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Defra funding for Lead Local Flood Authorities in England for 2014-15

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Funding allocation

Funding for Lead Local Flood Authorities (LLFAs) to carry out their new duties under the Flood and Water Management Act 2010 is set out under a new burdens agreement between Defra and the Department for Communities and Local Government.

Since April 2013 the funding is provided to LLFAs through their settlement funding assessment (SFA)¹ and a Local Services Support Grant (LSSG). This funding is not ring fenced and local authorities are free to decide how much to spend in the light of other local priorities. **Table 1** below shows the LSSG allocations to each LLFA for 2014-15. The settlement funding assessment for each LLFA for 2014-15 is given in the following table on the government's website:

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/277428/Breakdown_of_SFA_-_FINAL.xls

Other funding used by local authorities on flood and coastal erosion risk management

In addition to the above LLFA funding, local authorities including County Councils, Unitary Authorities and District Authorities can fund other flood and coastal erosion management and drainage activity from their BRR and RSG allocation. This other expenditure on flooding and coastal erosion activity by councils is reported on the following webpage:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/local-authority-capital-expenditure-and-receipts-in-england-2012-to-2013-final-outturn>

¹ SFA includes Business Rates Retention (BRR) and Revenue Support Grant (RSG).

Table 1: LSSG allocations to each LLFA for 2014-15

Lead Local Flood Authorities funding via LSSG	
Authority	Of which to be paid via LSSG (£m)
Barking & Dagenham	0.041
Barnet	0.078
Barnsley	0.027
Bath & North East Somerset UA	0.056
Bedford	0.054
Bexley	0.073
Birmingham	0.165
Blackburn with Darwen UA	0.032
Blackpool UA	0.023
Bolton	0.035
Bournemouth UA	0.022
Bracknell Forest UA	0.033
Bradford	0.077
Brent	0.083
Brighton & Hove UA	0.108
Bristol UA	0.093
Bromley	0.111
Buckinghamshire	0.180
Bury	0.041
Calderdale	0.094
Cambridgeshire	0.184
Camden	0.086
Central Bedfordshire UA	0.066
Cheshire East UA	0.052
Cheshire West & Chester UA	0.065
City of London	0.015
City of Nottingham UA	0.079
Cornwall	0.161
Coventry	0.061
Croydon	0.112
Cumbria	0.178
Darlington UA	0.014
Derby City UA	0.051
Derbyshire	0.208
Devon	0.341

Doncaster	0.108
Dorset	0.153
Dudley	0.046
Durham	0.070
Ealing	0.058
East Riding of Yorkshire UA	0.184
East Sussex	0.168
Enfield	0.086
Essex	0.380
Gateshead	0.021
Gloucestershire	0.184
Greenwich	0.113
Hackney	0.073
Halton UA	0.020
Hammersmith & Fulham	0.172
Hampshire	0.344
Haringey	0.075
Harrow	0.051
Hartlepool UA	0.018
Havering	0.078
Herefordshire UA	0.070
Hertfordshire	0.341
Hillingdon	0.058
Hounslow	0.072
Isle of Wight UA	0.035
Islington	0.084
Kensington & Chelsea	0.076
Kent	0.490
Kingston upon Hull UA	0.293
Kingston upon Thames	0.037
Kirklees	0.100
Knowsley	0.017
Lambeth	0.141
Lancashire	0.316
Leeds	0.125
Leicester City UA	0.098
Leicestershire	0.151
Lewisham	0.118
Lincolnshire	0.451
Liverpool	0.067
Luton UA	0.051
Manchester	0.084
Merton	0.061
Middlesbrough UA	0.022
Milton Keynes UA	0.037
Newcastle upon Tyne	0.030

Newham	0.129
Norfolk	0.311
North East Lincolnshire UA	0.114
North Lincolnshire UA	0.075
North Somerset UA	0.121
North Tyneside	0.018
North Yorkshire	0.204
Northamptonshire	0.140
Northumberland	0.071
Nottinghamshire	0.228
Oldham	0.039
Oxfordshire	0.167
Peterborough UA	0.030
Plymouth UA	0.034
Poole UA	0.022
Portsmouth UA	0.066
Reading UA	0.049
Redbridge	0.051
Redcar & Cleveland UA	0.026
Richmond upon Thames	0.071
Rochdale	0.050
Rotherham	0.036
Rutland UA	0.009
Salford	0.044
Sandwell	0.055
Scilly	0.005
Sefton	0.038
Sheffield	0.086
Shropshire	0.089
Slough UA	0.040
Solihull	0.031
Somerset	0.273
South Gloucestershire UA	0.052
South Tyneside	0.018
Southampton UA	0.035
Southend-on-Sea UA	0.043
Southwark	0.255
St Helens	0.033
Staffordshire	0.190
Stockport	0.041
Stockton-on-Tees UA	0.022
Stoke-on-Trent UA	0.038
Suffolk	0.220
Sunderland	0.037
Surrey	0.375
Sutton	0.053

Swindon UA	0.033
Tameside	0.033
Telford and the Wrekin UA	0.025
The Medway Towns UA	0.077
Thurrock UA	0.068
Torbay UA	0.034
Tower Hamlets	0.128
Trafford	0.025
Wakefield	0.064
Walsall	0.041
Waltham Forest	0.060
Wandsworth	0.157
Warrington UA	0.049
Warwickshire	0.114
West Berkshire UA	0.060
West Sussex	0.234
Westminster	0.170
Wigan	0.064
Wiltshire	0.151
Windsor & Maidenhead UA	0.071
Wirral	0.045
Wokingham UA	0.033
Wolverhampton	0.047
Worcestershire	0.117
York UA	0.035
Total	15.000

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