

## **DRAINAGE RATES AND SPECIAL LEVIES FOR 2024/25**

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

1. On 16th January 2024 the Board made the following Drainage Rates:-

<b>Sub District</b>	<b>Rate</b>
Pevensey Levels	4.138 p
Cuckmere River	56.438 p

in respect of agricultural land and/or agricultural buildings in their district to raise £41,888 of their expenditure for the financial year ending on the 31st March 2025.

2. Also on the 16th January 2024 the Board made a special levy of £372,752 on:-

Eastbourne Borough Council	£280,258
Hastings Borough Council	£14,186
Rother District Council	£5,199
Wealden District Council	£73,109
	<hr/> £372,752

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

Dated 23rd Day of January 2024.

P J CAMAMILE  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

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

On the 16th day of January 2024 the Board resolved as follows:-

- | PEVENSEY LEVELS SUB DISTRICT              |       | DRAINAGE RATE |  |
|---|-------|---------------|--|
|   | p     | p             |  |
| New Works and Improvement Works           | 0.000 |               |  |
| Contributions to the Environment Agency   | 0.110 |               |  |
| Maintenance Works                         | 4.766 |               |  |
| Administration and Other Expenses         | 0.630 | 5.506         |  |
| LESS:-                                    |       |               |  |
| Government Grants                         | 0.000 |               |  |
| Contributions from the Environment Agency | 0.943 |               |  |
| Other Income                              | 0.425 | 1.368         |  |
|   |       | 4.138         |  |
| Add/(deduct) for adjustment of balances   |       | 0.000         |  |
|   |       | 4.138         |  |
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- | PEVENSEY LEVELS SUB DISTRICT |          | SPECIAL LEVIES |  |
|------------------------------|----------|----------------|--|
|                              | £        | %              |  |
| Eastbourne Borough Council   | £280,258 | 75.287%        |  |
| Hastings Borough Council     | £14,186  | 3.811%         |  |
| Rother District Council      | £5,199   | 1.397%         |  |
| Wealden District Council     | £56,307  | 15.126%        |  |
|                              | £355,950 | 95.62%         |  |

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

W GOWER  
CHAIRMAN

P J CAMAMILE  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

# 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 2024 as required by section 48(2) of the Act, by publishing the notice on the Board's website and affixing it to the front window of the Board's local office: c/o the Environment Agency Depot, 74 Coast Road, Pevensey, Eastbourne, East Sussex, BN24 6ND, 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 2024 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.

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CHIEF EXECUTIVE

**PEVENSEY AND CUCKMERE WATER LEVEL MANAGEMENT BOARD ("THE BOARD")  
LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1991 ("THE ACT") AND THE INTERNAL DRAINAGE BOARDS (FINANCE) REGULATIONS 1992  
DRAINAGE RATES AND SPECIAL LEVIES FOR 2024/25: FROM 1 APRIL 2024 TO 31 MARCH 2025**

On the 16th day of January 2024 the Board resolved as follows:-

1. That in respect of the financial year ending 31st March 2025 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 60.36% and 39.64% 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.

CUCKMERE RIVER SUB DISTRICT		DRAINAGE RATE		CUCKMERE RIVER SUB DISTRICT		SPECIAL LEVIES	
		p	p			£	%
Cuckmere River De-shingle and targeted Operations		30.028		Eastbourne Borough Council		£0	0.000%
Contributions to the Environment Agency		0.214		Hastings Borough Council		£0	0.000%
Maintenance Works		25.952		Rother District Council		£0	0.000%
Administration and Other Expenses		9.526	65.720	Wealden District Council		£16,802	39.639%
LESS:-							
Government Grants		0.000					
Contributions from the Environment Agency		2.284					
Other Income		6.998	9.282				
			56.438				
Add/(deduct) for adjustment of balances			0.000				
			56.438			£16,802	39.64%

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