Older people are making a growing contribution to our economy

Employers and businesses will need to understand the key role older people will play now and in the future.

Older people are growing as a consumer group



Total amount of spending: **\$14b**

2051 Total amount of spending: \$65b

Older people are growing as a workforce

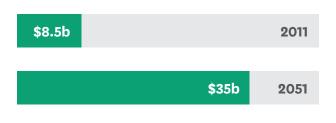


2011
19% of people
65+ in paid
employment
(approx 111,000)



2051
29% of people
65+ in paid
employment
(approx 408,000)

Older people are growing as a volunteer group



Total amount of unpaid and voluntary work (Based on earning \$16.10 an hour)

Older people are making a growing contribution as taxpayers



2011 Total amount of





2051 Total amount of tax paid: \$17b

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For more information visit www.osc.govt.nz All data can be found in The Business of Ageing Update 2015

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