



# Buckinghamshire County Council

## Decision to be taken

## Cabinet Member for Community Services

The Cabinet Member for Community Services will take the following decision on or after Wednesday 16 May 2007.

### Title

Library Opening Hours

### Reference Number:

CS02.07

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**1.1 That in Tier 3 libraries, 26 hours of the proposed weekly reduction of 61 hours should be restored, in order to respond positively to the principal concerns of library users and residents.**

**1.2 The detailed recommendations for Tier 3 libraries are as follows**

Library		Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Total
<b>Bourne End</b>	<i>Current</i>	CLOSED	10.00-7.30	10.00-1.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-6.00	9.30-1.00	31
	<i>Proposal</i>	CLOSED	10.00-7.00	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-1.00	26
	<i>Recommendation</i>	CLOSED	10.00-7.30	10.00-1.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-1.00	29.5
<b>Burnham</b>	<i>Current</i>	CLOSED	9.30-7.00	9.30-5.30	9.30-5.30	9.30-5.30	9.30-4.00	40
	<i>Proposed</i>	CLOSED	10.00-7.00	10.00-5.00	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	10.00-4.00	29
	<i>Recommendation</i>	CLOSED	10.00-7.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-4.00	36
<b>Chalfont Peter</b>	<i>Current</i>	CLOSED	9.30-7.30	9.30-5.00	9.30-1.00	9.30-7.30	9.30-1.00	34.5
	<i>Proposed</i>	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	CLOSED	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	26
	<i>Recommendation</i>	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	CLOSED	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	26
<b>Gerrards Cross</b>	<i>Current</i>	CLOSED	9.30-8.00	9.30-5.00	9.30-8.00	9.30-5.00	9.30-4.00	42.5
	<i>Proposed</i>	CLOSED	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-1.00	29
	<i>Recommendation</i>	CLOSED	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-4.00	32
<b>Great Missenden</b>	<i>Current</i>	CLOSED	9.30-7.30	9.30-5.00	9.30-1.00	9.30-7.30	9.30-1.00	34.5
	<i>Proposed</i>	CLOSED	10.00-7.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-1.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-1.00	29
	<i>Recommendation</i>	CLOSED	9.30-5.00	9.30-5.00	9.30-1.00	9.30-7.00	9.30-1.00	31.5
<b>Haddenham</b>	<i>Current</i>	CLOSED	9.30-7.30	CLOSED	9.30-5.00	9.30-7.30	9.30-1.00	31
	<i>Proposed</i>	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	26

	<i>Recommendation</i>	CLOSED	9.30-5.00	CLOSED	9.30-5.00	9.30-7.00	9.30-1.00	28
<b>Princes Risborough</b>	<i>Current</i>	CLOSED	9.30-8.00	9.30-1.00	9.30-8.00	9.30-5.00	9.30-1.00	35.5
	<i>Proposed</i>	CLOSED	10.00-7.30	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-1.00	33.5
	<i>Recommendation</i>	CLOSED	9.30-7.30	9.30-5.00	9.30-5.00	9.30-5.00	9.30-1.00	36
<b>Wendover</b>	<i>Current</i>	CLOSED	9.30-7.30	9.30-1.00	9.30- 5.00	9.30-7.30	9.30-1.00	34.5
	<i>Proposed</i>	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	10.00-1.00	10.00- 5.00	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	29
	<i>Recommendation</i>	CLOSED	9.30-5.00	9.30-1.00	9.30- 5.00	9.30-7.00	9.30-1.00	31.5
<b>Winslow</b>	<i>Current</i>	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	31
	<i>Proposed</i>	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	CLOSED	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	26
	<i>Recommendation</i>	CLOSED	10.00-5.00	10.00-5.00	10.00-1.00	10.00-7.00	10.00-1.00	29

1.3 That in the following libraries the proposals for change are amended as a result of the preferences expressed in the public consultation, without increasing the overall number of hours proposed:

<b>Chesham</b>	<b>Close on Monday. Open on Wednesdays from 9.30 to 5.30</b>
<b>Ivinghoe</b>	<b>Close on Thursday morning. Open on Thursday afternoon from 2.00 to</b>
<b>Stokenchurch</b>	<b>Close at 5.00 pm on Tuesday. Remain open until 7.00 on Thursday</b>
<b>Wing</b>	<b>Close at 5.00 pm on Tuesday. Remain open until 7.00 on Friday</b>

1.4 That the opening hours proposals in relation to all other libraries are adopted as set out in the consultation.

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#### **Your questions and views**

*If you have any questions about the matters contained in this paper please get in touch with the Contact Officer whose telephone number is given at the head of the paper.*

*If you have any views on this paper that you would like the Cabinet Member to consider, or if you wish to object to the proposed decision, please inform Democratic Services by 5pm on Tuesday 15 May 2007. This can be done by telephone (to 01296 383610), Fax (to 01296 382538), or e-mail to [cabinet@buckscc.gov.uk](mailto:cabinet@buckscc.gov.uk)*