

DRAINAGE RATES AND SPECIAL LEVIES FOR 2025/26

AS REQUIRED by Section 48(2) of the Land Drainage Act 1991, the Board gives notice as follows:-

1. On the 16th January 2025 the Board made the following Drainage Rates:

Main Area:	10.494p in the pound (£)
Differentially Rated Area:	1.651p in the pound (£)

in respect of agricultural land and/or agricultural buildings in their district to raise £541,241 of their expenditure for the financial year ending on the 31 March 2026.

2. Also on the 16th January 2025 the Board made a Special Levy of £2,582,096 on the following billing authorities:

Main Area:

King's Lynn & West Norfolk Borough Council	£2,428,924
Fenland District Council	£103,411
South Holland District Council	£31,016

Differentially Rated Area:

King's Lynn & West Norfolk Borough Council	£7,393
Fenland District Council	£11,352

to raise the balance of their expenditure for the same year.

Dated 23rd Day of January 2025.

P J CAMAMILE
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

Pierpoint House, 28 Horsley's Fields,
KINGS LYNN, Norfolk, PE30 5DD.

**KING'S LYNN INTERNAL DRAINAGE BOARD ("the Board")
 LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1991 ("THE ACT") AND THE INTERNAL DRAINAGE BOARDS (FINANCE) REGULATIONS 1992
 DRAINAGE RATES AND SPECIAL LEVIES FOR THE MAIN AREA: FROM 1 APRIL 2025 TO 31 MARCH 2026**



On the 16th day of January 2025 the Board resolved as follows:-

1. That in respect of the financial year ending 31st March 2026 the proportions of expenditure to be raised by drainage rates with regard to agricultural land and/or buildings and by special levies on local billing authorities are 17.37% (£538,947) and 82.63% (£2,563,351) respectively.
2. That the proportions between the local billing authorities of the amount to be raised by special levies are as set out below, against the special levy for each local billing authority.
3. To make the drainage rates and special levies set out below and that the seal of the Board be affixed to those drainage rates and special levies.

	DRAINAGE RATE			SPECIAL LEVIES	
	p	p		£	%
New Works and Improvement Works	11.095		Fenland District Council	£103,411	3.333%
Contributions to the Environment Agency	0.625		King's Lynn & West Norfolk Borough Council	£2,428,924	78.294%
Maintenance Works	9.251		South Holland District Council	£31,016	1.000%
Administration and Other Expenses	1.316	22.287			
LESS:-					
Government Grants	6.765				
Contributions from the Environment Agency	0.165				
Other Income	2.542	9.472			
		12.815			
Add/(deduct) for adjustment of balances		(2.321)			
		10.494		£2,563,351	82.63%

THE COMMON SEAL of the Board is affixed in the presence of:-

B LONG
CHAIRMAN

P J CAMAMILE
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

CERTIFICATE

I certify as follows:-

1. That the drainage rate has been made before 15th February, as required by section 40(4) of the Act and in the manner prescribed by regulation 2 of The Drainage Rate (Forms) Regulations 1993.
2. That notice of the drainage rates and special levies has been given on the 23rd January 2025, as required by section 48(2) of the Act and affixed to the front door of the Board's office at Pierpoint House, 28 Horsley's Fields, King's Lynn, Norfolk, PE30 5DD, in accordance with section 48(3) of the Act as amended by section 87 (Schedule 9(6)(2)) of the Water Act 2014.
3. That the special levies have been issued to the billing authorities on the 23rd day of January 2025 and are payable in two equal instalments on 1 May and on 1 November next.
4. That a register containing the individual drainage hereditaments has been prepared and maintained in the prescribed form, together with a map showing the wherabouts of those hereditaments, in accordance with section 52(1) of the Act and the Registers of Drainage Boards Regulations 1968.
5. That drainage rates and special levies are beyond the scope of Vat, in accordance with the rules specified from time to time by HMRC.

P J CAMAMILE
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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 LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1991 ("THE ACT") AND THE INTERNAL DRAINAGE BOARDS (FINANCE) REGULATIONS 1992
 DRAINAGE RATES AND SPECIAL LEVIES FOR THE DIFFERENTIALLY RATED AREA: FROM 1 APRIL 2025 TO 31 MARCH 2026**



On the 16th day of January 2025 the Board resolved as follows:-

1. That in respect of the financial year ending 31st March 2026 the proportions of expenditure to be raised by drainage rates with regard to agricultural land and/or buildings and by special levies on local billing authorities are 10.90% (£2,294) and 89.10% (£18,745) respectively.
2. That the proportions between the local billing authorities of the amount to be raised by special levies are as set out below, against the special levy for each local billing authority.
3. To make the drainage rates and special levies set out below and that the seal of the Board be affixed to those drainage rates and special levies.

	<u>DRAINAGE RATE</u>			<u>SPECIAL LEVIES</u>	
	<u>p</u>	<u>p</u>		<u>£</u>	<u>%</u>
New Works and Improvement Works	0.000		Fenland District Council	£11,352	53.959%
Contributions to the Environment Agency	0.625		King's Lynn & West Norfolk Borough Council	£7,393	35.140%
Maintenance Works	0.000				
Administration and Other Expenses	1.316	1.941			
LESS:-					
Government Grants	0.000				
Contributions from the Environment Agency	0.000				
Other Income	0.000	0.000			
		1.941			
Add/(deduct) for adjustment of balances		(0.290)			
		1.651		£18,745	89.10%

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