Local Government Performance Reporting Framework

FINPRO Professional Development Seminar

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The AGENDA

- The PROJECT
- The LEGISLATION
- The SUPPORT
- The FUTURE



The PROJECT



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Stage 1

Indicator Development

Oct 12 - Jun 13

Stage 2

Pilot Program

Jul 13 – Feb 14

Stage 3

Enabling Legislation

Aug 13 – Apr 14

Stage 4

Guidance and Support

Apr 14 – Jun 14

Stage 5

Data Collection

Jul 14 – Jun 15

Stage 6

Reporting

Jul 15 – Sep 15



The LEGISLATION



Final changes to the GOVERNANCE & MANAGEMENT CHECKLIST

- Checklist (New) Included 'procurement policy'
- Checklist (Special Committees) Removed
- Checklist (All) Date of operation changed to 'date of operation/review/establishment (as applicable) of current item'



Final changes to the SERVICE PERFORMANCE MEASURES

- Governance (1a) Includes special committees of council
- Pool Facilities (All) Now 'aquatic facilities'
- Pool Facilities (7a) EHOs changed to 'authorised officers' and applies only to 'council facilities'
- Animal Management (8a) Reporting of 'timeliness' measure delayed to 1 July 2015
- Food Safety (9a) Reporting of 'timeliness' measure delayed to 1 July 2015
- HACC (10a) Reporting of 'timeliness' measure delayed to 1 July 2015



Final changes to the SERVICE PERFORMANCE MEASURES

- HACC (10c) Direct cost now 'full cost' and from MAV
- MCH (11a) Changed to 'participation in first home visit'
- MCH (11c) Direct cost now 'full cost' and from MAV
- MCH (11d) Changed to 'participation in MCH service'



Final changes to the FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE MEASURES

- Definition of Rate Revenue Excludes 'special rates and special charges'
- Definition of Restricted Cash Includes cash set aside to fund carry forward capital works
- Specific Purpose Grants Removed
- Expenditure changed to 'expenses'



Final changes to the SUSTAINABLE CAPACITY MEASURES

Expenditure changed to 'expenses'



Final changes to the STRATEGIC RESOURCE PLAN

- Summary of Planned Capital Works Expenditure by LGMFR classification, expenditure type and funding source – Reporting delayed until 1 July 2015
- Statement of Human Resources Includes <u>all</u> staff
- Summary of Planned Human Resources Expenditure/ EFTs by organisational structure and employment type – Includes only <u>permanent</u> staff



Final changes to the BUDGET

- Statement of Human Resources Includes <u>all</u> staff
- Summary of Planned Human Resources Expenditure/ EFTs by organisational structure and employment type – includes only <u>permanent</u> staff
- Note listing grants by source, type, recurrent, nonrecurrent, operating and capital (new)



Final changes to the ANNUAL REPORT

- Report of Operations:
 - Service Performance Indicators, Measures and Results for 3 preceding years – Transitional provision for comparatives of 'timeliness' measures
 - Names/areas of officers reporting to the CEO –
 Changed to 'senior' officers
- Financial Statements:
 - Note listing grants by type, recurrent, non-recurrent, operating and capital – Include 'source' of grant



Key things to REMEMBER

- Annual Report 2013/14 current provisions apply
- Strategic Resource Plan 2014-18 new provisions apply
- <u>Budget 2014/15</u> new provisions apply except adoption date
- <u>Performance reporting</u> commences 1 Jul 2014



Review of 2014/15 BUDGETS

- Common issues
 - Services to be funded in the budget (not activities)
 - Initiatives and major initiatives (not KSAs)
 - Format of budgeted statements (LGMFR 13/14)
 - Detailed list of capital works by type/funding source
 - Summary of human resources by org structure
 - List of grants by type/source
 - Arithmetical errors
- Follow the <u>Model Budget</u>
- Complete the <u>Compliance Checklist</u>



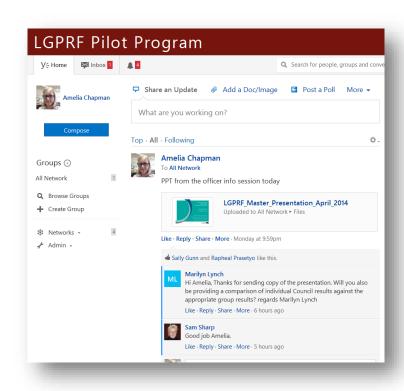
The SUPPORT



General SUPPORT

- Trial audits
- CEO reports
- Trial 2 comparative analysis
- Yammer
- Regional workshops







Guidance SUPPORT

Final

- Planning and reporting guide
- Strategic resource plan
- Model budget
- Annual report Model financial statements
- Indicator Workbook version 4.0



In progress

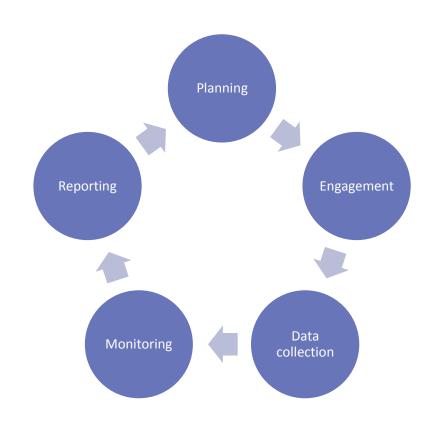
- Annual report
 - Report of operations
 - o Performance statement
- Local Government Model Financial Report 2015 (LGMFR)
- Audit evidence
- Asset management guide
- Rating and revenue practice guide



Implementation SUPPORT

Implementation planning

- Appoint an officer to coordinate data collection and reporting
- Form a working group from 11 service areas and finance
- Prepare a project plan from 1 Jul 2014 to 30 Sep 2015
- Brief the Executive, Senior Management, Audit Committee and Council
- Collect and report data from 1 Jul 2014





The FUTURE



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1. Monitoring, Analysis and Reporting

- Strengthened performance reporting and monitoring team
- Targeted sector support based on risk
- Investment in training, assistance and support

2. Reducing the Reporting Burden

- 38 reductions delivered
- Second phase underway
- Grants reform

3. Indicator Development

- Steering group with LGV secretariat support
- Sector working groups

4. Web Site

- Principles developed
- User testing commenced
- Feedback survey



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