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Bulky waste charging: supporting research

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Figure 1 - Benchmarking against other bulky waste services

Local Authority	Free collection (Any Limits)	Chargeable (Any Limits)	Fridge/Freezers (Free/Cost)	Garden Waste (Free/Cost) or N/A
Leicester City Council	5 items / every 2 months	6 - 15 items - £15	Free	Free 15 bags (normal collection)
		15 - 30 items - £50		
Charnwood Borough	3 free collections a year (3 items each)	1 - 3 items - £15	Free	Not on bulky service
		4 - 6 items - £30		
		7 - 9 items - £45 and so on		
Blaby District Council	None	1 - 2 large items or 6 small - £16 (minimum charge)	Cost	Not on bulky service
		3 - 4 large items or 7 to 12 small items - £24		
		5 - 6 large items or 13-18 small items - £35		
		Cement bonded asbestos - £100		
Melton Borough Council	None	1 item = £17.20 (no concessions)	Cost - £17.20 per item	Not on bulky service
		2 - 5 = £29.60 (concessions £20.60)		
		6+ = £28.90 for first 5 + £8.50 for each additional item		
		(Concessions- £20.10 for first 5 items plus £6.35 for each additional item)		
North West Leicester	None	1-3 items= £20	Cost	Not on bulky service
		4 items= £25		
		Additional £5 per item up to 6 items		
Oadby & Wigston Borough Council	Free for those who receive qualifying benefit	Non electrical items - £20 per item - additional £3 per item	Cost	Not on bulky service
		Electrical items - £20 per item - additional £4 per item		
Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council	None	Non electrical bulky items - 1 - 3 - £21.50 (concession available)	Cost	Not on bulky service
		Non electrical bulky items - 4 - 5 - £32.50 (concession available)		
East Northamptonshire District Council	None	Up to 7 items - £25.38	Cost	Not on bulky service
Corby Borough Council	None	Up to 10 items - £22 (concession £11)	Cost	Not on bulky service

Kettering Borough Council	None	£23 - 6 items per collection - limited to 2 collection per annum (£11.50 if over 60, under 18 or student) (£4.60 concessions)	Cost	Not on bulky service
Daventry District Council	None	1 - 3 items £16.38	Cost	Not on bulky service
		up to 6 items - £32.76		
Northampton Borough Council	None	up to 3 items - £25	Cost	Not on bulky service
South Northampton District	None	up to 6 items collected - £30	Cost	Not on bulky service
Borough Council of Wellingborough	None	up to 5 items - £35.60	Cost	Not on bulky service
Rushcliffe	None	£15.60 one item, £7.50 per additional item (up to 10 items)	Cost	Not on bulky service
Broxtowe	None	£13 per order & £7 per item	Not collected	Not on bulky service
Bassetlaw	None	£11 per item, up to 9 items max	Cost	Not on bulky service
Gedling	None	1 item= £14.50	£14.50	Not on bulky service
		Up to 3 items= £17.50		
		Up to 5 items= £23		
		up to 10 items - £34		
		Two waste types and charges vary per waste type		
Newark & Sherwood	None	£12 first item, £6 each item (£12 additional large electrical)	£12	Quotable service
Mansfield	None	Up to 3 items- £20.40, £6.15 for additional items	Cost	Not on bulky service
Ashfield	None	£12.20 one item, £6.10 per additional item.	Cost	Not on bulky service
Nottingham City	Free			Not on bulky service
Derby City Council	None	1 item - £12.10	£10	Not on bulky service
		2 - 5 items - £18.75		
		6 - 15 items - £26.50 (cannot collect more than 15 items)		
Birmingham City	None	Up to 6 items- £25 (£23 online)	Cost	Yes- up to 18 bags
Coventry City	None	5 items £26.25 (concessions £21), £4 per additional 5 items (£3.20 concessions) (up to 10)	Cost	Not on bulky service
London Borough of Harrow	None	Recyclable items; 1st - £36, 2nd- £21, subsequent items £16. Non recyclable items; 1st item £52, 2nd item £31, subsequent item £16. Half price concessions	Cost	Not on bulky service
London Borough of Hounslow	1 free per year for those on benefits	Up to 5 items- £40; £8 per additional item	Cost	Not on bulky service

London Borough of Brent	5 items, three a year		Free	Not on bulky service
Canterbury City Council	None	Each item £14.20 (concession £9.47)	£27.35	Not on bulky service
Southampton City Council*	None	£10 for first item, and then £5 per item up to 10 items. (Concessions 25% discount)	Cost	Not on bulky service
Cambridge City Council	None	1 item- £22, 2-3 items- £28, 4-6 items- £33, 7-10 items- £44	£22	Bulky garden items, bundled, boxed or bagged
Newcastle City Council*	None	£40 for each heavy item, £10 for each large item, £20 for up to 8 small items, £70 for each special large item e.g. a bath or bathroom suite, £40 for each special small item e.g. door, timber fence panel	Cost	Up to 20 bags
Manchester City Council*	1 free collection of 3 items per year	£27 for 1-3 items and £54 for 4-6 items.	Cost	Unknown
Sheffield City Council	1 free collection of 9/12 items per year for council house/housing association tenants.	1-3 items - £20.40, 4-6 items £34.20, 7-9 items £48, 10-12 items £61.20. (Concessionary rates for those in receipt of income support, housing benefit, pension credit or job seekers allowance: 1-3 items - £10, 4-6 items - £15, 7-9 items - £25, 10-12 items - £35)	Cost unless in council/housing association property	Unknown

Figure 2

Map Showing Bulk Waste Collections 2015-2016 Total Count of Collections By Census LSOA

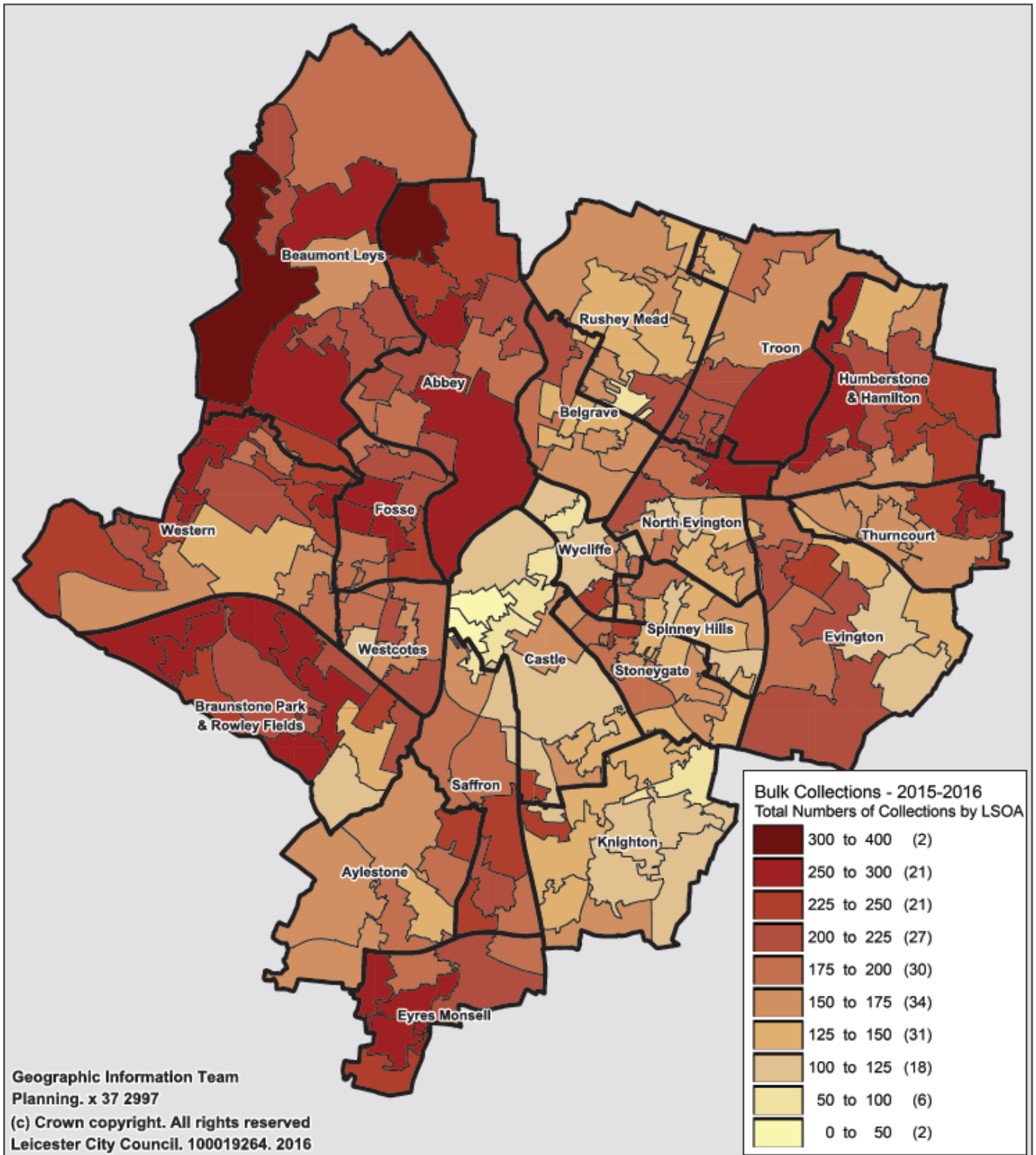
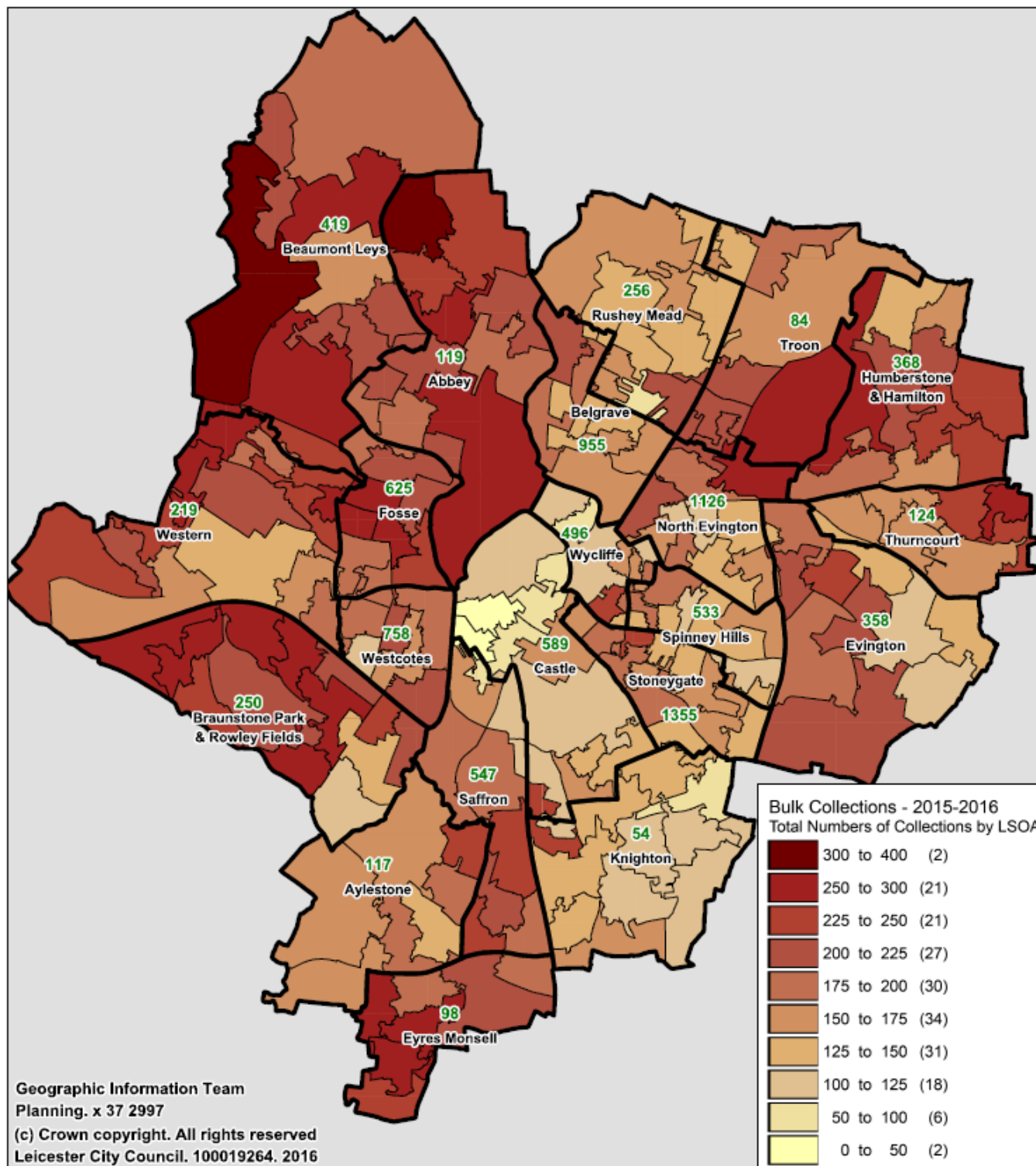


Figure 3
Map Showing Bulk Waste Collections 2015-2016
Total Count of Collections By Census LSOA
Estimated Fly Tipping Numbers By Ward



*Note: Fly tip figures are estimated for those wards whose boundaries were changed during 15/16.

Figure 4

Map Showing Bulk Waste Collections 2015-2016 Percentage of Collections for Households on Benefits By LSOA

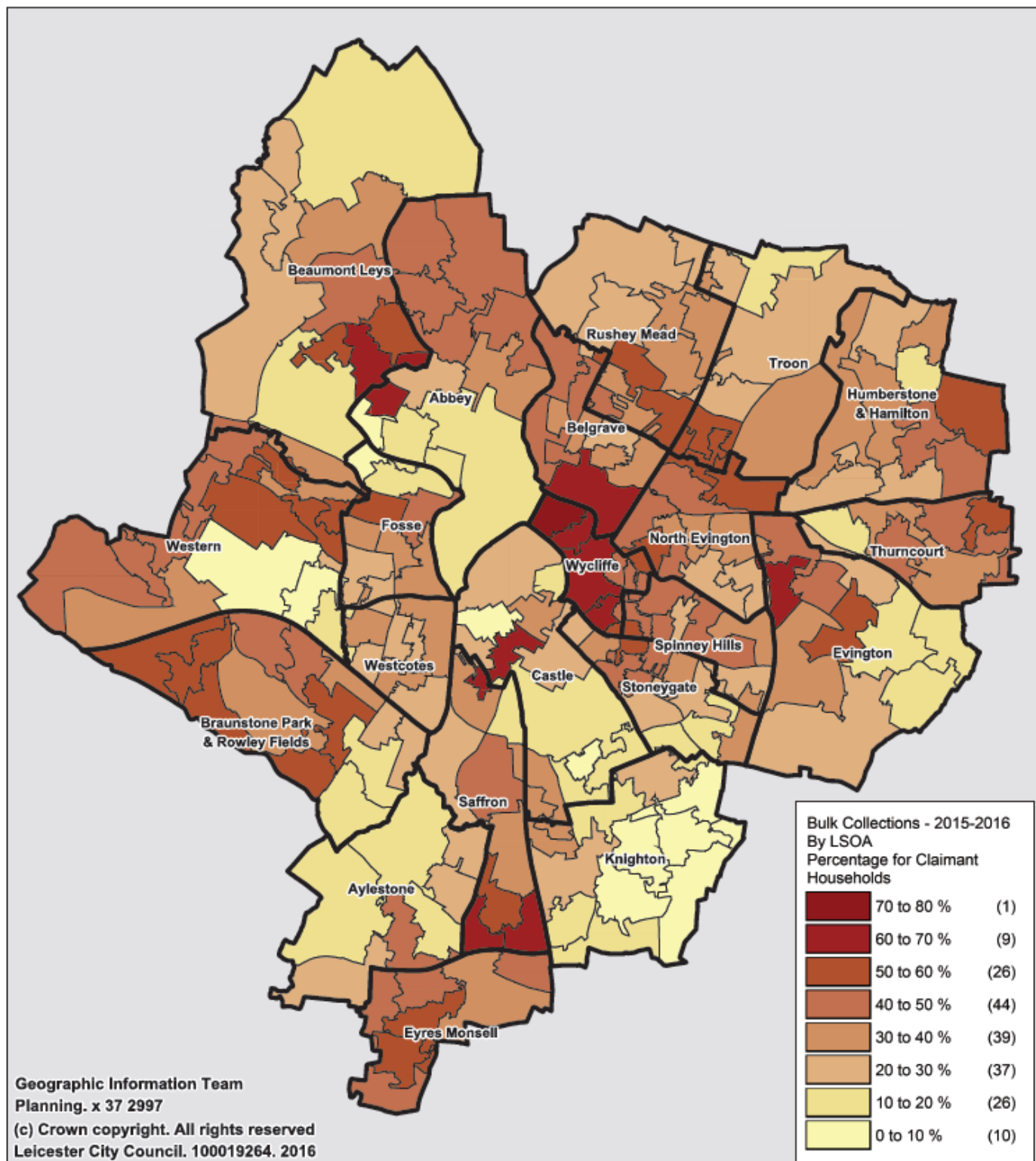
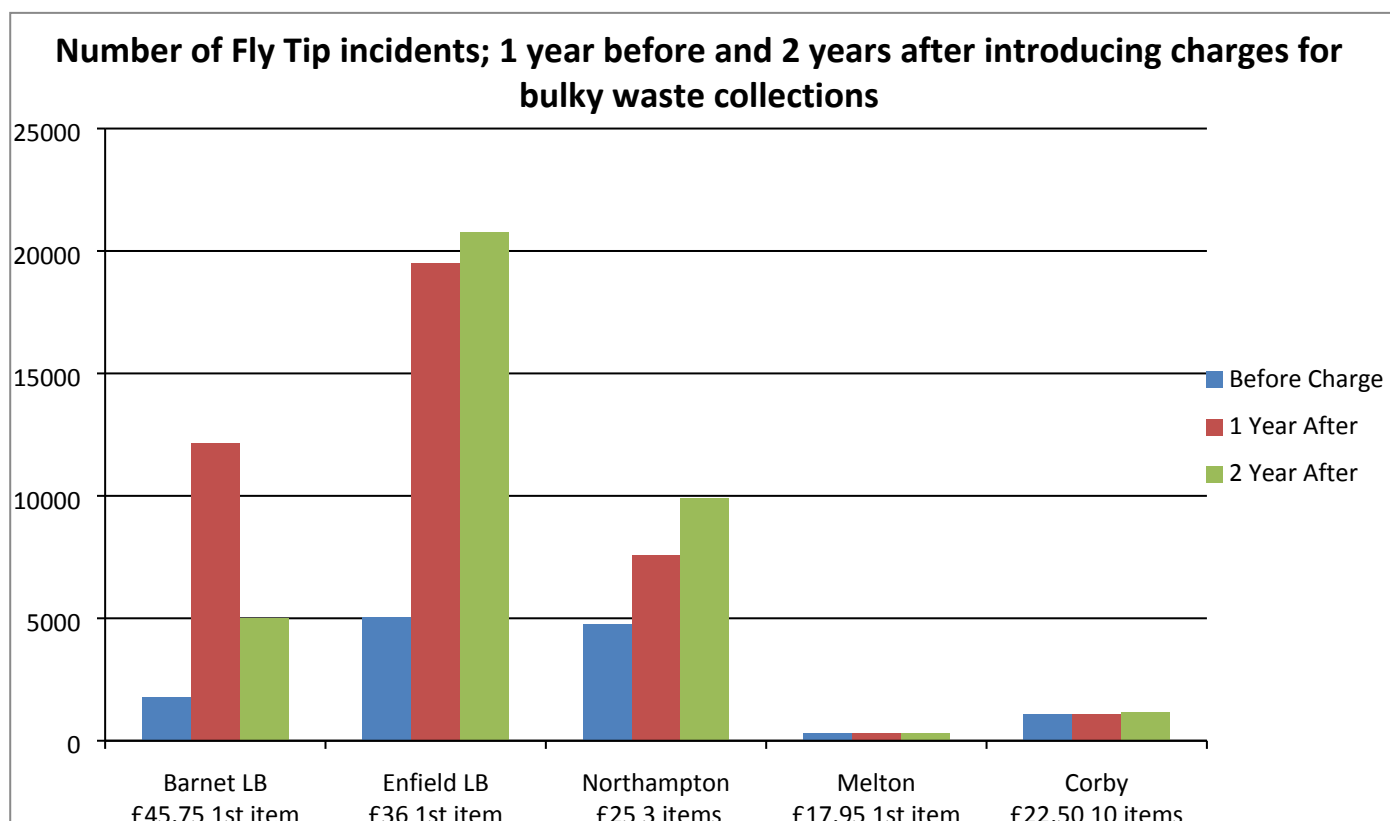


Figure 5 – Low income households using the bulk collection service

Total number of LCC council properties in the city	21,400
Number of LCC council property residents using the bulk waste service in 15/16	2,983

Figure 6 – Supporting fly tipping information



Leicester City Fly Tip figures per year			
12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16
8020	6592	8416	9449

If an increase in fly tipping was experienced, the below costs may be incurred by Cleansing Services:

Potential increase in spend for Cleansing Services if fly tip incidents increase			
Percentage increase	10%	30%	50%
Additional cost	£32,127	£96,380	£160,633