

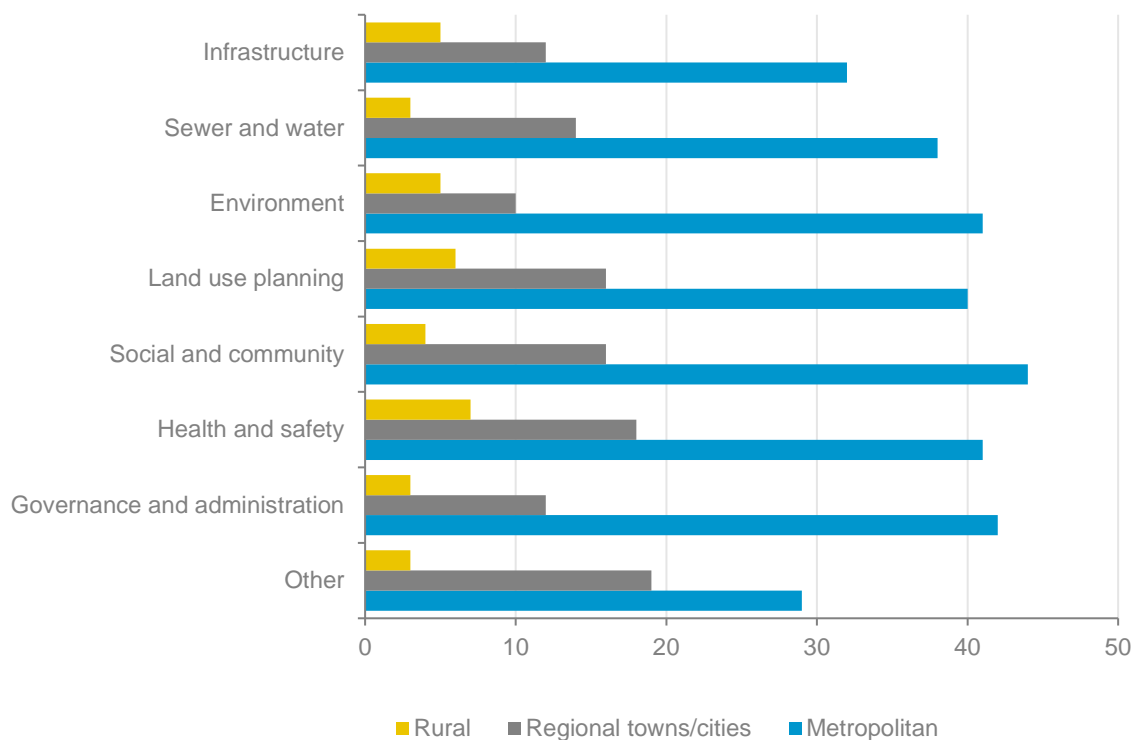


Appendix three – Reporting targets and performance over time

Reporting performance over time

The audit found that reporting across service delivery areas was relatively consistent by council type. While there was some variation by service delivery type, councils who did report service over time tended to do that in all service delivery areas. As can be seen in Figure 5, metropolitan councils were more likely to report performance over time than other councils.

Figure 5: Performance reporting over time by council type and service delivery area, 2015–16

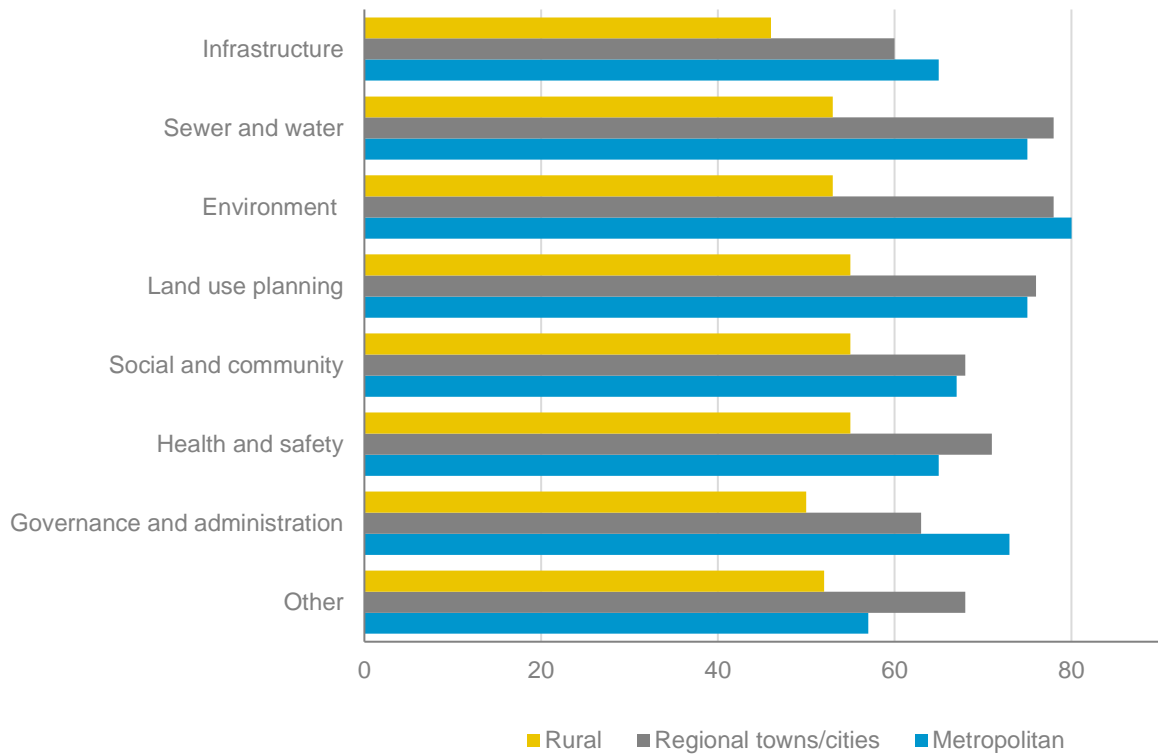


Source: Audit Office analysis of 105 published 2015–16 annual reports, 2017.

Reporting objectives accompanied by targets

The audit found that reporting objectives accompanied by targets across service delivery areas was also relatively consistent by council type. While there was some variation by service delivery type, councils who did report targets tended to do that in all service delivery areas. As can be seen in Figure 6, metropolitan and regional town and city councils were more likely to report objectives accompanied by targets than rural councils.

Figure 6: Proportion of reported objectives accompanied by a stated target, by council type, 2015–16



Source: Audit Office analysis of 105 published 2015–16 annual reports, 2017.