reactive focused model that won't resolve any problems. If the demands upon policing are austerity

Think we pay enough council tax

We pay enough

I would support the principle of a £2 a month increase as long as we could be certain the money went from our council tax directly to the police.

Subject to this amount being ring fenced to Police budget.

I feel that it is important to try to keep police levels or if possible to increase them.

No - I believe policing should be funded sufficiently by UK government instead, by ensuring big businesses pay a fair share of tax. I am not willing to accept this continued shifting of the burden onto members of the public, who are being increasingly squeezed in so many ways

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Do away with the police commissioner making more savings

If the UK government is increasing the number of officers why do the tax payers have to pay more council tax? Sounds a lot like 50,000 extra nurses lie.

Senior officers suspended, officer guilty of misconduct because of abusive domineering controlling behaviour, 'boys club', detective ruining criminal trial; no more money until the force is cleaned up and PCC stops going to every fringe meeting while ignoring real concerns of c

See lots of 'PR', attending meetings by your office, but not much changes re community concerns. The minority but 'sexy' issues are being given full attention, but ask questions about what affects the ordinary resident is met with 'that's operational, can't interfere'. Sort ou

As a pensioner I look to save money not gift it to something which should be funded by government.

The current budget requires realignment to concentrate on basic policing and providing support and reassurance to the law abiding majority. The work could be done with less middle management and senior civil staff. Too much is spent at present on politically correct and van

THIS IS AT LEAST THE THIRD TIME WE HAVE BEEN ASKED THIS QUESTION CONCERNING THE £2 INCREASE, WE AGREE, IS IT ENOUGH?

Individuals have also faced a cut in their real term income. There is definite point where individuals cannot sustain year on year increase especially those whose income is diminishing in real terms. This exercise, evidence by previous year consultations, is fait accompli. In

Good luck

having suffered a robbery where the standard of policing was very low I would not like to pay any more for what I consider to be a dysfunctional force that does not arrest known criminals who are caught on camera acting very suspiciously unless it can be proved beyond reasona

Depending on what the priorities are.

Your force is a laughing stock. You have senior officers suspended on full pay costing the taxpayers huge sums of money. That will continue for months as you always drag it out. The operational coverage is a joke. The commissioners office is just a gravy train. Get rid of tha

I'm sure we saw a similar request last year but haven't heard whether or not it happened and, if it did, what was the impact. We have lost our police station in Abergavenny and were told the Fire Station would be enhanced to accommodate the Police - it is a good idea to have

We pay enough already.

I support the suggestion.

Our council tax has gone up last year. We never seen police patrolling in our road at all

Law and order are fundamental to society and communities, therefore should be funded from central government. Council tax payers are already paying more for less services like street cleaning etc.

Rwy'n credu bod yn bwysig i o leiaf gadw darpariaeth plismona ar y lefelau presennol.

We desperately need more funding for policing. I am in full support.

Ar ba sylfaen ydych chi'n gofyn am yr arian ychwanegol? Yr ydych chi wedi codi'r dreth pob blwyddyn o'ch llywodraethu heb ganlyniad gweladwy. Cyn gallai cefnogi unrhyw arian newydd, dw i eisiau gweld addawon cadarn yn esbonio sut byddech chi yn gwella'r gwasanaeth gwael sydd

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Police is a national police not local police. Stop promoting corrupt officers and we will save money. Local people in Newport are willing to do the work as police workers in our local community. We belief in prevention. You can not have criminals in the police and expert more

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Diolch am y gwasanaeth Cymraeg

Pam fod angen fwy o bres? Mae Boris am dalu

I understand that Central government has underfunded the Police force to dangerous levels and that a well funded forces are vital. However, the police in the part of Newport I reside are non-existent. Drug dealers openly peddle their wares in the street with impunity, witness

Only if the following applies: 1. The money is spent on more Police Officers and Specials. 2. The money is NOT used on funding more PCSO positions. Whilst the individuals who work in the role try their best, the position of PCSO is failed. They only command respect from the

Only if this was used to keep front line officers and there was an internal task force to stop money being wasted.

I would be prepared to pay more Council Tax for better services from the Local Authority and from the Police. I would be happy to pay far more than £2 per month in order to achieve this despite my wage being the UK average of £30,000, as is that of my wife.

Gwent Police are a joke. They ware millions.

We never see a policeman! Parking enforcement has been offloaded onto County Councils so they need an increase to provide provision for that. The Country needs to get tougher on crime so offenders are less likely to cause trouble. You need to work smarter and more efficient

Stop paying police officers top pay to do admin work. This is a waste of money and officer resources

We already pay tax and council tax. Instead of paying high salaries for councillors, commissioners and the running of huge new police stations and council buildings, start thinking how you can manage your budgets like the rest of us. people do not have bottomless pockets of m

Just can't afford any more

I object to paying more for a service that is in my opinion is not fit for purpose. We rarely see, never mind speak to a police officer, in my part of Newport which is close to the city, on the odd occasion I have spoke about matters affecting me was told to see a special (co

We were asked a similar question last year but I don't remember being told whether it was granted and if it was what it was used for - before another increase I think people should know the answer. There is little point paying more money if we aren't getting value for money a

£2 a month. Please miss can I have more!!!! I've just cut my mobile bill from £12.00 a month to £9.00 a month to save £3.00. Every penny counts and you know want 66% of my saving!!! Why do I see so many illegal number plates on the road - completely blatantly obvious that t

As a retired Met police officer, with ten years operational policing in both Uniform and Detective units, I think the Office of PCC, and its supporting staff, along with operating costs, salaries, expenses, transport costs, etc., should be disbanded. The resultant, extensive,

Would agree to higher charge if this was evidenced by evidenced on the streets by more officers taking action on what may be considered minor crime but indicates to all that our laws are being enforced. The present motoring offences that are ignored is a good example.

As long as the money was ring fenced for policing

I would hope that some of that extra money could be used to improve ease of communication with police officers at face to face level, by phone and by text and email. The closure of local stations has made the force seem remote. In fact the only reasonably reliable quick metho

I would support a higher increase as the police do not have enough of the overall council tax budget. Like most things if you want a service you have to pay for it.

My answer is based on a clear need for more visible and proactive policing. Too often my perception is that policing is reactive following a crime having been committed and the victims having to deal with outcomes. How much time is spent on fringe activities rather than enfor

plus would opt for a voluntary donation if it went to this purpose

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Absolutely essential to increase to help maintain or indeed raise current policing levels.....I would certainly agree to this increase.

I do not agree with increased charges. Money can be saved on vanity projects, entertainment and hospitality. As an OAP on limited income I have had to learn to live economically and within budget. Your vague about £2 a month on a low band property is an a clever manipulation

I think it is absolutely a good idea - not only to help our police, but also to involve and demonstrate the value of local opinion. I really do hope you advertise it as much as you can - in local papers, on the local radio etc. So that as many people as possible are made awa

I would support an increase in funding if the issue of domestic abuse treated more even-handedly with regard to men. It seems that the focus is on abuse of women whereas men are very much at risk, more especilly where a man can so easily be accused of rape in a revenge

The £2.00 average a month is well worth the money to sustain an adequate police force. NO MORE CUT BACKS.

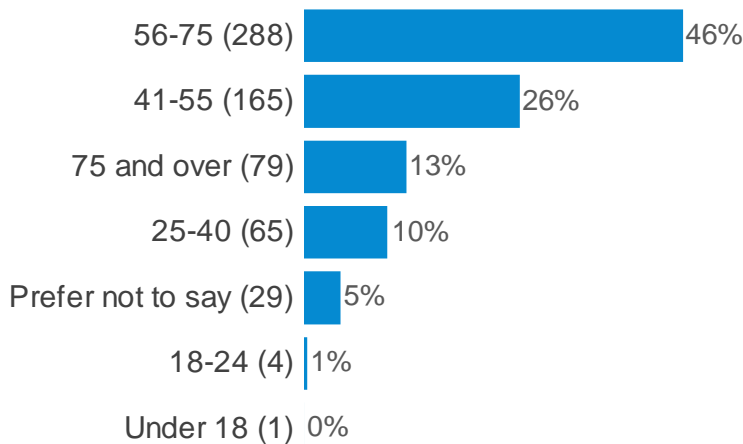
Government should fund this. As an oap I don't know where you expect us to come up with extra money. If government took a reduction in their obscene salaries you would not have to ask such a question.

I'm supportive of policing work however unsure of reasoning for extra funds for policing when council tax bills are already high, also central government has indicated they will be funding more police officers

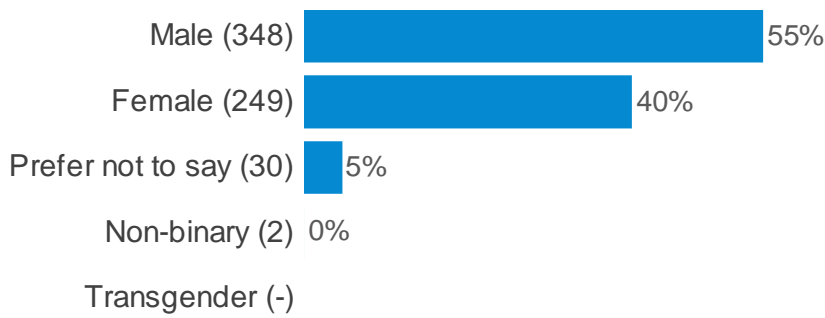
We have to be prepared to pay for improvements- politicians telling us they will cut taxes AND improve services are obviously not living in the real world!?

I would, however the Commissioner MUST provide assurances that NO MORE of our Police Stations will be closed and sold off. The sale of Abergavenny Police Station is a disgrace and should never of happened!

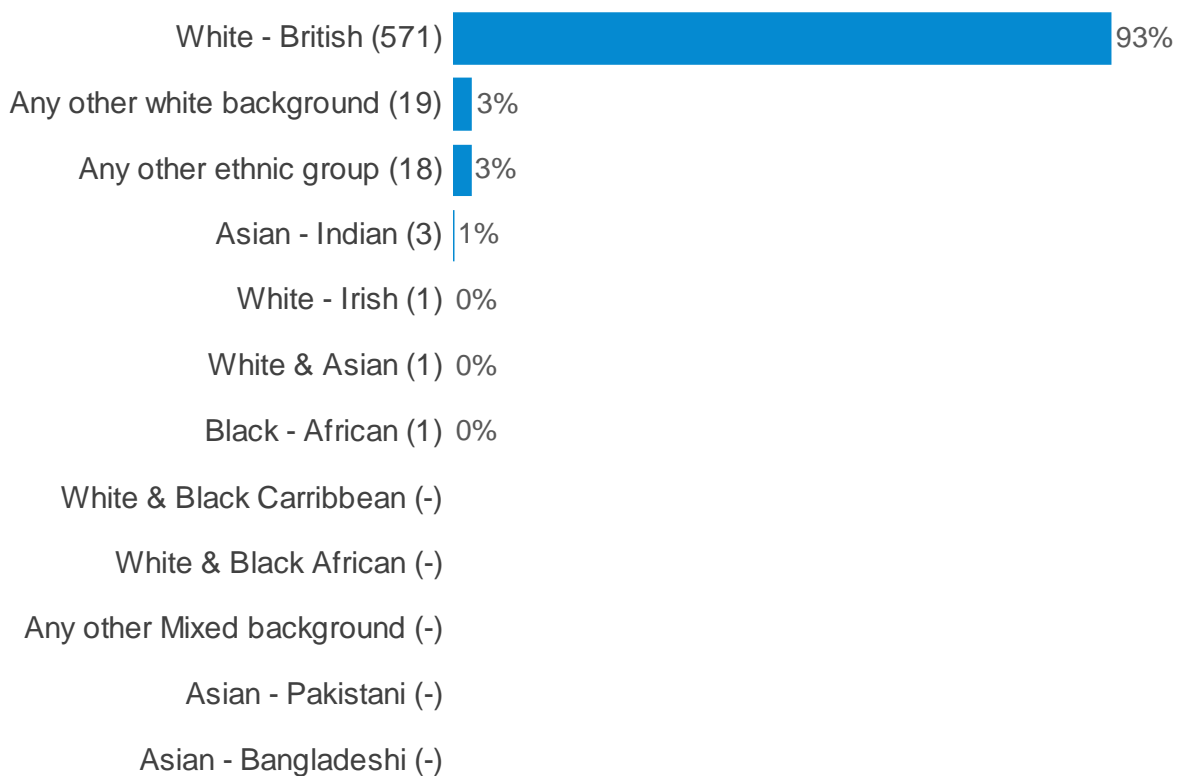
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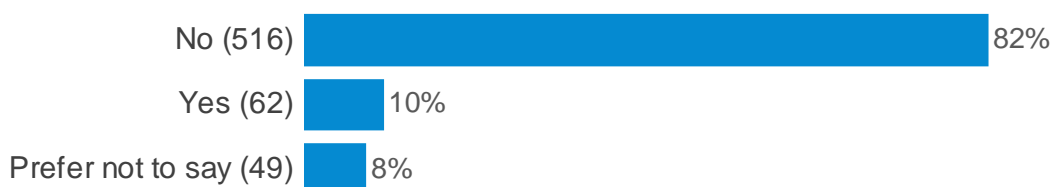
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What is your ethnicity?



Are you disabled?



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What is your sexual orientation?

