

Financial Advisory Network

Financial arrangements for alternative service delivery vehicles

Webinar

9 July 2025, 9.30 am – 1pm
8 October 2025, 9.30 am – 1pm

Purpose

An introductory course aimed at meeting council's need to understand and prepare for the start-up and ongoing financial requirements of alternative service delivery vehicles such as companies. This session will prepare senior finance professionals to set up effective financial arrangements between the council and its alternative service delivery vehicles.

Learning Outcomes

This session will empower participants to:

- engage early in setting up financial arrangements for existing and new alternative service delivery vehicles;
- inform the organisation on financing arrangements for ASD vehicles; and
- better manage financial governance and reporting arrangements.

Who Will Benefit

Senior managers with an interest in exploring alternative service delivery vehicles. Corporate finance specialist involved in early discussions about the setup or reorganisation of non-core delivery vehicles such as local authority companies.

Programme

9:30 – 09:45

Introduction

House keeping

Participant poll and discussion of learning objectives

Outline of the session

9.45 – 10:15

Introduction to alternative service vehicles

Refresher on alternative service vehicles, their purpose, and prevalent structures in local government

10:15 – 11:15

Financing considerations

Start-up and ongoing financing

Subsidy control

11:15 – 11:30

Break

11:30 – 12:30

Financial governance arrangements

Tekal considerations

Shareholder support

Companies house requirements

12:30 – 12:45

Overview of financial reporting requirements

Introduction to group accounting requirements

Group boundaries – practical checks

12:45 – 13:00

Summary, Q&A and close

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