

Budgeting services in Aotearoa New Zealand

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Setting the scene

Local budgeting services – with a common, vital function at their heart

Good law, policy and enforcement vital to the role of Financial Mentor

Changes.....

New local funding base for many budgeting services

New shaping and language for the services

New co-designed national entity

Expanded network through unified approach

Stable national funding for the Trust

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Four “traditional” roles for the Trust in supporting local budgeting services.....

- training
- networking
- advocacy *and*
- practical support

...and five unique and dynamic roles

- quality assurance
- negotiating accords and agreements
- promoting innovation
- data collection and analysis
- Budget Helpline