



# Focus on Low Maintenance, Aesthetically Pleasing Litter Bins

## Problem Identified

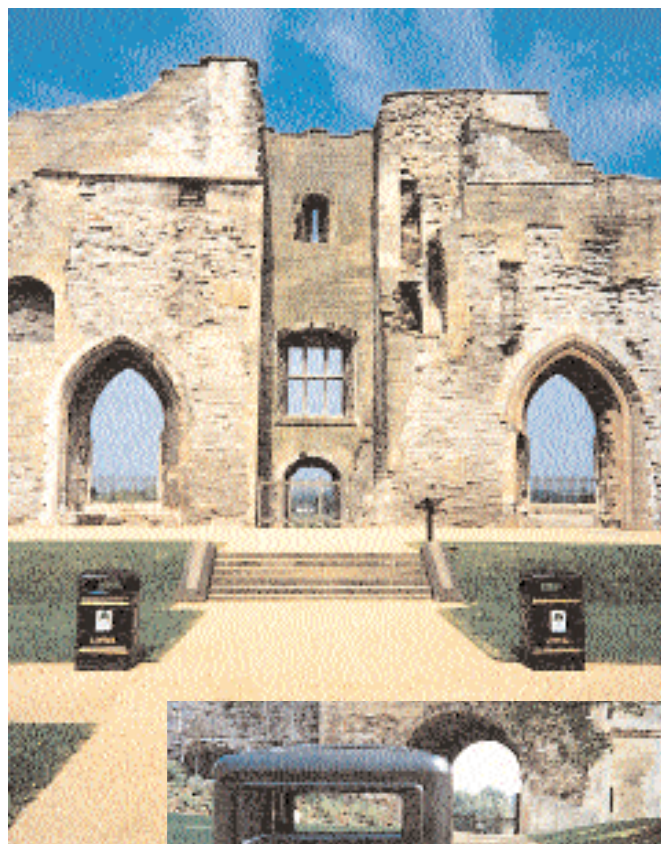
Newark and Sherwood District Council were awarded Heritage Lottery Funding to refurbish the gardens around the historic Newark Castle. Landscape design of the gardens including providing new litter bins was included in the grant.

The litter bins already located around the castle were of an insufficient capacity and open topped. This resulted in litter being blown around, causing a detrimental effect on the attractive gardens.

Large capacity litter bins were needed which required minimum maintenance and provided excellent weather resistance. It was also very important that the litter bin design complemented the historic environment of the castle.

## Solution

Newark and Sherwood District Council contacted Glasdon for product information and a Glasdon Representative visited them to demonstrate the **Brunel™** litter bin. The **Brunel** litter bin is manufactured from self-coloured **Duracore™\*** material which has exceptional strength and rigidity. It will not rust and never needs painting. **Brunel** is traditionally styled to complement any historic environment, and will retain its stylish good looks for many years. The council agreed that **Brunel** would be an ideal solution and installed a large number around the castle gardens. For a finishing touch and to help raise the profile of the council the bins were personalised with the Newark and Sherwood crest.



## Resulting Benefits

**Brunel's** large, 100 litre capacity minimises the risk of overflowing litter and reduces the need for frequent emptying. The tough construction and easy to clean surface of the **Brunel** has helped reduce maintenance costs.

## What the Customer says:

**“The Brunel™ was chosen for its traditional appearance together with its large capacity and low maintenance, modern construction. We would recommend Brunel in other similar locations.”**

**Philip Beard, Strategy and Resource Development Officer,  
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\*Duracore™ material features a tough dense outer wall with a cellular construction giving outstanding performance benefits and is formulated to withstand extremes of temperatures.

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