

# Fight The Funding Cuts!

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## Your Waterways Are In Danger!



## This is NOW! - This is for REAL!

Get ready to see a whole lot more of this kind of thing around our waterways.

Waterways funding continues to be a major concern. The Inland Waterways Association is alarmed at the depth of the cut in grant-in-aid for British Waterways for next financial year (2010/11) from this year's available grant of £57.448m to just £47.848m, representing a reduction of over 16.7%.

We are concerned that the Environment Agency will receive similar treatment.

Underfunding of the waterways will result in inevitable deterioration in maintenance standards, affecting safety, and may lead to closure and dereliction of towpaths and lengths of canal – affecting nearby homes and property values as well as all waterway users such as you, whether you are a casual user or an enthusiast.

We must all defend our waterways system before it is too late.

## Don't Delay - Join The Campaign Now

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