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Reduce the risk of flooding

Flooding incidents within a property

This measure is calculated on the basis of the number of formal investigations undertaken by the County Council under section 19 of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010 where the incident involves flooding within a property from any source, although under the Act the County Council only has a responsibility for local flood risk i.e. from surface water, groundwater or ordinary watercourses. Lincolnshire County Council has interpreted a flooding incident to be any in which one or more domestic properties are flooded internally.

Measured

0

%

Quarter 3 December 2016

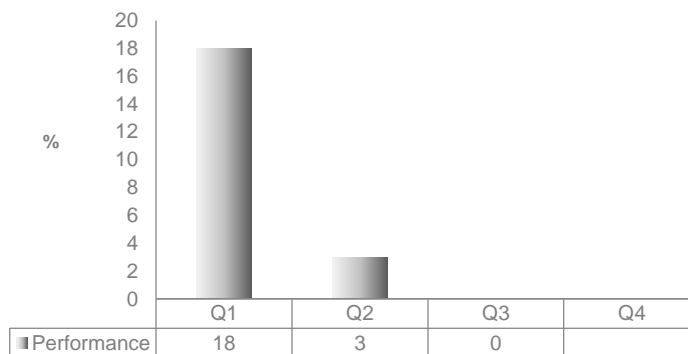


3

%

Quarter 2 September 2016

Flooding incidents within a property



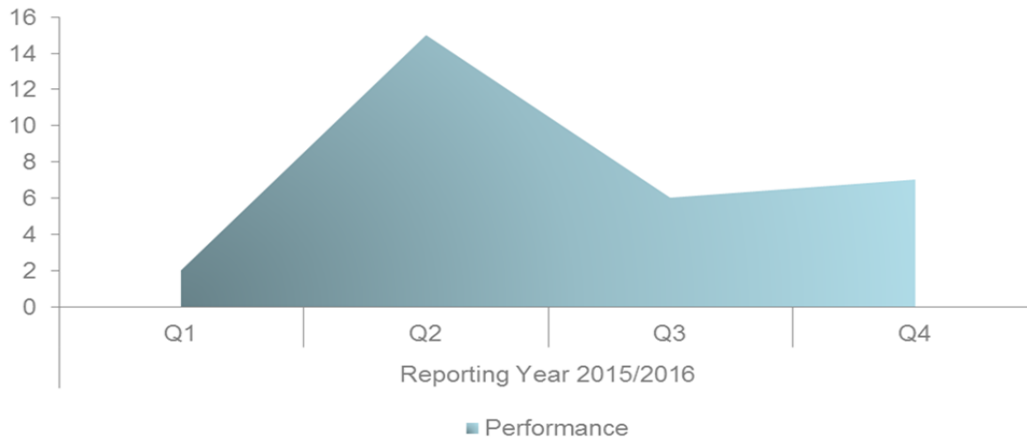
About the latest performance

In Q3, there have not been any flooding incidents requiring an investigation under Section 19 of the Flood & Water Management Act. As in the previous quarter, this is a reflection of the low incidence of intense rain storms in the reporting period.

In the same quarter last year there were 6 investigations affecting 6 properties.

Further details

Flooding incidents within a property



	Reporting Year 2015/2016			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Performance	2	15	6	7

About the target

It is estimated that in Lincolnshire there are about 28,000 properties which have either been flooded in the past or are thought to be at risk from surface water flooding.

As outlined in the Lincolnshire Joint Flood Risk Management Strategy, in accordance with its duty to undertake improvement works to protect communities, the County Council as Lead Local Flood Authority has developed an ongoing programme of surface water flood risk management schemes. The target for 2016/17 is to reduce the flood risk to 100 homes by carrying out flood alleviation works.

About the target range

A target range is not applicable as this is a contextual measure.

About benchmarking

This measure is local to Lincolnshire as each Local Flood Authority (Unitary and County Councils) defines a flood incident as they consider appropriate and therefore is not benchmarked against any other area.



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Increase recycling

Recycling at County Council owned Household Waste Recycling Centres

This measure excludes all sites which are not owned by Lincolnshire County Council as the Council has limited control and influence over what streams are recycled.

Performance includes some estimates where actual figures are not yet available. Officially approved data is available four months after the end of the Quarter to which it applies.



Achieved

75.5

%

Quarter 3 December 2016

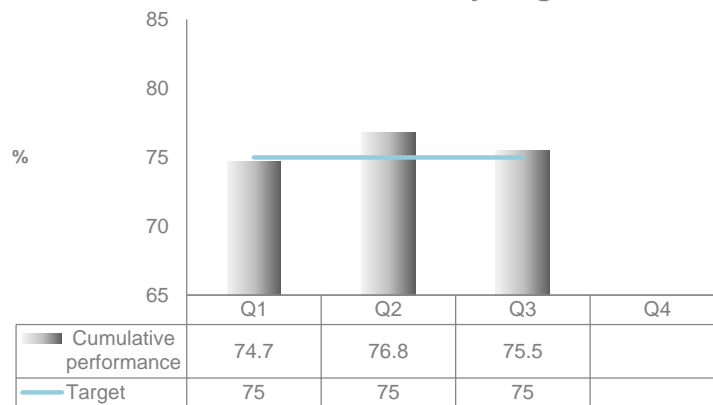


75

%

Target for December 2016

Recycling at County Council owned Household Waste Recycling Centres



About the latest performance

Overall total for 2016/17 is forecasted as 74.8%, lower than the year to date figure due to reduced composting in Winter.

We are managing to sustain a HWRCs recycling rate of around 75%, even in these difficult financial times.

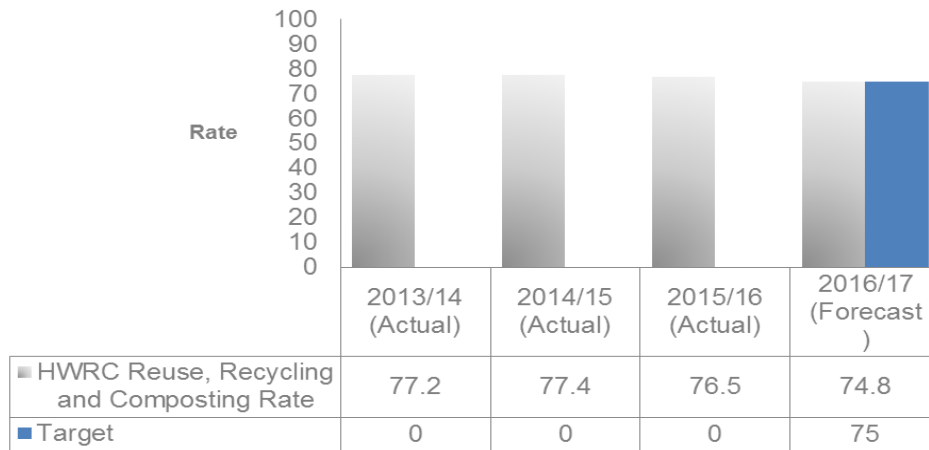
It should be noted that much of the data for Quarter 3 is still incomplete, so a number of estimates have been used in the year to date figure. Since this measure only includes HWRCs directly controlled by the Council, the closure of the third party operated sites at Leadenham and Whisby has resulted in an increased tonnage passing through the LCC-operated sites.

Cumulative Tonnes	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Household Waste sent for recycling, reuse or composting	14,203	30,918	41,078	
Total Household Waste Collected	19,008	40,233	54,383	

Please note: Figures shown for previous quarters are those reported at the time, and include estimates where data was unavailable. Subsequent quarter cumulative totals may include revised figures for previous quarters.

Further details

Recycling at County Council owned Household Waste Recycling Centres



About the target


The annual target of 75% represents a sustaining of our previous high performance.

About the target range

No target range has been set for this target.

About benchmarking

Availability of data for other authorities is limited as this has never been an official National Indicator.



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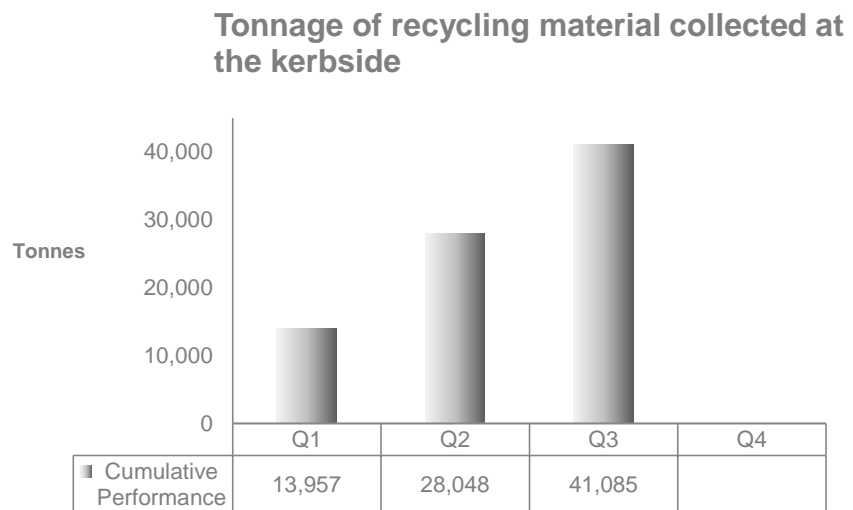
Increase recycling

Tonnage of recycling material collected at the kerbside

The tonnage of recycling material collected at the kerbside depends on how much is presented by the public in kerbside recycling collections and on how much of that material has to be excluded due to it being non-recyclable. This measure excludes waste that has been 'rejected' so that we can see how much recyclable material was collected.

Performance includes some estimates where actual figures are not yet available. Officially approved data is available four months after the end of the Quarter to which it applies.

➡ Measured ⬅



About the latest performance

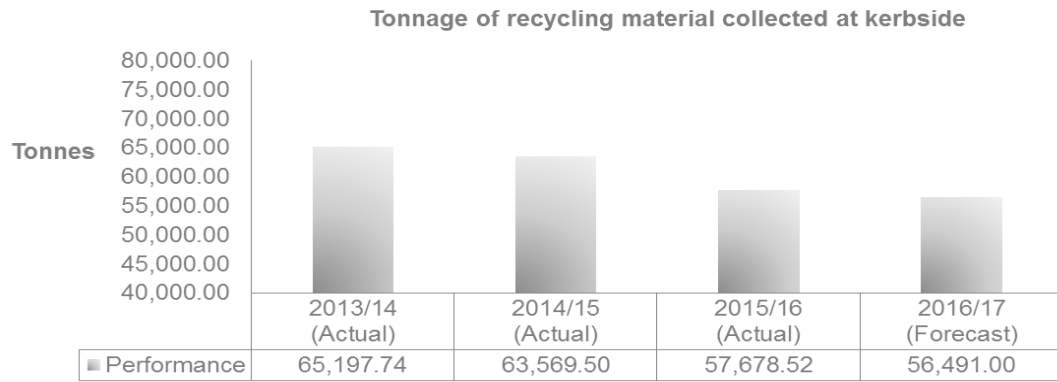
Our Waste Collection Authorities (WCAs) continue to collect a similar quantity in kerbside recycling collections.

Unfortunately, around 22% of what our WCAs collect as kerbside recycling turns out to be non-recyclable.

The reported level of contamination (non-recyclables) has risen a little compared to last year (just under 20%).

This contamination level needs to be addressed with the District Councils to ensure we have a resource which is more acceptable to the processing contractors.

Further details



About the target

This measure is included for context and so it is not appropriate to set a target for this measure.

About the target range

No target range has been set for this target.

About benchmarking

As tonnage collected depends on the size of a Local Authority, comparisons with other councils is not meaningful.



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Increase recycling

Household waste recycled

The percentage of waste collected by either the County or District Councils which was reused, recycled or composted.

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Not achieved

49.6

% recycled

Quarter 3 December 2016

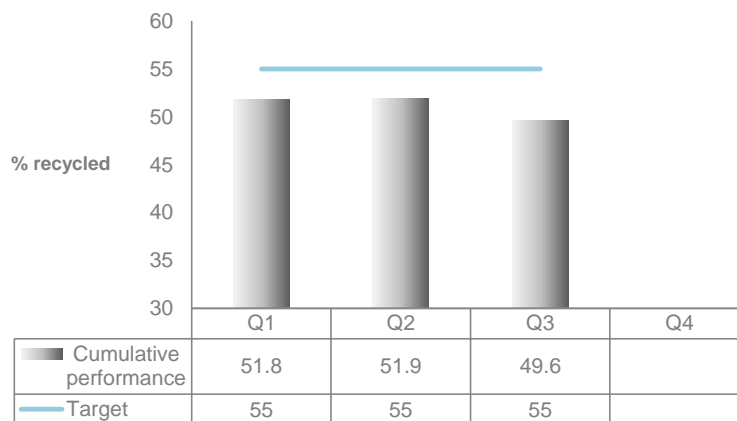


55

% recycled

Target for December 2016

Household waste recycled



About the latest performance

Overall total for 2016/17 is forecasted as 47.4%, lower than the year to date figure due to reduced composting in Winter.

Whilst this is a small increase compared to 2015/16, this is due to an increase in composting, the tonnages of which are notoriously variable depending on factors such as the weather.

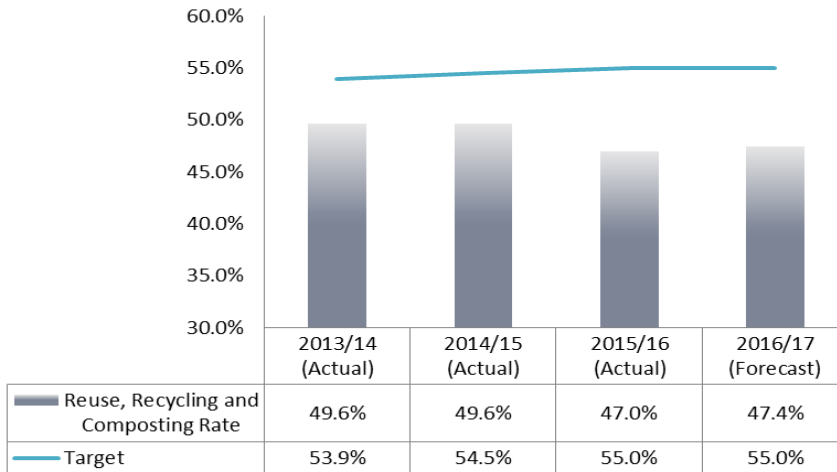
The aspirational target of 55% was set in our Joint Municipal Waste Management Strategy which needs to be addressed in the production of a revised Strategy.

Cumulative Tonnes	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Household Waste sent for recycling, reuse or composting	49,806	101,153	136,283	
Total Household Waste Collected	96,162	194,856	274,745	

Please note: Figures shown for previous quarters are those reported at the time, and include estimates where data was unavailable. Subsequent quarter cumulative totals may include revised figures for previous quarters.

Further details

Household Waste Recycled



About the target


The annual target of 55% was set as a long-term aspiration in our Joint Municipal Waste Management Strategy (2008).

About the target range

Given the number of separate figures which go into this calculation, a target range of +/- 0.5 percentage points allows for small fluctuations to remain on target.

About benchmarking

National data is available for each Local Authority. However, given the delay in finalising official figures, this is usually only available for the previous year.



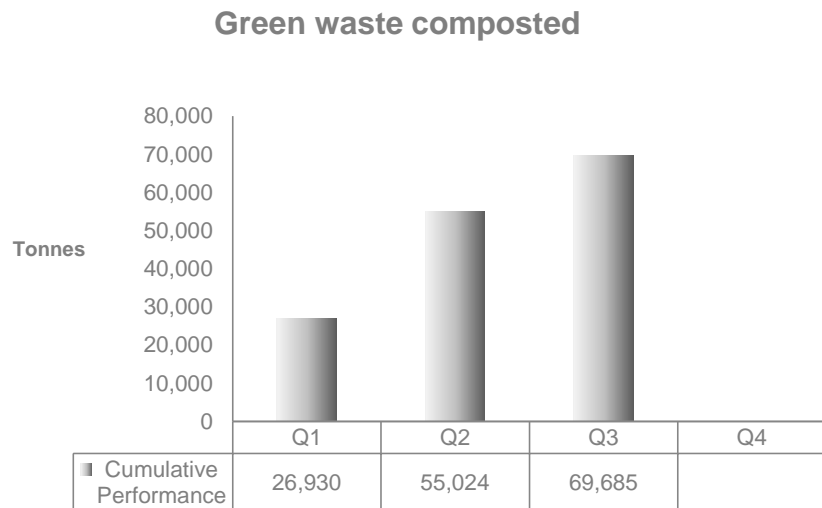
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Increase recycling

Green waste composted

The tonnage of green waste collected by either the County or District Councils which was sent for composting.
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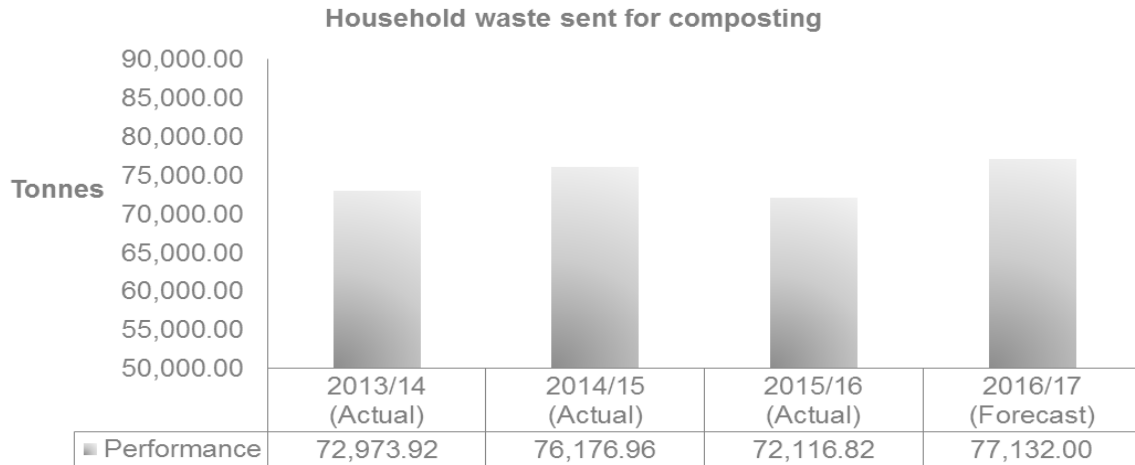
➡ Measured ←



About the latest performance

Green waste composting has returned to 2014/15 levels following a fall last year. Whilst it is possible that the effect of collection charges by our Waste Collection Authorities has now passed, increased composting may simply reflect that tonnages depend on factors such as the weather.

Further details



There is no obvious ongoing trend as this varies with weather conditions (particularly in Quarter 1).

About the target

No target has been set, as this is measured for reference purposes. The tonnage composted depends on how much green waste is presented to us by the public and external factors such as weather conditions.

About the target range

A target range is not applicable as this is a contextual measure.

About benchmarking

As tonnage of waste composted depends on the size of a Local Authority, comparisons with other councils is not meaningful.