

## WITHAM FIRST DISTRICT INTERNAL DRAINAGE BOARD

### LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1991

Land Drainage  
(Election of Internal Drainage Boards) Amendment  
Regulations 1997

### NOTICE OF ELECTION

1. Notice is hereby given that the day of the poll for the election of members of the Drainage Board for the several electoral districts of the above named Drainage District will, if a poll shall be necessary, be Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

2. The number of members of the Drainage Board (for the several electoral districts) is as follows:

<i>No.</i>	<i>Name of Electoral District</i>	<i>No. of Members</i>
1.	Sleaford	1
2.	Anwick	1
3.	Ruskington and Dorrington Fen	1
4.	Digby	1
5.	Billingham and North Kyme Fens	2
6.	Walcott and Dales Fen	2
7.	Timberland and Thorpe Fen	2
8.	Blankney and Martin Fen	3
9.	Metheringham and Dunston Fen	2
10.	Nocton and Branston Fen	3
11.	Heighington Fen and Lincoln	3

3. Each candidate for election must be nominated in writing and the nomination paper must be returned to me to be received at Witham House, Meadow Lane, North Hykeham, Lincoln, LN6 9GJ not later than 12 noon on Friday, 04<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

4. An elector may not sign more nomination papers than there are members to be elected for the electoral districts of Witham First District Internal Drainage District.

5. Nomination Forms may be obtained free of charge from Witham House, Meadow Lane, North Hykeham, Lincoln, LN6 9GJ.

6. The above does not take into account the appointment of four members of the Drainage Board by City of Lincoln Council and four members by North Kesteven District Council, jointly appointed under Paragraph 6, Schedule 1 of the Land Drainage Act 1991. These members are not affected by this election.

Dated this 02<sup>nd</sup> day of September 2024.

Mrs. Jane Froggatt,  
Returning Officer & Chief Executive.

Witham House, Meadow Lane,  
North Hykeham,  
Lincoln  
LN6 9GJ.

N.B. Votes at the election of members of a Drainage Board may be given either personally or by deputy. A deputy shall be appointed in writing by the appointer either generally or in relation to a particular election, but they shall not be entitled to vote unless the instrument appointing them has been deposited at the office of the Drainage Board not later than the last day fixed for the receipt of nominations.