

**APPENDIX 1 – PROPOSED REVISED
LIBRARY OPENING
HOURS**

BROXBOURNE	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments +/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Hoddesdon									
Monday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10 - 8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Tuesday	10.30 - 8	9.5	10 - 8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Wednesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10 - 8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Thursday	Closed		10 - 8	10		10.30 - 5	6.5		Early night and closed for training on previous closed day
Friday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		47.5		54	+6.5		55	+7.5	
Cheshunt									
Monday	9.30 - 7	9.5	10 - 8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		Usage stats for last hour indicate lack of demand for 8pm closing
Tuesday	10 - 7	9	10 - 5	7		10 - 7	9		
Wednesday	9.30 - 7	9.5	Closed	0		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Thursday	Closed		10 - 8	10		Closed			MORI report 71% preference for Thursday closing
Friday	10 - 7	9	10 - 5	7		10 - 7	9		Propose no change
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		43.5		41	-2.5		43.5	0	
Goffs Oak									
Monday	2 - 6	4	10 - 5	7		2 - 6	4		Mirroring hours with Cuffley
Tuesday	10 - 1 and 2 - 6	7	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 6	8.5		6pms to cover use by children
Wednesday	Closed		Closed	0		Closed			
Thursday	10 - 1 and 2 - 6	7	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 6	8.5		
Friday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 6	7.5	Closed	9		2 - 6	4		Issue stats show GOF busier Friday pm than Cuffley
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10 - 1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		29		24	-5		28.5	-0.5	

BROXBOURNE	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Waltham Cross									
Monday	9 - 5.30	8.5	10 - 5	7		9 - 5.30	8.5		Agreement with Broxbourne to have same opening hours as one stop shop
Tuesday	9 - 5.30	8.5	10 - 5	7		9 - 5.30	8.5		
Wednesday	9 - 5.30	8.5	10 - 5	7		9 - 5.30	8.5		
Thursday	9 - 5.30	8.5	10 - 5	7		9 - 5.30	8.5		
Friday	9 - 5.30	8.5	10 - 5	7		9 - 5.30	8.5		
Saturday	9 - 4	7	10 - 5	7		9 - 4	6.5		
Total		49.5		42	-7.5		49.5	0	
Total change					-8.5			+7	

DACORUM	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Hemel Hempstead									
Monday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10 – 8	10		9.30 – 8	10.5		
Tuesday	10.30 - 8	9.5	10 – 8	10		10.30 - 8	9.5		Closed for training
Wednesday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10 – 8	10		9.30 - 5	7.5		Early closing on same day
Thursday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10 – 8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Friday	9.30 – 8	10.5	10 – 5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10 – 5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		51		54	+3		55	+4	
Berkhamsted									
Monday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10 – 8	10		9.30 - 6	8.5		
Tuesday	10.30 - 8	9.5	10 – 5	7		10.30 - 8	9.5		Closed for training
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10 – 8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		Late night pattern retained in response to feedback and well established usage
Friday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10 – 5	7		9.30 - 6	8.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		42.5		41	-1.5		43.5	+1	
Tring									
Monday	10.30 - 7.30	9	10 – 8	10		10.30 - 7	8.5		Closed for training
Tuesday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10 – 5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		Current late evening usage would not warrant 8pm closing and 6pm would be too early on the other pms
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10 – 8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Friday	9.30 - 5	7.5	10 – 5	7		9.30 - 6	8.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10 – 5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		43		41	-2		42.5	-0.5	

DACORUM	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Bovingdon									
Monday	2 - 5	3	10 - 5	7		2 - 6	4		Responds to the preference for opening on more days and usage by the school
Tuesday	10.30 - 1 and 2 - 5	5.5	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 6	8.5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	2 - 7.30	5.5	10 - 5	7		2 - 7	5		
Friday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 5	6.5	Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10 - 1	3		9.30-1	3.5		
Total		24		24	0		24.5	+0.5	
Kings Langley									
Monday	Closed		10 - 5	7		Closed			Relatively busy in the evening until 7pm therefore retain 2 late evenings
Tuesday	10.30 - 1 and 2 - 7.30	8	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed	0		
Thursday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 7.30	9	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Friday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 5	6.5	Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10 - 1	3		9.30-1	3.5		
Total		27		24	-3		26	-1	

DACORUM	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Leverstock Green									
Monday	Closed		Closed			Closed			Mirrors Adeyfield and a greater spread of opening days
Tuesday	10.30 - 1 and 2 - 5.30 and 6 - 7.30	7.5	10 - 5	7		2 - 6	4		Slightly longer hours than ADE due to higher overall issues
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		
Thursday	Closed		10 - 5	7		2 - 6	4		
Friday	10 - 1 and 2 - 5.30	6.5	Closed			2 - 6	4		Friday afternoon busy at both libraries therefore retained in both
Saturday	9.30 - 12.30	3	10 - 1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		17		17	0		19 +2		
Adeyfield									
Monday	2 - 5	3	Closed			2 - 6	4		Retains Monday and Thursday pattern
Tuesday	10.30 - 1 and 2 - 5	5.5	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		Mirrors Leverstock Green
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10 - 5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Friday	2 - 5	3	Closed			2 - 6	4		
Saturday	9.30 - 12.30	3	10 - 1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		18		17	-1		18.5	+0.5	
Total change					-4.5			6.5	

EAST HERTS	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Bishops Stortford									
Monday	9 - 7	10	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		After 6.30pm free parking
Tuesday	10 - 7	9	10-8	10		10.30 - 8	9.5		Closed for training hour
Wednesday	9 - 1	4	10-8	10		9.30 - 5	7.5		Early closing on same day
Thursday	9 - 7	10	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Friday	10 - 7	9	10-5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Saturday	9 - 4	6	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		49		54	+5		55	+6	
Ware									
Monday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		Mirrors Hertford
Tuesday	10.30 - 7.30	9	10-5	7		10.30 - 7	8.5		Closed for training
Wednesday	9.30 - 7.30	10	Closed			9.30 - 7	9.5		
Thursday	Closed		10-8	10		Closed			61% expressed preference to retain
Friday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		Thursday as closed day
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		43		41	-2		40.5	-2.5	
Hertford									
Monday	9.30 - 7	9.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		Mirrors Ware
Tuesday	9.30 - 7	9.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		Closed for training
Wednesday	9.30 - 7	9.5	Closed			Closed			No preference expressed on Wed/Th
Thursday	Closed		10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		closing issue
Friday	10.30 - 7	8.5	10-5	7		10.30 - 7	8.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		40.5		41	+0.5		40.5	0	

EAST HERTS	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Sawbridgeworth									
Monday	2 - 8	6	10-5	7		2 - 7	5		Consistently busiest evening
Tuesday	Closed		10-5	7		Closed			
Wednesday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 8	9.5	Closed			9.30 - 7	9.5		Maintain Weds because Harlow is closed & SAW is busy
Thursday	Closed		10-5	7		Closed			
Friday	9.30 - 12 and 2 - 8	8.5	Closed			9.30 - 7	9.5		CAB surgery am
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		27.5		24	-3.5		27.5	0	
Buntingford									
Monday	10 - 1 and 2 - 5	6	10-5	7		9.30 - 5	7.5		
Tuesday	2 - 7.30	5.5	10-5	7		2 - 7	5		Tuesday & Friday afternoons are busiest
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	10 - 1 and 2 - 5	6	10-5	7		9.30 - 5	7.5		
Friday	2 - 7.30	5.5	Closed			2 - 7	5		
Saturday	9 - 1	4	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		27		24	-3		28.5	+1.5	
Total change					-3			5	

HERTSMERE	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Borehamwood									
Monday	10.30 - 8	9.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Tuesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Wednesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Thursday	Closed		10-8	10		10.30 -5	6.5		Early closing and closed for training hour on previous closed day
Friday	9.30 - 5	7.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 5	7.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		44.5		54	+9.5		52	+7.5	
Bushey									
Monday	10.30 - 7	8.5	10-8	10		10.30 - 7	8.5		Closed for training
Tuesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-5	7		9.30 -7	9.5		Late evening usage low
Wednesday	9.30 - 7	9.5	Closed			9.30 - 7	9.5		
Thursday	Closed		10-8	10		Closed			Retains Thursdays closing
Friday	9.30 - 7	9.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		41.5		41	-0.5		40.5	-1	
Oakmere									
Monday	11 - 6	7	10-8	10		10.30 - 6	7.5		Closed for training
Tuesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		Tuesdays busiest evening
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Friday	9.30 - 5	7.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 6	8.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		42		41	-1		43.5	+1.5	

HERTSMERE	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Radlett									
Monday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-8	10		9.30 – 6	8.5		
Tuesday	10.30 - 7	8.5	10-5	7		9.30 – 7	9.5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 7	9.5	10-8	10		9.30 – 7	9.5		
Friday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-5	7		9.30 – 6	8.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		37.5		37	-0.5		39.5	+2	
Cranbourne									
Monday	2 - 8	6	Closed			2 – 7	5		Cranbourne usage is below Band 4 average. Therefore opening hours need to be consistent with other Band 4 libraries and not Band 3 as currently.
Tuesday	10 - 1 and 2 - 5	6	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	10 - 1 and 3 - 8	8	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Friday	10 - 1 and 2 - 5	6	Closed			2 - 7	5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 -1	3.5		
Total		29.5		17	-12.5		20.5	-9	
Total change					-5			+1	

NORTH HERTS	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Hitchin									
Monday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Tuesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Wednesday	Closed		10-8	10		10.30 - 5	6.5		Early closing and closed for training hour on previous closed day
Thursday	10.30 - 8	9.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Friday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		47.5		54	+6.5		55	+7.5	
Letchworth									
Monday	10.30 - 7.30	9	10-8	10		10.30 - 8	9.5		Closed for training
Tuesday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		Busy supermarket opposite
Friday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		People use library + late shopping
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		45.5		41	-4.5		47.5	+2	
Propose that Letchworth extends to 8pm as it is busy between 7 and 7.30 .									
Royston									
Monday	9.30 - 7	9.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Tuesday	10.30 - 5	6.5	10-5	7		10.30 - 5	6.5		Closed for training
Wednesday	9.30 - 7	9.5	Closed			9.30 - 7	9.5		
Thursday	Closed		10-8	10		Closed			77% wanted to retain Th closed
Friday	9.30 - 7	9.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		41.5		41	-0.5		41.5	0	

NORTH HERTS	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments +/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Baldock									
Monday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Tuesday	10.30 - 5	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 5	7.5		
Wednesday	9.30 - 7.30	10	Closed			9.30 - 7	9.5		
Thursday	Closed		10-8	10		Closed			Retain Thursday closed day as Wednesday is market day
Friday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		40		41	+1		39.5	-0.5	
Knebworth									
Monday	Closed		Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		Usage falls dramatically after 6pm
Tuesday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 7	8.5	10-5	7		2 - 6	4		Total usage is Band 4 level not Band 3
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	10.30 - 1 and 2 - 7	7.5	10-5	7		2 - 6	4		
Friday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 5	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		26		24	-2		18.5	-7.5	
Jackmans									
Monday	10 - 12 and 2 - 5	5	Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		
Tuesday	2 - 5.30	3.5	10-5	7		2 - 6	4		Tuesday & Thursdays busiest afternoons
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	2 - 7	5	10-5	7		2 - 6	4		
Friday	10 - 12 and 2 - 5	5	Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		Busiest morning
Saturday	Closed		10-1	3		9.30-1	3.5		
Total		18.5		17	-1.5		18.5	0	
Total change					-1			+1.5	
Ashwell remains open exactly the same hours i.e. Tuesday 2 – 7 and 9.30 – 12.30 Saturdays = 8 hours in total									

ST ALBANS	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+/-	Revised proposal	Hours open	+/-	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
St Albans Central									
Monday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 – 7.30	10		
Tuesday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-8	10		9.30 – 7.30	10		
Wednesday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 – 7.30	10		
Thursday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-8	10		9.30 – 7.30	10		Full day instead of half
Friday	10.30 - 7.30	9	10-5	7		10.30 – 6	7.5		Quietest evening of the week
Saturday	9.00 - 4	7	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		47.5		54	+6.5		54	+6.5	
St Albans is not the same as other main libraries because of its location in the Maltings. It would be difficult to justify 8pm closing because there is no late night shopping and parking is expensive, usage slows down considerably after 7pm.									
Harpenden									
Monday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		Usage declines abruptly after 7pm
Tuesday	10.30 - 7.30	9	10-5	7		10.30 - 7	8.5		Closed for training
Wednesday	Closed					Closed			Maintains current closed day
Thursday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Friday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		Busiest 5 to 5.30 slot of the week
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		Same pattern as many other
Total		43.5		41	-2.5		43.5	0	Band 2s
Marshalswick									
Monday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-8	10		9.30 – 6	8.5		Busiest band 3 in the County
Tuesday	10.30 - 7.30	9	10-5	7		10.30 – 7	8.5		Usage declines sharply after 7pm
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 – 7	9.5		
Friday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-5	7		9.30 – 6	8.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		38.5		37	-1.5		38.5	0	

ST ALBANS	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Revised proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Cunningham									
Monday	Closed		Closed			Closed			Mirrors Fleetville
Tuesday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 7	8.5	10-5	7		2 - 6	4		Evenings are less busy than
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		Fleetville hence 6pms not 7pm
Thursday	2 - 7	5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		Both Cunningham and Fleetville
Friday	10.30 - 1 and 2 - 5	5.5	Closed			2 - 6	4		have low overall usage and needed
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		to be more in line with typical Band 4
Total		22.5		17	-5.5		18.5		-4 opening hours
Fleetville									
Monday	Closed		Closed			2 - 7	5		Mirrors Cunningham
Tuesday	10 - 1 and 2 - 7	8	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	2 - 7	5	10-5	7		2 - 7	5		
Friday	11 - 1 and 2 - 5	5	Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		21.5		17	-4.5		20.5		-1
Redbourn									
Monday	Closed		Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		
Tuesday	10.30 - 1 and 2 - 7.30	8	10-5	7		2 - 7	5		Usage drops abruptly after 7pm
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed	0		
Thursday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 7.30	9	10-5	7		2 - 7	5		
Friday	Closed		Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		20.5		17	-3.5		20.5		0

ST ALBANS	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Revised proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
London Colney									
Monday	Closed		Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		72% wanted more days rather than fuller days
Tuesday	10 - 1 and 2 - 5.30	6.5	10-5	7		2 - 7	5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			68% preferred Wednesday closing
Thursday	11 - 1 and 2 - 5.30	5.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Friday	2 - 7.45	5.75	Closed			2 - 7	5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		21.25		17	-4.25		20.5	-0.75	
Wheathampstead									
Monday	2 - 7.30	5.5	Closed			2 - 7	5		Coincide with Senior Citizens Club at Memorial Hall on a Monday
Tuesday	2 - 5	3	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	10.30 - 1 and 2 - 5	5.5	10-5	7		2 - 7	5		
Friday	Closed		Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 4	5.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		19.5		17	-2.5		20.5	+1	
								+1.75	

STEVENAGE	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Revised proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Stevenage									
Monday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Tuesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Wednesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Thursday	10.30 - 8	9.5	10-8	10		10.30 - 8	9.5		Closed for training
Friday	9.30 - 5	7.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 5	7.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10.5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		55		54	-1		55	0	
Stevenage Old Town									
Monday	2 - 5	3	Closed			2 - 5	3		Currently close at 5pm. Low usage
Tuesday	10 - 5	7	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		between 4.30 - 5
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			Tuesday am busiest
Thursday	11 - 5	6	10-5	7		2 - 5	3		
Friday	10 - 1 and 2 - 5	6	Closed			9.30 - 5	7.5		Friday busiest day of week
Saturday	10 - 1	3	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		25		17	-8		20.5	-4.5	
								-4.5	

THREE RIVERS	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Revised proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Comments +/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Rickmansworth									
Monday	11-7.30	8.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Tuesday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Wednesday	Closed		10-8	10		10.30 - 5	6.5		Closed for training hour and early closing on previous closed day
Thursday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		Low usage after 7pm.
Friday	9.30 - 5	7.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 5	7.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
Total		42.5		54	+11.5		49	+6.5	
Oxhey									
Monday	9.30 - 6	8.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Tuesday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Wednesday	Closed					Closed			Homework club Mon, Tues, Thurs
Thursday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Friday	10.30 - 6	7.5	10-5	7		10.30 - 6	7.5		Closed for training
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		39.5		41	+1.5		39.5	0	
Croxley									
Monday	10.30 - 7.30	9	10-8	10		9.30 - 7	9.5		Usage after 7pm low
Tuesday	9.30 - 7.30	10	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-8	10		9.30 - 6	8.5		
Friday	9.30- 7.30	10	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		40.5		41	+0.5		40.5	0	

THREE RIVERS	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Revised proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Comments
									+/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Abbots Langley									
Monday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Tuesday	9.30 - 1 and 2.00 - 7.30	9	10-5	7		9.30 -7	8.5		Considerable drop in usage after 7pm. Tuesday busiest day
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	2.30 - 7.30	5	10-5	7		2 - 7	5		
Friday	10.30 - 1 and 2.00 - 5.30	6	Closed			9.30 - 5	7.5		Friday am busiest am
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		27		24	-3		28	+1	
Chorleywood									
Monday	10.30 - 7.30	9	10-5	7		9.30 – 7.30	10		Retains current pattern
Tuesday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-5	7		9.30 – 5.30	8		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-5	7		9.30 – 5.30	8		
Friday	9.30 - 5.30	8	10-5	7		9.30 – 5.30	8		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Total		36.5		31	-5.5		37.5	+1	
								8.5	

WATFORD	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Revised proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Comments +/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Watford									
Monday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Tuesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Wednesday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 5	7.5		Full day instead of half
Thursday	10.30 - 8	9.5	10-8	10		10.30 - 8	9.5		Closed for training
Friday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
		51		54	+3		55	+4	
North Watford									
Monday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Tuesday	10.30 - 8	9.5	10-5	7		10.30 - 8	9.5		Closed for training
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			Evening usage justifies continued
Thursday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		8pms
Friday	9.30 - 5	7.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 5	7.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10.5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
		44.5		41	-3.5		44.5	0	
								4	

WELWYN HATFIELD	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Revised proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Comments +/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Welwyn Garden City									
Monday	10.30 - 8	9.5	10-8	10		10.30 - 8	9.5		Closed for training
Tuesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Wednesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Thursday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 5	7.5		Full day instead of half day
Friday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		
		51		54	+3		55	+4	
Hatfield									
Monday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-8	10		9.30 - 6	8.5		
Tuesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 8	10.5		
Wednesday	9.30 - 8	10.5	Closed			9.30 - 8	10.5		
Thursday	9.30 - 5	7.5	10-8	10		Closed	0		56% preferred Thursday to Weds
Friday	10.30 - 5	6.5	10-5	7		10.30 - 6	7.5		closed day MORI. Thursday
Saturday	9.30 - 4	6.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 4	6.5		quietest day
		45		41	-4		43.5	-1.5	

The average issue figure for the 12 Band 2 libraries that are not main district libraries = 188,895. Hatfield issues 156,958. All of the other 11 have a closed day.

WELWYN HATFIELD	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Revised proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Comments +/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Woodhall									
Monday	9.30 - 5	7.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 5	7.5		
Tuesday	10 - 7.30	9.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	10 - 7.30	9.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 7	9.5		
Friday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
		33.5		31	-2.5		33.5	0	

The newly launched Internet service is well used. Peartree is one of the most deprived wards in the County, and the DC has received SRB funding to develop the area.

Cuffley									
Monday	2 - 6	4	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		Mirroring with Goffs Oak
Tuesday	10 - 1 and 2 - 6	7	10-5	7		9.30 - 6	8.5		
Wednesday	10 - 1 and 2 - 6	7	Closed			2 - 6	4		Baby Rhyme Time links with clinic
Thursday	Closed		10-5	7		Closed			
Friday	9.30am - 1 and 2pm - 6	7.5	Closed			9.30 - 6	8.5		
Saturday	9.30am - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
		29		24	-5		28	-1	

WELWYN HATFIELD	Current opening hours	Hours open	Proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Revised proposal	Hours open	+ / -	Comments +/- = the difference between current and proposed opening hours
Welwyn									
Monday	1 - 5	4	Closed			1 - 5	4		
Tuesday	Closed		10-5	7		Closed			
Wednesday	9.30 - 12 and 1 - 5	6.5	Closed			9.30 - 5	7.5		
Thursday	Closed		10-5	7		Closed	0		
Friday	1 - 5	4	Closed			1 - 5	4		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
		18		17	-1		19	+1	

The existing hours were a response to the Welwyn 2000 Appraisal, and they are linked to multiple use of the building. The overall number of hours are consistent with other band 4 libraries, and the revised proposal suggests retaining the current pattern.

Brookmans Park

Monday	Closed		Closed			9.30 - 1	3.5		Brookmans Park has low overall usage therefore has basic Band 4 opening hour pattern
Tuesday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 6	7.5	10-5	7		2 - 6	4		
Wednesday	Closed		Closed			Closed			
Thursday	9.30 - 1 and 2 - 6	7.5	10-5	7		9.30 - 1	3.5		
Friday	10.30 - 1	2.5	Closed			2 - 6	4		
Saturday	9.30 - 1	3.5	10-1	3		9.30 - 1	3.5		
		21		17	-4		18.5	-2.5	
								0	

Summary

District	Overall increase / decrease
Broxbourne	+7
Dacorum	+6.5
East Herts	+5
Hertsmere	+1
North Herts	+1.5
St Albans	+1.75
Stevenage	-4.5
Three Rivers	+8.5
Watford	+4
Welwyn/Hatfield	0
Total	+29.75