

Vacancy

Finance & Rating Manager (Water Management Alliance)

Full-time Permanent Contract (37 hours per week) – based at King’s Lynn, Norfolk

Salary £60,000 to £65,000 pa (dependent upon Qualifications and Experience) plus attractive benefits package including:

- Access to the Local Government Pension Scheme (Norfolk Pension Fund)
- Private Medical Scheme
- 28 days holiday (rising to 33 days with continuous service), plus New Years Eve and Bank Holidays
- Modern Office
- Free Onsite Parking

An exciting opportunity has arisen for a Finance & Rating Manager to join the Water Management Alliance (WMA) Group of Internal Drainage Boards (IDBs). Internal Drainage Boards (“IDBs”) are local public authorities that manage flood risk and land drainage.

The **Water Management Alliance (WMA)** is a group of like-minded Internal Drainage Boards (IDBs) who share vision, values and standards and have chosen to jointly administer their affairs in order to reduce costs, strengthen their own organisations and increase influence at both regional and national level. An overview of the WMA can be found at: [WMA Promo Video 2022 - YouTube](#)

Internal Drainage Boards (“IDBs”) are local public authorities that manage flood risk and land drainage within areas of special drainage need in England. IDBs undertake a vast range of vital work to reduce flood risk and manage water in a way that meets the local needs of residents, businesses and agriculture in accordance with their environmental duties whilst enhancing the ecological wellbeing of their districts.

The **Finance and Rating Team** within the Water Management Alliance provides all finance functions across the 7 Member Boards and WMA Consortium. These functions includes Sales Ledger, Purchase Ledger, Payroll, Month End, Year End and the collection of our Special Levies and Drainage Rates.

As Finance and Rating Manager you will be supporting the WMA Group’s Chief Financial Officer in meeting the team’s **key purpose** to provide a professional, effective, responsive and high profile financial management service that supports business planning. This post is responsible for the production of monthly financial management and costing information to budget holders. Information will be produced to both internal and statutory deadlines. You will work as part of a team to contribute to the continued growth in an established team, recognising and promoting best practice and high performance, and delivering consistent quality throughout the business.

For more information about the role or the WMA please see our website www.wlma.org.uk or contact Sallyanne Jeffrey on 01553 819600.

To apply, please submit your CV with a covering letter explaining why you are a suitable candidate to sallyanne.jeffrey@wlma.org.uk.

Closing date for receipt of applications: Monday 15 September 2025.