Member Allowances (The role and workings of independent panels)

Date:
Jul 04, 2012

Course Duration:
½ day (9.30 - 12.30)

Venue:
Dennett House, 11 Middle Street, Taunton, Somerset, TA1 1SH

Description:
A ½ day workshop for officers supporting independent panels which review and recommend the level of councillors allowances. The course is also for members of the public appointed to serve on such panels.

Aim:

To help develop skills that will enable Officers to provide effective support to Panels and to explore and share good practice in how Panels operate

Content:

- The role of the Panel and effective working arrangements
- Understanding the roles of councillors in the context of modern local government and the allowances implications
- The legal provisions relating to allowances
- Planning a review of the Scheme of Allowances
- Gathering and analysing evidence
- Formulating recommendations
- The impact of the Roberts Commission which reported in December 2007

TRAINING DETAILS

Course Ref:
LG/12/744

Closing Date:
23/05/2012

Course Administrator:
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Related Courses:

- Committee Administration 1: Working in Modern Democratic Services
- Committee Administration 2: Managing and Supporting Committee Meetings
- Committee Administration 3: Understanding Scrutiny Processes and Techniques
- Local Government Structure
- Member Allowances: the role and workings of independent panels
- Managing Performance in a Local Authority Area
- Political Awareness

"Excellent use of time, very good pace, delighted no time wasted"

"Thank you so much, I have really enjoyed my learning"

"Fantastic trainer, fantastic course"

CPD: 3 hours

Member Organisations: £60
Associate Organisations: £70
Non-Member Organisations: £80

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