Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Agenda

1 March 2011

A special meeting of the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee will be held at SHIRE HALL, WARWICK on TUESDAY, 1 MARCH 2011 at 10:00 a.m.

1. General

(1) Apologies

(2) Members' Disclosures of Personal and Prejudicial Interests.

Members are reminded that they should disclose the existence and nature of their personal interests at the commencement of the relevant item (or as soon as the interest becomes apparent). If that interest is a prejudicial interest the Member must withdraw from the room unless one of the exceptions applies.

'Membership of a district or borough council is classed as a personal interest under the Code of Conduct. A Member does not need to declare this interest unless the Member chooses to speak on a matter relating to their membership. If the Member does not wish to speak on the matter, the Member may still vote on the matter without making a declaration'.

- (3) Minutes of the meeting of the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 19 January 2011
- (4) Chair's Announcements

2. Public Question Time (Standing Order 34)

Up to 30 minutes of the meeting is available for members of the public to ask questions on any matters relevant to the business of the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee.



Questioners may ask two questions and can speak for up to three minutes each.

For further information about public question time, please contact Ann Mawdsley on 01926 418079 or e-mail *annmawdsley@warwickshire.gov.uk*.

3. Questions to the Portfolio Holders (Customers, Workforce and Partnership and Community Safety)

Councillor Alan Cockburn (Lead Portfolio Holder for Environment and Economy), Councillor Colin Hayfield (Lead Portfolio Holder, Customers, Workforce and Partnership) Councillor Richard Hobbs (Community Safety)

Up to 30 minutes of the meeting is available for Members of the Committee to put questions to the Portfolio Holders on any matters relevant to the Communities remit.

4. Changing Times – A New Chapter for Warwickshire Library and Information Services

Report of the Strategic Director for Customers, Workforce and Governance.

The purpose of this report is to explain proposed changes to the way library services are delivered throughout Warwickshire.

Recommendation

The committee is requested to comment on the proposals.

For further information please contact Ayub Khan, Head of Libraries – Strategy, Tel. 01926 412657 email *ayubkhan@warwickshire.gov.uk.*

This report was not available at the time of printing and will be circulated separately.

5. Warwickshire Community Safety Agreement Progress Report

Report of the Strategic Director for Customers, Workforce and Governance.

This report presents progress made against each of the priorities within the 2010-11 Warwickshire Community Safety Agreement.

Recommendation

That members note the progress made against each of the priorities within the

Community Safety Agreement and comment on key and emerging issues arising from the report.

For further information please contact Julie Sullivan, Corporate Community Safety Manager, Tel: 01926 412587 E-mail *juliesullivan@warwickshire.gov.uk* or Kate Nash, Head of Community Safety and Localities, Tel: 01926 412177 Email *katenash@warwickshire.gov.uk*.

6. Fire Sprinkler Systems

Report of the Chief Fire Officer

The Fire and Rescue Service (FRS) in Warwickshire have made excellent progress over recent years in reducing the number of deaths and injuries from fire. Whilst the figures remain relatively low, there are few emergencies which can have such an immediate and major impact as a fire in a home, school, industrial premise or business. Fire can and does bring significant disruption to communities, the environment and the local economy. Fire sprinklers protect buildings; they protect the contents of buildings, reduce risk to the occupants and more critically they reduce risk to firefighters. Warwickshire Fire and Rescue Service now seek to promote the installation of fire sprinklers in residential premises, schools commercial and industrial premises.

Recommendation

That the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee considers the report and resolves to support the Fire and Rescue Service in promoting Fire Sprinkler Systems.

For further information please contact Gary Phillips, Deputy Chief Fire Officer, Tel: 01925 423231 E-mail *garyphillips@warwickshire.gov.uk*.

7. Development of Draft Measures and Targets in Support of the CBP 2011-13

Report of the Head of Community Safety & Localities, Head of Environment & Resources, Head of Finance, Fire & Rescue, Head of Children, Young People & Families and Head of Performance Management

Following the approval of the high level Corporate Business Plan on the 15th February at Full Council, this report presents the proposed measures and targets for inclusion relevant to the remit of the Communities Portfolio.

Recommendation

That Communities Overview & Scrutiny Committee consider and challenge, where appropriate, the draft measures and targets listed within Appendix A that will support the delivery of the Corporate Business Plan 2011-13.



For further information please contact Tricia Morrison, Head of Performance, Partnership & Performance Unit, Tel: 01926 416319 E-mail *triciamorrison@warwickshire.gov.uk* or Elizabeth Abbott, Performance & Improvement Officer, Partnership & Performance Unit, Tel: 01926 412805 Email *elizabethabbott@warwickshire.gov.uk*.

8. Committee Work Programme

Report of the Strategic Director of Customers, Workforce and Governance

This report outlines the draft work programme for the Committee.

Recommendation

The Committee is recommended to agree the work programme, to be reviewed and reprioritised as appropriate.

For further information please contact Michelle McHugh, Overview and Scrutiny Manager, Tel: 01926 412144 E-mail *michellemchugh@warwickshire.gov.uk* or Ann Mawdsley, Principal Committee Administrator, Tel: 01926 418079 E-mail *annmawdsley@warwickshire.gov.uk*.

Forward Plan

For information:

<u>Cabinet – 17 March 2011</u> Changing Times – A New Chapter for Warwickshire Library and Information Service Warwickshire Final Local Transport Plan 2011-2026 Collaboration with Warwickshire Police

9. Any Other Items

which the Chair decides are urgent.

JIM GRAHAM Chief Executive



Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee

County Councillors

Sarah Boad, Richard Chattaway, Jeff Clarke, Barry Lobbett, Mike Gittus, Phillip Morris-Jones, Martin Shaw, Ray Sweet, John Whitehouse (Chair), Chris Williams

Cabinet Members

Councillor Alan Cockburn (Lead Portfolio Holder for Environment and Economy) Councillor Colin Hayfield (Lead Portfolio Holder for Customers, Workforce and Partnerships) Councillor Richard Hobbs (Lead Portfolio Holder for Community Safety)

The reports referred to are available in large print if requested

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Minutes of the Meeting of the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 19 January 2011

Present:-

Members of the Committee

Councillor Sarah Boad

- " Richard Chattaway
- " Jeff Clarke
- " Barry Lobbett
- " Mike Gittus
- " Phillip Morris-Jones
- " Martin Shaw
- " Ray Sweet
- " John Whitehouse (Chair)
- " Chris Williams

Other County Councillors

Councillor Richard Hobbs (Portfolio Holder for Community Safety

Officers Sara-Louise Board, Concessionary Travel Project Manager Graeme Fitton, Head of Transport and Highways Glenn Fleet, Manager, Environment and Resources Ann Mawdsley, Principal Committee Administrator Michelle McHugh, Overview and Scrutiny Manager Gary Phillips, Deputy Chief Fire Officer Mark Ryder, Head of Trading Standards, Heritage and Culture Martin Stott, Head of Environment and Resources

(The order of these minutes is as they appear on the agenda and do not reflect the order in which they were considered).

1. General

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.

(1) Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence were received on behalf of Councillors Cockburn and Hayfield.

(2) Members Declarations of Personal and Prejudicial Interests

None.

(3) Minutes of the meetings of the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 3 November 2010 and 29 November 2010

The Chair thanked Ann Mawdsley for producing two excellent sets of minutes from lengthy and complicated meetings.

3 November 2010

The Minutes of the meeting of the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 3 November were agreed as a true record and signed by the Chair.

Matters Arising

Page 15 – 10. Committee Work Programme and suggested topics for Task and Finish Groups

The Chair reported that the Briefing Notes on On-street Parking and Community Empowerment had both been received by Members.

29 November 2010

The Minutes of the meeting of the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 29 November 2010 were agreed as a true record and signed by the Chair.

Page 4 – 2.9 Rugby Western Relief Road (RWRR)

Councillor Phillip Morris-Jones asked that it be noted that while the original contract had been awarded to Mowlem, which was subsequently taken over by Carillion, rather than the contract automatically transferring to Carillion a decision could have been made to award the contract to one of the other original five qualifying tenders at that stage. The Chair asked that this issue be included in the information provided to the Committee at the meeting to consider the RWRR.

(4) Chair's Announcements

Members are reminded that the Council considered both the High Speed 2 Rail and the Rugby Western Relief Road on 14 December.

High Speed Rail 2 (HS2)

The Chair reminded Members of the resolution agreed by the Council relating to and noted that he would be meeting with the Party Spokespersons, Mandy Walker and Michelle McHugh to consider the role of Overview and Scrutiny over the next months when the proposed route for HS2 and the Government's broader strategy for high speed rail will be subject to public consultation, starting in February.

Rugby Western Relief Road

Following the meeting on 29 November and the Chair's report that was considered by full Council on 14 December, the next step is to hold a further meeting of the Communities OSC in Rugby, which was likely to be in early March. The Chair reported that confirmation had been received from Legal Services that there were no longer any impediments to the full disclosure of documents to the public.

Impact of the Budget on Libraries

Arrangements were underway to hold a special meeting early in February to consider the impact of the Budget on Libraries in Warwickshire. The Chair noted concerns raised regarding the length of time this had taken in relation to the budget setting process. He added that judgments had been made on the information provided and that this meeting would still allow the Committee an opportunity to scrutinise any potential impact on libraries.

Further concerns were raised that Portfolio Holders were not attending O&S meetings on a regular basis to answer questions put forward by members of the Committee. The Chair stated that this was an issue faced by all the Overview and Scrutiny Committees and that he would be proposing at the Overview and Scrutiny Board that this issue be raised with the Leader.

2. Public Question Time

There were no public questions.

3. Questions to the Portfolio Holder

Councillor Richard Hobbs

1. Councillor Richard Chattaway asked the Portfolio Holder how many potential redundancy notices had been served in Fire and Rescue, broken down to service and non-service personnel.

Gary Phillips, Deputy Chief Fire Officer, undertook to e-mail this information to members of the Committee.

2. Councillor Mike Gittus asked the Portfolio Holder, in anticipation of the announcement expected from the Chief Constable, whether there were any indications that any police stations in Warwickshire could be decommissioned.

Councillor Richard Hobbs responded by saying that the list would be extensive in Warwickshire, particularly where it was

felt that police stations were no longer necessary. He added that Warwickshire Police force had already teamed up with Warwickshire County Council and Warwick and Stratford District Council to deliver police front desk enquiries from the front office at Globe House, Alcester and Shire Hall, Warwick. Difficult decisions would have to be made involving the police workforce in Warwickshire, including at the Leek Wooten site, but other ways to deliver savings were also being considered such as mobile data terminals to allow for working and information provision to be done by police on the beat.

3. Councillor Phillip Morris-Jones asked whether the abandoned Regional Fire Control Centre in Wolverhampton would have an impact on the Estates Strategy.

The Portfolio Holder replied that these issues were not related He updated Members on the announcement that had been made on 20 December that the company would be dissolved and the project abandoned. This meant that the Fire Control premises were no longer needed. He added that in Warwickshire the fire control system was not fit for purpose and this would need to be rectified quickly. In the long-term Warwickshire would have to look at collaborative working with other agencies and regions, and in the short-term the possibility of plugging in to the control centre used by the West Midlands Fire and Rescue Service on a temporary basis was being considered. This option would involve using their technology and not their staff.

4. Councillor Richard Chattaway stated that he accepted the difficulties for the Portfolio Holder as a member of the Police Authority and the County Council. He asked for a special meeting to be arranged to look at the Warwickshire Police Force, with an invitation to be given to the Deputy Chief Constable to speak to the Committee. Councillor Chattaway also asked for a Briefing Note on the Fire Control Centre to be provided for members of the O&S Committee as soon as possible.

The Chair noted that these issues would be discussed in the next Chair and Party Spokespersons meeting.

5. The Chair asked the Portfolio Holder what the status was in regard to the Alternative Savings Proposals for the Fire and Rescue Service currently available on the Members' Intranet.

Gary Phillips, Deputy Chief Fire Officer stated that this was a document that had been produced at the inception of savings plans in response to being asked to consider what a cut to the budget of 30% might look like. The Portfolio Holder supported

this, saying that SDLT and the Cabinet had asked all Directorates to produce 30% savings plans, which had since been rejected.

6. Councillor Martin Shaw asked for an update on his previous request that work be done with the media to publish Fire and Rescue incidents.

Gary Phillips, Deputy Chief Fire Officer stated that the Fire and Rescue Service were taking a holistic approach, working with the County Council to publicise the work they were doing. A twitter site had been set up following the Fire and Rescue Service and all incidents were streamed onto this site. There were already 50 followers, many of whom were media based, and it was hoped that this would be developed further in the future.

7. The Chair asked for an update on the vigilante groups that had advertised their security services in Kenilworth.

The Portfolio Holder stated that these groups were legal entities, and as long as they worked within the constraints of the law, could continue to operate. He added that his understanding was that the actual financial take-up of the project had been lower than the expected 50% and that there had been no complaints or media reports since Christmas.

The Chair thanked Councillor Hobbs for his responses.

4. Long Term Strategy for Waste Disposal

The Committee received a PowerPoint presentation from Martin Stott, Head of Environment and Resources, on Warwickshire's Long Term Strategy for Waste Disposal.

During the discussion that ensued the following points arose:

- 1. The County Council needed to start to divert the 53,000 tonnes of waste that needed to be treated by means other than landfill by 2016/17. There were different ways this could be processed and no reason why companies that had permission to process such material, such as Cemex, could not tender for this.
- 2. The County had introduced a Master Composting Scheme with Garden Organic Ryton following the success of the Master Gardening Scheme, to raise public awareness, encourage and support people in home composting to reduce the amount of waste being sent to landfill. Home composting had the advantages of reducing collections and lowering the impact on the environment.

- 3. It was important in moving forward to get the balance right, taking into account the County Council contract to provide a minimum quantity of waste to Ufton for a further 13 years, but also considering that not all properties had the facilities to recycle and not all residents were able to or chose to recycle.
- 4. Every effort had been made in working with District and Borough Councils to improve recycling rates and mitigate fines for not meeting targets. Recycling rates in Stratford, Warwick and Rugby were all above targets and there had been considerable improvement in Nuneaton and Bedworth. North Warwickshire continued to be expensive to the County as the disposal authority. The Chair added that he was a member of the Warwickshire Waste Partnership, which included members from all the District/Borough Council, and that there had been unsuccessful proposals to moved towards a joint waste agreement/authority, but that this was not the current direction of travel.
- 5. E&E had recently carried out a waste audit to identify what was still being thrown away in the black bins, etc. This had provided data that would enable the Directorate to campaign and focus their resources in the right areas.
- 6. All authorities, including Warwickshire, were looking at alternatives to getting rid of waste. The Chair noted that in terms of future debates, technical choices going forward would be an important issue, and the Council would need to be looking to creating electricity rather than using it.
- 7. Take up rates of any recycling system determined the impact on costs and value, and it was agreed that any system had to be made as easy as possible for people to recycle at kerbside, and the most popular choice that offered best value for money was a single bin for all recycling.
- 8. There was some discussion around different methods of recycling and collection in different areas in the County. Martin Stott noted that separate recycling inside homes allowed the authority to get a higher price for selling purer material.
- 9. Martin Stott confirmed that Project Transform would formally end in March 2011. Warwickshire County Council, as a joint partner in Project Transform, had rights to all intellectual property relating to this project, including the Waste Growth Model. Martin Stott did point out however, that with the abolition of the Regional Spatial Strategy and housing targets, policy landscape had changed and any developments coming out of Project Transform would have to be reviewed accordingly.
- 10. Councillor Richard Chattaway asked that when this item was discussed at a future meeting, that the Portfolio Holder responsible for waste should be invited to give his vision for waste management and how he intended to deliver this. The Chair added that future reports should look at collection and costs as well as the disposal side of the strategy.

The Chair thanked Martin Stott for his presentation and noted that at the next Chair/Party Spokesperson meeting, that an agreement be made on the way forward and whether this should involve regular reports as the Strategy developed, or a Task and Finish Group to be commissioned to work alongside the Directorate at that stage in policy development.

5. Concessionary Travel Project and Risk Management

The Committee considered the report of the Strategic Director for Environment and Economy setting out the project management and risk mitigation processes in relation to the Concessionary Travel Project.

During the ensuing discussion the following points were noted:

- 1. Guidance from DfT had been received on 29 November 2010 and Warwickshire County Council had issued a draft scheme on 1 December 2010. The initial settlement for Warwickshire was £6.7m, and it was possible that if there was a surge in uptake, there could be a revenue shortfall. Graeme Fitton added that there were too many variables to take into account to be able to accurately anticipate take-up and use. A further bid had been put in that was higher than the current offer, but the results of this were as yet unknown.
- 2. Reimbursements were made against the average fare on a route. All providers were required to have smart card systems by August 2011 and this would alter the way reimbursements were calculated.
- 3. Although rates were negotiated based on guidance rather than absolutes, a lot of work had been done in Warwickshire "to get the most buses for the money available" and Warwickshire had one of the lowest rates of reimbursement across the country.
- 4. Members welcomed the undertaking to continue to allow concessionary travel from 9:00 am.
- 5. In light of the strategic review of ESPO being undertaken, officers were asked what value ESPO had brought to the project through their involvement. Sara Board praised ESPO's clear processes, procedures and involvement in the project, adding that this had allowed the tender to be expanded to a national framework.
- 6. An Information Sheet would be sent out to Members at the end of January giving a general update and the message for Warwickshire residents was that "there would be no change, everything was fine and would be better than before".

The Chair thanked officers for their presentation and commended the officers involved and the Economy and Environment management for the way the project had been managed.

The Committee agreed to commend to the Cabinet the project approach that had been taken and to support the need for Warwickshire to continue to ensure this service and to continue to bid for any monies made available from central Government.

6. Heritage and Culture Proposals

The Committee considered the report of the Strategic Director for Environment and Economy providing an update on proposals for transforming Heritage and Cultural Services.

Mark Ryder introduced the report, setting out the background to the proposals and the plans for moving forward with a more business-like focus across services, reducing costs and improving services for customers.

During the ensuing discussion the following points were raised:

- In response to a query regarding the possibility of a more radical, overall transfer of services to outside the County Council, Mark Ryder noted that on early investigations there did not appear to be any successful models for the whole suite of services currently offered by the County Council. He added however that currently the turnover from these services outweighed the revenue support, so there was the ability to continue and revisit different options in the future.
- 2. The Chair asked what Warwickshire's positions was in regard to the national debate taking place over charging for museum entry and the trend not to charge. Mark Ryder noted that entry into museums was not specifically charged for, but this was a small part that would not alter the big picture in terms of revenue.
- 3. Any proposals for the future would have to be based on the best protocols for the cultural heritage of Warwickshire and the best protection for user experience.
- 4. The three front doors of the County Records Office and the two museums in Warwick would remain.
- 5. Every effort would be made to expand the online services, which provided an international interface.
- 6. In response to a query regarding the impact on revenue through not being able to pay with a credit/debit card in the museum, it was noted that there were issues with card payments but that online payment services could be processed countywide.
- 7. Warwickshire's military museums had a high standing nationally and dialogue was ongoing with the District/Borough Councils and the military to ensure the Warwickshire-wide story was told.
- 8. Mark Ryder undertook to clarify for the Committee the cost of the consultant referred to in 1.5 of the report.

Having considered the proposals to transform the heritage and culture services, the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee agreed

to include an update report in their work programme at an appropriate time.

7. Committee Work Programme and suggested topics for Task and Finish Groups

The Committee agreed the Work Programme items with the following additions/clarifications:

- A date was still to be set to consider the Review of Libraries report
- The further meeting to consider the Rugby Western Relief Road was likely to be in early March. Potential dates would be distributed shortly.
- Climate Change date still to be determined.
- LEPs This would be included in the remit of the Supporting the Local Economy Task and Finish Group.
- Alcohol Implementation Plan This report would be considered at the 1 March meeting.
- Casualty Reduction/Safety Cameras This report would be considered at the 1 March meeting.

Suggestions for future Task and Finish Groups (which would be discussed by the Chair and Party Spokespersons) were:

- Waste Disposal, including technologies.

8. Any Other Items

Councillor Richard Chattaway thanked Graeme Fitton and his team for the excellent work done by the Highways team in keeping the roads clear over the recent bad weather.

Councillor Sarah Board pointed out that Members had not received any information on the state of Warwickshire roads, as had happened in previous years. The Chair asked that Graeme Fitton be asked to comment on this.

Chair

The Committee rose at 4:30 p.m.

AGENDA MANAGEMENT SHEET

Name of Committee	Communities Overview & Scrutiny		
Date of Committee	1 st March 2011		
Report Title Summary	Facing the Challenge Changing times for Warwickshire Library & Information Service This report provides a series of proposals for the future direction of the service which will achieve the budgetary reductions recommended by Cabinet.		
For further information please contact:	Kushal Birla Head of Customer Service and Communications Tel: 412013 kushalbirla@warwickshire.gov.uk	Ayub Khan Head of Libraries (Strategy) Tel: 412657 ayubkhan@warwickshire.gov.uk	
Would the recommended decision be contrary to the Budget and Policy Framework?	No.	.,	
Background papers	Cabinet report 16th October 2008: Framework for the Future: Library Transformation		
	Adult Health &Community Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee 11th February 2009 (Select Committee – Library Transformation)		
	Report from Chair of Adult Health & Community Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee to Cabinet as a result of above – 23 April 2009		
	Report of the Strategic Director of, Adult Health & Community Services 2 March 2010: Transformation of Library and Information Services (LIS) Progress Report		

CONSULTATION ALREADY UNDERTAKEN:-		Details to be specified	
Other Committees			
Local Member(s)			



Other Elected Members	Χ	Cllrs Roodhouse, Cllr Tandy (For Information)
Cabinet Member	X	Cllr Farnell, Cllr Hayfield
Chief Executive		
Legal	X	Alison Hallworth
Finance	Χ	John Betts, Virginia Rennie, Chris Kaye
Other Chief Officers	Χ	SDLT
District Councils		
Health Authority		
Police		
Other Bodies/Individuals	X	Steve Smith, Nick Gower-Johnson, Simon
FINAL DECISION		Robson, Area Managers
SUGGESTED NEXT STEPS:		Details to be specified
Further consideration by this Committee		
To Council		
To Cabinet	X	
To an O & S Committee		
To an Area Committee		
Further Consultation		

Agenda No 4

Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee 1st March 2011

Facing the Challenge Changing Times for Warwickshire Library & Information Service

Report of the of the Strategic Director of Customers, Workforce and Governance

Recommendations:

- 1. That this Committee considers and comments upon the proposals set out in this report
- 2. That the Committee agrees that comments are submitted to Cabinet for consideration on 17 March.

1. Introduction

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to update Members of the Committee on the Library & Information Service Transformation programme, and to outline possible ways of achieving further significant savings.
- 1.2 Public sector bodies throughout the country are having to deal with the national deficit. Over the next three years Warwickshire County Council will have to reduce its budget by more than £60 million across all of its services.
- 1.3 The pace and magnitude of the financial challenge requires large scale reform and this will mean we will have to make difficult decisions across our services, including our valued Libraries & Information Service.
- 1.4 We are proposing that Warwickshire's library service will be completely redesigned, with libraries contributing to, for example, one-stop shops for local services and with communities and technology playing a much bigger role in enabling local people to connect with and access our services.
- 1.5 The library service in Warwickshire has been undergoing change for some time to reflect the changing way people access information, books and its services. It must now reduce its annual costs by £2 million over the next three

financial years. This provides an opportunity to redesign the whole service.

- 1.6 We have reviewed the whole network of libraries and have identified 16 libraries that are no longer sustainable in their current form. We are also reviewing the opening hours of all the other libraries. We are proposing to continue to run the libraries which account for more than 90% of all library visits.
- 1.7 Budget allocations to the service have reduced by over £2 million between 2006/7 and 2010/11. The service had an accumulated deficit of £1.029 million at 31 March 2010. Staffing has reduced by 63 FTE (24.7%) without any building closures or reductions in opening hours. In order to pay back the accumulated deficit of £1.029 million over the next three financial years, the savings plan will have to be front loaded so that there is scope to pay back the deficit.

2. Service profile

2.1 Service statistics

- We currently run 34 libraries countywide and a fleet of five mobile libraries.
- The operational budget for 2010/11 is £7.4m
- We raise approximately £800,000 income per annum
- We currently employ 192 (FTE) staff
- We are supported by 159 regular volunteers.
- More than 250,000 local people are Warwickshire library members

2.2 Library Service offer (reading, information, learning and literacy)

We provide:

- Free book loans up to 10 at any one time
- Low-cost CD and DVD rental, faxing and photocopying services
- A comprehensive Enquiry and Information service
- 234 public computers offering 30 minutes free time per person, per day
- Events and activities for all ages and wide interests
- Space for people to meet
- Support for groups such as reading groups, Silver Surfers and job seekers
- 24/7 online services for renewals, reservations, enquires, information, and more
- Mobile services to outlying communities and housing for older people.
- Home visits to more than 750 housebound readers, assisted by Age UK and volunteers
- Specialist library services for schools and Bookstart programme for babies
- Local studies promoting the county's culture and heritage
- Music and Drama service



3. Transformation

- 3.1 The transformation programme has already delivered:
 - Library makeovers, along with the introduction of self-service equipment in some of our libraries
 - Alterations to Wellesbourne & Wolston libraries integrating with on-Children's Centres.
 - Five libraries are One Stop Shops; sharing premises with our partners.
 - The trial introduction of 'Playaway' ipod-style audio books.
 - Extra online subscription services, free to library members, including the official Driver Theory Test and some interesting archives.
 - The installation of free public wifi and Touchdown stations for mobile workers in all Warwickshire libraries.
 - A free trial e-books service, with hundreds of downloadable titles to choose from.
 - Two 'Get it Loud in Libraries' events at Rugby attracting teens into the library
 - The launch of Books on Prescription in conjunction with NHS Warwickshire

3.2 Value for money in tough times

We must question the practicalities and public value of trying to maintain 34 separate library buildings, and whether integrating and co-locating some libraries with other local services would be more cost-effective. There may be other and better ways to offer non building-based library services to smaller Warwickshire communities - more relevant and convenient for today's 24/7 busy lifestyles

4. The Future

The future vision is about re-shaping the provision of the service to reach and engage with our customers in a new way within the budgetary restraints we find ourselves facing as a nation. It is less about buildings and more about developing quality services in flexible and cost-efficient ways.

4.1 We propose to reshape the library network, providing three categories or levels:

Library Hub	with the widest range of opening hours		
Library Local	with opening hours that reflect community needs		
Library Direct	online library open 24/7 plus mobile and outreach		
services to local communities			

4.2 **The new offer could include:**

Library Hub

- our longest opening hours a week within budgetary restrictions.
- quality bookstock which borrowers can return to any Warwickshire library
- specialist collections



- extensive, high-quality children's and young people's services
- fast internet access with learning support, bookable in one-hour slots
- well-trained, friendly staff
- specialist services and staff
- a wide range of events and regular activities
- information and specialist advice to help with life's challenges
- space to relax, chat or study
- self service borrowing and returns
- tourist information
- photocopying and fax services

Library Local

- opening hours within budgetary restrictions
- quality stock focused on quick choice and self study
- high quality children's and young people's services
- fast internet access with learning support, bookable in one-hour slots
- well-trained, friendly staff
- an events and activities programme including rhymetime
- information to help with life's challenges
- self service borrowing and returns

Library Direct

Virtual Library

- online membership
- online enquiry service
- online reference library
- e-books service
- online library catalogue
- online request and renewal service

Mobile Library Service

- regular mobile library visits
- tailored range of books and materials
- internet-linked computer carrying office systems and giving access to email and the library catalogue
- reservation and request service

Outreach service

a programme of activities and events delivered at local venues

Housebound reader service

 Home deliveries to housebound readers countywide - run in conjunction with Age Concern and staffed by volunteers

5. **Tough choices - achieving the £2m savings:**

5.1 A review has been carried out of all 34 libraries and careful consideration has been given to a number of factors including the aggregate number of visits and issues per hour, and existing or potential partnership links.



5.2 The following 16 Library buildings have been identified as being no longer sustainable in their current form:

Baddesley	Harbury
Bedworth Heath	Hartshill
Bidford on Avon	Henley in Arden
Binley Woods	Keresley
Bulkington	Kineton
Camp Hill	Kingsbury
Dordon	Studley
Dunchurch	Water Orton

- 5.3 Reconfiguring services at all 16 would reduce the number of buildings by almost half but would affect only 9.6% of the total visits.
- 5.4 The aim would be to look at alternative ways of providing services to these customers and the Council is open to looking at how this could be done by working with local communities.
- 5.5 In addition there will also be a need to reduce the opening hours in the remaining libraries. The precise hours and days of opening will be discussed with local communities as part of the proposed consultation process for these changes. The initial proposals are:

Reducing Opening hours:

Libraries	Average hours open
Nuneaton, Rugby and Leamington,	Up to 50 hours a week
Alcester, Atherstone, Bedworth, Kenilworth, Polesworth*, Southam, Stratford, Warwick,	Up to 35 hours a week
Coleshill, Lillington, Shipston, Stockingford, Wellesbourne, Whitnash, Wolston	Up to 20 hours a week

6 Other savings

- 6.1 Reshaping the library network and reducing opening hours would not alone save £2 million. Additional cost-cutting measures need to be taken.
- 6.2 We also propose to review current schedules, remove least-used stops and revise routes so that the fleet of mobile libraries can be reduced from five to three.
- 6.3 In addition we propose to:

Remodel Warwick Library and relocate to Shire Hall Install self-service equipment for borrowing and returns in some of our libraries

Reduce the number of public computers in libraries and other ICT costs Share services with neighbouring library authorities Further reduce the workforce, including admin, management and specialist posts

Achieve cost savings and income from more partnership working Share premises with other local service providers

7. Community options

- 7.1 As part of the decision making process, discussions with communities will look at a range of options for the provision of a library service for the community, these will include:
 - The local community delivering library services (Big Society principles)
 - Working in partnership to deliver library services from another building in the community
 - Use the existing building to deliver extra services to provide income to maintain a library service
 - Order and direct delivery by village and community agents or volunteers
 - Community drop off points
- 7.2 The Library and Information Service already works with many volunteers on a regular basis for example through the housebound reader service. Through consultation communities may express an interest in providing a volunteer-run service.
- 7.3 Communities would need to come forward with a robust business case for operating the service, which we will explore with them. The business case will need to cover all the associated costs e.g. buildings and would need to take account of the on-costs and resource implications which would also need careful consideration. If no sustainable option is identified, it is proposed that Warwickshire County Council will vacate the building at that location.

8. Consultation

- 8.1 Warwickshire County Council will conduct a 12 week public consultation on the proposed changes so people's views can be considered and taken into account before any final decisions are made. It will also undertake an Equality Impact Assessment.
- 8.2 A consultation plan will be drawn up to give local people their say in discussing these options. For example, local meetings will be held and questionnaires made available, in libraries and online, explaining the issues behind the options and inviting feedback on the proposals.
- 8.3 Anyone who lives, works, or is being educated in Warwickshire will be invited



to make their views known by completing the consultation questionnaire, and/or by attending one of a series of local events to be arranged. We will contact/consult:

- Library users
- Our staff and union representatives
- Warwickshire MPs
- County, Parish, Town, District and Borough Councillors
- Warwickshire schools
- Our partners and wider stakeholders

9 **Conclusion**

- 9.1 We are proposing to:
 - Invest in a core network of main libraries geographically spread across the county
 - Make best use of technology in the areas where our customers value it most
 - Think creatively about how to sustain services in as many communities as possible by sharing costs and premises with partners
 - Give the community the opportunity to run community libraries themselves
- 9.2 Meet the needs of the most vulnerable:

We will have conversations with the most vulnerable users of our library service and those living in very rural areas about meeting their needs. This could include:

- Services to housebound people provided by volunteers
- Order and direct delivery by Village and Community Agents or volunteers
- Community drop off points
- Continuing to provide a postal service to visually impaired people through the RNIB
- Providing library related learning activities at children's centres
- 9.3 We are seeking to deliver, within budget, a library service which provides:
 - A geographic spread of main libraries across the county
 - Develops a library service that fits the changing lifestyles of our customers, embraces technology and ensures our libraries remain relevant to peoples' lives



- Reflects the changes happening in our society
- Creates opportunities to share buildings with partners and offer a one stop shop to our customers
- Gives the community the opportunity to introduce new services to meet local needs
- Learns from other authorities and from the private sector
- Builds on the developments we have made to our library service in recent years, and of which we are most proud.
- 9.4 This approach aims to give us a modern and affordable library service that can be accessed from home, 24/7 online, as well as being geographically spread across the county. It also gives the opportunity for communities and other organisations to work together on what services they need for the future in their local area.

10. Appendices

10.1 The full report with proposals is shown in Appendix 1 - Facing the Challenge: Changing times for Warwickshire Library and Information Service

11. Recommendations

- 11.1 1 That this Committee considers and comments upon the proposals set out in this report
 - 2 That the Committee agrees that comments are submitted to Cabinet for consideration on March 17

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22 February 2011



Changing times - a new chapter for Warwickshire Library and Information Service

Introduction

The purpose of this document is to explain proposed changes to the way library services are delivered throughout Warwickshire, as a basis for public consultation.

The Warwickshire Library & Information Service (WLIS) is midway through a transformation programme which began in 2008, when County Councillors approved a comprehensive plan designed to develop services that meet modern-day customer needs, preferences and lifestyles.

We now propose to accelerate the transformation programme. We need to keep pace with a changing, 24/7, on-demand world - and difficult times. Financial pressures are undeniably a factor. Warwickshire County Council must make annual savings of more than £60 million by 2014. As part of the savings plan, we have to cut £2 million from the £7.4 million WLIS budget over the next three years.

The financial difficulties demand a new approach to taking the WLIS forward. We want to provide an ultra-modern library service which meets the needs of people who live, work and study in our area, and is used and enjoyed by local people of all ages and from all walks of life. Radical changes are required to achieve this within budget.

WHERE WE ARE NOW

Factfile

What we do

Our mission is to create opportunity for all through information, learning and inspiration. Libraries play a pivotal role in communities. We support health and wellbeing - and help narrow the gaps in society. Our services enhance people's quality of life from cradle to grave.

Service statistics December 2010

- * We currently run 34 libraries countywide and a fleet of five mobiles
- * Our budget for 2010/11 is £7.4 million
- * We raise approximately £800,000 income per annum
- * We employ the full-time equivalent of 192 staff
- * We are supported by 159 regular volunteers
- * More than 250,000 local people are county library members

Latest annual performance figures (2009/10)

Our libraries (static and mobile):

Received 2,518,476 visits Handled 431,790 enquiries Provided 383,335 public computer sessions Lent out 2,642,014 books, CDs and DVDs Received 5,626,554 web visits

What we offer

Essentially, library services are about information, advice, reading, learning and leisure. We provide:

Free book loans - up to 10 at any one time Low-cost CD and DVD rental, faxing and photocopying A comprehensive enquiry and information service 234 public computers offering 30 minutes free time per day Events and activities for all ages and wide interests Spaces for study and relaxation, and where people can meet Support for groups like reading circles, Silver Surfers and job seekers 24/7 online services for renewals, reservations, enquiries, information, and much more Mobile services to outlying communities, residential homes and sheltered housing for older people Home visits to more than 750 housebound readers countywide, helped by Age Concern and volunteers Specialist library services for schools Local studies promoting the county's culture and heritage Music and Drama service Book Start – which gifts books to babies and young children Venues for community activities

WHAT'S BEEN DONE

Transformation

Despite the recession and its aftermath, much has already been achieved, including the following service developments during 2010:

- A programme of library makeovers, along with the introduction of self-service equipment to be completed by mid-2011.
- Alterations to Wellesbourne and Wolston libraries to accommodate on-site Children's Centres
- The trial introduction of 'Playaway' ipod-style audio books.
- Extra online subscription services, free to library members, including the official Driver Theory Test and some interesting archives.

- The installation of free public wifi and Touchdown stations for mobile colleagues in all Warwickshire libraries.
- The launch of a free trial e-books service, with hundreds of downloadable titles to choose from.
- Two 'Get it Loud in Libraries' gigs at Rugby attracting teens and twenties into the library through live music.
- The launch of Books on Prescription in conjunction with NHS Warwickshire offering collections of mental health self-help books.

FINANCES

Budget allocations have decreased by £2 million or 18.7% between 2006/7 and 2010/11:

		% decrease
2006/7	11,165,233	n/a
2007/8	10,679,815	-4.3%
2008/9	9,638,007	-9.8%
2009/10	9,216,161	-4.4%
2010/11	9,081,176	-1.5%
net change from 2006/7	2,084,057	-18.7%

(The above figures include the Council's Central Establishment Charges)

Significant savings and efficiencies have been achieved (see below) but fell short of the above targets. The resulting shortfall, or overspend, carried forward to financial year 2010/11 was £1.1 million.

Stretching the budget

We have already restructured the WLIS workforce, for greater flexibility and customer focus, and now employ the full-time equivalent (FTE) of 63 (24.7%) fewer staff than five years ago - and ten less (FTE) than a year ago. This has been achieved without building closures or reductions in opening hours.

We have significantly increased income generation by introducing charges for events and activities and for using public (People's Network) computers, and by providing commissioned services on behalf of another directorate (CYPF). The WLIS current budget for income is approximately £1,000,000. However, it is becoming increasingly difficult to achieve this target.

We work with an increasing number of partners, within Warwickshire and beyond, to achieve economies of scale and add value. These include Early Years, NHS Warwickshire, Warwickshire Police, the Probation Service, Waitrose, the Royal Shakespeare Company, and HM Revenues & Customs - to name but a few.

We have entered into a joint buying deal with other library authorities to achieve extra discounts on stock, giving us around 30% more books for our money.

Five of our libraries are One Stop Shops; sharing premises with local district or borough councils and two more have recently been altered to accommodate on-site Children's Centres.

We are exploring the potential to achieve further savings through sub-regional working to share common functions and costs with other library authorities - for example, sharing our mobile library service with Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council.

PERFORMANCE

Warwickshire has one of the most-used county library services in the country, according to Department for Culture, Media & Sport (DCMS) league tables.

Use of our online library services continues to rise rapidly as we introduce more technology and web-based options into the mix. For example, Warwickshire's online library catalogue received 161,138 visits in September 2010 - five times the figure for September 2009. The WLIS web pages now receive more than 17,000 views every day - around six million a year.

Figures recently released by CIPFA (2009/10) show that Rugby Library has the third highest footfall in the West Midlands region (with 582,144 visits) apart from Birmingham Central and Wolverhampton Central.

Customer satisfaction rates remain high. The latest available user surveys showed that 91% of adults and 86% of children thought Warwickshire library services were either good, or very good.

The Audit Commission compared Warwickshire WLIS performance for 2009/10 to that of 15 other library authorities in a 'family grouping'. Warwickshire achieved the second highest revenue income per 1000 population, with the second lowest number of libraries and the second highest support costs. Additionally, the Active People survey April to October 2008 showed Warwickshire achieving the best National Indicator performance of all councils with 54.7% of the population using a library within the last 12 months.

WHY CHANGE?

Following the public lead

A fresh approach - based on research

Trends

How people use library services, and what they value them for, has changed. Customers are more mobile, more time-pressured and more demanding. Libraries are not so much about buildings, nowadays, as the services they provide - both 'real' and 'virtual'. Use of 24-hour online library services has doubled in recent years and continues to rise. The Warwickshire Library and Information Service plans to utilise digital technology to develop the online offer, explore new ways of delivering services, improve accessibility

and reduce costs.

Services that make sense in the modern world

We have listened to what people tell us. We conduct our own regular customer surveys, we have analysed, in detail, the way Warwickshire people use library services - where and when - and we have studied the available national research into what people say they want from modern-day library services. We have looked at which libraries people use, and where they are located in relation to shops, workplaces and transport links. We propose to channel resources into improving the services people use most - making them smarter and better.

Value for money in tough times

Like other local services, WLIS must find ways to save money and make the funds available go further. Doing more with less means looking at all costs very closely. We know that around 70% of all visits are to our eight largest libraries. These offer the widest range of stock to the largest populations in locations with good transport links, near shops and other public venues.

We must therefore question the public value of maintaining 34 separate library buildings, and whether integrating some of our libraries with other local services would be more cost-effective and more convenient for customers. Moreover, there may be other and better ways to offer non building-based library services to smaller Warwickshire communities –including more efficient use of our mobile service. This would be more relevant to today's lifestyles.

Tailored services

One size does not fit all. Different localities have different needs and priorities, and want different things from their library service. We have looked at the needs and requirements of groups of customers, such as children and young people, older people and families. We have developed a plan to reshape the library network, supporting the localities agenda, targeting specific needs and providing the stock and services people in different communities use the most.

What the data tells us

The performance of individual libraries and different parts of the service are constantly monitored. Data collected over many years shows that:

Many people use more than one Warwickshire library

They return books and other loan items to different libraries

Libraries work best when they are close to shopping centres and other places people go to regularly

People use library services for much more than books nowadays

Public computers with free internet access are an important and valued service Many people who don't use Warwickshire library services are unaware of what they offer, particularly the electronic provision

National findings

Recent national research conducted by the MLA (Museums, Libraries & Archives)¹ revealed:

- Nearly 40% of adults visited a library at least once during 2009-10.
- Books are still the main reason why people use public libraries 76% use or borrow books for pleasure and 44% for study.
- Common triggers for library usage (or re-usage) are unemployment, having children, or retiring.
- Two-thirds of adults with children under 17 say they are library users, compared to around half of those without children.
- Those who get the library habit young tend to continue as adult customers.
- Differentiating between younger children and teenagers is important or the latter drift away.
- Libraries should provide and promote a constantly-changing programme of events and activities with emphasis on what the public finds most attractive.
- Good use of space within libraries makes a big difference to how well they work for a range of users - and activities. Quiet areas are still attractive to many customers.
- Libraries are valued public spaces 'neutral, trusted, egalitarian' and social levellers' used by people of all ages and different socio-economic groups.
- Library usage is higher amongst black and minority ethnic groups than within the white population.
- Libraries offer a 'lifeline' to isolated, lonely people.
- Most people think core library services should be free but charges for extras and activities may be more acceptable in the current economic climate because people understand the financial pressures we face.
- Customer satisfaction depends mainly on: a good range of books, helpful, knowledgeable and friendly staff, and a library close-by or convenient to reach
- Some changes that would be popular are coffee shops in libraries (with wifi), extended opening hours, and more activities for families and children

¹ What do the public want from Libraries? A practical guide. Research Report carried out by Shared Intelligence and Ipsos Mori Nov 2010.

THE FUTURE

Our ambitions are for a Library and Information Service that:

- Is customer-focused and reaches out to vulnerable and disadvantaged groups.
- Engages local communities and maximises the use of local resources to ensure needs are met, more integrated services are developed, and costs reduced.
- Engages people who don't currently use services and don't recognise the benefits they could gain.
- Delivers high quality local events and activities.
- Delivers valued services in flexible and cost-efficient ways.
- Embraces new technology to improve access to information, services, knowledge, culture and learning.
- Promotes e-service developments to encourage access for all.
- Develops online services such as homework support for children and young people.
- Enables the public to interact with the Library and Information Service from their home, school and place of work.
- Supports family learning and family cohesion through resources, events and spaces for learning.
- Strongly contributes to the localism agenda through direct, targeted service provision.
- Involves citizens in the political process through the provision of Public Access computers, information and councillor surgeries.
- Improves the well-being of individuals, families and communities through the wide range of services it offers.
- Helps individuals and communities in times of economic crisis.

Key priorities

- Meeting budgetary challenges
- Investment in new technology, including ongoing introduction of self-service equipment
- More personalisation of services
- More outreach work taking library services to communities across Warwickshire

- Sharing core functions with other/neighbouring library services
- Sharing premises with other local service providers and partners

Guiding principles

Warwickshire Library and Information Service supports Warwickshire County Council's key priorities in relation to:

- educational attainment
- services for children, young people and families
- independence for older people and vulnerable people
- integrated customer services
- sustainable communities

A recent West Midlands report on shared services across the 14 West Midlands libraries concluded:²

Libraries should provide:

- *information and expertise* (managing and providing access to good quality information)
- social capital (creating links between different types and groups of people in communities)
- a gateway to local services (providing neutral community space, through which other messages and services can be conveyed)
- personal empowerment (encouraging individual citizens to advance themselves)

And support and promote:

- health and wellbeing
- learning and skills
- heritage and culture
- enterprise
- community (empowerment, resilience and cohesion)

Further savings

Further budgetary challenges have to be met. The WLIS must reduce its annual operating costs by £2 million whilst continuing to meet people's needs and transform services. It will do this by:

- 1. Exploring options for community delivery of library services in 16 locations where the library is no longer sustainable in its current form
- 2. Reducing opening hours in remaining libraries
- 3. Remodelling Warwick Library and relocating to Shire Hall
- 4. Reducing the mobile library service from five vehicles to three
- 5. Introducing self-service equipment (RFID) in libraries

² West Midlands Libraries: The Case for Efficiency through Cooperation - Black Radley 19.11.10

- 6. Reducing the number of public (People's Network) computers
- 7. Sharing services with neighbouring library authorities
- 8. Reducing the number of staff, including administration, technical, management and specialist posts
- 9. Cost savings and income from more partnership working
- 10. Sharing premises with other local service providers

Rationale

1. Explore options for community delivery of Library Services in the 16 localities where the library has been identified as no longer sustainable in its current form

WLIS has been looking at how the significant savings required could be achieved. Officers have sought to maintain service delivery to local communities but to achieve this goal through alternative ways which are more cost effective.

Analysis has been carried out and all 34 libraries have been assessed against the key criteria of the number of aggregate visits and issues per hour, and existing or potential partnership links. Performance figures for all 34 libraries are provided in Appendix A and information about the 16 libraries identified is contained in Appendix B

On this basis, the following 16 library buildings have been identified as no longer sustainable in their current form:

Baddesley	Harbury	
Bedworth Heath	Hartshill	
Bidford on Avon	Henley in Arden	
Binley Woods	Keresley	
Bulkington	Kineton	
Camp Hill	Kingsbury	
Dordon	Studley	
Dunchurch	Water Orton	

The top performing Warwickshire library receives 201 visits per hour, the lowest 4.69 per hour. The average number of visits per hour across all 34 static libraries is 44.

Reconfiguring services at all 16 would reduce the number of buildings by almost half but would affect only 9.6% of the total visits.

The proposals to explore alternative methods of delivery for the above library services have been informed by careful consideration and analysis of the following information:

Library service performance statistics 2009/10

- Building Asset information (condition, costs, length of lease, etc)
- Potential for partnerships through discussion with stakeholders
- Existing partnership arrangements
- Customer Surveys

A new way of delivering services

The rationalisation of some of the county's libraries, may present an opportunity to work with communities and explore different ways to provide library services.

Using Big Society principles we would explore options for corporate philanthropy and community delivery of library services.

As part of the decision-making process, discussions with communities will look at a range of options for the provision of a library service for the community:

- Hand the library over to a local community group to be run as a voluntary service or trust with possible local sponsorship/funding
- Reduce the library service and move other service providers into the library building
- Move aspects of the library service into the building of other service provider(s)
- Identify a new building and move aspects of the library into it along with other service providers
- Provide a mobile library service
- Provide an electronic access point somewhere in the village for enquiries to be made or for books request and delivery
- Mail order service only

If no viable option emerges, it is proposed that WCC will vacate the building at that location. In this instance, based on a needs analysis, some modest investment could be available to deliver alternative services to affected communities, particularly in areas of social deprivation. Although future resources will be limited, areas of deprivation and need will be prioritised.

2. Changes to opening hours in remaining libraries

In addition to the rationalisation process there will also be a need to reduce the opening hours in the remaining libraries. The precise opening hours and days of opening will be discussed with local communities as part of the proposed consultation process for these changes. The proposed reduction is as follows:

Library	Weekly Hours Open To Public		Change In Weekly Opening Hours
	Current	Proposed	Increase/ Decrease
Alcester	40.0	35.0	(5.0)
Atherstone	52.0	35.0	(17.0)
Bedworth	48.0	35.0	(13.0)
Coleshill	32.5	20.0	(12.5)
Kenilworth	51.0	35.0	(16.0)
Leamington	56.5	50.0	(6.5)
Lillington	37.5	20.0	(17.5)
Nuneaton	58.0	50.0	(8.0)
Polesworth	27.0	35.0	8.0
Rugby	55.5	50.0	(5.5)
Shipston	30.0	20.0	(10.0)
Southam	47.5	35.0	(12.5)
Stockingford	53.0	20.0	(33.0)
Stratford	53.0	35.0	(18.0)
Warwick	51.5	35.0	(16.5)
Wellesbourne	29.0	20.0	(9.0)
Whitnash	45.0	15.0	(30.0)
Wolston	15.0	15.0	-
Total	782.0	560.0	(222.0)

The total weekly scheduled opening hours are currently 1,082.25 across 34 libraries. The remaining libraries account for 782 of those hours, the proposal will reduce the total weekly opening hours across the county to 560 hours which represents a reduction of 28%.

3. Remodel Warwick Library and relocate to Shire Hall

To achieve future savings on property costs and to make better use of resources, Warwick Library could be remodelled and moved to Shire Hall where a wider range of services are available. The specialist 'Music & Drama' collection and the 'County Local Studies' collections would be relocated to other council premises.

4. Reducing the mobile library service from five vehicles to three

Mobile libraries offer an important and much-valued service to many people living in rural or remote parts of Warwickshire. Our current vehicles provide improved

disabled access and carry internet-linked computers for public use. Between them the mobile libraries make 530 stops countywide. Of those stops, 41% are within Stratford District, 20% in Warwick District, 18% in Rugby Borough, 14% in North Warwickshire Borough and 7% in Nuneaton & Bedworth Borough, of which 75% are rural and 25% urban. Around one quarter of all stops are at sheltered housing for older people. See appendix A and B.

The number of customers at each stop varies from three to 20. Take-up is continually monitored to ensure stops remain relevant to customer needs and local demand. This process has enabled sufficient capacity to be made available to deliver mobile library services on behalf of Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council from 4 April 2011, the income from which will contribute towards budget savings.

However, we may have to consider reducing the current mobile fleet to save more money, and explore the possibility of introducing a different type of vehicle, in partnership with other agencies.

The newly configured mobile library service would have a wider and more multifunctional role, taking a range of local information, services and advisors to people in outlying communities.

We propose to review current schedules, remove least-used stops and revise routes so that the fleet of mobile libraries can be reduced from five to three vehicles. We also will be sharing a vehicle with Solihull Library Service which will help with shared costs.

5. Introducing self-service equipment (RFID) in libraries

RFID is currently being introduced into 14 libraries, for completion by mid- 2011. The equipment enables customers to borrow, return or renew loan items themselves, quickly and easily. This means counters can be removed, creating more space for stock displays, and releasing staff from traditional counter duties. RFID is also a powerful security system and aids stock circulation. As a result of the reduction in staff numbers previously, the introduction of RFID will enable WLIS to focus resources on the customer 'experience' through activities, events and other service improvements

6. Reducing the number of public (People's Network) computers and reduction in ICT costs

Free public access to the internet is provided in all Warwickshire libraries (including mobiles) via 239 'People's Network' (PN) computers with each customer entitled to free 30 minutes per day. However, usage has fallen since charges were introduced in July 2009. Given lower usage over the past year or so, and the introduction of free public wifi in all libraries, we could reduce the PN network and save money by running fewer PCs. We would also make savings in our general ICT overheads.

7. Sharing services with neighbouring library authorities

WLIS has close working relationships with neighbouring library authorities, particularly Coventry and Solihull. We are currently exploring potential economies of scale that could be achieved by sharing services - or indeed by providing commissioned and income-generating services, such as mobile library service, beyond Warwickshire borders. We are also exploring the potential to share our library management system with other library authorities.

8. Reducing the number of staff, including administration, technical, management and specialist posts

WLIS has already restructured its workforce for greater flexibility and customer focus and now has fewer staff. Ongoing measures include a reduction in management, professional and administration posts, recruiting only from within for necessary posts, and freezing others. Despite these measures, a further reduction of up 50 (full-time equivalent) staff will be essential over the next three financial years (2011/12, 2012/13, 2013/14). We hope to achieve this by natural wastage and voluntary early retirement, but compulsory redundancies cannot be ruled out

9. Cost savings and income from more partnership working

WLIS already works with a wide range of partners to achieve economies of scale and add value to services. Income has been generated from the following partners: Early Years, NHS Warwickshire, Warwickshire Police, the Probation Service, HM Revenues & Customs and Next Step. We already share some premises with other local authorities and have altered two of our libraries, this year, to accommodate on-site Children's Centres. We are continuing to explore such options.

10. Sharing premises/One Front Door

WLIS already shares premises with district and borough council services through Warwickshire Direct, and with two Children's Centres. Further savings and added customer convenience could be achieved by sharing more premises with other local service providers.

WLIS is now managed alongside the County Council's One Front Door (OFD) project, which aims to modernise and streamline the delivery of WCC and partner services for greater customer focus, improved efficiency, less bureaucracy, fewer buildings and lower costs.

Library services are already in discussion with the Police on taking over the handling of routine enquires and other discussions about how library staff can deliver Heritage Education activities across the network.

The new library network – how it will look

We propose to reshape the library network, providing three categories or levels of service:

Library Hub	in three main centres of population and with the widest range of opening hours
Library Local	in 15 locations and with opening hours that reflect community needs
Library Direct	online library open 24/7, plus mobile and outreach services centred on local communities

Proposed library locations

Library Hub (3)	Leamington
	Nuneaton
	Rugby

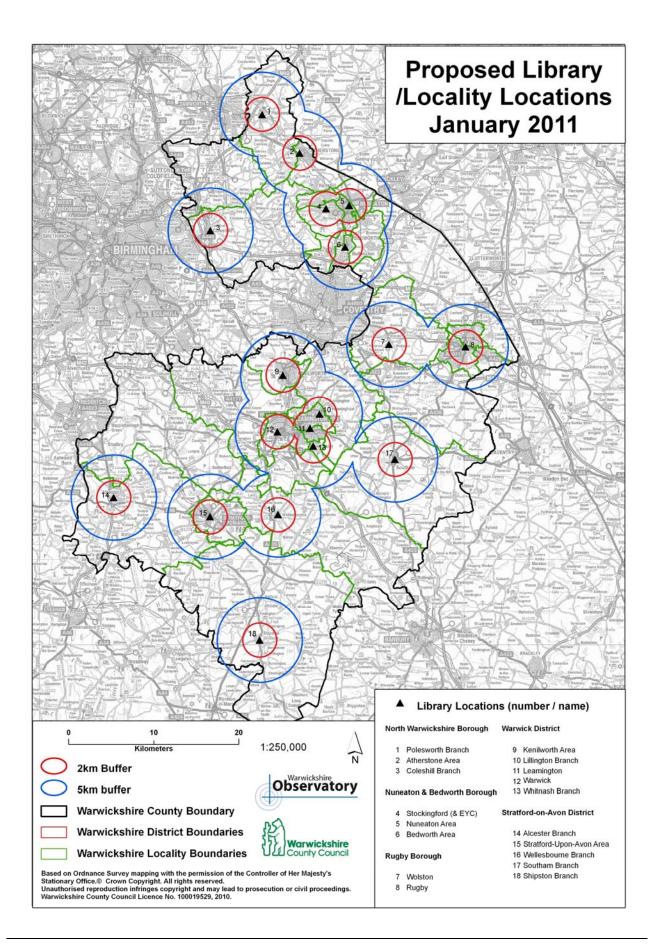
Alcester	Atherstone
Bedworth	Coleshill
Kenilworth	Lillington
Polesworth	Shipston
Southam	Stockingford
Stratford	Warwick
Wellesbourne	Whitnash
Wolston	
	Bedworth Kenilworth Polesworth Southam Stratford Wellesbourne

Future 'Offer' from Library and Information services and partnerships

Retained Library Buildings

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The new offer - three categories

Library Hub

- widest range of opening hours a week
- quality bookstock which borrowers can return to any Warwickshire library
- special collections
- extensive, high-quality children's and young people's services
- fast internet access with learning support, bookable in one-hour slots
- well-trained, friendly staff
- specialist services and staff
- a wide range of events and regular activities
- information and specialist advice to help with life's challenges
- space to relax, chat or study
- community meeting places
- self service borrowing and returns
- tourist information
- photocopying and fax services

Local Library

- open hours that reflect local community need
- quality stock focused on quick choice and self study
- high quality children's and young people's services
- fast internet access with learning support, bookable in one-hour slots
- well-trained, friendly staff
- an events and activities programme including rhymetime
- information to help with life's challenges
- self service borrowing and returns
- community meeting places

Library Direct

Virtual Library

- online membership
- online enquiry service
- online reference library
- e-books service
- online library catalogue
- online request and renewal service

Mobile Library Service

- regular mobile library visits
- tailored range of books and materials
- internet-linked computer carrying office systems and giving access to email and the library catalogue
- reservation and request service

Outreach service

a programme of activities and events delivered at local venues

Housebound reader service

 home deliveries to housebound readers countywide - run in conjunction with Age Concern and staffed by volunteers

Further Library Developments

The WLIS is also looking at innovative ways to deliver services and we are currently investigating two new types of technology to attract new users:

- Self-service vending machine that will lend books to be sited in a community setting
- Print-on-demand service which allows users to print out a bound copy of any copyright-free book

We also plan to digitize more of our collections to enable remote access.

Implications

Staff

The proposed library rationalisation programme and reduced opening hours would mean further staff reductions, equivalent to 50 full-time posts (26%).

We would hope to significantly reduce staff numbers, over the next three years, by 'natural wastage'. Vacant posts will continue to be frozen and every effort will be made to redeploy displaced staff. Colleagues over 55 have already been offered early retirement. We will try to avoid compulsory redundancies but they cannot be ruled out at this stage.

Capacity

It must be recognised that such large scale changes to the way the service is managed would lead to reduced capacity to achieve transformation and develop innovative new services. Reducing staff capacity to meet changing needs will have a negative impact on the income which the library service is expected to raise, as this is dependent on specialist staff. Similarly, our capacity to support and promote corporate priorities would be limited.

Transitional costs

Some library premises are WCC-owned and others are rented. Closing the former would create potential capital receipts and closing the latter would incur transitional costs such as 'making good' and/or terminating leases. Potentially, there could be redundancy costs. These will need to be factored into the budget.

Big Society

WLIS already works with many volunteers on a regular basis - notably with 'silver surfers' and through the housebound reader service. Through consultation, communities losing their library may express an interest in providing a volunteer-run service.

Communities would need to come forward with a robust business case for operating their own service, which we will explore with them. The business case will need to cover all the associated costs (e.g. buildings) and would need to take account of the on-costs and resource implications which would also need careful consideration, but some form of community asset transfer might be possible.

Big Society Model

Herefordshire Library Service - Peterchurch Library

In January 2010 a new public library opened in the bellringing chamber of St. Peter's church in Peterchurch, a community with a population of approximately 800 people.

The provision of the library was part of a project which involved the refurbishment of the church as a place of worship while also taking the opportunity to develop service within the Golden Valley alongside a Surestart Children's Centre which operates in the church for 21 hours per week. In addition it was planned to use the kitchen facilities to operate a community café for one afternoon a week.

From the outset it was made clear that the library service could only supply limited support and that the provision of a service would be dependent upon volunteers. When sufficient volunteers were forthcoming the proposed opening hours were arranged with a view to fitting in around other events in the church and also to provide out of hours and Saturday access.

Consultation

Warwickshire County Council (WCC) will conduct a 12 week public consultation on the proposed WLIS changes so people's views can be considered and taken into account before any final decisions are made.

A consultation plan will be drawn up and a questionnaire made available, in libraries and online, explaining the issues behind the proposed options and inviting feedback on the proposals.

The consultation will give the public an opportunity to say how the proposed changes would affect them, if implemented.

Anyone who lives, works, or is being educated in Warwickshire will be invited to make

their views known by completing the consultation questionnaire, and/or by attending one of a series of local events to be arranged. In addition, we will consult:

- Library users
- Our staff and union representatives
- Warwickshire MPs
- County, Parish, Town, District and Borough Councillors
- Warwickshire schools
- Our partners and wider stakeholders

We will also conduct a separate consultation with our staff and union representatives.

Other considerations

Statutory duty

Local authorities have a statutory duty, under the Public Libraries and Museums Act 1964, to 'provide a comprehensive and efficient library service'

On 20 March 2010 the DCMS published *The modernisation review of public libraries policy statement* containing proposals intended to help libraries achieve six aims:

- Drive the quality of all library services up to the level of the best
- Reverse the current trend of decline in library usage and grow the numbers using the library service
- Respond to limited public resources and economic pressures
- Respond to a 24/7 culture and to changing expectations of people who want immediate access to information
- Grasp the opportunities presented by digitisation
- Demonstrate to citizens, commentators and politicians that libraries are still relevant and vital

"Library services can be used by anyone without judgement. They help people to learn new skills, read, access information, get online or find entertainment."

Ed Vaizey MP Minister for Culture, Communications and Creative Industries December 2010

Digital inclusion

The wider impact of any change will be felt in areas such as the national 'Race On-line' which is the governments focus on raising Digital Inclusion. Warwickshire Silver Surfers have signed up to this campaign and currently deliver sessions at Bedworth Heath, Bidford, Bulkington, Camp Hill, Coleshill, Dunchurch, Hartshill, Henley, Keresley, Lillington, Shipston, Stockingford, Studley, Water Orton, Wellesbourne and Wolston.

Capacity

It is our aim to modernise the workforce and establish a new skills base to ensure that we have the right people, with the right skills and in the right places to deliver on our ambitions. Transformation of the Service and achieving the required savings will be challenging, due to the required reductions within the workforce, where there is likely to be a loss of expertise and experience.

Partners

We need to be mindful of partnership arrangements which are currently being delivered successfully on behalf of the Warwickshire public.

Not making the savings

Warwickshire County Council must cut costs by more than £60 million over the next three years. If WLIS were not to achieve its target contribution of £2 million, the savings would have to be found elsewhere.

Not moving forward

Keeping library services just as they are would mean maintaining low-performing libraries at the expense of modernisation, and the development of services to suit modern-day needs, preferences and lifestyles.

Conclusion

We are proposing to

- To be a customer focused Service which reaches out to vulnerable and disadvantaged groups
- To engage with local communities and to maximise the use of local resources to ensure needs are met, more integrated services are developed, and costs reduced.
- Invest in a core network of libraries geographically spread across the county
- Make best use of technology in the areas where our customers value it most
- Think creatively about how to sustain services in as many communities as

possible by sharing costs and premises with partners

 The community will have the opportunity to delivery library services (The Big Society Principle)

Meet the needs of the most vulnerable

We will have conversations with the most vulnerable users of our library service and those living in very rural areas about meeting their needs. This could include:

- Services to housebound people provided by volunteers
- Order and direct delivery by Village and Community Agents or volunteers
- Community drop off points
- Continuing to provide a postal service to visually impaired people through the RNIB
- Providing library-related learning activities at children's centres

Deliver a library service, within budget, which

- Suits the changing lifestyles of our customers, embraces technology and ensures our libraries remain relevant to peoples' lives
- Reflects the changes happening in our society
- Creates opportunities to share buildings with partners and offer a one-stop-shop to our customers
- Gives the community the opportunity to introduce new services to meet local needs
- Learns from other authorities and from the private sector
- Builds on the developments we have made to our library service in recent years, and of which we are most proud.

This approach aims to give us a modern and affordable library service that can be accessed from home, 24/7 online, as well as being geographically spread across the county. It also gives the opportunity for communities and other organisations to work together on what services they need for the future in their local area.

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APPENDIX B: SUMMARY OF NET RUNNING COSTS OF WARWICKSHIRE LIBRARIES FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	Library	Scheduled Opening hours per annum	2010-2011 Budget - Op Cost	Visits Information		Issue I	nformatio	on		
		(52 Weeks)	£	£/hr	No. of Visits	£/Visit	Visit/Hr	No. of Issues	£/Issue	Issue/Hr
i	Alcester	2,080.0	76,664	36.86	49,408	1.55	23.75	71,521	1.07	34.39
ii	Atherstone ¹	2,704.0	321,415	118.87	97,148	3.31	35.93	93,676	3.43	34.64
iii	Baddesley	832.0	18,675	22.45	6,211	3.01	7.47	8,198	2.28	9.85
iv	Bedworth	2,496.0	182,281	73.03	111,182	1.64	44.54	119,968	1.52	48.06
v	Bedworth Heath	624.0	20,702	33.18	8,635	2.40	13.84	8,959	2.31	14.36
vi	Bidford	1,482.0	30,980	20.90	23,598	1.31	15.92	36,288	0.85	24.49
vii	Binley Woods	728.0	17,979	24.70	8,179	2.20	11.23	11,191	1.61	15.37
viii	Bulkington	1,638.0	42,185	25.75	34,859	1.21	21.28	40,033	1.05	24.44
ix	Camp Hill	1,092.0	35,816	32.80	13,498	2.65	12.36	8,153	4.39	7.47
х	Coleshill	1,690.0	80,880	47.86	38,540	2.10	22.80	42,849	1.89	25.35
xi	Dordon	780.0	15,376	19.71	15,521	0.99	19.90	11,037	1.39	14.15
xii	Dunchurch	1,300.0	34,315	26.40	25,452	1.35	19.58	46,693	0.73	35.92
xiii	Harbury	624.0	15,590	24.98	9,878	1.58	15.83	17,666	0.88	28.31
xiv	Hartshill	871.0	9,907	11.37	4,081	2.43	4.69	6,754	1.47	7.75
xv	Henley in Arden	936.0	30,789	32.89	19,396	1.59	20.72	20,210	1.52	21.59
xvi	Kenilworth	2,652.0	177,734	67.02	144,218	1.23	54.38	162,842	1.09	61.40
xvii	Keresley Newlands	728.0	24,209	33.25	8,507	2.85	11.69	11,734	2.06	16.12
xviii	Kineton	702.0	23,277	33.16	6,698	3.48	9.54	14,857	1.57	21.16
xix	Kingsbury	1,144.0	26,884	23.50	18,320	1.47	16.01	23,480	1.14	20.52
хх	Leamington ¹	2,938.0	494,422	168.29	282,997	1.75	96.32	264,120	1.87	89.90
xxi	Lillington	1,950.0	40,440	20.74	40,045	1.01	20.54	56,694	0.71	29.07
xxii	Nuneaton ¹	3,016.0	462,591	153.38	239,485	1.93	79.40	291,054	1.59	96.50
xxiii	Polesworth	1,404.0	31,681	22.56	33,350	0.95	23.75	44,783	0.71	31.90
xxiv	Rugby ¹	2.886.0	613.132	212.45	582,144	1.05	201.71	338,955	1.81	117.45
XXV	Shipston on Stour	1,560.0	55,821	35.78	31.008	1.80	19.88	42.676	1.31	27.36
xxvi	Southam	2,470.0	84,210	34.09	53,688	1.57	21.74	83,260	1.01	33.71
xxvii	Stockingford	2,756.0	21.027	7.63	92,443	0.23	33.54	22,547	0.93	8.18
xxviii	Stratford upon Avon ¹	2,756.0	412,862	149.80	236.801	1.74	85.92	150.891	2.74	54.75
xxix	Studley	988.0	24,923	25.23	21,680	1.15	21.94	29,151	0.85	29.51
XXX	Warwick	2.678.0	385,513	143.96	133,123	2.90	49.71	224,279	1.72	83.75
xxxi	Water Orton	1,144.0	21,597	18.88	13.253	1.63	11.58	14.537	1.49	12.71
xxxii	Wellesbourne	1,508.0	35,376	23.46	31,976	1.11	21.20	44,116	0.80	29.25
xxxiii	Whitnash	2,340.0	29,009	12.40	34,784	0.83	14.86	31,056	0.93	13.27
xxxiv	Wolston	780.0	27,171	34.83	8.859	3.07	11.36	15,753	1.72	20.20
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XXXV	Alcester Mobile Library	806.0	48,168	59.76	6,061	7.95	7.52	Not Available		
xxxvi		732.2	47,459	64.82	4,987	9.52	6.81	Not Available		
xxxvii		731.1	50,794	69.48	5,729	8.87	7.84	Not Available		
	i Kenilworth Mobile Library	867.9	47,402	54.62	5,432	8.73	6.26	Not Available		
xxxix	,	741.0	47,876	64.61	5,907	8.10	7.97		Available	
	OBILE LIBRARIES TOTAL:	3,878.2	241,699	313.29	28,116	43.17	36.40	210,618	1.15	54.31
	ALL LIBRARIES TOTAL:	60,155.2	4,167,132	383.04	2,507,081	44.75	80.45	2,620,599	2.78	97.13

1 These Libraries as identified above are the principal libraries in each District/Borough. Each offers the full ranged of library services offered by the Council, and serve as a base for supervisory employees working across all of the libraries within that area.

2 Centrally held libraries funding for example, property maintenance, book fund, payment for ICT & income targets for each library are not included in the above figures.

3 Library Visits & Issue Data included relates to 2009-2010 financial year.

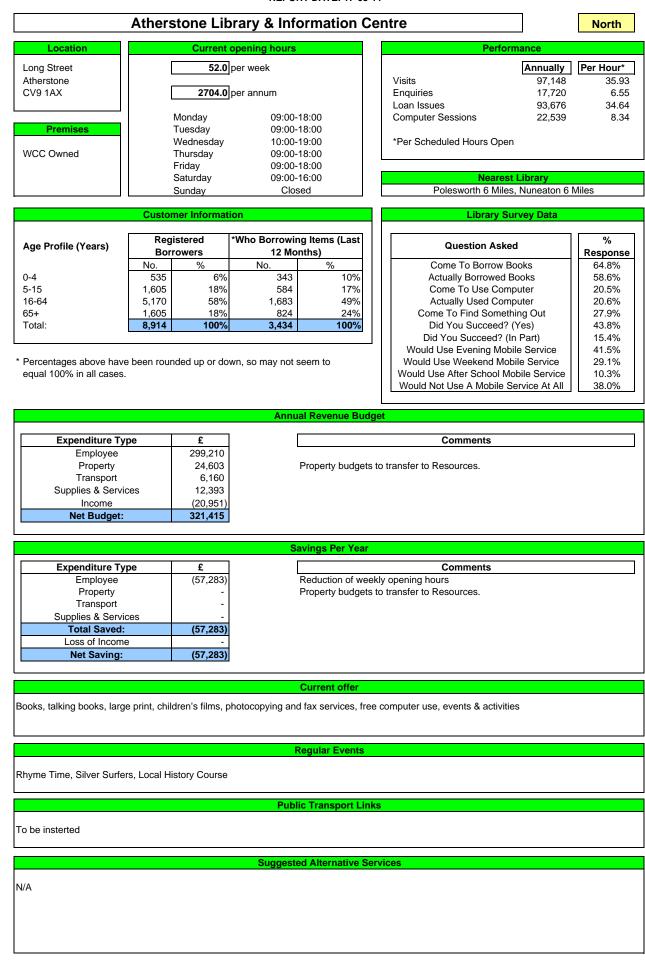
4 Mobile issue numbers are not tracked on an individual mobile basis, and also include home issue figures.

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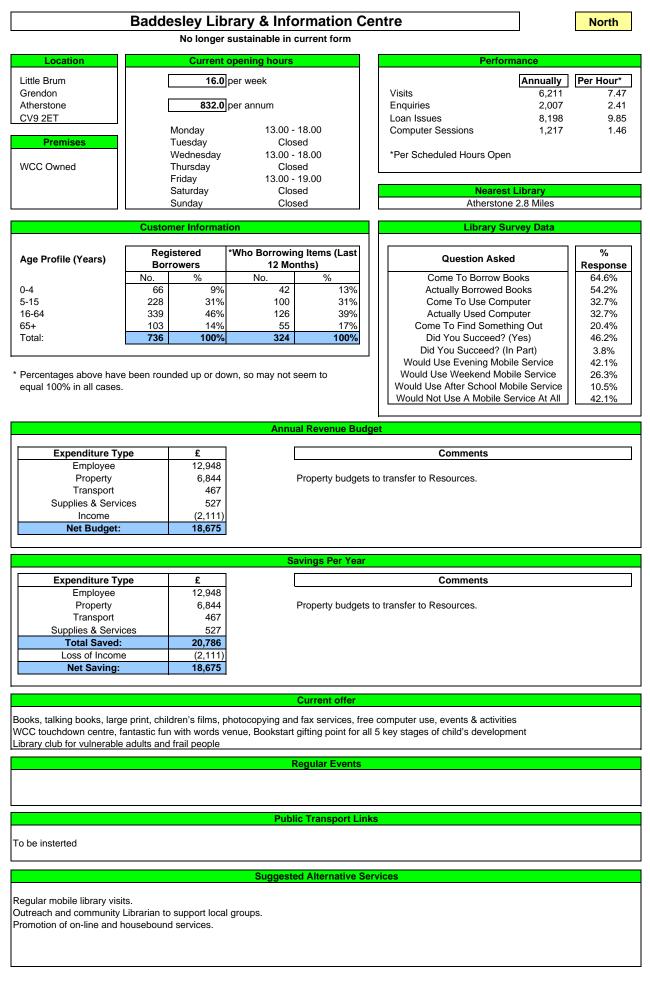
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APPENDIX BII: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - ATHERSTONE LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11



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APPENDIX Biv: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - BEDWORTH LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	Bedw	orth Lib	orary & Info	rmation Cer	ntre		N&B
Location		Curren	t opening hours			Performance	
18 Hight Street	Γ	48.0	per week			Annually	Per Hour*
Bedworth					Visits	111,182	44.5
Nuneaton		2,496.0	per annum		Enquiries	12,439	4.9
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Premises	, 7	Tuesday	09:00 -	17:00			
	Wednesday 09:00 - 17:00				*Per Scheduled H	lours Open	
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	F	Friday	09:00 -	17:00	-		
		Saturday	09:00 -	16:00		Nearest Library	
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0-4	644	5%	369	8%	Actually E	Borrowed Books	58.1%
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* Percentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to equal 100% in all cases.

Expenditure Type	£
Employee	161,003
Property	39,627
Transport	1,190
Supplies & Services	4,272
Income	(23,811)
Net Budget:	182,281

Comments

Property budgets to transfer to Resources.

Expenditure Type	£
Employee	(35,963)
Property	-
Transport	-
Supplies & Services	-
Total Saved:	(35,963)
Loss of Income	-
Net Saving:	(35,963)

Savings Per Year

Annual Revenue Budget

Comm	ents
Reduction of weekly opening hours	
Property budgets to transfer to Resources	3.

Would Use Weekend Mobile Service

Would Use After School Mobile Service

Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All

25.9%

5.2%

41.7%

Current offer

Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities WCC touchdown centre

Regular Events

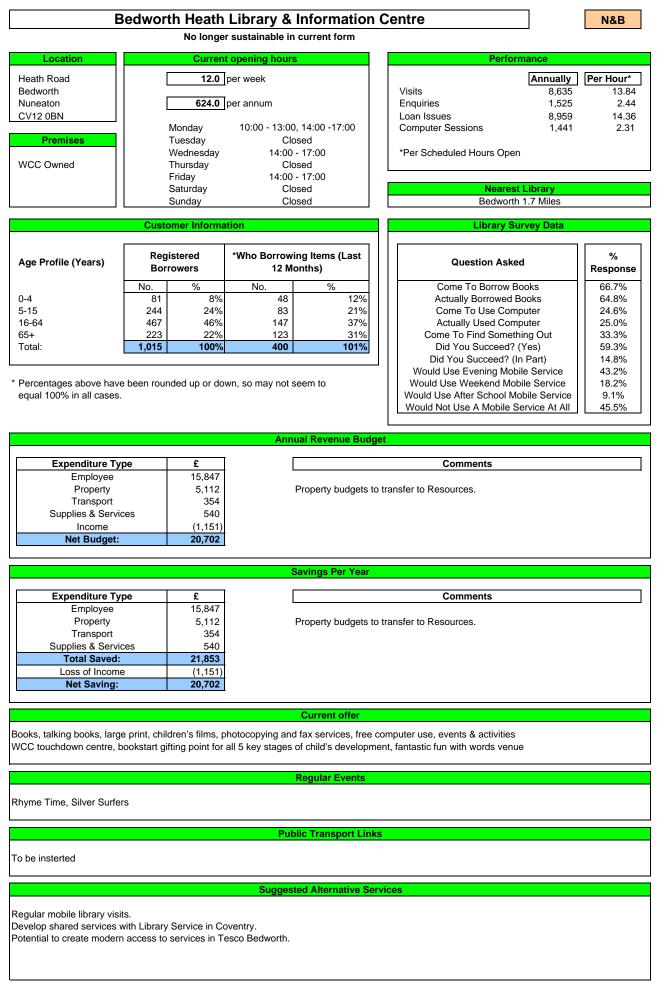
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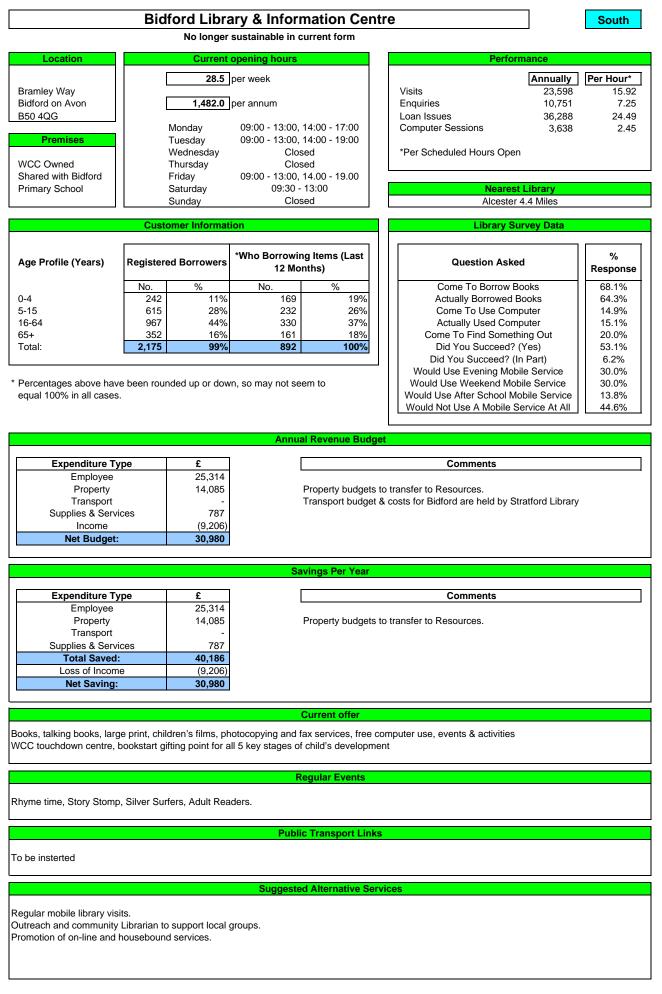
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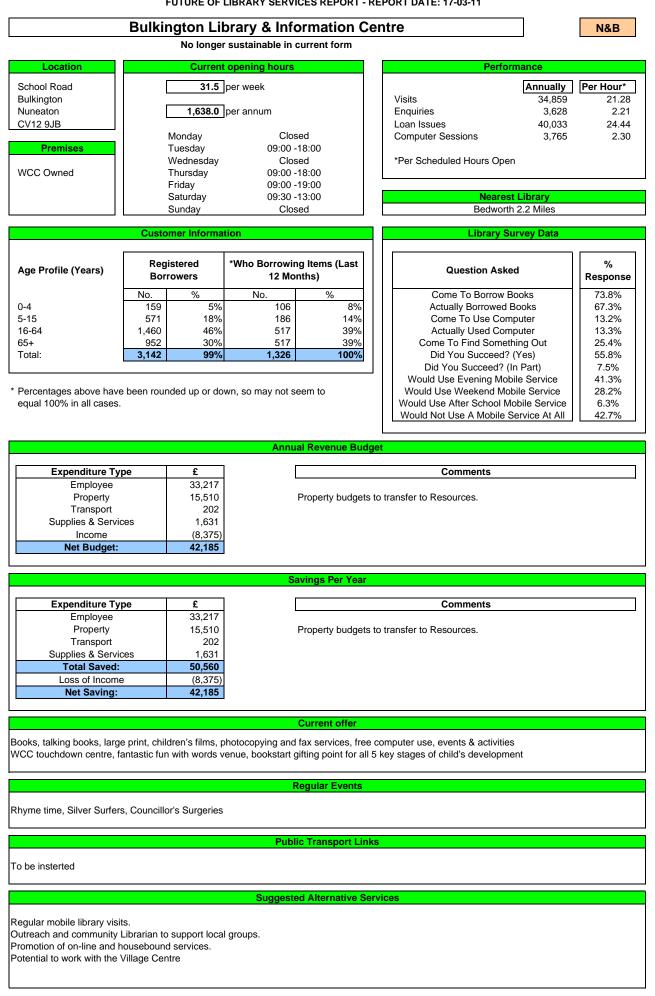
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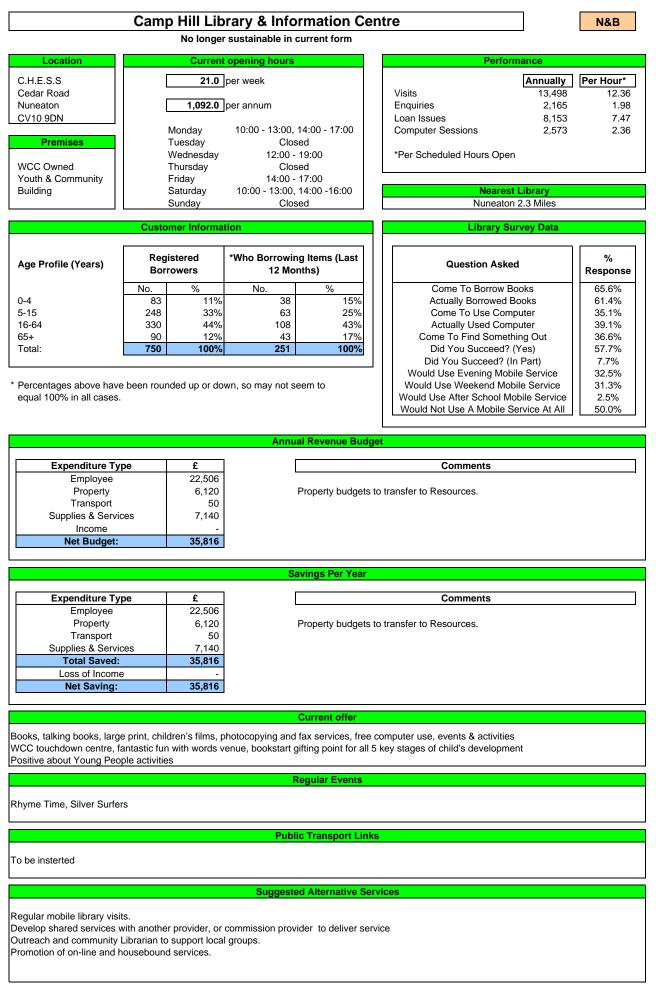
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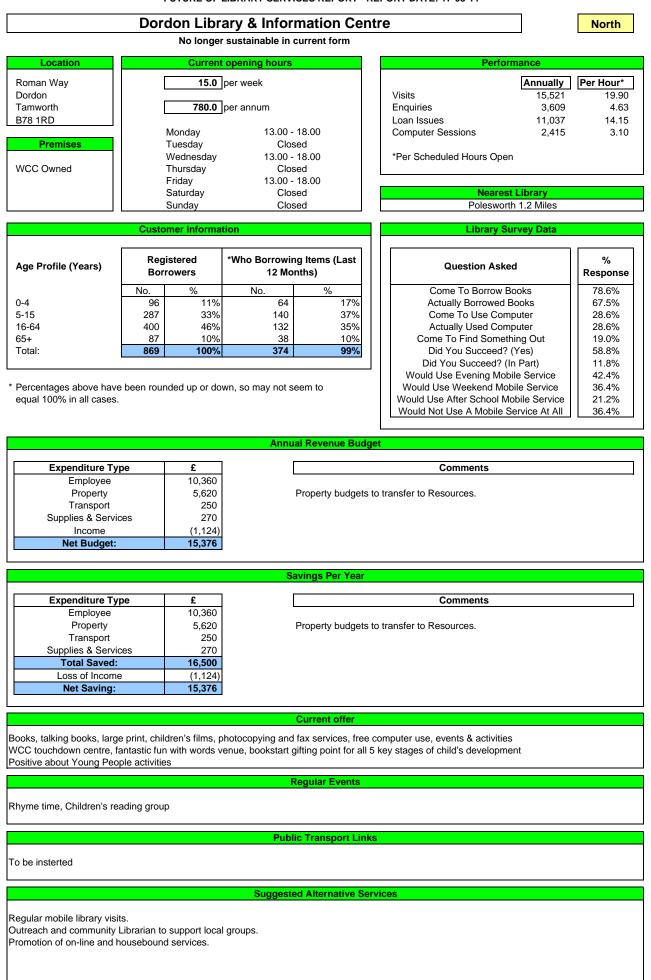
Binley Woods Library & Information Centre East No longer sustainable in current form **Current opening hours** Location Performance Monks Road 14.0 per week Annually Per Hour* **Binley Woods** Visits 8,179 11.23 728.0 per annum Coventry Enquiries 1,165 1.60 CV3 2BQ Loan Issues 11,191 15.37 10:00 - 13:00, 14.00 - 18.00 Monday **Computer Sessions** 1,491 2.05 Premises Tuesday Closed Closed *Per Scheduled Hours Open Wednesday WCC Owned Thursday 14:00 - 18:00 Friday Closed 10:00 -13:00 Saturday Nearest Librarv Rugby 7 Miles, Willenhall (Coventry) 1.3 Miles Sunday Closed **Customer Information** Library Survey Data Registered *Who Borrowing Items (Last % Age Profile (Years) Question Asked 12 Months) Borrowers Response % Come To Borrow Books 71.8% No No. 8% 14% 0-4 86 55 Actually Borrowed Books 63.9% 5-15 247 23% 78 20% Come To Use Computer 26.8% 16-64 45% Actually Used Computer 26.8% 482 140 36% 24% 30% Come To Find Something Out 29.3% 65+ 257 117 1,072 100% 100% Did You Succeed? (Yes) 44.4% Total: 390 Did You Succeed? (In Part) 22.2% Would Use Evening Mobile Service 48.5% * Percentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to Would Use Weekend Mobile Service 15.2% Would Use After School Mobile Service equal 100% in all cases. 6.1% Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All 45.5% Annual Revenue Budge Expenditure Type £ Comments Employee 13,221 Property Property budgets to transfer to Resources. 6,354 Transport Supplies & Services 200 (1.796)Income Net Budget: 17,979 Savings Per Year Expenditure Type Comments £ 13 221 Employee Property 6,354 Property budgets to transfer to Resources. Transport Supplies & Services 200 Total Saved: 19,775 Loss of Income (1.796)Net Saving: 17,979 **Current offe** Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities WCC touchdown centre, fantastic fun with words venue, bookstart gifting point for all 5 key stages of child's development Police meeting point for the community Regular Events None. Public Transport Links To be insterted Suggested Alternative Services Regular mobile library visits. Develop shared services with Library Service in Coventry. Outreach and community Librarian to support local groups. Promotion of on-line and housebound services.





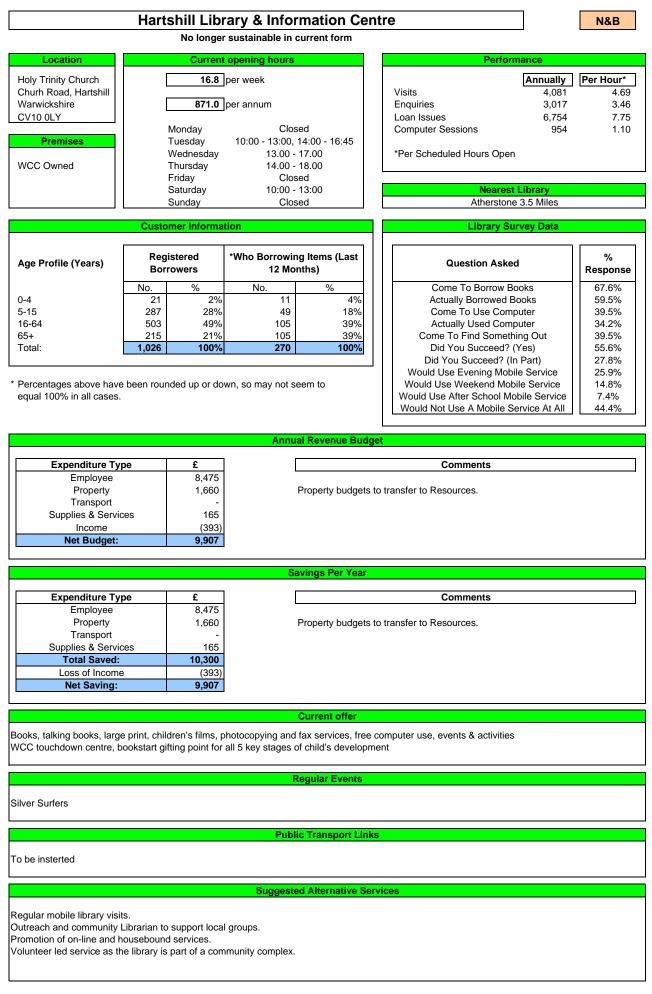
APPENDIX Bx: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - COLESHILL LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

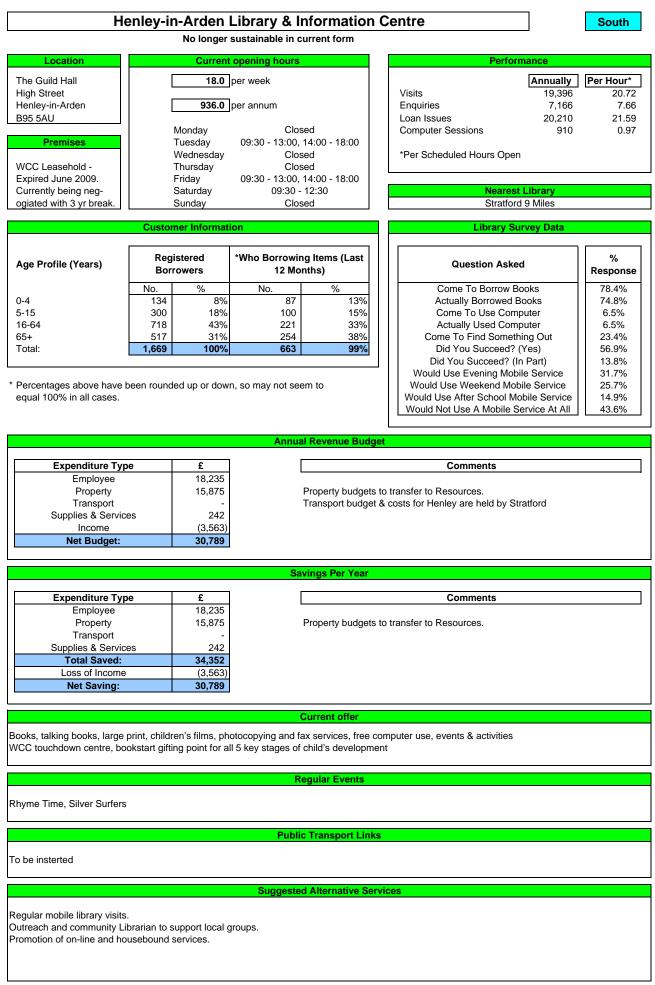
		REPORT DATE: 17-03-	
	Coleshill Lib	rary & Information Ce	ntre North
Location 19a Parkfield Road Coleshill Birmingham B46 3LD Premises Leasehold expires 2025	32.5	t opening hours per week per annum Closed 09:00-19:00 Closed 09:00-18:00 09:00-18:00 09:00-18:00 09:00-14:00 Closed	Performance Annually Per Hou Visits 38,540 22. Enquiries 10,260 6. Loan Issues 42,849 25. Computer Sessions 4,423 2. *Per Scheduled Hours Open Nearest Library Atherstone 11 Miles, Kingshurst (Solihull) 2.5 Miles Chelmsley Wood (Solihull) 2.9 Miles
	Customer Informa	ition	Library Survey Data
Age Profile (Years) 0-4 5-15 16-64 65+ Total: Percentages above have equal 100% in all cases.	Registered Borrowers No. % 348 8% 740 17% 2,264 52% 1,001 23% 4,354 100%	265 16% 728 44% 480 29% 1,655 100%	Question Asked% ResponCome To Borrow Books66.8% Actually Borrowed Books60.7% Come To Use ComputerCome To Use Computer12.6% Actually Used ComputerActually Used Computer13.1% Did You Succeed? (Yes)Did You Succeed? (In Part)12.8% Would Use Evening Mobile ServiceWould Use Meekend Mobile Service34.1% Would Use After School Mobile ServiceWould Not Use A Mobile Service At All46.8%
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Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget:	56,712 893 xes 2,434 (12,686) 80,880		to transfer to Resources.
Expenditure Typ Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Total Saved: Loss of Income Net Saving:	(13,123) - 	Property budgets	Comments rough reduction in weekly opening hours to transfer to Resources.
ooks, talking books, large	e print, children's films,	Current offer photocopying and fax services, free	computer use, events & activities
hyme time, Silver surfers	, reading group, creativ	Regular Events e writers group, knitters group	
b be insterted		Public Transport Lini	KS
		Suggested Alternative Se	rvices



Dunchurch Library & Information Centre East No longer sustainable in current form **Current opening hours** Location Performance The Green 25.0 per week Annually Per Hour* 19.58 Dunchurch Visits 25,452 1,300.0 per annum 3,892 Rugby Enquiries 2.99 CV22 6PA Loan Issues 46,693 35.92 Closed Monday **Computer Sessions** 2,928 2.25 Tuesday 10:00 - 13:00, 14:00 - 19:00 Premises Wednesday Closed *Per Scheduled Hours Open WCC Owned Thursday 10:00 - 13:00, 14:00 - 17:00 Friday 10:00 - 13:00, 14:00 - 19:00 09:30 - 12:30 Nearest Library Saturday Sunday Closed Rugby 3.1 Miles **Customer Information** Library Survey Data Registered *Who Borrowing Items (Last % Age Profile (Years) Question Asked 12 Months) Borrowers Response % Come To Borrow Books 80.2% No No. 11% 0-4 132 7% 86 Actually Borrowed Books 74.2% 5-15 395 21% 133 17% Come To Use Computer 16.2% 16-64 38% Actually Used Computer 17.8% 828 44% 296 28% 34% Come To Find Something Out 23.7% 65+ 527 265 100% 780 100% Did You Succeed? (Yes) 53.6% Total: 1.881 Did You Succeed? (In Part) 10.7% Would Use Evening Mobile Service 47.1% * Percentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to Would Use Weekend Mobile Service 23.5% Would Use After School Mobile Service 14.1% equal 100% in all cases. Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All 30.6% Annual Revenue Budge Expenditure Type £ Comments Employee 31,601 Property 8,090 Property budgets to transfer to Resources. Transport Supplies & Services 351 (5.727)Income Net Budget: 34,315 Savings Per Year Expenditure Type Comments £ 31 601 Employee Property 8,090 Property budgets to transfer to Resources. Transport Supplies & Services 351 Total Saved: 40,042 Loss of Income (5.727)Net Saving: 34,315 **Current offe** Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities WCC touchdown centre, fantastic fun with words venue, bookstart gifting point for all 5 key stages of child's development Adult & community learning classes Regular Events Silver Surfers Public Transport Links To be insterted Suggested Alternative Services Regular mobile library visits. Outreach and community Librarian to support local groups. Promotion of on-line and housebound services.

Harbury Library & Information Centre South No longer sustainable in current form **Current opening hours** Location Performance High Street 12.0 per week Annually Per Hour* Harbury Visits 9,878 15.83 624.0 per annum 2,183 Leamington Spa Enquiries 3.50 CV33 9HW Loan Issues 17,666 28.31 14:00 - 17:00, 17:30 - 19:00 Monday **Computer Sessions** 1,039 1.67 Premises Tuesday Closed Wednesday Closed *Per Scheduled Hours Open 10:00 - 13:00. 14:00-17:00, WCC Leasehold, Thursday Expires: 29-09-11 17:30 - 19:00 13.00 - 19.00 Friday Saturday Closed **Nearest Library** Sunday Closed Southam 3.5 Miles Library Survey Data **Customer Information** Registered *Who Borrowing Items (Last % Question Asked Age Profile (Years) Borrowers 12 Months) Response 95.2% No No. Come To Borrow Books % % 0-4 50 6% 41 10% Actually Borrowed Books 88.1% 5-15 210 25% 82 20% Come To Use Computer 9.1% Actually Used Computer 16-64 344 41% 159 39% 9.1% 65 +235 28% 131 32% Come To Find Something Out 30.2% Total: 839 100% 412 101% Did You Succeed? (Yes) 66.7% Did You Succeed? (In Part) 16.7% Would Use Evening Mobile Service 51.7% * Percentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to Would Use Weekend Mobile Service 20.7% equal 100% in all cases. Would Use After School Mobile Service 13.8% Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All 31.0% Annual Revenue Budget Expenditure Type Comments £ 7,318 Employee Property 10,331 Property budgets to transfer to Resources. Transport budget & costs for Harbury are held by Stratford Library Transport Supplies & Services 178 Income (2, 237)Net Budget: 15,590 Savings Per Year Expenditure Type Comments £ Employee 7.318 Property 10,331 Property budgets to transfer to Resources. Transport Supplies & Services 178 Total Saved: 17,827 Loss of Income (2.237)Net Saving: 15,590 **Current offer** Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities WCC touchdown centre, bookstart gifting point for all 5 key stages of child's development Regular Events None **Public Transport Links** To be insterted Suggested Alternative Services Regular mobile library visits. Outreach and community Librarian to support local groups. Promotion of on-line and housebound services.





APPENDIX Bxvi: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - KENILWORTH LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

Kenilwort	h Warwi	ckshire	Direct & L	ibrary & Info	ormation Centre		Central
Location		Current	opening hours		F	Performance	
Smalley Place	Г	51.0	per week			Annually	Per Hour*
Kenilworth					Visits	144,218	54.38
CV8 1QG		2,652.0	per annum		Enquiries	27,916	10.53
					Loan Issues	162,842	61.40
	r	Nonday	09:00 -	19:00	Computer Sessions	18,029	6.8
Premises	Г	Fuesday	09:00 -	17:30			
	١	Vednesday	10:30 -	17:30	*Per Scheduled Hours	Open	
WCC Owned	7	Fhursday	09:00 -	19:00			
	F	riday	09:00 -	17:30			
	5	Saturday	09:00 -	16:00	N	earest Library	
	5	Sunday	Clos	sed	Leamington	5 Miles, Lillington 5 I	Miles
	Custor	ner Informa	tion		Libra	ary Survey Data	
Age Profile (Years)		stered owers	*Who Borrowir 12 Mo		Question	Asked	% Response
	No.	%	No.	%	Come To Bor	row Books	58.7%
0-4	896	6%	580	9%	Actually Borro	wed Books	50.4%
5-15	2,239	15%	902	14%	Come To Use	e Computer	17.3%
16-64	7,762	52%	2,834	44%	Actually Used	Computer	13.8%
~=						4.1	

* Percentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to equal 100% in all cases.

27%

100%

2,126

6,442

4,030

14,926

Expenditure Type	£
Employee	152,909
Property	48,787
Transport	250
Supplies & Services	7,959
Income	(32,171)
Net Budget:	177,734

Expenditure Type	£
Employee	(29,286)
Property	-
Transport	-
Supplies & Services	-
Total Saved:	(29,286)
Loss of Income	-
Net Saving:	(29,286)

Annual Revenue Budget

33%

100%

Comments
This includes funding for two one stop shop staff members at Kenilworth
Property budgets to transfer to Resources.

Come To Find Something Out

Did You Succeed? (Yes)

Did You Succeed? (In Part) Would Use Evening Mobile Service

Would Use Weekend Mobile Service

Would Use After School Mobile Service

Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All

29.5%

52.3% 19.5%

35.1%

23.7%

7.9%

54.1%

Savings Per Year

Comments	
Savings made through reduction of weekly opening hours Property budgets to transfer to Resources.	

Current offer

Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities WCC touchdown centre, bookstart gifting point for all 5 key stages of child's development

Regular Events

Rhyme time, Silver Surfers, Online basics, Family History, teen reading group.

Public Transport Links

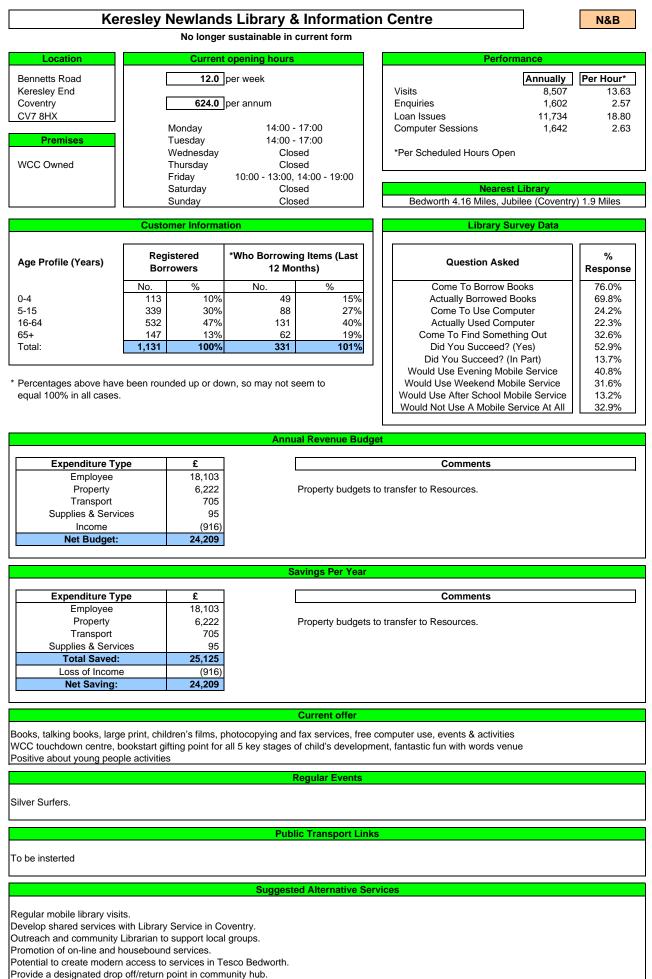
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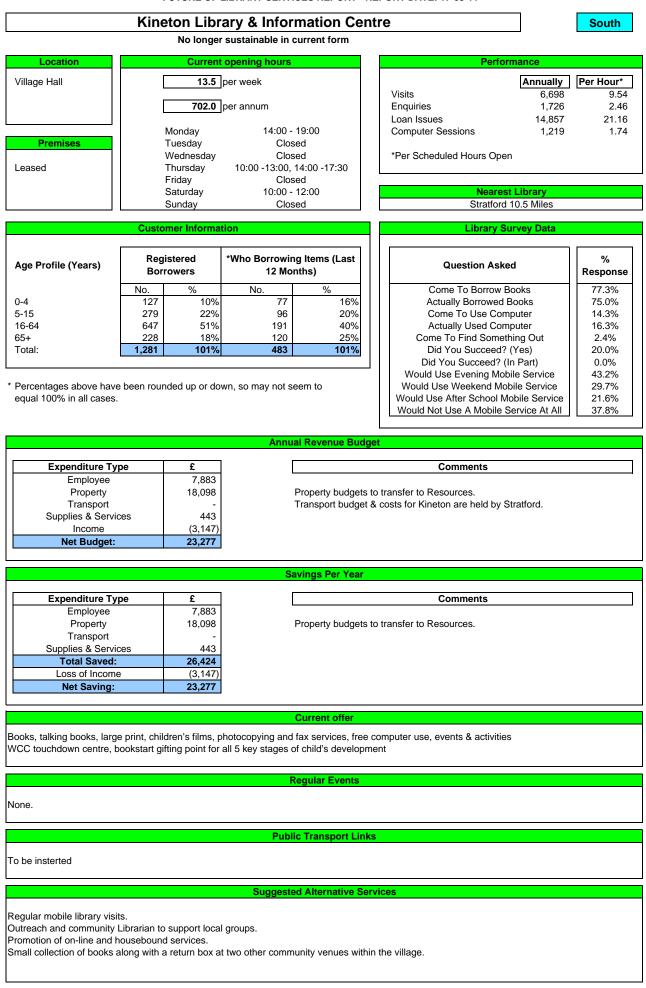
Suggested Alternative Services

N/A

65+

Total:





Kingsbury Library & Information Centre North No longer sustainable in current form **Current opening hours** Location Performance Bromage Avenue 22.0 per week Annually Per Hour* Kingsbury Visits 18,320 16.01 1,144.0 per annum 3,047 2.66 Tamworth Enquiries B78 2HN Loan Issues 23,480 20.52 10:00 - 13:00, 14:00 - 18:00 Monday **Computer Sessions** 1,746 1.53 Premises Tuesday Closed 10:00 - 13:00, 14:00 - 17:00 *Per Scheduled Hours Open Wednesday WCC Owned Thursday Closed Friday 10:00 - 13:00, 14:00 - 17:00 10:00 - 13:00 Saturday Nearest Librarv Atherstone 8 Miles, Tamworth (Staffordshire) 5.9 Miles Sunday Closed **Customer Information** Library Survey Data Registered *Who Borrowing Items (Last % Age Profile (Years) Question Asked 12 Months) Borrowers Response % Come To Borrow Books 78.3% No No. 14% 0-4 135 8% 105 Actually Borrowed Books 73.3% 5-15 508 30% 269 36% Come To Use Computer 21.3% 16-64 33% Actually Used Computer 21.7% 761 45% 247 18% Come To Find Something Out 24.6% 65+ 288 17% 135 100% 101% Did You Succeed? (Yes) Total: 1.692 756 35.3% Did You Succeed? (In Part) 11.8% Would Use Evening Mobile Service 20.9% * Percentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to Would Use Weekend Mobile Service 27.9% Would Use After School Mobile Service 11.6% equal 100% in all cases. Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All 46.5% Annual Revenue Budge Expenditure Type £ Comments 22,500 Employee 6,409 Property Property budgets to transfer to Resources. Transport 180 Supplies & Services 841 (3,046) Income Net Budget: 26,884 Savings Per Year Expenditure Type Comments £ 22 500 Employee Property 6,409 Property budgets to transfer to Resources. Transport 180 Supplies & Services 841 Total Saved: 29,930 Loss of Income (3.046)Net Saving: 26,884 **Current offe** Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities WCC touchdown centre, bookstart gifting point for all 5 key stages of child's development, fantastic fun with words venue Positive about young people activities, daily visits from Primary School Regular Events Rhyme Time, Family History Group Public Transport Links To be insterted Suggested Alternative Services Develop shared services with Library Service in Staffordshire. Regular mobile library visits. Outreach and community Librarian to support local groups. Promotion of on-line and housebound services. Provide a designated drop off/return point in community hub.

APPENDIX Bxx: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - LEAMINGTON LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	Leann	ngton LI	brary & Info		entre		Central
Location		Current	opening hours			Performance	
Royal Pump Rooms	Г	56.5	per week			Annually	Per Hour*
The Parade		I	•		Visits	282.997	96.32
Leamington Spa	l ſ	2.938.0	per annum		Enquiries	41,986	14.29
CV32 4AA	Ľ	,			Loan Issues	264,120	89.9
	' I	Monday	09:30 - 2	0:00	Computer Session	· · · · · ·	18.1
Premises	-	Tuesday	10:00 - 2	0:00	•	,	
	,	Wednesday	09:30 - 1	7:00	*Per Scheduled Ho	ours Open	
Leasehold	-	Thursday	09:30 - 2	0:00		·	
		Friday	09:30 - 1	7:00			
	:	Saturday	09:30 - 1	6:00		Nearest Library	
	:	Sunday	10:00 - 1	4:00		Whitnash 1.7 Miles	
	Custo	mer Informat	lian			ibrary Survey Data	
	Custo	mer informa	lion			Ibrary Survey Data	
Age Profile (Years)	Regi	istered rowers	*Who Borrowing 12 Mont	•	Quest	tion Asked	% Response
Age Profile (Years)	Regi		-	•		tion Asked Borrow Books	
,	Regi Borr	rowers	12 Mont	hs)	Come To		Response
0-4	Regi Borr No.	rowers %	12 Mont	hs) %	Come To Actually B	Borrow Books	Response 65.5%
0-4 5-15	Regi Borr No. 1,652	rowers % 5%	12 Mont No. 991	hs) % 9%	Come To Actually B Come To	Borrow Books orrowed Books	Response 65.5% 59.5%
0-4 5-15 16-64	Regi Borr No. 1,652 3,964	rowers % 5% 12%	12 Mont No. 991 1,322	hs) % 9% 12%	Come To Actually B Come To Actually L Come To Fir	Borrow Books orrowed Books Use Computer Jsed Computer nd Something Out	Response 65.5% 59.5% 18.7%
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Age Profile (Years) 0-4 5-15 16-64 65+ Total: Percentages above have	Regi Borr No. 1,652 3,964 23,125 4,295 33,036	rowers % 5% 12% 70% 13% 100%	12 Mont No. 991 1,322 6,609 2,093 11,015	hs) % 9% 12% 60% 19% 100%	Come To Actually B Come To Actually L Come To Fir Did You S Did You Su Would Use Eve	Borrow Books orrowed Books Use Computer Jsed Computer nd Something Out Succeed? (Yes) ucceed? (In Part)	Respons 65.5% 59.5% 18.7% 16.8% 38.9% 57.8% 19.3%
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Expenditure Type	£
Employee	452,946
Property	101,795
Transport	2,250
Supplies & Services	19,022
Income	(81,591)
Net Budget:	494,422

Expenditure Type

Employee

Property Transport Supplies & Services Total Saved:

> Loss of Income Net Saving:

Annual Revenue Budget

Comments	
Property budgets to transfer to Resources.	
Savings Per Year	
Comments	
Savings made through reduction of weekly ope	ening hours

Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All

47.4%

Current offer

Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities

Regular Events

Rhyme time, Silver Surfers, Online basics, reading group, family history group, family history course

£

(41,172)

(41,172)

(41,172)

Public Transport Links

To be insterted

Suggested Alternative Services

Lillington Warwickshire Direct & Library & Information Centre Central							
Location		Current	opening hours		Perfo	ormance	
alley Road		37.5	per week			Annually	Per Hour*
illington					Visits	40,045	20.54
eamington		1,950.0	per annum		Enquiries	9,607	4.93
V32 7SJ		Monday	09:30 - 13:00, 1	4.00 - 17.30	Loan Issues Computer Sessions	56,694 5,157	29.07 2.64
Premises		Tuesday	09:30 - 13:00, 1		Computer Occasions	0,107	2.04
		Wednesday Closed Thursday 09:30 - 13:00, 14:00 - 19:00			*Per Scheduled Hours Ope	en	
/CC Owned							
		Friday Saturday	09:30 - 13:00, 1 09:30 - 1		Neares	st Library	
		Sunday	Close			ton 1.8 Miles	
		mer Informa	tion	<u> </u>		Survey Data	
ge Profile (Years)	-	istered rowers	*Who Borrowing 12 Mon		Question Ask	ed	% Response
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-4 -15	394	9%	245	14% 17%	Actually Borrowed Come To Use Cor		70.0%
-15 6-64	963 2,013	22% 46%	297 629	36%	Actually Used Cor		15.1% 15.1%
5+	1,006	23%	560	32%	Come To Find Some		20.2%
		4000/	4 704	000/	Did You Succeed?	$2(V_{OS})$	53.7%
otal:	4,376	100%	1,731	99%		()	
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Percentages above have qual 100% in all cases Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servi Income Net Budget: Expenditure Ty Employee	e been rour	£ 38,252 15,007 71 2,891 (15,781) 40,440	wn, so may not se Annua F Sa	Property budgets to	Did You Succeed? (Would Use Evening Mo Would Use After School M Would Not Use A Mobile t Comments transfer to Resources.	(In Part) bille Service obille Service Mobile Service At All	9.5% 34.8% 25.6% 7.3%
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Percentages above have qual 100% in all cases Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servi Income Net Budget: Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport	e been rour pe ces pe	£ 38,252 15,007 71 2,891 (15,781) 40,440 £	wn, so may not se Annua F Sa	Property budgets to	Did You Succeed? (Would Use Evening Mo Would Use After School M Would Not Use A Mobile t Comments transfer to Resources.	(In Part) bille Service obille Service Mobile Service At All	9.5% 34.8% 25.6% 7.3%
Percentages above have qual 100% in all cases Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servi Income Net Budget: Expenditure Ty Employee Property	e been rour pe ces pe ces ces	£ 38,252 15,007 71 2,891 (15,781) 40,440 £	wn, so may not se Annua F Sa	Property budgets to	Did You Succeed? (Would Use Evening Mo Would Use After School M Would Not Use A Mobile t Comments transfer to Resources.	(In Part) bille Service obille Service Mobile Service At All	9.5% 34.8% 25.6% 7.3%
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Percentages above have qual 100% in all cases Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servi Income Net Budget: Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servi Supplies & Servi	e been rour pe ces pe ces	£ 38,252 15,007 71 2,891 (15,781) 40,440 £ (11,830) - - - - (11,830)	wn, so may not se Annua F Sa	Property budgets to	Did You Succeed? (Would Use Evening Mo Would Use After School M Would Not Use A Mobile t Comments transfer to Resources.	(In Part) bille Service obille Service Mobile Service At All	9.5% 34.8% 25.6% 7.3%

Silver Surfers

Public Transport Links

To be insterted

Suggested Alternative Services

N/A

APPENDIX Bxxii: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - NUNEATON LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	Nune	aton Lib	ntre		N&B		
Location	Current opening hours				P	erformance	
Church Street Nuneaton CV11 4DR			per week per annum		Visits Enquiries Loan Issues	Annually 239,485 34,217 291,054	Per Hour* 79.40 11.35 96.50
		Monday	08:30 -		Computer Sessions	56,802	18.83
Premises WCC Owned		Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	10:00 - 08:30 - 08:30 - 08:30 -	18:00 18:00	*Per Scheduled Hours	Open	
		Saturday	09:00 -		Ne	arest Library	
		Sunday	10:00 -	14:00	Ath	erstone 6 Miles	
	Custo	mer Informa	tion		Libra	ry Survey Data	
Age Profile (Years)	-	stered owers	*Who Borrowin 12 Mo		Question	Asked	% Response
	No.	%	No.	%	Come To Borr	ow Books	55.7%
0-4	2,166	6%	1,009	8%	Actually Borrow	wed Books	49.1%
5-15	5,775	16%	2,018	16%	Come To Use	Computer	28.0%
16-64	22,019	61%	6,684	53%	Actually Used	Computer	25.8%

23%

100%

Annual Revenue Budget

* Percentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to equal 100% in all cases.

17%

100%

2,901

12,612

6,136

36,096

Expenditure Type	£
Employee	440,001
Property	56,908
Transport	3,700
Supplies & Services	25,349
Income	(63,367)
Net Budget:	462,591

Comments Property budgets to transfer to Resources.

Come To Find Something Out

Did You Succeed? (Yes)

Did You Succeed? (In Part)

Would Use Evening Mobile Service

Would Use Weekend Mobile Service

Would Use After School Mobile Service

Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All

34.6%

50.0%

20.0% 40.2%

32.2%

6.1%

41.3%

	Savings Per Year					
Expenditure Type	£	Comments				
Employee	(43,931)	Savings made through reduction of weekly opening hours				
Property	-	Property budgets to transfer to Resources.				
Transport	-					
Supplies & Services	-					
Total Saved:	(43,931)					
Loss of Income	-					
Net Saving:	(43,931)					

Current offer

Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities

Regular Events

Rhyme Time, Silver Surfers, reading group

Public Transport Links

To be insterted

Suggested Alternative Services

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N/A

65+

Total:

APPENDIX Bxxiii: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - POLESWORTH LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

		REPORT DATE: 17-03-1	1						
Polesworth Library & Information Centre North									
Location	Current	opening hours	Performance						
Bridge Street Polesworth Tamworth B78 1DT Premises WCC Owned		per week per annum Closed 09:30 - 13:00, 14:00 -19:00 Closed 09:30 - 13:00, 14:00 -18:00 09:30 - 13:00, 14:00 -18:00 09:30 - 13:00 Closed	Annually Visits 33,350 Enquiries 9,063 Loan Issues 44,783 Computer Sessions 2,542 *Per Scheduled Hours Open	Per Hour* 23.75 6.46 31.90 1.81					
	Customer Informat	ion	Library Survey Data						
Age Profile (Years)	Registered Borrowers	*Who Borrowing Items (Last 12 Months)	Question Asked	% Response 84.2%					
No. % No. % 0-4 285 8% 189 12% 5-15 963 27% 377 24% Actually Borrowed Books 16-64 1,640 46% 613 39% Actually Used Computer 65+ 713 20% 393 25% Come To Find Something Out Total: 3,601 101% 1,571 100% Did You Succeed? (Yes) Vertex ages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to equal 100% in all cases. Fercentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to Would Use After School Mobile Service									
		Annual Revenue Budg	let						
Expenditure Type Employee Property Transport Supplies & Services Income Net Budget:	£ 29,282 7,438 300 1,234 (6,573) 31,681	Property budgets	Comments to transfer to Resources.						
		Savings Per Year							
Expenditure Type Employee Property Transport Supplies & Services Total Saved: Loss of Income Net Saving:	£ 7,558 - - - 7,558 - - 7,558		Comments ated with increase in weekly opening hours to transfer to Resources.						
		0							
Books, talking books, large pr	Current offer Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities								
		Regular Events							
Rhyme Time, pre school story	/ time	- rogula Eronto							
		Public Transport Link	S S						
To be insterted									
	Suggested Alternative Services								
N/A									

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APPENDIX Bxxiv: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - RUGBY LIBRARY

	APPENDIX BXXIV:	LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMM FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVIC REPORT DATE: 17-03	ES REPORT	ſ				
	Rugby Libra	ary & Information Cer	ntre		East			
Location	Curren	t opening hours	Performance					
Little Elborow Street Rugby CV21 3BZ	55.5 per week 2,886.0 per annum		Visits Enquiries	Annually 582,144 68,638	Per Hour* 201.71 23.78			
Premises	Monday Tuesday Wednesday	10:00 - 17:00 09:00 - 20:00 09:00 - 17:00	Loan Issues Computer Sessions *Per Scheduled Hours Ope	338,955 65,564	117.45 22.72			
Leasehold	Thursday Friday Saturday	09:00 - 17:00 09:00 - 20:00 09:00 - 17:00 09:30 - 16:00 12:00 -16:00	Nearest Library Dunchurch 3 Miles, Lutterworth (Leicestershire) 8 Miles					
	Sunday							
	Customer Informa	ition	Library S	Survey Data				
Age Profile (Years)	Registered Borrowers	*Who Borrowing Items (Last 12 Months)	Question Ask	ed	% Response			
0-4 5-15 16-64 65+ Total: * Percentages above have equal 100% in all cases.		7,674 52% 3,542 24% 14,758 100%	Come To Borrow Actually Borrowed Come To Use Cor Actually Used Cor Come To Find Some Did You Succeed? Did You Succeed? Would Use Evening Mo Would Use Weekend Mo Would Use After School M Would Not Use A Mobile	Books mputer mputer ething Out ? (Yes) (In Part) ubile Service Mobile Service	68.1% 64.1% 17.2% 16.3% 26.3% 47.2% 13.5% 44.1% 29.7% 10.9% 37.1%			
		Annual Revenue Buc	lget					
Expenditure Type £ Employee 502,566 Property 134,951 Transport 3,675 Supplies & Services 82,332 Income (110,392) Net Budget: 613,132		Comments Property budgets to transfer to Resources.						
		Savings Per Year						
Expenditure Type £ Employee (41,086) Property - Transport - Supplies & Services - Total Saved: (41,086)		5	Comments Savings made through reduction of weekly opening hours Property budgets to transfer to Resources.					
Loss of Income Net Saving:	(41,086)							
Current offer								

Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities

Regular Events

Rhyme Time, Story Stomp, Family History, Thursday Night Reads, Get it Loud in Libraries

Public Transport Links

To be insterted

Suggested Alternative Services

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N/A

APPENDIX Bxxv: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - SHIPSTON-ON-STOUR LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

		FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICE REPORT DATE: 17-03-		
Sh	ipston-on-Stou	r Library & Informatio	on Centre	South
Location	Curren	t opening hours	Performance	
12 Church Street	30.0	per week	Annually	Per Hour*
Shipston-on-Stour		1	Visits 31,008	19.88
CV36 4AP	1,560.0	per annum	Enquiries 5,725 Loan Issues 42,676	3.67 27.36
	Monday	09:30 - 13:00, 14:00 - 17:00	Computer Sessions 4,223	27.50
Premises	Tuesday	09:30 - 13:00, 14:00 - 19:00		
Lagashold	Wednesday	Closed	*Per Scheduled Hours Open	
Leasehold	Thursday Friday	09:30 - 13:00, 14:00 - 19:00 09:30 - 13:00		
	Saturday	09:30 - 12:30	Nearest Library	
	Sunday	Closed	Stratford 11 Miles	
	Customer Informa	tion	Library Survey Data	
	_			
Age Profile (Years)	Registered Borrowers	*Who Borrowing Items (Last 12 Months)	Question Asked	% Response
		,	Come To Borrow Books	
0-4	No. % 272 8%	No. %	Actually Borrowed Books	77.4% 71.9%
5-15	578 17%		Come To Use Computer	12.6%
16-64	1,564 46%		Actually Used Computer	12.2%
65+	952 28%	459 33%	Come To Find Something Out	19.1%
Total:	3,367 99%	1,404 101%	Did You Succeed? (Yes)	45.0%
			Did You Succeed? (In Part)	16.3%
			Would Use Evening Mobile Service	24.8%
Percentages above have equal 100% in all cases.	e been rounded up or do	wn, so may not seem to	Would Use Weekend Mobile Service Would Use After School Mobile Service	16.3% 12.1%
equal 100% in all cases.			Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All	50.4%
Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servio Income Net Budget:	30,544 29,507 - ces 6,618 (10,848) 55,821		to transfer to Resources. and costs for Shipston are held by Stratford Libr	ary.
		Savings Per Year		
Expenditure Ty	pe £		Comments	
Employee	(9,412)		rough reduction of weekly opening hours	
Property	-	1, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	to transfer to Resources.	
Transport Supplies & Servio	-	Transport budget	s & costs held by Stratford Library	
Total Saved:	(9,412)			
Loss of Income				
Net Saving:	(9,412)			
		·		
ooks, talking books, large	e print, children's films r	Current offer bhotocopying and fax services, free	computer use, events & activities	
	,,			
		Regular Events		
Rhyme Time, Silver Surfer	s, Wiggle & Jigale			
,				
		Public Transport Lin	ks	
To be insterted				
		Suggested Alternative Se	ervices	

APPENDIX Bxxvi: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - SOUTHAM LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT

			REPORT	DATE: 17-03-1	1		
	Sout	ham Lib	rary & Inform	mation Cer	ntre		South
Location		Current	opening hours		Perfor	mance	
High Street Southam Leamington Spa CV47 0HB Premises		2,470.0 Monday Tuesday Wednesday	per week per annum 09:00 - 1 09:00 - 1 09:00 - 1	9:00 7:00	Visits Enquiries Loan Issues Computer Sessions *Per Scheduled Hours Oper	Annually 53,688 16,452 83,260 11,343	Per Hour* 21.74 6.66 33.71 4.59
WCC Owned		Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	09:00 - 1 09:00 - 1 09:30 - 1 Close	7:00 3:00	Leamingto	t Library n 7.5 Miles	
	Custo	mer Informa	tion		Library Su	Irvey Data	
Age Profile (Years)		istered rowers	*Who Borrowing 12 Mont		Question Aske	d	% Response
0-4 5-15 16-64 65+ Total:		% 8% 21% 53% 18% 100%	No. 421 511 1,383 692 3,007 wn, so may not see	% 14% 17% 46% 23% 100% em to	Come To Borrow B Actually Borrowed E Come To Use Com Actually Used Com Come To Find Someth Did You Succeed? (In Would Use Evening Mob Would Use Weekend Mot	Books puter puter hing Out (Yes) n Part) ile Service bile Service	65.9% 60.5% 18.1% 18.3% 27.0% 54.5% 13.1% 33.3% 17.8%
equal 100% in all cases.			Annual	Revenue Budg	Would Use After School Mo Would Not Use A Mobile S		7.8% 48.6%
Expenditure Ty	pe	£			Comments		
Employee		68,848		roporty budgete t	a transfor to Pasauroas		

Expenditure Type	£
Employee	68,848
Property	28,359
Transport	-
Supplies & Services	1,739
Income	(14,736)
Net Budget:	84,210

Comments
Property budgets to transfer to Resources.
Transport budgets & costs for Southam are held by Stratford Library

Expenditure Type	£
Employee	(17,482)
Property	-
Transport	-
Supplies & Services	-
Total Saved:	(17,482)
Loss of Income	-
Net Saving:	(17,482)

Savings Per Year

Comments	
Savings made through reduction of weekly opening hours	
Property budgets to transfer to Resources.	

Current offer

Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities Warwickshire Direct

Regular Events

Rhyme Time, Silver Surfers, Story Stomp, Family history courses

Public Transport Links

To be insterted

Suggested Alternative Services

N/A

APPENDIX Bxxvii: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - STOCKINGFORD LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

St. Paul's Road Stockingford	53.0 per	week			
U				Annually	Per Hour
			Visits	92,443	33.5
Nuneaton	2,756.0 per	annum	Enquiries	4,844	1.7
CV10			Loan Issues	22,547	8.1
	Monday	08:00 -18:00	Computer Sessions	3,995	1.4
Premises	Tuesday	08:00 -18:00			
	Wednesday	08:00 -18:00	*Per Scheduled Hours Op	ben	
VCC Owned	Thursday	08:00 -18:00			
	Friday	08:00 -18:00			
	Saturday	10:00 -13:00	Near	est Library	
	Sunday	Closed	Nunea	aton 3 Miles	
	Customer Information		Library	Survey Data	

Age Profile (Years)		istered rowers	*Who Borrowii 12 Mo	•
	No.	%	No.	%
0-4	426	28%	222	36%
5-15	517	34%	179	29%
16-64	472	31%	185	30%
65+	106	7%	31	5%
Total:	1,521	100%	617	100%

* Percentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to equal 100% in all cases.

Expenditure Type	£
Employee	-
Property	-
Transport	-
Supplies & Services	-
Income	(4,600)
Net Budget:	(4,600)

Comments

Expenditure budget transferred to Stockingford One Stop Shop.

Come To Borrow Books

Actually Borrowed Books

Come To Use Computer

Actually Used Computer

Come To Find Something Out

Did You Succeed? (Yes)

Did You Succeed? (In Part) Would Use Evening Mobile Service

Would Use Weekend Mobile Service

Would Use After School Mobile Service

Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All

54.5%

53.5%

27.7%

27.7%

27.3%

51.9% 9.3%

40.9%

27.3%

22.7%

34.8%

Savings Per Year

Annual Revenue Budget

Expenditure Type	£	Comments
Employee	-	
Property	-	
Transport	-	
Supplies & Services	-	
Total Saved:	-	
Loss of Income	-	
Net Saving:	-	

Current offer

Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities Children's Centre

Regular Events

Rhyme Time

Public Transport Links

To be insterted

Suggested Alternative Services

N/A

APPENDIX Bxxviii: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - STRATFORD-UPON-AVON LIBRARY

				RARY SERVICES			
Stra	atford-u	ipon-Ave	on Library	& Informatio	on Centre		South
Location		Current	t opening hours		P	erformance	
Henly Street		53.0	per week			Annually	Per Hour*
Statford-upon-Avon			1		Visits	236,801	85.92
CV37 6PZ		2,756.0	per annum		Enquiries	59,465	21.58
		Monday	09:00 -	17:30	Loan Issues Computer Sessions	150,891 52,509	54.75 19.05
Premises		Tuesday	10:00 -		Computer Sessions	52,509	19.05
Tremises		Wednesday	09:00 -		*Per Scheduled Hours	Onen	
WCC Owned		Thursday	09:00 -			opon	
		Friday	09:00 -				
		Saturday	09:30 -		Ne	earest Library	
		Sunday	12:00 -	16:00	Alcester 8 Mile	es, Wellesbourne 6.2	Miles
	Custo	mer Informa	tion		Libra	ary Survey Data	
Age Profile (Years)		istered rowers	*Who Borrowin 12 Mo		Question	Asked	% Response
	No.	%	No.	%	Come To Bor	row Books	56.3%
0-4	1,041	5%	-	9%	Actually Borro	wed Books	47.0%
5-15	2,498	12%	865	12%	Come To Use	Computer	29.2%
16-64	12,491	60%	3,460	48%	Actually Used	Computer	27.0%
65+	4,788	23%	2,307	32%	Come To Find S	omething Out	30.9%
Total:	20,819	100%	7,280	101%	Did You Succ	eed? (Yes)	50.0%
					Did You Succe	ed? (In Part)	20.0%
					Would Use Evening		30.5%
Percentages above have		nded up or do	wn, so may not s	eem to	Would Use Weeken		24.2%
equal 100% in all cases					Would Use After Sch		7.6%
					Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	47.1%
			Annu	al Revenue Budge	et		
			ı r				
Expenditure Ty	pe	£	l I		Comments	5	
Employee		365,034		Droporty builded t	transfor to Deserves		
Property		69,328			o transfer to Resources.	them Division	
Transport Supplies & Servi		9,653 49,881		riansport budget r	elates to all costs with Sou	mem Division.	
Supplies & Servi Income	662	(81,034)					
Net Budget:		412,862					
Net Budget.		412,002					
			Sa	avings Per Year			
Expenditure Ty	ne	£] [Comments		
Experiature Ty	he	(75,679)	I	Savings made thro	ugh reduction of weekly or		
Property		(10,019)		•	o transfer to Resources.	Jenning hours	
Transport		-		· · operty budgets to			
Supplies & Servi	000	_					

Current offer

Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities

Regular Events

Rhyme Time, Silver Surfers, Reading Group, Wiggle & Jiggle, Family history group

(75,679)

(75,679)

Public Transport Links

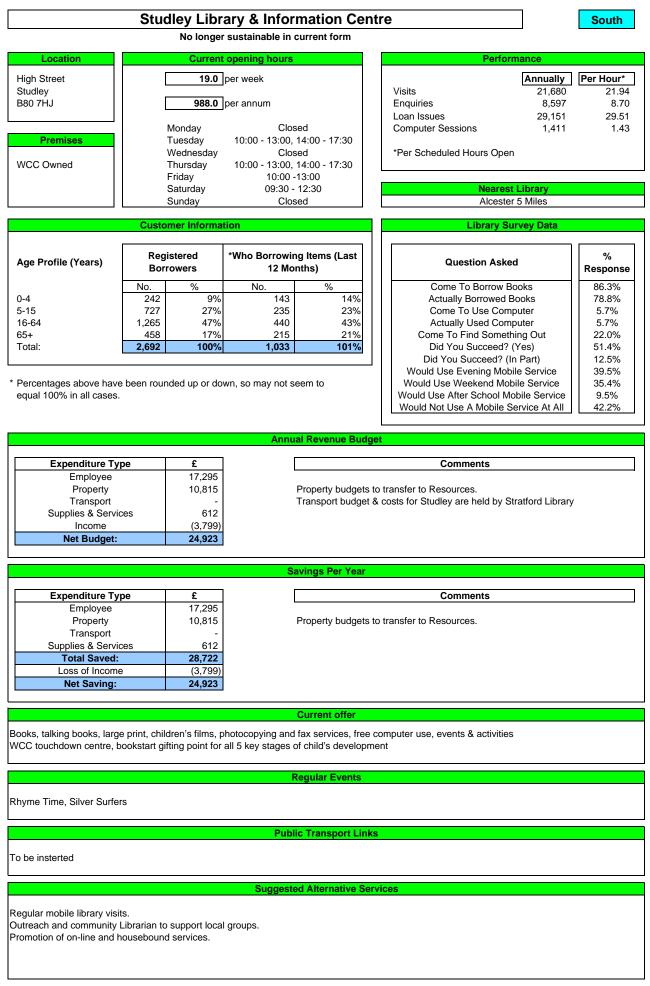
To be insterted

Supplies & Services

Total Saved:

Loss of Income Net Saving:

Suggested Alternative Services



APPENDIX Bxxx: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - WARWICK LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	Warw	ick Lib	rary & Infori	mation Cen	tre		Centra
Location		Current	t opening hours		Р	erformance	
	Г		per week				Der Heurt
Barrack Street Narwick		51.5	рег week		Visits	Annually 133,123	Per Hour [*] 49.7
CV34 4TH	Г	2 678 0	per annum		Enquiries	23,950	49.7
5V34 4111		2,070.0			Loan Issues	224,279	83.7
	Ν	/londay	09:00 - 1	9:00	Computer Sessions	16,709	6.2
Premises	Т	uesday	09:00 - 1	7:30		,	
	V	Vednesday	09:00 - 1	7:30	*Per Scheduled Hours	Open	
VCC Owned		hursday	10:00 -1				
		riday	09:00 - 1		N.	ana at I thuam.	
		Saturday Sunday	09:00 - 1 Close			arest Library	
		bunuay	Close	au l	Lean	Ington 2.8 Miles	
	Custon	ner Informa	tion		Libra	ry Survey Data	
	D		****				
Age Profile (Years)	•	stered owers	*Who Borrowing 12 Mon		Question	Asked	% Respons
	Boint						-
	No.	%	No.	%	Come To Bor		65.3%
)-4	1,063	7%		11%	Actually Borro		55.8%
5-15 6-64	2,127 8,811	14% 58%		12% 51%	Come To Use Actually Used		12.9% 12.7%
6-04 65+	3,190	21%	,	26%	Come To Find S		25.9%
otal:	15,192	100%	,	100%	Did You Succ		46.6%
			· · ·		Did You Succee	ed? (In Part)	15.5%
					Would Use Evening		36.2%
Percentages above have	been round	ded up or do	wn, so may not se	em to	Would Use Weeken		21.3%
equal 100% in all cases.							
					Would Ose Alter Sch	bile Service At All	9.8% 47.7%
			Annua	I Revenue Budg	Would Not Use A Mo		
			Annua	l Revenue Budg	Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Ty	pe	£	Annua	I Revenue Budg	Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Tyj Employee	pe	198,805			Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Tyj Employee Property	pe	198,805 213,031			Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Tyj Employee		198,805			Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport		198,805 213,031 850			Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic		198,805 213,031 850 15,647	F		Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Typ Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income		198,805 213,031 850 15,647 (42,820)	F	Property budgets t	Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Typ Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income		198,805 213,031 850 15,647 (42,820)	F		Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Tyj Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget: Expenditure Tyj	æs	198,805 213,031 850 15,647 (42,820)	F	Property budgets t	Would Not Use A Mo	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Tyj Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget: Expenditure Tyj Employee	æs	198,805 213,031 850 15,647 (42,820) 385,513] [Property budgets t vings Per Year	et Comments o transfer to Resources. Comments	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Tyj Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget: Expenditure Tyj Employee Property	æs	198,805 213,031 850 15,647 (42,820) 385,513] [Property budgets t vings Per Year	et Comments o transfer to Resources.	bile Service At All	
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget: Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport	pe	198,805 213,031 850 15,647 (42,820) 385,513] [Property budgets t vings Per Year	et Comments o transfer to Resources. Comments	bile Service At All	
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N/A

Suggested Alternative Services

Water Orton Library & Information Centre North No longer sustainable in current form **Current opening hours** Performance Location Mickle Meadow 12.0 per week Annually Per Hour* Coleshill Road Visits 8,635 13.84 624.0 per annum 1,525 2.44 Water Orton Enquiries Birmingham, B46 1SN Loan Issues 8,959 14.36 Closed Monday **Computer Sessions** 1,441 2.31 10:00 -13:00, 14:00 - 18:00 Premises Tuesday 14:00 - 19:00 Wednesday *Per Scheduled Hours Open WCC Owned Thursday Closed Friday 10:00 -13:00, 14:00 - 18:00 Saturday 10:00 -13:00 Nearest Library Athersone 13 Miles, Castle Vale 2.2 Miles (Birmingham), Sunday Closed Castle Bromwich 2.2 Miles (Solihull) **Customer Information** Library Survey Data Registered *Who Borrowing Items (Last % Age Profile (Years) **Question Asked** Borrowers 12 Months) Response Come To Borrow Books % 81.6% No No 0-4 130 8% 70 12% Actually Borrowed Books 77.1% 5-15 405 25% 117 20% Come To Use Computer 20.4% 16-64 Actually Used Computer 20.4% 762 47% 235 40% 20º Come To Find Something Out 20.4% 65+ 324 158 279 99% 100% 581 40.9% Total: 1.621 Did You Succeed? (Yes) Did You Succeed? (In Part) 4.5% Would Use Evening Mobile Service 28.9% Percentages above have been rounded up or down, so may not seem to Would Use Weekend Mobile Service 23.7% Would Use After School Mobile Service 7.9% equal 100% in all cases. Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All 52.6% Annual Revenue Budget Expenditure Type f Comments 19,036 Employee Property 6,317 Property budgets to transfer to Resources. Transport 325 Supplies & Services 895 (4.976)Income Net Budget: 21,597 Savings Per Year Expenditure Type Comments £ 19.036 Employee Property 6,317 Property budgets to transfer to Resources. Transport 325 Supplies & Services 895 **Total Saved:** 26,573 Loss of Income (4,976)Net Saving: 21,597 Current offer Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities WCC touchdown centre, bookstart gifting point for all 5 key stages of child's development Regular Events Silver Surfers, Story Stomp, Adult Readers Group, Local History Group Public Transport Link To be insterted Suggested Alternative Services Develop shared services with Birmingham and Solihull Regular mobile library visits. Outreach and community Librarian to support local groups. Promotion of on-line and housebound services.

APPENDIX Bxxxii: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - WELLESBOURNE LIBRARY

Wellesbou	Irne Lib	rary & Ir	nformation	Centre & C	hildren's Centre	S	outh	
Location		Current	opening hours		P	erformance		
Kineton Road	Γ		per week		Annually Per I			
Vellesbourne		29.0	per week		Visits	31,976	21.2	
Varwick	Г	1 508 0	per annum		Enquiries	4,840	3.2	
CV35 9NF		1,508.0	per annum		Loan Issues	44,116	29.2	
0000 311		Nonday	09.30	- 13:00	Computer Sessions	3,481	2.3	
Premises		Tuesday	09:30 - 13:00, 14:00 -17:30		Computer Cocolorio	0,101	2.0	
		Vednesday		, 14:00 -19:00	*Per Scheduled Hours	Open		
VCC Owned		Thursday		sed		-1-		
		riday	09:30 - 13:00	, 14:00 -17:30				
	5	Saturday	09:30	- 12:30	Ne	arest Library		
	5	Sunday	Clo	sed	St	ratford 6 Miles		
	Oractor	1.1	· · · · ·			Dete		
	Custor	ner Informa	tion		Libra	ry Survey Data		
Age Profile (Years)		stered owers		ng Items (Last onths)	Question	Asked	% spons	
	No.	%	No.	%	Come To Bor		74.4%	
)-4	338	10%	213	15%	Actually Borro		4.4 <i>%</i> 67.9%	
5-15	744	22%	312	22%	Come To Use		5.3%	
6-64	1,521	45%	511	36%	Actually Used		2.6%	
65+	811	24%	397	28%	Come To Find S		22.0%	
otal:	3,414	101%	1,433	101%	Did You Succ		50.0%	
					Did You Succee	ed? (In Part) 1	3.2%	
					Would Use Evening	g Mobile Service 3	34.1%	
qual 100% in all cases.		·			Would Use After Scho Would Not Use A Mo		9.8% 18.5%	
			Annı	ual Revenue Budg				
Expenditure Ty	pe	£	Annı	ual Revenue Budg	et Comments	;		
Employee	pe	31,218	Annı		Comments	;		
Employee Property	pe		Annı	Property budgets	Comments to transfer to Resources.			
Employee Property Transport	-	31,218 10,082 -	Annı	Property budgets	Comments		y	
Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servio	-	31,218 10,082 - 2,982	Annı	Property budgets	Comments to transfer to Resources.		y	
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Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servio Income Net Budget:	ces	31,218 10,082 - 2,982 (8,906)		Property budgets f Transport budgets	Comments to transfer to Resources.	e held by Stratford Librar	y	
Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servio Income	ces	31,218 10,082 - 2,982 (8,906) 35,376		Property budgets f Transport budgets	Comments to transfer to Resources. & costs for Wellesborne an	e held by Stratford Librar	y	
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Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget: Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Total Saved: Loss of Income	pe ces	31,218 10,082 - 2,982 (8,906) 35,376 (9,360) - - (9,360) - -		Property budgets f Transport budgets	Comments to transfer to Resources. & costs for Wellesborne an Comments	e held by Stratford Librar	y	
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APPENDIX Bxxxiii: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - WHITNASH LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT

Location		Current	opening hours		Performance			
Franklin Road		45.0	per week			Annually	Per Hour*	
Whitnash					Visits	34,784	14.86	
_eamington Spa		2.340.0	per annum		Enquiries	2,126	0.91	
CV31 2JH		_,	F		Loan Issues	31,056	13.27	
	м	londay	09:30 -1	7:30	Computer Sessions	5,265	2.25	
Premises		uesday	09:30 -19			0,200		
		/ednesday	10:30 -1		*Per Scheduled Hours O	oen		
VCC Owned		hursday	09:30 -19					
		riday	09:30 -1					
		aturday	09:30 -12		Near	est Library		
		unday	Close		Learnington 1.7 Miles			
	Custom	ner Informat	lion		Library	Survey Data		
Age Profile (Years)	Regis Borro		*Who Borrowing 12 Mont		Question As	sked	% Response	
Age Profile (Years)	-				Question As			
	Borro	owers	12 Mont	ths)		v Books	Response	
)-4	Borro No.	wers %	12 Mont	khs) %	Come To Borrow	v Books d Books	Response	
)-4 5-15	Borro No. 246	wers % 11%	12 Mont No. 163	t hs) <u>% 18%</u>	Come To Borrov Actually Borrowe	v Books d Books omputer	Response 67.0% 60.0%	
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0-4 5-15 16-64 55+ Total:	Borro No. 246 604 1,074 313 2,238	% 11% 27% 48% 14% 100%	12 Mont No. 163 254 336 154 908	ths) % 18% 28% 37% 17% 100%	Come To Borrow Actually Borrowe Come To Use C Actually Used C Come To Find Som Did You Succeed Did You Succeed Would Use Evening M	v Books d Books omputer omputer d? (Yes) ? (In Part) lobile Service Mobile Service	Response 67.0% 60.0% 23.0% 23.1% 28.4% 53.3% 17.4% 40.3%	

Expenditure Type	£
Employee	22,204
Property	9,911
Transport	30
Supplies & Services	1,989
Income	(5,125)
Net Budget:	29,009

Comments

Expenditure Type £ Employee (8,118) Property Transport -Supplies & Services Total Saved: (8,118) Loss of Income Net Saving: (8,118) Property budgets to transfer to Resources.

Savings Per Year Comments Property budgets to transfer to Resources.

Current offer

Books, talking books, large print, children's films, photocopying and fax services, free computer use, events & activities Police Enquiries

Regular Events

Silver Surfers

Public Transport Links

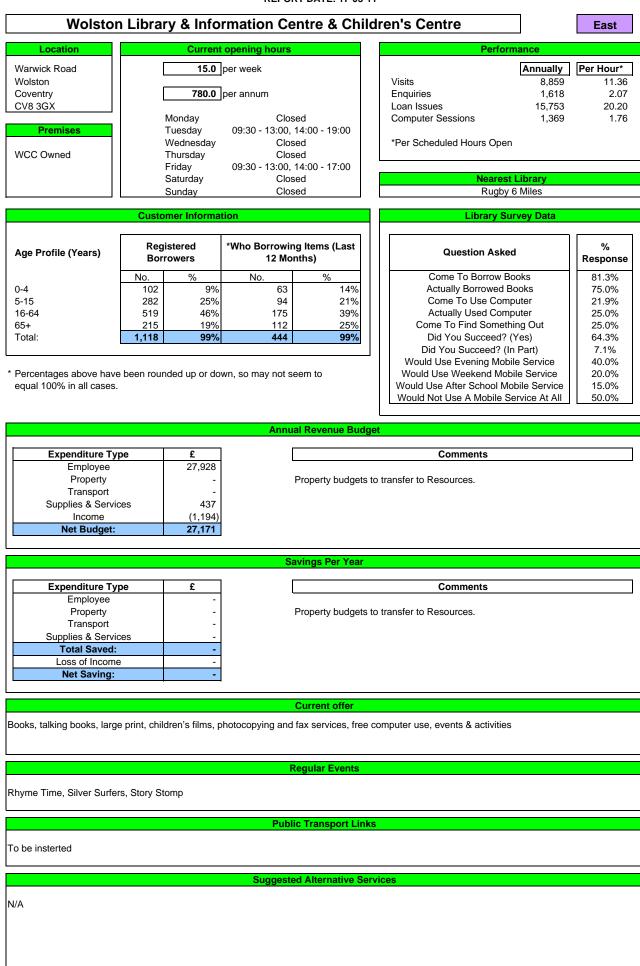
To be insterted

Suggested Alternative Services

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N/A

APPENDIX Bxxxiv: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - WOLSTON LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT REPORT DATE: 17-03-11



APPENDIX BXXXV: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - ALCESTER MOBILE LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT - REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	Alces	ster Mobile Library		Mobile	
Location Mobile Library Base Alcester	15.5	t opening hours per week per annum	Performance Annually Per Hour* Visits 6,061 7.52 Enquiries 1,163 1.44 Loan Issues Not Available Computer Sessions N/A N/A *Per Scheduled Hours Open **Individual Mobile Issue Numbers Are Not Tracked.		
Premises WCC Owned	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	Different stay and stop times daily over three week schedule			
	Customer Informa	tion	Library Survey Data		
Age Profile (Years)	*Registered Borrowers	*Who Borrowing Items (Last 12 Months)	Question Asked	% Response	
0-4 5-15 16-64 65+ Total: * Customer information da Percentages above have equal 100% in all cases.		155 5% 2,257 67% 834 25% 3,352 100%	Come To Borrow Books Actually Borrowed Books Come To Use Computer Actually Used Computer Come To Find Something Out Did You Succeed? (Yes) Did You Succeed? (In Part) Would Use Evening Mobile Service Would Use Weekend Mobile Service Would Use After School Mobile Service Would Use After School Mobile Service Would Not Use A Mobile Service At A	e 1.1% ce 1.1%	
		Annual Revenue Bud	get		
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget:	31,576 14,302	Management su Headquarters B	Comments pport costs are held separately within Lik udget	prary	
		Savings Per Year			
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Total Saved: Loss of Income Net Saving:	(74,000) - (31,000) ces (46,000) (151,000)		Comments e Service savings of £95k have yet to be a	ngreed.	
		Current offer			
		Regular Events			
		Public Transport Lin	ks		
		Suggested Alternative Se	anvicas		
		- ouggested Anternative St	11100 <i>0</i>		

APPENDIX Bxxxvi: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - ATHERSTONE MOBILE LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT - REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	Athers	tone Mobile Library		Mobile
Location	Current	opening hours	Performance	
Mobile Library Base Atherstone	14.1 732.2	per week	AnnuallyVisits4,987Enquiries325Loan IssuesNot	6.81 6 0.44 Available
Premises WCC Owned	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	Different stay and stop times daily over three week schedule	Computer Sessions N/A *Per Scheduled Hours Open **Individual Mobile Issue Numbers Are N Nearest Library	N/A lot Tracked.
	Customer Informa	tion	Library Survey Data	
	Customer morma			
Age Profile (Years)	*Registered Borrowers	*Who Borrowing Items (Last 12 Months)	Question Asked	% Response
0-4 5-15 16-64 65+ Total: * Customer information da Percentages above have equal 100% in all cases.		brary Service	Come To Borrow Books Actually Borrowed Books Come To Use Computer Actually Used Computer Come To Find Something Out Did You Succeed? (Yes) Did You Succeed? (In Part) Would Use Evening Mobile Service Would Use Weekend Mobile Service Would Use After School Mobile Service Would Use After School Mobile Service	
		Annual Revenue Budg	get	
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget:	30,759 14,410	Management su Headquarters Bu	Comments pport costs are held separately within Libra udget	ary
		Savings Per Year		
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Total Saved: Loss of Income Net Saving:	- - - - - - -		Comments e Service savings of £95k have yet to be ag	reed.
		Current offer		
		Regular Events		
		Dublic Trenenett Link		
		Public Transport Link	(5	
		Suggested Alternative Se	rvices	

APPENDIX Bxxxvii: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - BEDWORTH MOBILE LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT - REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	Bedwo	orth Mobile Library		Mobile	
Location Mobile Library Base Bedworth	14.1 731.1 Monday	t opening hours per week per annum	Performance Annually Visits 5,729 Enquiries 1,484 Loan Issues Not Computer Sessions N/A	7.84	
VCC Owned	Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday		*Per Scheduled Hours Open **Individual Mobile Issue Numbers Are Not Tracked. Nearest Library		
	Customer Informa	tion	Library Survey Data		
Age Profile (Years)	*Registered Borrowers	*Who Borrowing Items (Last 12 Months)	Question Asked	% Response	
0-4 5-15 16-64 65+ Total: * Customer information da Percentages above have equal 100% in all cases.		155 5% 2,257 67% 834 25% 3,352 100%	Come To Borrow Books Actually Borrowed Books Come To Use Computer Actually Used Computer Come To Find Something Out Did You Succeed? (Yes) Did You Succeed? (In Part) Would Use Evening Mobile Service Would Use Weekend Mobile Service Would Use After School Mobile Service Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All		
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget:	34,215 14,289	Annual Revenue Budg Management sup Headquarters Bu	Comments port costs are held separately within Libra	ry	
		Savings Per Year			
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Total Saved: Loss of Income Net Saving:	- - - - - - -	Details of Mobile	Comments Service savings of £95k have yet to be ag	reed.	
		Current offer			
		Regular Events			
		Public Transport Link			
		Suggested Alternative Se	vices		

APPENDIX Bxxxviii: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - KENILWORTH MOBILE LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT - REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	Kenilw	orth Mobile Library		Mobile
Location		opening hours	Performance	
Mobile Library Base Kenilworth	16.7	per week per annum	AnnuallyVisits5,432Enquiries793	2 6.26
Premises WCC Owned	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	Different stay and stop times daily over three week schedule	Computer Sessions N/A *Per Scheduled Hours Open **Individual Mobile Issue Numbers Are N Nearest Library	N/A
	Customer Informa	tion	Library Survey Data	
Age Profile (Years)	*Registered Borrowers No. %	*Who Borrowing Items (Last 12 Months) No. %	Question Asked Come To Borrow Books	% Response 93.1%
0-4 5-15 16-64 65+ Total: * Customer information da Percentages above have	199 4% 556 10% 3,107 59% 1,445 27% 5,307 100%	106 3% 155 5% 2,257 67% 834 25% 3,352 100%	Actually Borrowed Books Come To Use Computer Actually Used Computer Come To Find Something Out Did You Succeed? (Ves) Did You Succeed? (In Part) Would Use Evening Mobile Service Would Use Meekend Mobile Service Would Use After School Mobile Service	93.1% 6.0% 0.0% 7.1% 9.1% 22.7% 1.2% 1.2%
equal 100% in all cases.		-	Would Not Use A Mobile Service At All	
		Annual Revenue Budg	jet	
Expenditure Ty Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Income Net Budget:	30,725 14,387	Management su Headquarters Bu	Comments oport costs are held separately within Libra udget	ary
		Savings Per Year		
Expenditure Typ Employee Property Transport Supplies & Servic Total Saved: Loss of Income Net Saving:	- - - - - - -		Comments Service savings of £95k have yet to be ag	reed.
		Current offer		
		Regular Events		
		Public Transport Link	S	
		Suggested Alternative Se	rvices	

APPENDIX Bxxxviv: LIBRARY INFORMATION SUMMARY SHEET - SOUTHAM MOBILE LIBRARY FUTURE OF LIBRARY SERVICES REPORT - REPORT DATE: 17-03-11

	South	am Mobile Library		Mobile	
Location	Current	opening hours	Performanc	e	
Mobile Library Base Southam	14.3	per week per annum		nually Per Hour* 5,907 7.97 1,049 1.42 Not Available** 0 0 N/A	
Premises WCC Owned	Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	Different stay and stop times daily over three week schedule	*Per Scheduled Hours Open **Individual Mobile Issue Numbers Are Not Tracked.		
	Customer Informa	tion	Library Survey	Data	
Age Profile (Years)	*Registered Borrowers	*Who Borrowing Items (Last 12 Months)	Question Asked	% Response	
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AGENDA MANAGEMENT SHEET

Name of Committee	Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee					
Date of Committee	1 March 2011					
Report Title	Warwickshire Community Safety Agreement Progress Report					
Summary	This report presents progress made against each of the priorities within the 2010-11 Warwickshire Community Safety Agreement.					
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Would the recommendation decision be contrary to the Budget and Policy Framework? [please identify relevant plan/budget provision]	No					
Background papers	Wa	rwickshire Community Sa	fety Agreement 2010-11			
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Chief Executive						
Legal	\checkmark	Jane Pollard				
Finance	\checkmark	Chris Kaye				
Other Chief Officers						



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FINAL DECISION YES	
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Agenda No

Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee 1st March 2011

Warwickshire Community Safety Agreement Progress Report

Report of the Strategic Director for Customers, Workforce and Governance

Recommendation

That members note the progress made against each of the priorities within the Community Safety Agreement and comment on key and emerging issues arising from the report.

1. Introduction

- 1.1 In two tier areas such as Warwickshire, there is a requirement to prepare a partnership community safety agreement for the county each year. In Warwickshire, the agreement is developed by the Safer Warwickshire Strategic Group reporting to the Safer and Stronger Board.
- 1.2 The 2010-11 document is the third countywide Community Safety Agreement for Warwickshire. The agreement shows how the priorities for 2010-11 were determined. The document provides a strategic framework for work undertaken by partner agencies at a county level to meet each of the 2010-11 priorities. It draws together work undertaken through a range of more detailed, specific strategies and action plans, all of which are cross referenced within the agreement. Work to be developed at a District / Borough level is not included within the agreement, as this can be found within the Community Safety Partnership (CSP) plans. All work undertaken sits within the overarching partnership vision: 'Protecting our Communities Together.
- 1.3 This report demonstrates the work undertaken over the course of the year to meet each of the priorities identified in the community safety agreement.

2. Outcomes

- 2.1 The overall success of the community safety agreement was to be measured through the achievement of the six Safer Block LAA targets. These were:
- NI 15 Most serious violent crime rate
- NI 16 Serious acquisitive crime rate
- NI 21 Dealing with local concerns about anti-social behaviour (ASB) and



crime by the local council and police

- NI 30 Re-offending rate of prolific and priority offenders
- NI 40 Drug users in effective treatment
- NI 47 People killed or seriously injured in road traffic accidents.
- 2.2 The table below shows performance against the targets for 2010/11, to the end of quarter 3 unless stated otherwise.

Indicator	2008/9 Actual	2009/ 10 Actual	2010/ 11 Target	2010/11 Actual to date (Q3)	2010/11 Projected year total	Performance vs same period 2009/10	Projected year end status against target
NI 15 - Most serious violent crime	306	323	288	229	302	- 4. 6% (amber)	+ 4. 9% (amber)
NI16 – Serious acquisitive crime	7,964	6,937	7,195	4,600	6,028	- 14.2% (green)	- 16.2% (green)
NI21 – Dealing with local concerns about ASB and crime ¹	23%	26.3%	N/A	N/A	N/A	No longer measured following cancellation of Place survey	No longer measured following cancellation of Place survey but confidence locally improved through Police survey
NI30 - Re- offending rate of prolific and priority offenders	26%	29%	19%	TBC	TBC	Figures not available until year end	Figures not available until year end
NI40 - Drug users in effective treatment	1,111	1,140	1,074	1,145 (Aug)	1,140	+ 2.0% (green)	No change
NI47 - People killed or seriously injured in road traffic accidents (Jan to Dec figures)	348 ²	308	384	262 (Oct)	301	-2.3% (green)	-21.6% (green)

2.3 Alongside these measures, partners also track performance against local priority indicators. The current performance information for anti-social behaviour, criminal damage and business crime is shown below, to the end of quarter 3, and continue the largely positive picture shown for the previous LAA indicators.



¹ Annual measure, measured in 2009/10 through the Partnership Place Survey

² All data for NI 47 is calendar year data

Indicator	2008/ 09 Actual	2009/ 10 Actual	2010/ 11 Target	2010/11 Actual to date (Q3)	2010/11 Projected year total	Performa nce vs same period 2009/10	Projected year end status against target
Anti-Social Behaviour Incidents	29,966	25,749	To reduce 25,748	19,877	25,853	- 0.3% (amber)	+ 0.4% (amber)
Criminal Damage	8,002	6,439	To reduce 6,438	4,479	5,986	- 10.2% (green)	- 7.0% (green)

2.4 There are no targets not being met at this stage (red) and a number that should be met by year end (amber).

3. **Progress on Community Safety Priorities**

3.1 The 2010-11 Community Safety Agreement contains six priorities and three cross cutting themes. The following sections of the report highlight achievements and progress made at a countywide level under each priority and theme during 2010-11 to date.

4. Priority 1: Violent Crime, with specific focus on Domestic Abuse and Alcohol-related Violence

- 4.1 The Police have set up a tasking group to work with Community Safety Partnerships in order to tackle violence across the county. The interventions that have been put in place from that group, along with violence action plans at local level are starting to significantly reduce the incidents of most serious violence, particularly in Rugby.
- 4.2 The Warwickshire Domestic Abuse Strategy 2008-11 is now into its third and final year. A report on the Domestic Abuse support services options for remodelling services and support was considered by this Committee in November 2010. Consultation is now underway on the Strategic review outcomes.
- 4.3 Work continues to raise awareness of domestic abuse and to promote the support available to those affected. Up to Q3 in 2010/11, 5913 incidents of domestic abuse were reported to Warwickshire Police. This gives a prediction of a slight increase on last year's annual figure of 7744 incidents.
- 4.4 The outreach and referrals service will see an increase on last year's 1497 referrals. The Independent Domestic Violence Advisor Service has already exceeded last year's number of referrals (111) and has supported 188 high risk victims through the criminal justice process to date.
- 4.5 We are also expecting to see double the number of victims supported through the Sanctuary scheme this year compared to last year (175 referrals). This aims to keep victims in their own homes through increased security measures.



- 4.6 The Multi-Agency Risk Assessment Conference (MARAC) arrangements covered 269 high risk cases in the first half of this year, already surpassing the 220 cases heard in the whole of 2009 -10. This increase is in part due to the introduction of the multi-agency Domestic Abuse Stalking and Harassment (DASH) Risk Indicator Checklist, which assists all agencies, particularly the police, in assessing a victim's level of risk.
- 4.7 The Probation Service Perpetrator Co-ordinators, (from April December 2010), identified 189 perpetrators of high risk domestic abuse known to both the police and Probation, and were able to co-ordinate the management of these offenders.
- 4.8 Work across agencies in both Coventry and Warwickshire, lead by Warwickshire Police and Public Health, has begun, in order to improve services to victims of sexual assault and rape. The location for a Sexual Assault Referral Centre (SARC) for Coventry and Warwickshire is currently under discussion. Service improvements are also under consideration by agencies, to be implemented in the near future.

5. **Priority 2: Road Safety**

- 5.1 The Local Transport Plan contains a series of objectives and targets for road safety. A report on the progress in delivering the road safety objectives of the Local Transport Plan is published on the Warwickshire Web. The document is entitled 'Warwickshire LTP2 Progress Report 2008/09' and is available via http://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/ltp (the section on road safety starts on pg 7). A new Local Transport Plan will be published in April 2011 and will contain new objectives and targets for road safety.
- 5.2 The range of road safety activities is too wide to cover in full in this report but a selection of issues and interventions on key road safety policies is given in the summary below.
- 5.3 Policy RS 1 commits to meeting the Government's stretching targets for casualty reduction. Final figures for 2010 are not yet available but the Road Safety Partnership is confident that the Government's stretching targets will be met and exceeded.
- 5.4 Policy RS 7 commits to improving communications with local communities. The major road safety issue raised by local communities is excessive and inappropriate speed. A toolkit of measures involving local communities has been devised. These include SpeedAware and Community Speed Watch.
- 5.5 Policy RS 8 commits to give priority to safety issues in disadvantaged areas. Research shows that children in disadvantaged areas are more likely to become road casualties. For this reason priority is given to schools in disadvantaged areas for all educational interventions.
- 5.6 Policy RS 19 commits to combating excessive and inappropriate speed. Warwickshire was the first authority in England to complete and implement a review of A and B road speed limits. This involved changes to 120 speed



limits throughout the county. The Police and the County Council believe that educating drivers about the dangers of inappropriate speed is often preferable to penalising them. The criteria have been widened to offer more drivers detected speeding the opportunity to attend a Speed Awareness Workshop as an alternative to prosecution or fixed penalty.

5.7 Policy RS 25 commits to regular monitoring and evaluation. Progress against the casualty reduction target is formally monitored quarterly and informally monitored at least monthly. The effect of the review of A and B road speed limits was monitored and evaluated in the first quarter of 2010 and it was found that vehicle speeds and casualty numbers had been reduced on the roads concerned.

6. Priority 3: Anti-Social Behaviour, with specific focus on tackling youth-related ASB

- 6.1 Much work undertaken to meet this priority is carried out at a local level and is detailed in the CSP plans. Key areas of work undertaken at a county level are set out below.
- 6.2 The Warwickshire Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) Strategy is now into its third year and an action plan for 2010-11 has been developed under seven priorities; parenting, education/schools, community factors and environmental improvements, alcohol and drugs, preventative/diversionary interventions, enforcement activity and underpinning countywide issues. WCC Community Safety Project officers have played a key role in taking forward interventions to tackle ASB, achieving significant reductions in ASB and other crime types as a result of all projects undertaken; contributing to the reduction in ASB in hot spot areas across the county, and reducing costs of ASB to agencies.
- 6.3 Early intervention plays a significant role in long reductions in ASB. Key agencies across the county are working together to provide intensive support for targeted families, through co-ordinated work to tackle High Harm Causers and implement Family Intervention Projects (FIPs).
- 6.4 Family Centred Intervention work has been operational for a year in Nuneaton and Bedworth and is now under development for Rugby and Warwick, with countywide and district based steering arrangements established. Initial reports for the first year has shown 19 families with complex problems have engaged with the FIP with the following results:
 - all children improving their school attendance
 - a reduction in anti-social behaviour and ASBOs
 - a reduction in housing evictions
 - better health of family members
 - a survey of families showed their experience of FIP as very positive
 - indications of cost savings across agencies



- 6.5 Work continues to improve the visual appearance of areas and reduce antisocial behaviour as a result. A number of agencies are working together to achieve this, most notably WCC Community Safety Project Officers, Community Payback teams within the Probation Service, Warwickshire Fire and Rescue Service and staff at a district and borough level. Projects have included improvements to fencing at a number of sites, large scale graffiti removal and securing void and vulnerable premises, resulting in significant reductions in ASB in those areas.
- 6.6 Positive about Young People (PaYP) continue to work with young people aged 8-13 at risk of engaging in anti-social or criminal behaviour, as well as providing school holiday provision for all young people in this age range. Between April and December 2010 a total of 57 Partner Holiday Activity Play Programmes and 24 Sports and Snax programmes were delivered. As a result of these programmes 43,088 contacts were made with young people in areas of high impact across Warwickshire.

7. Priority 4: Public Confidence and Perceptions (of all types of crime and disorder)

- 7.1 A partnership multi-agency Task and Finish Group was set up to improve public confidence in the ability of the Police and local Councils to tackle crime and ASB. A confidence action plan was developed. The target to improve confidence was removed by the new government and the Place survey has been cancelled. However, Police surveys have shown that confidence in the Police and local authorities working together improved significantly over the lifespan of the action plan reaching 59% by July 2010.
- 7.2 Good links with Neighbourhood Watch are being maintained by both Police and County Council Community Safety teams. Neighbourhood Watch attend all Community Safety Partnership tactical level meetings.
- 7.3 Days of action have been held in North Warwickshire and Nuneaton and 'Your Town, Your Choice' in South Warwickshire to raise awareness of the actions being taken to improve safety in the community.
- 7.4 1000 people have been provided with advice on scams and doorstep crime through Trading Standards. Parish and town councils and local residents have been provided with crime alerts and information via email.
- 7.5 Six 'No Rogue Trader Zones' have been set up in deprived communities to reduce doorstep crime and protect older and vulnerable people.
- 7.6 A joint project between Trading Standards and the Police to prevent doorstep crime was successful in winning the Home Office Tilley award for the West Midlands region in 2010. Over 12,000 of these home and personal safety packs have been distributed to statutory, voluntary and charitable agencies including home helps, carers, housing associations etc.



- 7.7 A campaign to raise awareness of loan sharks is currently underway, run by Trading Standards and the Illegal Money Lending team as part of Financial Inclusion Partnership work.
- 7.8 A new DVD is about to be launched by Trading Standards to raise awareness of doorstep crime, for professionals working with older and vulnerable people.

8. **Priority 5: Serious Acquisitive Crime**

- 8.1 As with criminal damage and ASB, much work undertaken to meet this priority is carried out at a local level and is detailed in the CSP plans. Key areas of work undertaken at a county level are set out below.
- 8.2 WCC Community Safety Officers have played a key role in reducing burglary and vehicle crime, through targeted interventions at local level, to tackle both crimes and so reducing costs to agencies and to individuals.
- 8.3 Projects and actions designed to reduce business crime continue through the Warwickshire Business Crime Unit. All business crime is down 1.4% (92 crimes) compared with the same period last year. On a rolling 12-month basis business crime is down 4% (310 crimes) compared with the previous 12 months.
- 8.4 The figures for commercial burglary, down 8% (97 crimes) and commercial robbery down 23% (19 crimes) are good.
- 8.5 Multi-agency work has continued in areas with specific problems of burglary, to distribute crime prevention material, in order to raise awareness with local residents which successfully reduced burglaries in those areas. Further projects to address issues of vehicle crime have also been held which effectively reduced theft from vehicles.

9. Priority 6: Community Cohesion, including preventing violent extremism

- 9.1 A partnership 'Prevent' working group for Warwickshire is operating, chaired by the Head of Community Safety and Localities.
- 9.2 A countywide action plan around the national Prevent strategy has been developed and is working well. Training and awareness raising activity has been successfully taking place across the county.
- 9.3 A schools plan to prevent violent extremism has also been delivered, including a safeguarding from extremism process, and awareness raising. The Natural Born Leaders programme for young people, developed by the Police, has been in operation for the last 3 years and has successfully encouraged many young people to become leaders.
- 9.4 The government is currently undertaking a review of the Prevent strategy and the results of that review will be announced shortly.



10. Cross Cutting Theme 1: Alcohol Misuse

- 10.1 A comprehensive alcohol implementation plan has been developed for 2010-12, showing how agencies aim to reduce alcohol-related harm to individuals, families and communities. A range of actions will be undertaken across the three themes within the Alcohol Harm Reduction Strategy: education and prevention, treatment and aftercare and local enforcement of alcohol-related legislation. It has been awarded the Alcohol Concern 'kitemark' for good practice.
- 10.2 Work has already commenced on a number of actions within the plan, including:
 - The provision of information and advice through the use of plasma screens in A&E waiting areas, with plans to roll these messages out across all the one stop shops in the county
 - The provision of alcohol awareness training to professionals from a range of partner agencies
 - The development of a toolkit, including information about alcohol and information on substance misuse services, for practitioners working with young people
 - The development and launch of the Alcohol and Home Fire Safety Protocol
 - The development of approaches to reduce street drinking in specific areas of concern
- 10.3 The implementation of intelligence led Policing and partnership operations in town centres during peak times for alcohol related violence (for example, Your Town Your Choice which took place in Learnington in July 2010 and will run again in February 2011).
- 10.4 A range of alcohol treatment services in the community continue to be provided for Warwickshire residents. During quarters 1 and 2 of 2010/11, 501 individuals commenced community alcohol treatment. The 2010/11 target (25) for individuals completing a community sentence with an Alcohol Treatment Requirement was significantly exceeded by the end of quarter 2. Of the 65 individuals who completed the programme during this period, 65% did so with reduced alcohol use.
- 10.5 Work is ongoing to commission an integrated drug and alcohol treatment system offering both community and inpatient interventions which promote the recovery agenda for all users. It is anticipated that this new service will commence on 1st December 2011.
- 10.6 Trading Standards and Police have carried out 6 under-aged test purchases of alcohol in problem hotspots with the assistance of child volunteers, involving 55 test purchase attempts of which 3 sales were made. All sellers received £60 fixed penalty notices, as well as other sanctions such as cautions, and new powers to deprive persistent offenders of their licenses and change license conditions in order to influence sellers' behaviour.



11. Cross Cutting Theme 2: Drug Misuse

- 11.1 Performance against the main indicator for drug treatment has remained robust throughout the year. Figures for the latest 12 month period (to the end of August 2010) show 1,145 problematic drug users in effective treatment in Warwickshire, well above the year end target for 2010/11 of 1,074.
- 11.2 Following confirmation of National funding, Warwickshire Drug and Alcohol Action Team in partnership with Coventry City Council, have published a tender for Recovery Focussed Drug and Alcohol Treatment System. The tender process will run between now and June with the new system commencing on 1st December. This is a huge achievement, representing joint working across Coventry and Warwickshire Partnerships to reduce costs whilst enhancing benefits for service users.
- 11.3 In December 2010, the government published a new national drugs strategy entitled 'Reducing Demand, Restricting Supply, Building Recovery.' The emphasis within the service specification for the new integrated drug and alcohol treatment system is firmly on recovery. Warwickshire is well placed to meet the requirements of the new national strategy.
- 11.4 The Drug and Alcohol Action Team has also recently commenced work on the development of a drugs implementation plan for Warwickshire which will reflect the new recovery agenda.

12. Cross Cutting Theme 3: Reducing Reoffending

- 12.1 The Warwickshire Prolific and Priority Offenders (PPO) scheme was very successful last year. The Home Office confirmed in August 2010, that the Warwickshire PPO Scheme has achieved a massive 29% reduction in the offending rates of its Prolific and Priority Offenders between April 2009 and March 2010 against a target of 19% reduction.
- 12.2 PPOs can be some of the most challenging and chaotic individuals, so staff and practioners, from all the agencies involved, continue to make a positive difference by protecting the public from harm through supporting PPOs in their rehabilitation and by ensuring enforcement action is taken when necessary.
- 12.3 The total cost of crime committed by PPOs before being managed on the scheme was £2,117,500 and after their removal from the scheme was £81,000. Case studies have shown that PPOs can cost from £130,000 to £200,000 over their years in committing crime. After removal from the scheme, in the 9 months afterwards, they will often commit no crime at all as they are integrated back into society.
- 12.4 A multi-agency strategy to reduce reoffending has now been developed and will be subject to full consultation before final agreement.



13. Recommendation

13.1 That members note the progress made against each of the priorities within the Community Safety Agreement and comment on key and emerging issues arising from the report.

DAVID CARTER Strategic Director for Customers, Workforce and Governance

Shire Hall Warwick 18 January 2011



AGENDA MANAGEMENT SHEET

Name of Committee	Communities Overview And Scrutiny		
Date of Committee	1st March 2011		
Report Title	Fire Sprinkler Systems		
Summary	The Fire and Rescue Service (FRS) in Warwickshire have made excellent progress over recent years in reducing the number of deaths and injuries from fire. Whilst the figures remain relatively low, there are few emergencies which can have such an immediate and major impact as a fire in a home, school, industrial premise or business. Fire can and does bring significant disruption to communities, the environment and the local economy. Fire sprinklers protect buildings; they protect the contents of buildings, reduce risk to the occupants and more critically they reduce risk to firefighters. Warwickshire Fire and Rescue Service now seek to promote the installation of fire sprinklers in residential premises, schools commercial and industrial premises.		
For further information please contact: Would the recommended decision be contrary to the Budget and Policy	Gary Phillips Deputy Chief Fire Officer Tel: 01925 423231 garyphillips@warwickshire.gov.uk No.		
Framework? Background papers	 Building Research Establishment - Effectiveness of Sprinklers in Residential Premises <u>http://www.bre.co.uk/filelibrary/rpts/sprinkler/sprinkler</u> <u>exec_summary.pdf</u> And <u>http://www.bre.co.uk/filelibrary/rpts/sprinkler/sprinkler</u> <u>section2.pdf</u> Communities and Local Government - Provision of Sprinklers to Existing Residential Premises - The Preparation of a Regulatory Impact Assessment 		
	http://www.rmd.communities.gov.uk/project.asp?intPr ojectID=11790 East Ayrshire Council – Consultation on the Introduction of Automatic Life Safety Fire Suppression Systems within the Building Regulations		

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Department for Children, Schools and Families Building Bulletin 100: Design for Fire Safety in Schools http://www.teachernet.gov.uk/_doc/12199/BuildingBull etin100_onlineversion.pdf

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Local Member(s)		
Other Elected Members	Χ	Cllr John Whitehouse, Cllr Richard Chattaway,
Cabinet Member	X	Cllr Richard Hobbs
Chief Executive		
Legal	X	Greta Needham
Finance	Χ	Helen Murphy
Other Chief Officers		
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Agenda No

Communities Overview And Scrutiny - 1st March 2011.

Fire Sprinkler Systems

Report of the Chief Fire Officer

Recommendation

That the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee considers the report and resolves to support the Fire and Rescue Service in promoting Fire Sprinkler Systems

1. Introduction

- 1.1 This report details information in relation to fire sprinklers and how Warwickshire Fire and Rescue Service (WFRS) is approaching the promotion of sprinklers in schools, residential, commercial and industrial premises.
- 1.2 Within the WFRS draft Service Plan 2011/12 three proposals have been made in relation to fire sprinklers:
 - (i) Work with building developers, district and borough councils and housing associations to help them understand the benefits of installing sprinklers in new homes across Warwickshire.
 - (ii) Encourage building developers to install sprinklers in new, large or highrisk industrial or commercial premises, that do not currently have sprinklers installed.
 - (iii) Make sure that sprinklers are installed in new or substantially refurbished schools in Warwickshire, in accordance with central government guidance.
- 1.3 There are few emergencies which can have such an immediate and major impact as a fire in a home, school, industrial premises or business. Fire can and does bring significant disruption to communities, the environment and the local economy.
- 1.4 It is believed that too few businesses appreciate the extent and cost of fires. Some indication of this can be seen from the fact that each year in the UK thousands of businesses are affected by fire. Where a business is the victim of a serious fire, the consequences can be very severe. Enforced closures while premises are rebuilt and moves made to temporary premises inevitably lead to a loss of customers, trade and employees. It may take years for businesses to regain their pre-fire trading levels and the local economy and community is impacted as a result. Research has shown that up to 80% of businesses which suffer a serious fire close-down within 18 months.

- 1.5 The cost of fire in residential buildings remains one of the largest contributors to the total economic cost of fire in the UK, accounting for 28% of the overall cost. The average cost of a domestic fire in the UK is estimated by Government at £25,000; of which approximately £14,600 is accounted for by the economic cost of injuries and fatalities, the remainder being property damage and the costs associated with the agencies involved in dealing with the fire i.e. the fire and rescue service, local authorities and police etc. In 2010, WFRS attended 239 dwelling fires which equates to approx £6Million.
- 1.6 Every year approximately 1,300 schools in the UK suffer from fires. Nationally school fires in the UK cost approximately £58 million per year. On average each school fire costs £44,000. Most school fires are started deliberately by young people. Sprinkler systems have great potential to help prevent the impact that a fire can have in a school. In March 2007, Jim Knight, The Minister of State for Schools and Learners, announced that it was the Department for Children Schools and Families (DCSF) expectation that all new schools will have sprinklers fitted, and exceptions to this would have to be justified by demonstrating that a school is low risk and that the use of sprinklers would not be good value for money.
- 1.7 There are many reported benefits associated with the installation of fire sprinklers: They protect buildings; they protect the contents of buildings; and they reduce risk to the occupants of buildings. They also reduce risk to firefighters: sprinklers detect and control fires when they are small, and activate an evacuation alarm. On this basis they frequently negate the need for firefighters to tackle, what would otherwise become large fires, or engage in hazardous search-and-rescue operations.
- 1.8 The installation of sprinkler systems also achieves environmental benefits. The volume of water needed for fire-fighting is reduced as is the run-off water from fire-fighting operations, which may contain chemicals. Firefighters often use 20 times more water from hoses to do the same job as a sprinkler. In tackling the Windsor Castle fire 7-million litres of water was used. As fire sprinklers limit fire size, the smoke and products of combustion from a fire are also reduced significantly. These can be a significant pollutant and cover wide areas of a community.

2. Evidence to support that the assertion that sprinkler systems have been proven to protect lives and prevent serious damage to property

- 2.1 A number of reports have been produced on the subject of fire sprinklers. The issue has been under much debate in the UK because sprinklers offer a means of saving lives in commercial and industrial premises, schools and residential properties. However, a cost is attached to their installation. The key question raised within reports often appears to be: can a sprinkler system provide adequate fire control to allow escape and/or rescue at a reasonable cost?
- 2.2 The use of sprinklers in commercial and industrial buildings is now widely accepted in the UK and internationally. However, prior to 2004 there was a lack of information regarding the overall effectiveness of sprinklers in a residential setting. As a result the Government commissioned the Building Research

Establishment (BRE) to carry out a study to ascertain the effectiveness of sprinklers designed for installation and use in residential property.

- 2.3 The study reported that there was a strong correlation between the risks of death and injury per fire, and the ultimate fire size. This provided for an indirect indication of sprinkler effectiveness i.e. the larger the fire the more likely it was to kill or injure sprinklers where fitted are shown to restrict fire growth, thus reducing this risk.
- 2.4 Estimates of sprinkler effectiveness at reducing deaths or injuries were made for residential categories of premises. The report makes the following observations in connection with the presence of sprinklers:
 - (i) Reduction in the number of deaths of 70% (+/- 15%)
 - (ii) Reduction in the number of injuries of 30% (+/- 15%)
 - (iii) Reduction in the number of rescues required of 35% (flats 50%) (+/-15%)
 - (iv) Reduction in the average property damage of 50% (+/- 15%)
- 2.5 The report also reviewed other countries' experiences with domestic sprinklers and indicated that there was a reduction in deaths and injuries as a result of their use. However, the BRE report also identified that residential sprinklers were not always deemed to be cost effective for all types of residential buildings but were most cost effective for residential care homes, multi-storey blocks of flats or other premises whose structural characteristics or occupancy-type generated additional risk (it should be noted that, in terms of value-for-money, recent research conducted by Communities and Local Government (CLG) indicates the cost of sprinkler systems for a typical house have now been reduced significantly, to between £1000 and £2000 per house depending on water pressure (there is a requirement for a pump to be installed in low pressure areas) this is thought to bring their use within affordability limits).
- 2.6 The BRE report outlined the results of practical tests comparing eight unsprinklered and sprinklered lounge fires within two-storey detached houses of traditional construction. Sprinklers operated within 7-minutes from ignition, controlled all the fires and confined them to 30-50% of the item ignited first (for example a television set was used for test purposes). For un-sprinklered fires, the fire damage area was greater. The main conclusions from the practical tests were:
 - (i) With sprinklers, the fire gases were cooled sufficiently that the occupants of the room of origin of the fire would not have experienced extreme pain from the heat.
 - (ii) With sprinklers death would not have occurred.
 - (iii) Sprinklers would maintain tenable conditions throughout the house affected.
 - (iv) Without sprinklers the fire would eventually cause untenable conditions throughout the house.
 - (v) Sprinklers reduced convected heat from the fire.



- 2.7 Wiltshire Fire and Rescue Service successfully worked in partnership with local housing associations and planners in relation to the installation of fire sprinkler installations in 212 houses within an estate in Studley Green, Wiltshire. This is providing long lasting protection for a vulnerable community. Last year one fire on the estate was confined to the room of origin and damage was minor. Only one fire sprinkler activated. In this case, the smoke detectors in the house were inoperable and the fire started at 02.00 hours when all occupants were asleep.
- 2.8 The Fire Protection Association (FPA) reports that every year approximately 2000 schools in the UK suffer from fires. According to the latest estimates made by CLG there are 1,300 fires in schools per year where the fire and rescue service attends to extinguish the fire. This builds in significant costs related to the deployment of fire and rescue service assets and incurs direct costs related to building damage and injury by fire etc.
- 2.9 The research indicates that the cost of school fires is in the region of £58 million per year (2000-04 figures). Around 56% of school fires are started deliberately. It is reported that about one-third of arson attacks are carried out during school time, when children are at school. This trend is reported to be increasing.
- 2.10 The short-term effects of loss of facilities and equipment can be calculated, but the longer-term effects of loss of coursework and the disruption of classes are intangible and harder to quantify. However, a major fire is likely to disrupt a child's education for many months.
- 2.11 The Local Government Association (LGA) has published a leaflet titled; "The benefits of automatic water suppression systems a quick guide for councillors". This contains interesting facts in connection with sprinkler systems. In addition, it outlines a three point plan for councillors, which includes recommending that councillors ensure: "Their council is following the DCSF risk assessment tool and policy which expects almost all new build and major refurbished schools are to be fitted with sprinkler systems". The LGA has adopted a lobbying stance with Government in seeking to extend and develop legislation in England which supports the wider use of sprinklers in buildings.
- 2.12 A report published by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) in 2007 concluded that in properties in the United States of America where sprinklers are fitted:
 - (i) The death rate per fire is lower by at least 57%.
 - (ii) For most property uses, damage per fire is lower by one-third to twothirds.
 - (iii) 89% of reported structure fires have flame damage confined to the room of origin, compared to 57% when no automatic extinguishing system is present.
- 2.13 Reportedly the most comprehensive study into the effectiveness of residential fire sprinklers to date was carried out by the Fire Department, Scottsdale, Arizona, USA. In 1997 a report was published titled: "Saving Lives, Saving Money: Automatic Fire Sprinklers: A 10 Year Study". This analysed the impact

of legislation enacted in 1985, which required all new residential flats and commercial structures built to be fitted with a fire sprinkler system, and all new single family residences built after 1 January 1986 to be able to accommodate fire sprinklers.

- 2.14 The Scottsdale study included a review of 109 fires that occurred in sprinklered structures, 44 of those being residential structures. In more than 90 percent of these incidents, one or two sprinkler heads controlled the fires, and the average amount of water used to suppress each fire was 209 gallons, compared to 3,290 gallons estimated for manual suppression in residential properties. It was considered that 8 lives were saved over the period as a direct result of the installation of fire sprinkler systems, 4 of these in residential properties, and that up to \$25.4m was saved based on the total potential loss due to fire in sprinklered residential properties.
- 2.15 Summary and general overview of facts and information about sprinklers from the British Automatic Fire Sprinkler Association (BAFSA):
 - (i) There have been no multiple fire deaths in the UK as a result of a fire in a dwelling with a working sprinkler system.
 - (ii) US experience shows that 98% of all fires in sprinklered dwellings are extinguished with only one sprinkler head operating. The same data suggests that there is a 57% reduction in the likelihood of death for those in the room of origin.
 - (iii) Only the sprinkler heads in the immediate vicinity of the fire actually operate.
 - (iv) Sprinkler heads can be completely concealed.
 - (v) Sprinkler systems do not need pumps or tanks if mains pressure is adequate.
 - (vi) Sprinklered buildings prevent firefighter deaths.
 - (vii) Sprinklers do not 'false alarm' they will only operate if there is an actual fire. There is only a 1 in 16,000,000 chance of 'false alarm' operation
 - (viii) For a small additional cost, an alarm switch can be built-in to the system to call the fire and rescue service automatically should the sprinklers operate.
 - (ix) Maintenance costs for sprinklers are very low.
 - (x) Sprinklers save lives and property and are the only devices which can detect a fire, sound the alarm, call the fire and rescue service and extinguish or control the fire.
 - (xi) Despite many preconceptions and misinformation, sprinklers are not difficult, unsightly or expensive to install in homes or dwellings of any size.
 - (xii) Since the UK started to take the idea of sprinklered homes seriously in the late 1990's, it has been estimated that 25 lives have already been saved by the systems.

- 2.16 Even where sprinklers are not required to be installed, there may be significant benefits for developers in seeking compliance with the standards detailed within the Building Regulations. For example; the installation of sprinklers can allow buildings to be built closer together (half the spacing is required where sprinklers are fitted) to adjoining premises. This is a major benefit for developers where site space is limited. Other requirements regarding travel distances for escape may also be extended and certain requirements in respect of access for the fire service may also be relaxed. Savings in construction and building cost related to the relaxation of certain fire protection measures and freedoms to allow 'open plan' design in three-storey dwellings and apartments can also be achieved where sprinklers are incorporated into a design.
- 2.17 In retail premises, sprinklers can be taken into account when calculating fire growth and smoke volume. This is turn allows the approval of longer distances of travel to exits which allows greater flexibility in the design of buildings.
- 2.18 For existing buildings the Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005 which replaced most existing fire legislation in England and Wales requires employers and others (the Responsible Person in the Order) to consider whether the duties imposed by the Order could be better discharged by fitting fixed fire suppression systems. The guidance documents published in support of the legislation recognise this. For example, residential care homes fitted with sprinkler protection can adopt a policy of delayed evacuation in the event of a fire alarm and the usual requirements to fit self-closers to all bedroom doors may be relaxed.
- 2.19 One of the most often ignored benefits of sprinklers is the additional flexibility which they provide to designers, developers and builders. In unconventional, unusual or historical buildings including sprinklers in a specification will often enable Building Regulations compliance to be achieved in a very cost-effective and sensitive manner. Where changes of building use are being anticipated, utilising sprinklers is often the only way in which means of escape requirements can be provided.
- 2.20 One of the most important advantages of a sprinkler system is that they can be at the centre of a Business Continuity Plan. They allow for a business to recover rapidly from a fire and restore full operations/services quickly. Recently a fire in tumble-dryer in a major entertainment complex in East Anglia was stopped from spreading by the activation of only one sprinkler head in a laundry building. As a result the laundry facility was operating again within three-hours. Without the sprinkler system serious disruption would have been inevitable.
- 2.21 Leaving aside the human casualties avoided, a major benefit of fitting a sprinkler system is reduced insurance cost. Zurich Municipal suggests sprinkler installation in schools could reduce their insurance premiums by around 75% per year, and lower the excess close to zero.

3. The statutory position in relation to the installation of sprinkler systems

3.1 The Building Regulations 2006 (as amended) and approved documents accompanying the Regulations in England and Wales form the legislative



framework governing the installation of sprinklers in new buildings. These make specific reference to the use of sprinklers in buildings in England. The Regulations for Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland differ slightly from those in England.

- 3.2 In England for life safety, new residential blocks over 30m high must be fitted with sprinklers to meet Building Regulations Approved Document B standards. Similarly an uncompartmented area in a shop or self-storage building over 2000 square metres now requires sprinkler protection. There are corresponding regulations applying to large single storey buildings for industrial or storage use where the largest permitted un-sprinklered compartment is 20,000 square metres. There is a strong belief within the Fire and Rescue Service nationally that the large compartment sizes specified within the Building Regulations for the provision of sprinklers, in warehouses in particular, creates significant risks for firefighters in dealing with large un-compartment to Warwickshire Fire and Rescue Service because this is the type of building where four firefighters died in Atherstone-on-Stour.
- 3.3 In connection with residential sprinkler systems no statutory provision is made in England at present within the Building Regulations other than the requirement for installation in new flats over 30m in height. Sprinklers are not presently required in new hotels and guest houses despite the risk to life associated with sleeping accommodation. At present the Government has no plans to review the Building Regulations in England until 2013. It is for this reason that the LGA and fire and rescue service is lobbying for a change to the Building Regulations.
- 3.4 Despite the absence of legislation, the use of sprinklers is growing. Small businesses operating for example as hotels or bed and breakfasts are themselves increasingly using domestic sprinklers as opposed to the more complex commercial installations to compensate for or to avoid the requirement to carry out works to improve structural fire safety arrangements which may detract from the use of the premises or require significant structural alterations with related costs etc.
- 3.5 The installation of sprinklers in schools is not mandatory at present. However, DCSF introduced a policy on sprinkler systems in schools in March 2007. This reinforced the need for sprinklers in schools from the earlier policy position. DCSF now reports that it expects the majority of new state-funded schools to be fitted with sprinkler systems. However, the decision to install sprinklers should be based on a risk analysis of the particular school concerned. To help local authorities and design teams assess the level of risk and make the right decisions, DCSF has developed two practical aids: a simple fire risk assessment tool to assess the need for sprinklers in the proposed school building; and a spreadsheet based cost benefit analysis tool to help users decide whether sprinklers represent good value for money.
- 3.6 Despite the publication of the most recent DCSF policy, research conducted in 2008 by the British Automatic Fire Sprinkler Association (BAFSA) for the LGA reports that 24% of local authorities have no informal or formal policy position on the installation of sprinklers in schools.
- 3.7 Nationally, of the first seven schools built under the Building Schools for the Future programme, only one (Bristol Brunei Academy) was fitted with a



sprinkler system, although five of the remaining six were refurbishment projects.

4. Data in relation to the number and operation of sprinkler systems installed in premises

- 4.1 CLG maintain fire statistics for all fire and rescue services. Table 1 below details the extent to which sprinkler systems (all types and property groups) have been involved in controlling fires in England over a three-year period to 2008. This shows how sprinklers work effectively on all but a small number of occasions (44 occasions where the system did not control or contain the fire for 1508 fires).
- 4.2 Where Table 1 indicates that sprinklers did not operate, this in general is as a result of the following reasons; the temperature in the area of the sprinkler heads was not sufficient for activation of the sprinkler system; the fire was in another part of the building and away from the sprinkler system; the fire self-extinguished before it grew large enough to operate the sprinkler; the occupier noticed the fire and extinguished this before it became large enough to operate the sprinkler.

Year & Sprinkler Operation					
2005	Total	515			
	Operated and extinguished fire	83			
	Operated and contained/controlled fire	119			
	Operated but did not contain/control fire	18			
	Did not operate	295			
	Unspecified	0			
2006	Total	466			
	Operated and extinguished fire	74			
	Operated and contained/controlled fire				
	Operated but did not contain/control fire	10			
	Did not operate	249			
	Unspecified	0			
2007	Total	527			
	Operated and extinguished fire	85			
	Operated and contained/controlled fire	163			
	Operated but did not contain/control fire	16			
	Did not operate	263			
	Unspecified	0			



5. Key features of sprinkler systems

- 5.1 All areas of the building to be protected are covered by a grid of pipes with sprinkler heads fitted into them at regular intervals. Water from a tank via pumps or from the service (town) main (if it can give enough flow) fills the pipes.
- 5.2 Each sprinkler head operates only when it reaches its predetermined operating temperature and will then spray water onto a fire. The hot gases from a fire are usually enough to make the thermal element in the head operate. Only the sprinklers in the immediate area of the fire open. The others remain closed. This ensures that no water is applied to areas where there is no fire and reduces the amount of water needed.
- 5.3 The sprinkler heads are spaced, generally on the ceiling, so that if one or more operate there is always sufficient flow of water. The flow is calculated so that there is always enough to control a fire taking into account the size and construction of the building and the goods stored in it or its use.
- 5.4 Sprinkler heads can be placed in enclosed roof spaces and into floor ducts to protect areas where fires can start unnoticed. In a large warehouse sprinklers may be placed within the storage racks as well as the roof. Sprinkler heads are designed to evenly distribute water from the sprinkler pipework in a spray pattern onto the fire in the most efficient manner. Sprinkler heads are in general small and neat and where required, can be made to blend in with the décor. They are available with a range of finishes and colours and in some cases can be completely concealed.
- 5.5 At the point where the water enters the sprinkler system there is a valve. This can be used to shut off the system for maintenance. For safety reasons it is kept locked open and only authorised persons should be able to close it. If a sprinkler head opens and water flows through the valve it lets water into another pipe that causes a mechanical gong to sound. In this way, the sprinkler system generates an alarm at the same time as controlling or extinguishing the fire. Modern sprinkler systems are linked into a buildings fire alarm system and can be connected by telephone to a remote monitoring station.
- 5.6 The pipework may be concealed or left exposed depending on the type of building and use i.e. industrial buildings and warehouses pipework is often left exposed and in residential property such as a home or bed and breakfast this is normally concealed within the ceiling. Pipework can be in copper, steel or in CPVC (chlorinated polyvinyl chloride), which is not expensive and easy to fit.
- 5.7 Most rooms in a house only require one or at most two sprinkler heads to afford complete protection. However, in a large compartment i.e. a warehouse, many sprinkler heads may be required depending on the nature of the building and fire loading of the stored contents.
- 5.8 While there are a range of different types of sprinkler systems used in a range of premises it is considered that only wet systems (permanently charged with water) should be specified in domestic premises. These systems are the simplest, easiest to maintain and are also the most cost effective.

6. Engagement with central government in lobbying for installation of sprinklers in a wide range of buildings

- 6.1 As a result of property loss over the years and the death of firefighters across the Country there have been a series of campaigns, petitions and lobbying by the fire and rescue service nationally to try and make the installation of fire sprinkler systems in a range of commercial and industrial buildings a mandatory requirement. WFRS is actively engaged in support of this campaign.
- 6.2 In England, Lord Harrison of Chester has introduced two Private Members Bills in the House of Lords related to domestic sprinklers. This is supported by the Chief Fire Officers Association (CFOA) of which senior managers in WFRS are active members. The Bill has received a second reading on the 22nd October 2010 and has been committed to a committee of the whole house.

7. Progress in other Countries in Great Britain in introducing a Statutory Duty for installation of sprinklers in all new houses

- 7.1 The Welsh Assembly is considering a Legislative Competence Order (LCO) which if enacted would require the installation of sprinklers in a wide range of new dwellings. The proposed new law which would compel house builders to fit fire sprinklers into new homes built in Wales has been backed by the National Assembly following a four month enquiry in which evidence was heard from the fire service, house builders and representatives the water industry. The legislation is currently passing through the Assembly and it is hoped it will be enacted soon.
- 7.2 This Order is fully supported by the three fire and rescue services in Wales and fire and rescue services in England, as well as the Fire Brigades Union, the Fire Industry Association and the various professional bodies associated with sprinkler design and installation.
- 7.3 The Welsh LCO comes after changes to legislation made in Scotland in May 2005 which now requires the installation of sprinklers in all new care homes, sheltered housing and high-rise residential accommodation above 18 metres high. In addition, sprinklers are now required in all covered shopping centres.

8. What WFRS will do to promote the use of fire Sprinklers

- 8.1 WFRS will work with approved installers for domestic fire sprinklers with a view to supporting the installation of systems. As installations need to be properly designed and fitted by accredited installers WFRS will also be working with suppliers to help them to meet professional and technical standards and to better understand the principles around fire safety in buildings. The service's role in this area will be primarily to seek the adherence to agreed standards and to identify opportunities for developers and installers to work in partnership on the installation of systems.
- 8.2 WFRS will seek to enter into partnership with all local authorities in Warwickshire which will be aimed at encouraging the installation of sprinklers in Houses in Multiple Occupation (HMO).



- 8.3 WFRS is formally consulted by local authorities prior to any significant building development being approved by them. During consultations Fire Safety Officers ensure that where it is believed sprinklers may have a positive impact in reducing risk, they proactively liaise with Building Control Officers and developers to communicate the benefits of sprinklers.
- 8.4 In 2011/12 WFRS intends to visit all district and borough councils' Planning Committees in Warwickshire to discuss plans to promote the installation of sprinklers in schools, commercial, industrial properties and homes. These visits will be part of a wider consultation and communications exercise designed to raise awareness for the benefits fire sprinklers have and to discuss opportunities to use Section 106 arrangements and planning conditions to influence the installation of sprinklers in appropriate residential and other buildings. In this respect, regard is being had for the creation of MoU with local authorities, which lay out the criteria for the installation of sprinklers as part of the planning process in Warwickshire. Here, the installation of sprinklers may be used to compensate for extended travel time from a fire station, particularly in rural areas or to mitigate the risk in social housing or HMO etc.
- 8.5 Partnerships will be established where possible with Housing Associations in Warwickshire. The aim is too influence and create a willingness to consider the installation of domestic sprinkler systems in new social housing at construction stage.
- 8.6 Where plans for new housing developments are presented to the Service for consultation, every effort will be made to influence local authorities and the developers, particularly of social housing and client Housing Associations to consider the installation of sprinklers.

9. Creation of a register of buildings with sprinkler systems installed in Warwickshire

- 9.1 Currently there is no formal register of buildings in Warwickshire where sprinklers have been installed. However, performance information regarding sprinklers is to be collected to help establish a database showing their location and the type fitted as part of the work WFRS is now doing in this area.
- 9.2 Sprinkler systems are normally designed with an audible alarm. An automatic connection to a premises fire alarm panel and central monitoring station is also more common in modern buildings. When the sprinkler system activates the alarm is sounded. The alarm is normally located to provide both a warning to occupants inside a building and also to passers by. This ensures that the alarm is raised even when the premises are not occupied. It also acts to make firefighters aware of the operation and presence of a sprinkler system in a building, which influences their approach to tackling the incident.
- 9.3 When firefighters conduct risk information gathering visits to higher risk buildings in Warwickshire, they record details of a buildings structure, internal layout, contents and the presence of fire-fighting installations such as sprinklers. This information is captured in the form of a plan, which is held centrally and at local fire stations. This helps firefighters identify the high risk

buildings in an area and locate fire-fighting installations such as sprinklers where installed.

- 9.4 Commercial buildings fitted with sprinkler systems normally have an external marker plate located adjacent to the sprinkler alarm. This identifies the presence of sprinklers inside a building.
- 9.5 Sprinkler systems can play an important and valuable role in meeting the safety needs of vulnerable people and marginalised groups. Effectively, where fire risk is highest in Warwickshire will determine the priority for the installation of sprinklers

10. Maintenance of Fire Sprinkler systems

- 10.1 Generally in the United Kingdom, sprinkler systems are designed to BS EN 12845 and BS 9251. There are times where specific insurers or customers also require systems to be designed and installed to comply with other international standards, such as NFPA (USA standards) or Factory Mutual (FM Global insurance company) requirements.
- 10.2 Sprinklers are installed to industry agreed standards. Certification schemes are supported by government, fire authorities, BAFSA, insurers and the Confederation of British Industry (CBI). This provides for an enhanced level of quality assured sprinkler protection which is delivered through specifying minimum requirements for installers and includes the number of experienced design staff required, appropriate training for fitters and sub-contractors, use of listed equipment and the ability to provide an adequate maintenance service.
- 10.3 On completion of a sprinkler installation, a Certificate of Conformity will be issued by the installer. A copy of this is kept on the premises where the system has been installed and made available for inspection by fire authorities and insurance companies. A further copy of the Certificate is held by the accreditation scheme which maintains a master reference for all certificated installations.
- 10.4 At regular intervals, surveillance visits are carried out by the members of the scheme. These ensure that approved companies are complying with agreed minimum standards and include the inspection of completed installations and installers' premises.
- 10.5 To make sure that a sprinkler installation will work it must be properly designed and installed. There are presently two independently accredited organisations which undertake the certification of sprinkler installers. WFRS will be recommending that developers and partner organisations select systems installers who are accredited and will be working with these organisations to promote their ongoing technical development and use.
- 10.6 Where Fire Safety Officers visit premises as part of the WFRS fire safety risk based audit and inspection programme of buildings they will be looking for evidence that sprinkler systems meet agreed standards and are serviceable.

11. Recommendations

11.1 That the Committee acknowledges the evidence to support Warwickshire Fire and Rescue Service's claims, that sprinkler systems have been proven to protect lives and prevent serious damage to property.



- 11.2 That the Committee note the current statutory position in relation to the installation of sprinkler systems.
- 11.3 That the Committee consider supporting lobbying activity aimed at introducing a statutory requirement for the installation of sprinkler systems in all new homes in England.
- 11.4 That the Committee consider supporting lobbying activity aimed at reducing the compartment size in large single storey buildings used for storage, beyond which sprinklers are mandatory
- 11.5 That, in the absence of a current programme for legislative change, the Committee consider supporting WFRS in:
 - (i) Working with building developers, district and borough councils and housing associations to help them understand the benefits of installing sprinklers in new homes across Warwickshire.
 - (ii) Encouraging building developers to install sprinklers in new, large or high-risk industrial or commercial premises that do not currently have sprinklers installed.
 - (iii) Making sure that sprinklers are installed in new or substantially refurbished schools in Warwickshire, in accordance with central government guidance.
- 11.6 That the Committee note the key features of sprinkler systems
- 11.7 That the Committee consider supporting the approach being taken by WFRS, in developing a register of building fitted with sprinkler systems in Warwickshire.
- 11.8 That the Committee consider the appropriateness of WFRS approach in targeting installation of sprinkler systems at the most vulnerable.
- 11.9 That the Committee consider the efficacy of arrangements used to promote the effective maintenance of sprinkler systems, once installed.

Glossary

- APB Arson Prevention Bureau
- BAFSA British Automatic Fire Sprinkler Association
- BS British Standard
- BRE Building Research Establishment
- CBI Confederation of British Industry
- CFOA Chief Fire Officers Association
- CLG Communities and Local Government
- CYP Children and Young People
- DCSF Department for Children, Schools and Families
- FPA Fire Protection Association
- HMO Houses in Multiple Occupancy
- LCO Legislative Competence Order



LGA – Local Government Association NFPA – National Fire Protection Association

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AGENDA MANAGEMENT SHEET

Name of Committee Date of Committee	Communities Overview & Scrutiny Committee 1 st March 2011						
Report Title Summary	Development of Draft Measures and Targets in Support of the CBP 2011-13 Following the approval of the high level Corporate						
	Business Plan on the 15 th February at Full Council, this report presents the proposed measures and targets for inclusion relevant to the remit of the Communities Portfolio.						
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Would the recommended decision be contrary to the Budget and Policy Framework?	No.						
Background papers	Cabinet Report 27/01/2011 Corporate Business Plan 2011 – 13, Full Council Report 15/02/2011 Corporate Business Plan 2011-13						
CONSULTATION ALREADY	JNDERTAKEN:- Details to be specified						
Other Committees							
Local Member(s)							
Other Elected Members	Cllrs John Whitehouse, Chris Williams, Ray Sweet and Richard Chattaway						
Cabinet Member	All Portfolio Holders						
Chief Executive	☐ Jim Graham						
Legal	Jane Pollard						
Finance							
Other Strategic Directors							

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SUGGESTED NEXT STEPS:

Further consideration by this Committee	
To Council	
To Cabinet	
To an O & S Committee	
To an Area Committee	
Further Consultation	

Details to be specified



Agenda No

Communities Overview & Scrutiny Committee – 1st March 2011.

Development of Draft Measures and Targets in Support of the Corporate Business Plan 2011-13

Report of the Head of Community Safety & Localities, Head of Environment & Resources, Head of Finance, Fire & Rescue, Head of Children, Young People & Families and Head of Performance Management

Recommendation

That Communities Overview & Scrutiny Committee consider and challenge, where appropriate, the draft measures and targets listed within Appendix A that will support the delivery of the Corporate Business Plan 2011-13.

1.0. Background

- **1.1.** The high level Corporate Business Plan (CBP) will have been approved by Council on 15th February 2011 identifies where we are going by articulating our repositioned ambitions and outcomes for 2011-13 and sets out how we will achieve them.
- **1.2.** Following Cabinet's approval of the ambitions and outcomes contained within the CBP, the fist draft set of measures and targets in support of these were considered by members of the Corporate Performance Group under the Chairmanship of Cllr Bob Stevens on the 7th February.
- **1.3.** This paper brings together the first draft of measures and targets that are relevant to the Communities portfolio for inclusion within the Corporate Business Plan.

2.0. Approach

- **2.1.** In previous years, the Corporate Business Plan, containing the measures and targets, has traditionally been set over the three-years and were reviewed as part of the annual review and refresh cycle.
- **2.2.** The Corporate Business Plan takes the Organisation through to 2013 in reflection of the Government's move to the provision of two year grant



settlements and sees the Council through to the end of the current Administration.

- **2.3.** With the abolition of the National Indicator Set, we are now in a position to develop more locally appropriate measures that reflect and support the ambitions for Warwickshire.
- **2.4.** All Directorates have been involved in developing the draft measures and targets and the CBP will be supported by a suite of Directorate Business Plans which in turn will shape the work of service, division, team and individual plans thus ensuring the delivery of our outcomes.
- **2.5.** In some areas, new measures have been developed by directorates as these are the only measures the Service has to ensure that they are meeting both corporate and operational needs. For these new measures, we are unable to provide targets for 2011/12, as this year will provide the baseline from which future targets will be set.
- **2.6.** The proposed measures and targets included in the Corporate Business Plan will also be picked up in the relevant Directorate Business Plan and performance against all of these indicators will be managed through the performance reporting process.
- **2.7.** The outcomes presented in the high level CBP have been formally approved by full Council on the 15th February. We now need to consider and challenge where appropriate the proposed draft measures that support these agreed outcomes and the following principles should form the basis for this judgment

Principles for developing the right Measures and Targets: Together they should:-

- Articulate and specify what we will do and how we will do it in the pursuit of the overall objective(s)
- ☆ Identify and achieve accountability
- Ensure we have a clear, shared understanding about what we are trying to achieve, and that this is cascaded down through the whole organisation
- ☆ Make these aims measurable, so as to focus planning and to make managing performance meaningful
- ☆ Quantify the impact of increased, re-directed or decreased resources can have upon performance
- **2.8.** A more detailed guide to setting measures and targets is available through the performance pages of the Intranet.

3.0. Next Steps

- **3.1.** The high level Corporate Business Plan will have been considered by Full Council at its meeting on the 15th February alongside the Council's budget-setting proposals.
- **3.2.** Throughout February, March and April, each Overview and Scrutiny Committee is being asked to consider and challenge where appropriate, the measures and



targets by which to assess progress on delivering the ambitions articulated in the Corporate Business Plan.

- **3.3.** The full suite of measures is to be presented to Overview and Scrutiny Board on the 10th March.
- **3.4.** Following this consultation, the final suite of measures will then be considered by Cabinet at its April meeting and once adopted these measures will form the accountability base for the Corporate Business Plan once it goes live in April 2011.
- **3.5.** Additionally, the WCC Performance management framework is being reframed in light of the changing landscape and central government requirements and this review includes consideration of the best ways to engage with a range of stakeholders in performance management.
- **3.6.** At the next Member Performance Reporting group and the forthcoming Member Seminar on the 3rd March this will be discussed further.

4.0. Recommendation

4.1. Consider and challenge, where appropriate, the draft measures that support the agreed outcomes that are listed within Appendix A using the Principles of developing good measures and targets as set out in 2.7 of this report.

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Ambition 2 Safety and Protection

We aim to:

- Reduce further the number of people killed or seriously injured on Warwickshire roads
- Proactively maintain the highways network to a safe standard, working with partners to do so
- Reduce child abuse through improving the reach of child protection
- Focus on tackling high harm causers and re-offenders
- Work with the Police to reduce levels of violent crime, especially domestic violence
- Reduce the damaging effects on families and communities caused by alcohol and drugs misuse
- Work with partners to reduce instances of anti-social behaviour
- Reduce the number of deaths caused by fire, and increase the number of home fire safety checks.

Outcome	Measure		Target		
		2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	
Warwickshire residents are safer on our roads	Number of people killed or seriously injured on our roads from agreed DfT 10 year planned reduction aiming for only 277 KSI by 2015	Working with Po based on 2010 a 2011	-		
	% of core assessments that were completed within 35 working days (previously NI 60)	92.0%	93.0%	TBC following Munro review	
Warwickshire's children & young people are safe from harm	% of de-registrations of children who have had Child Protection Plan for more than 2 years (previously NI 64)	7.0%	6.5%	TBC following Munro review	
	% of children becoming the subject of a Child Protection Plan for a 2 nd or subsequent time (previously NI 65)	13.5%	13.0%	TBC following Munro review	
Reduced levels of offending & re offending	Incidents of serious acquisitive crime	Reduction based on			
Reduced levels of harm caused by alcohol & drugs		2010/11 outcome data			
Reduced levels of harm caused by violent crime	levels of harm				
Reduced levels of harm caused by anti-social behaviour	Incidents of ASB	Reduction based on 2010/11 outcome data			
Reduced number &	No fire related deaths which were preventable per 100,000 population	0	0	0	
severity of fires, & related injuries & deaths	ires, & related No of injuries in primary fires per				
	All fires per 100,000 population	New measure baseline being set and to be presented 1 st March			



Ambition 4 Enterprise, Transport and Tourism

We aim to:

- Support economic growth by improving Warwickshire's reputation as a good place to do business, and through working closely with partners in the sub-region on economic growth
- Improve accessibility and the transport options within Warwickshire
- Increase opportunities for people to improve their work related skills
- Make Warwickshire a place of destination for tourists and visitors

Outcome	Measure	Target					
	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14				
A thriving business community in Warwickshire	June 2011:To be developedOn Track Yes /establishment of theNoLEP						
Effective operation of the new Local Enterprise Partnership between Coventry & Warwickshire	% increase in Gross Value Added (GVA) for the sub region year on year.	% annual increases the LEP strategy	•	ermined by			
A more efficient transport infrastructure	WCC Cost per passenger journey on County Council supported services Bus services cost per head of population in the county Surface dressing programme completed (kms)	To be set following the confirmed budget settlement in Feb 2011					

Ambition 5 Environment & Housing

We aim to:

- Work with Borough & District Councils to improve recycling rates, reduce the amount of waste sent to landfill and keep public spaces clean and well-maintained
- Maintain our natural environment and relevant heritage for future generations
- Reduce Co2 emissions in the public sector and support the community to tackle climate change.
 Explore sustainable options for energy including renewables
- Support the provision of affordable homes and development of 'extra care' housing

Outcome	Measure	Target					
		2011/12	2012/13	2013/14			
Warwickshire is clean and	Residual household waste per	600 kg per					
green	household is minimised	annum					
Warwickshire's environment & heritage is protected for the future	Number of corporate projects which deliver CO2 reductions	Proposed 3% year on year Co2 reduction from County Council Operations (tbc with Resources)					



AGENDA MANAGEMENT SHEET

Name of Committee Date of Committee	Communities Overview And Scrutiny Committee 1 March 2011						
Report Title	Committee Work Programme						
Summary	This report outlines the draft work programme for the Committee						
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<i>Would the recommended decision be contrary to the Budget and Policy Framework?</i>	No.						
Background papers	None						
CONSULTATION ALREADY U	NDE	ERTAKEN:- Details	to be specified				
Other Committees							
Local Member(s)	Χ	N/A					
Other Elected Members							
Cabinet Member							
Chief Executive							
Legal							
Finance							
Other Strategic Directors							
District Councils							
Health Authority							



Police	
Other Bodies/Individuals	
FINAL DECISION NO	
SUGGESTED NEXT STEPS:	Details to be specified
Further consideration by this Committee	
To Council	
To Cabinet	
To an O & S Committee	
To an Area Committee	
Further Consultation	



Agenda No

Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee – 1 March 2011

Committee Work Programme

Report of the Chair of the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Recommendation

The Committee is recommended to agree the work programme, to be reviewed and reprioritised as appropriate throughout the year

1. Summary

The Committee's Work Programme is attached as Appendix A. The Work Programme will be reviewed and reprioritised throughout the year so that the Committee can adopt a flexible approach and respond to issues as they emerge.

CLLR WHITEHOUSE Chair of the Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Shire Hall Warwick

17 February 2011



MEETING DATE	ITEM AND RESPONSIBLE OFFICER	OBJECTIVE OF SCRUTINY	Holding e to Account	Policy Review/Development	Overview	Raising Levels of Educational Attainment	Maximising independence for older people and adults with disabilities.	Developing sustainable places and communities	Protecting the Community and making Warwickshire a safer place to live	Cross cutting themes/ LAA
15 th March 2011	Rugby Western Relief Road	To scrutinise the project management (including the development of the contract) of the Rugby Western Relief Road and identify lessons learnt	1					High		
28 April 2011	Fire and Rescue Improvement Plan – Progress Report (Gary Phillips)	To provide a progress report on the Fire and Rescue Improvement Plan (requested by Committee on 3-11-10)	<		1				High	
	Casualty Reduction/Safety Cameras	To scrutinise choices made by the Cabinet in line with the budget process.		1					High	
	Alcohol Implementation Plan 2010 - 11	To scrutinise outcomes achieved through the Alcohol Implementation Plan 2010-11	\checkmark		\checkmark				High	
	Financial Well Being Mark Ryder, Head of Trading Standards, Heritage and Culture	To review progress made on the Financial Well-Being agenda and identify any gaps or areas for improvement		1	1			High		
30 June 2011	Enforcement Role of the Fire and Rescue Service	To scrutinise the enforcement role of the Service		1					High	
	High Speed Railway (HS2) (Mandy Walker)	To scrutinise proposed response to the High Speed Rail consultation		1				High		

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		Briefing	Note	5						
	S106 Agreements Jasbir Kaur	 To outline the extent to which local authorities adopt a consistent approach to S106 agreements To provide an update on S106 outlined in report presented to Environment OSC on 19/02/09 		1				Med		Requested for week beginning 18 th Oct
		Items to be ti	meta	bled	l					
	Climate Change	 To scrutinise the effectiveness of the Climate Change Partnership To review the outcomes achieved by the Climate Change Partnership 	1					Med		
		Proposed Task and	l Fini	sh G	irou	ps				
	Control of Alcohol - due to be reconsidered early 2011	 To scrutinise the control of alcohol across the County – focussing on licensing, underage sales 		1					High	
	Supporting the Local Economy - commissioned	 To establish how the Council is working to minimise impact of the economic climate on local businesses, supporting new and established businesses, stimulating the local economy and ensuring appropriate skills base 		1				High		

