

Guidelines for local boards for providing feedback on the local boards funding policy review

The following questions provide a guide on the key issues that local boards may find useful when providing feedback on the local boards funding policy.

1. What are your views on the proposed timeframe for adoption?
2. What are your views on the proposed separate funding mechanisms for asset based locally delivered services and locally driven initiatives?
3. What are your views on the proposed classification of services that are included as asset base locally delivered services and those that are considered locally driven initiative?
4. What are your views on the proposal that asset based locally delivered services should continue to be funded to an agreed level of service form the general rate
5. What are your views on the proposed options to fund locally driven initiatives?
 - a. Continue to fund using existing method (no change)
 - b. General rate allocation
 - i. which attributes should it be used (population, deprivation, remoteness, other – please state)?
 - ii. how much weighting should be given to each attribute?
 - c. Local rate
 - d. Combination of general rate allocation/local rate
 - i. how much should be funded from general rate allocation and how much from local rates?
 - ii. which attributes should it be used for general rate allocation (population, deprivation, remoteness, other – please state)?
 - iii. how much weighting should be given to each attribute?
 - e. Other
 - i. What other funding mechanism should be used and why?
6. Please set out any reasons you'd like to communicate to support your views on the questions in 1. to 5. above.
7. Any other comments or feedback