

LOWER SEVERN (2005) INTERNAL DRAINAGE BOARD
LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1991
DRAINAGE RATES AND SPECIAL LEVIES
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH 2027

On the 4th February 2026 the above-named Board resolved as follows:

1. That the proportions of their expenditure to be raised by drainage rates in respect of agricultural land and agricultural buildings and by special levies on charging authorities are 8.4% and 91.6% respectively.
2. That the proportions between the local charging authorities of the amount to be raised by special levies are set out against the special levy for each charging authority.
3. To make the drainage rates and special levies set out below and the seal of the Board to be affixed to drainage rates levies:

DRAINAGE RATES 2026/27

Amount of Drainage Rates for the year ending 31st March 2027 is 14.00p in the £ raising £180,252 @ 8.4% of total levies/rates

SPECIAL LEVIES 2026/27

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|---------------------------------|---------------|---------|-------------------------|
| Bristol City Council | £1,062,517.00 | @ 49.6% | of levies / rates total |
| South Gloucestershire Council | £477,437.00 | @ 22.3% | of levies / rates total |
| Stroud District Council | £226,150.00 | @ 10.6% | of levies / rates total |
| Gloucester City Council | £101,842.00 | @ 4.8% | of levies / rates total |
| Tewkesbury Borough Council | £10,351.00 | @ 0.5% | of levies / rates total |
| Malvern Hills Council | £2,363.00 | @ 0.1% | of levies / rates total |
| Herefordshire Council | £17,346.00 | @ 0.8% | of levies / rates total |
| Forest of Dean District Council | £64,554.00 | @ 2.9% | of levies / rates total |
| Levies Total | £1,962,558 | 91.6% | of levies / rates total |
| Total of rates and Levies | £2,142,811.00 | 100% | |

I certify the following:

1. Notices of drainage rate and special levies were given on the 4th February 2026 as required by S.48 of the Land Drainage Act 1991.
2. The special levies were issued on the 4th February 2026.
3. The common seal is affixed in the presence of:

Chairman

M Barnes

