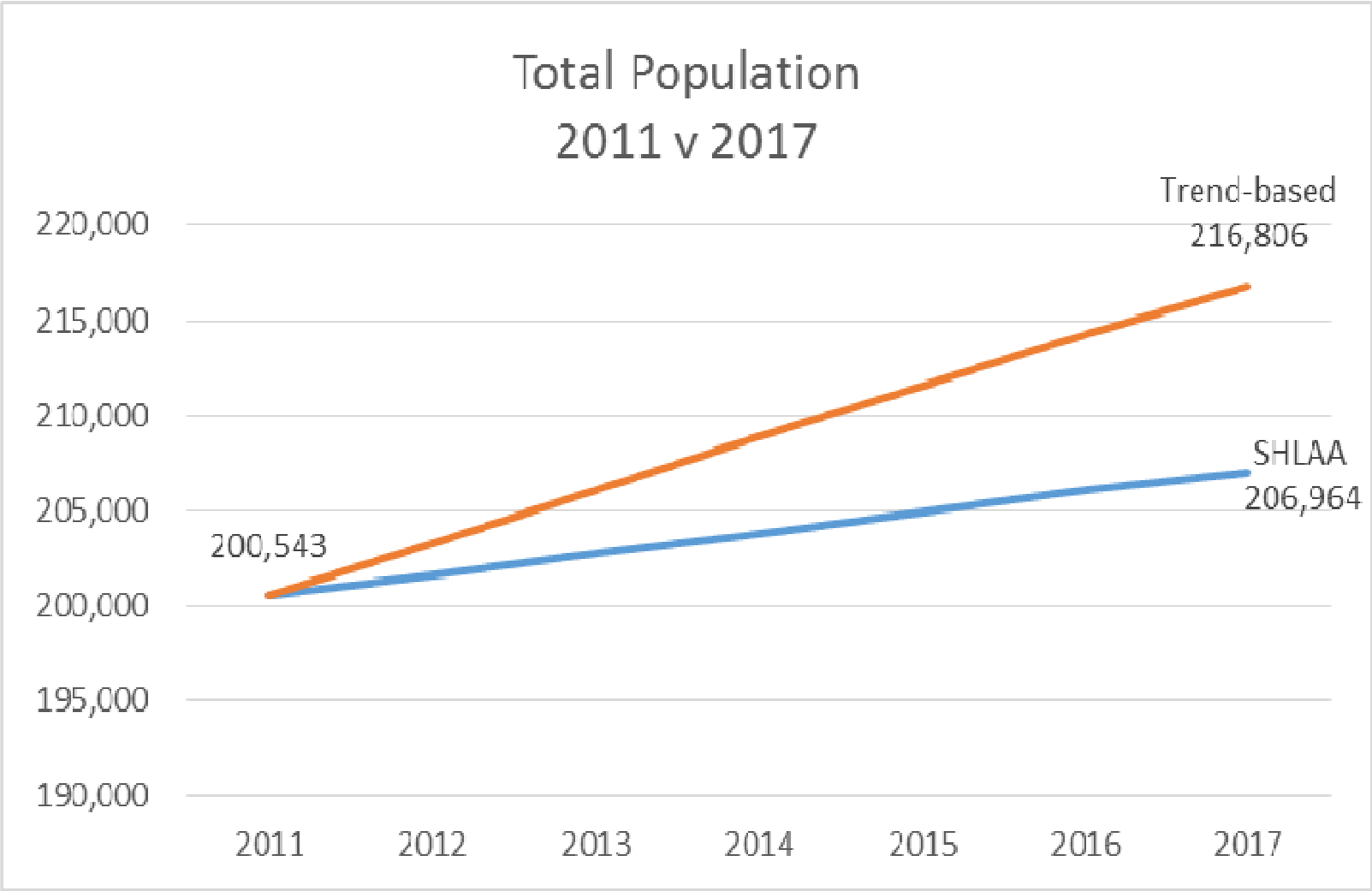


Demographic forecasts and implications for services

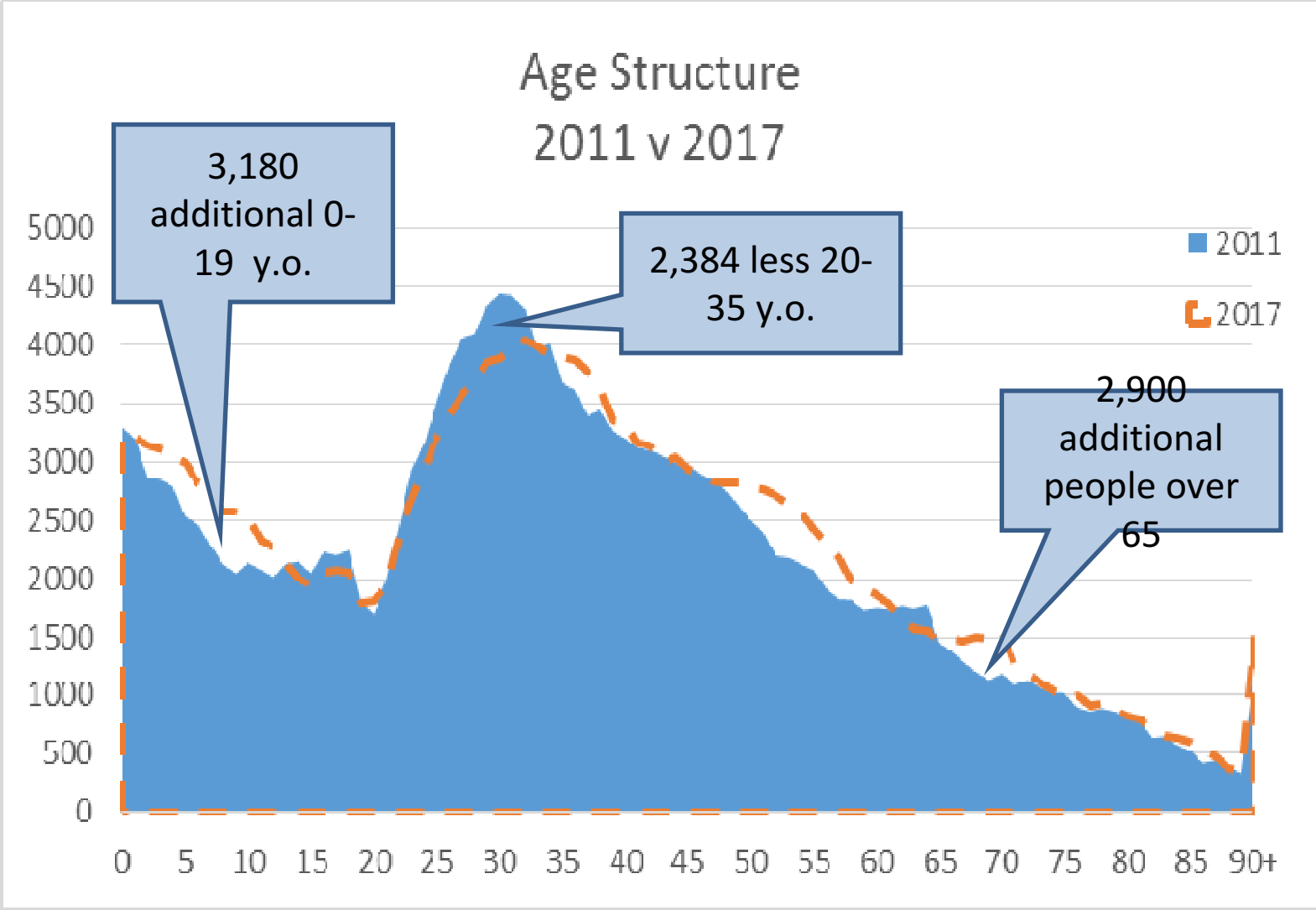
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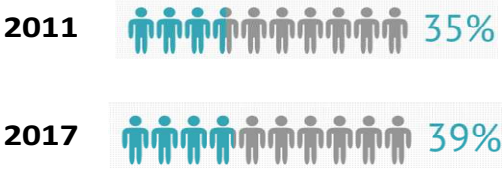
An increasing population



Increases in the younger and older age groups



Increasingly diverse



Proportion of BME residents

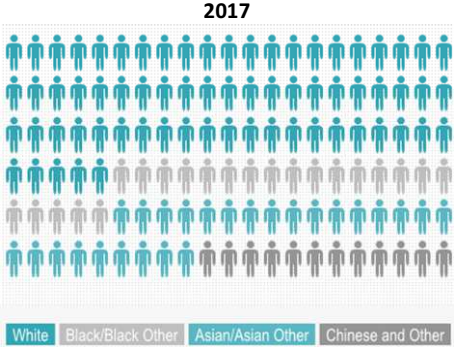
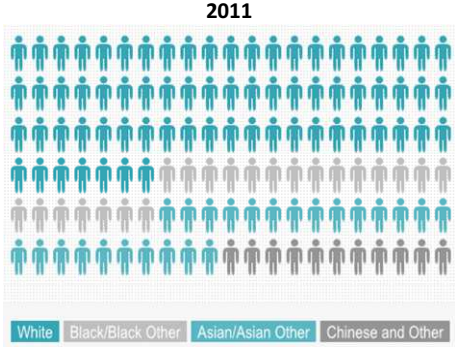


Figure 4.5 Ethnic profile 0 to 19 age group 2011 and 2017

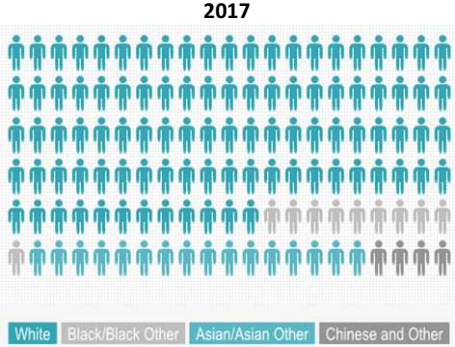
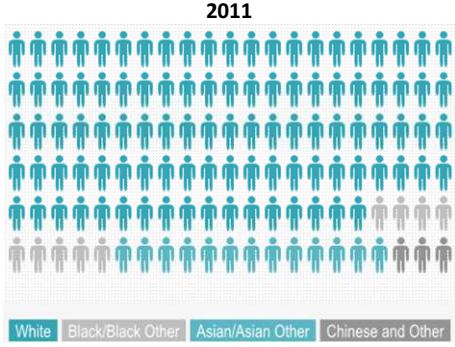
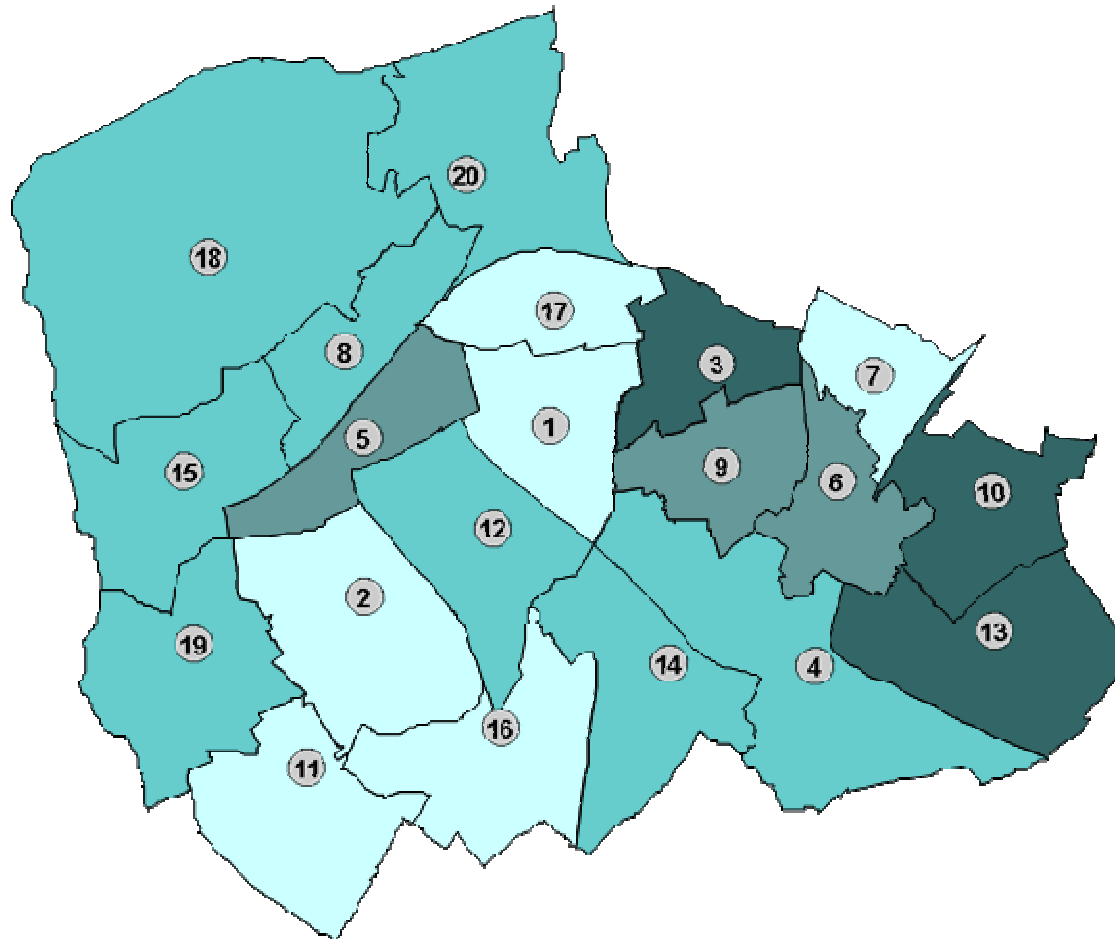


Figure 4.6: ethnic profile over 65s 2011 and 2017

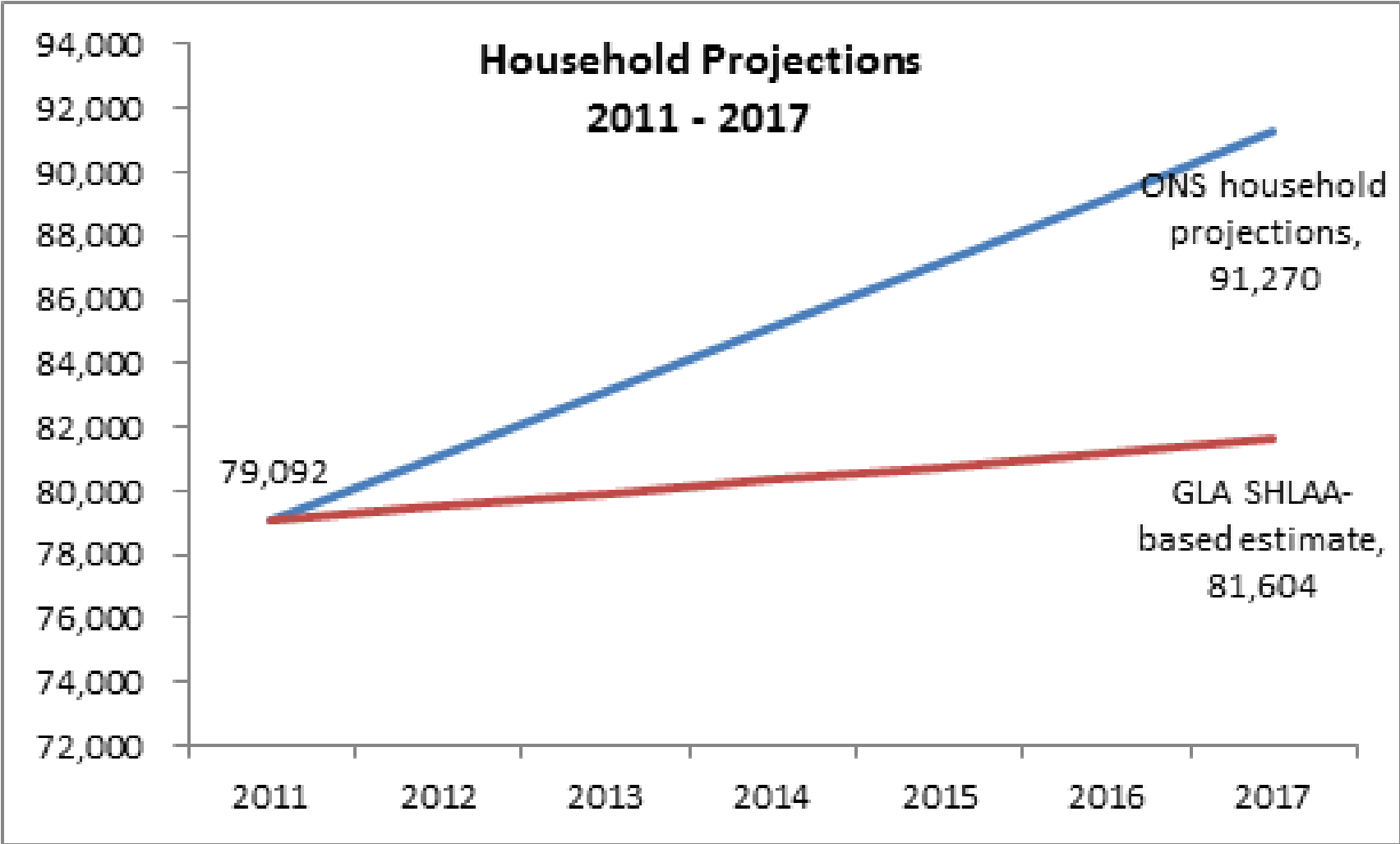
Population rising fastest in the east

Population change by 2017 (Darker – fastest population growth)

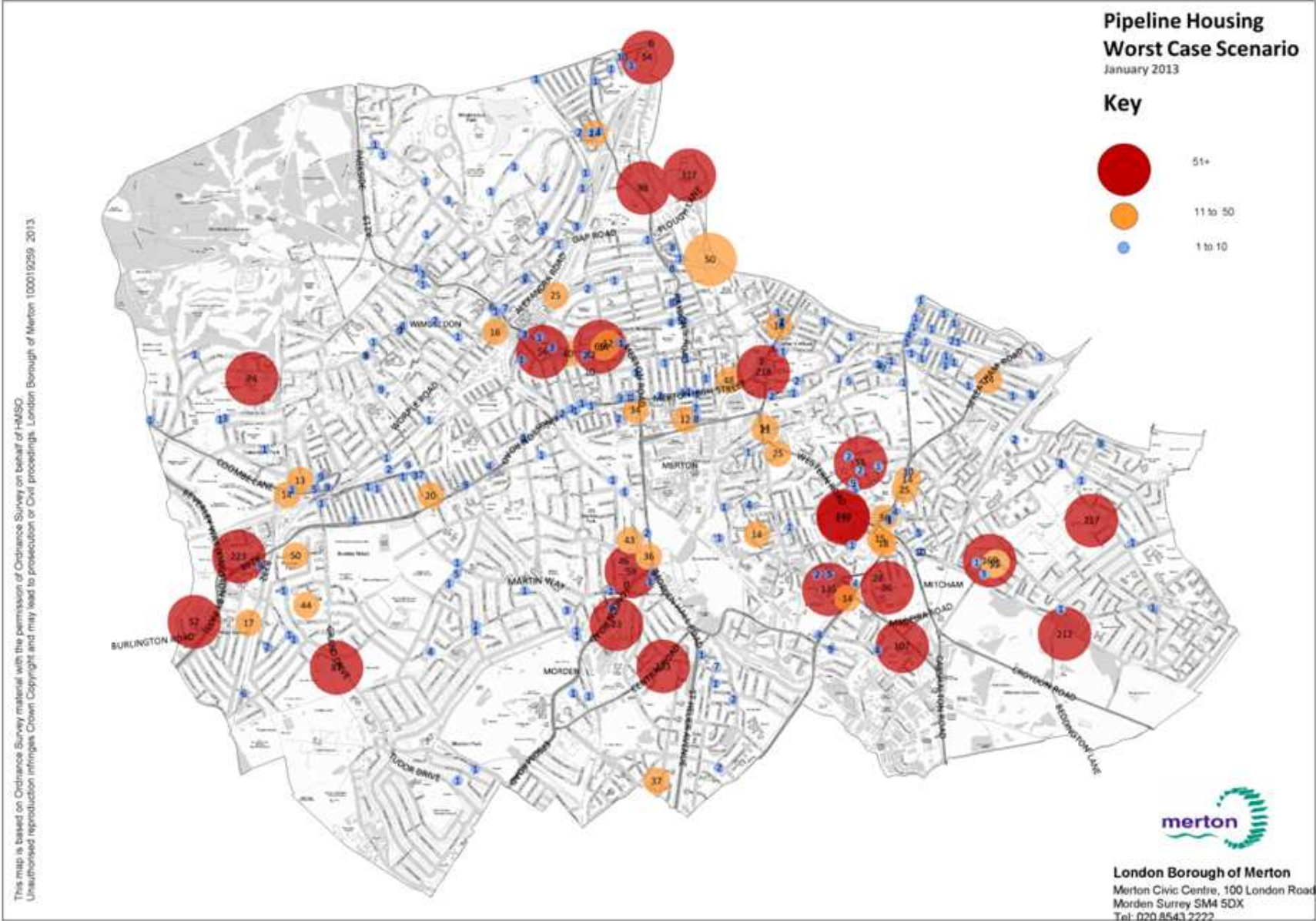
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- 2 Cannon Hill
- 3 Colliers Wood
- 4 Cricket Green
- 5 Dundonald
- 6 Figge's Marsh
- 7 Graveney
- 8 Hillside
- 9 Lavender Fields
- 10 Longthornton
- 11 Lower Morden
- 12 Merton Park
- 13 Pollards Hill
- 14 Ravensbury
- 15 Raynes Park
- 16 St. Helier
- 17 Trinity
- 18 Village
- 19 West Barnes
- 20 Wimbledon Park



Increasing number of households



New housing developments



Services for children, young people and families

Demographic driver	Policy/Service changes
Increase of 780 children aged 0-4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free education and childcare for vulnerable households • Stimulating the childcare market • Healthy schools programme
Increase of 2,270 children aged 5-9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School expansion programme • Developing specialist provision for children with complex needs in locality
45% of children living in an area of deprivation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School improvement strategy • Merton Education Partnership sharing best practice on narrowing the gaps
Increase of 3,180 children and young people aged 0-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MASH to identify highest risk households • Early intervention services • Reorganisation of Children’s Services

Services for adults and older people

Demographic driver	Policy/Service changes
Increase of 2,900 people aged over 65	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aging well programme to support people to live healthy lives in their own home • Merton-i portal
Rising population in the east of the borough which has lower life expectancy than the west of the borough	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health and wellbeing fund to deliver sustainable health improvements in the east.
An increase of 2,295 in people aged 45 to 54	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Live Well programme offers free health improvement advice. • Establish a Healthy Workplace scheme for the Council

Housing, transport and the economy

Demographic driver	Policy/Service changes
Up to 12,200 additional households	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using planning policies and working with housing providers to increase the number of affordable homes • Rental deposit scheme • Promoting the Mayor’s London Rental Standard • Reviewing Homelessness Strategy
Potential for increase congestion as a result of the increasing population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New housing development targeted to areas with good public transport • Shortlisted for the Mayor’s mini Holland programme
Increasing number of schools leavers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic Development Strategy prioritises support for new business start-ups, inward investment, town centre initiatives and supporting residents into work.

Proportion of expenditure by service type

2010/11

2013/14



Spending pressures and likely resources

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