

POLICY REVIEW AND DEVELOPMENT PANEL REPORT

REPORT TO:	Environment and Community Panel		
DATE:	21 st February 2023		
TITLE:	Update on the Work Ely Drainage Boards		
TYPE OF REPORT:	Update on the work of IDB's		
PORTFOLIO(S):	Leader		
OPEN		WILL BE SUBJECT TO A FUTURE CABINET REPORT:	No

REPORT SUMMARY/COVER PAGE

PURPOSE OF REPORT/SUMMARY:	
<p>At the Meeting representatives from the Internal Drainage Board will provide the Panel with an update on the work of their organisation. This report provides brief background information in advance of the meeting.</p>	
BACKGROUND:	
<p>Full Council appoints four Members to serve on Internal Drainage Boards for a four year period.</p> <p>Ely Drainage Boards cover the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - East of Ouse, Polver and the Nar - Downham and Stow Bardolph - Littleport and Downham - Southery and District - Stringsides - Stoke Ferry. <p>Council representatives on the above Internal Drainage Boards are:</p>	
East of Ouse, Polver and the Nar	C J Crofts, P Gidney, G Hipperson, M Howland, C Joyce, J Kirk, B Long, S Nash, C Rose, D Whitby and 1 vacancy
Downham and Stow Bardolph	C J Crofts, S Patel, D Tyler and Mr S Calton (external)
Littleport and Downham	A White (external)
Southery and District	A Holmes, M Peake, C Sampson, M Storey, D Whitby, A White (external) and 1 vacancy
Stringsides	A Holmes
Stoke Ferry	C J Crofts, A Holmes, B Long, C Sampson, D Tyler, D Whitby, A White (external) and 1 vacancy
<p>More information on the work of the drainage boards is available at Ely Group of Internal Drainage Boards – The Drainage Office, Main St, PRICKWILLOW, Nr Ely, Cambridgeshire, CB7 4UN Tel. (01353) 688296 (elydrainageboards.co.uk)</p>	

RECOMMENDATIONS:

To note the work of the Internal Drainage Boards and any other recommendations that the Panel feel are appropriate.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS:

To ensure that the Council are kept up to date and involved in the work of Outside Bodies.