## **APPENDIX 3: OPTION 3 – TAPERED LIBRARY OPENING HOURS PROPOSAL**

Designation	Library	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Proposed Hours per week	Comments
	Blackwood	9.30 - 6.00	9.30 - 5.00	9.30 - 5.00	9.30 - 7.00	9.30 - 6.00	9.30 - 4.00	WCGK	Portal Library
Doutol	Population							49 (+ 2)	<ul> <li>Population in excess of</li> <li>Library located in busy</li> </ul>
Portal	30,659 Caerphilly	9.30 - 5.00	9.30 - 6.00	9.30 - 7.00	9.30 - 6.00	9.30 - 5.00	9.30 - 4.00	48 (+2)	<ul> <li>Minimum floor space</li> </ul>
	Population	0.00 0.00							<ul> <li>Extensive opening ho and 70 hours per wee</li> </ul>
Portal	33,727							48 (-2)	<ul> <li>Café type facility</li> </ul>
	Bargoed Population	9.30 - 5.00	9.30 - 7.00	9.30 - 5.00	9.30 - 6.00	9.30 - 6.00	9.30 - 4.00		<ul> <li>A wide range of books sellers and classics</li> </ul>
Hub	16,075							48 (+2)	<ul> <li>ICT services in sufficie</li> </ul>
	Risca	9.30 - 7.00	9.30 - 6.00	9.30 - 6.00	9.30 - 5.00	9.30 - 5.00	9.30 - 4.00		learning, E-Learning, point
Hub	Population 14,958							48 (-2)	<ul> <li>Wide range of information</li> </ul>
	Newbridge	9.30-1.00	9.30 - 1.00	9.30-1.00	9.30 - 1.00	9.30 - 1.00	Closed	40 (-2)	Centres Audio visual material
	Population	0.00 1.00	5.50 1.00	0.00 1.00	0.00 1.00	0.00 1.00	Closed		Hub Library
	9,456	2.00-5.00	2.00 - 6.00	2.00-5.00	2.00 - 7.00	2.00 - 5.00			<ul> <li>Population in the rang</li> <li>Library located in sho</li> </ul>
Town		9.30 - 1.00	9.30 - 1.00	9.30 - 1.00	9.30 - 1.00	9.30 - 1.00	Closed	35.5 (+5.5)	<ul> <li>Minimum floor space</li> </ul>
	Rhymney	9.30 - 1.00	9.30 - 1.00	9.30 - 1.00	9.30 - 1.00	9.30 - 1.00	Closed		<ul> <li>Extensive opening hou 46 hours.</li> </ul>
	Population 8,845	2.00 - 6.00	2.00 - 5.00	2.00 - 7.00	2.00 - 5.00	2.00 - 5.00		35.5 (-1.5)	<ul> <li>Café type facility</li> </ul>
Town		0.00 1.00	0.20 4.00	0.20 1.00	0.00 4.00	0.00 1.00	Classed	_	<ul> <li>A wide range of books sellers and classics</li> </ul>
	Ystrad Mynach Population	9.30 - 1.00 2.00 - 5.00	9.30 - 1.00 2.00 - 7.00	9.30 –1.00 2.00 – 5.00	9.30 - 1.00 2.00 - 5.00	9.30 - 1.00 2.00 - 6.00	Closed	35.5 (-7.5)	<ul> <li>ICT services in sufficie</li> </ul>
Town	12,833	2.00 0.00	2.000 1.000	2.00 0.00	2.00 0.00	2.00 0.00		, ,	learning, E-Learning, point
	Abertridwr	10.00 - 1.00	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	10.00 - 1.00	Closed		<ul> <li>Wide range of Information</li> </ul>
Joint Use Community Link	Population 6,799	2.00 - 6.00	2.00 - 5.00		200 600	2.00 - 5.00		26 (-9.5)	<ul><li>Centres</li><li>Audio visual material</li></ul>
Joint Use Community Link	Nelson	<b>Closed</b>	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	2.00 - 6.00 Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed		Town Library
	Population								<ul> <li>Population in the rang</li> <li>Library located in shop</li> </ul>
Joint Use Community Link	4,647	40.00 4.00		2.00 - 6.00		2.00 - 5.00		13 (-18)	<ul> <li>Minimum floor space of</li> </ul>
	Abercarn Population	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed		<ul> <li>Opening hours to mee</li> <li>Developed level of IC</li> </ul>
Joint Use Community Link	5,352	2.00 - 6.00		2.00 - 6.00		2.00 - 6.00		20 (-1)	of 12 computers
	Bedwas	10.00 - 1.00	10.00 - 1.00	10.00 – 1.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	26 ( 4)	<ul> <li>Information services</li> <li>Clear standards on store</li> </ul>
Joint Use Community Link	Population 6,455	2.00 - 5.00	2.00 - 6.00	2.00 - 6.00		2.00 - 5.00		26 (-4)	Act as a base for spec
	New Tredegar	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed		<ul> <li>Joint Use Community Lin</li> <li>Population in the rang</li> </ul>
	Population								<ul> <li>Libraries developed in</li> </ul>
Joint Use Community Link	4,966	2.00 - 6.00		2.00-5.00		2.00 - 6.00		20 (-17)	will depend upon loca Planning Forum
	Oakdale	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	20 (-17)	<ul> <li>Minimum Floor space</li> </ul>
	Population								<ul> <li>Opening hours to mee of 20-26 hours</li> </ul>
Joint Use Community Link	5,251		2.00 - 6.00	2.00 - 5.00	Oleand	2.00 - 6.00	Oleand	20 (-0.5)	<ul> <li>ICT provision to facilita</li> </ul>
	Llanbradach Population	Closed	Closed	10.00-1.00 2.00 - 5.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed		<ul><li>computers</li><li>Clear standards on store</li></ul>
Joint Use Community Link	4,383			2.00 0.00		2.00 - 6.00		13 (-3)	<ul> <li>Staff</li> </ul>
	Machen	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	Closed	42 ( 4)	<ul> <li>Information service</li> <li>Community Link</li> </ul>
Joint Use Community Link	Population 3,848		2.00 - 5.00		2.00 - 6.00			13 (-4)	<ul> <li>Population in the range</li> </ul>
	Aberbargoed	Closed	10.00-1.00	Closed	10.00-1.00	Closed	Closed	13 (-12)	<ul> <li>Link to community pro</li> <li>Staff</li> </ul>
	Population	010000	2.00-6.00	Closed	2.00-5.00	010000	Closed	13 (-12)	<ul> <li>Opening hours in the r</li> </ul>
Community Link	3,642								<ul> <li>ICT provision for e-learning</li> </ul>
	Pengam	Closed	10.00-1.00	Closed	10.00-1.00	Closed	Closed	13 (-7.5)	<ul> <li>Clear standards for store</li> <li>Information access point</li> </ul>
	Population 3,848		2.00-5.00		2.00-6.00				Drop off point
Community Link		40.00 4.00		10.00 1.00					<ul> <li>Populations up to 3,00</li> <li>In Community First Water</li> </ul>
Drop off point	<b>Deri</b> Population	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	10.00 - 1.00	Closed	Closed	Closed	13 (-2)	<ul> <li>Located in community</li> </ul>
	2,607	2.00 - 5.00		2.00 - 6.00					<ul> <li>Staffed by community</li> <li>Clear standards on sto</li> </ul>
									<ul> <li>Training and monitorin</li> </ul>
									ICT Network link

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rvices in sufficient numbers (minimum 15) to act as access points for ng, E-Learning, LearnDirect, satellites to Learning Network Access

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ary ation in the range 15-25,000 located in shopping centre um floor space of 250 metres square ng hours to meet local needs -between 35-46 hours pped level of ICT provision for E-Learning and E-Government minimum computers ation services standards on stock a base for specialist county-wide services Community Link ation in the range 8-15,000 es developed in partnership with other community provision. Location pend upon local partnerships being developed through Community ng Forum um Floor space of 150 metres square ng hours to meet the nature of the community provision within the range 26 hours ovision to facilitate E-learning and E-government, minimum of 8 ters standards on stock provision ation service / Link ation in the range 3-4,000 community provision e.g. community centre ng hours in the range 13-15 hours to meet local needs ovision for e-learning and e-Government, minimum of 5 computers standards for stock provision ation access point

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