

### THE LIBRARY REVIEW



# **6 Principles**

- 1. Library services across the borough
- 2. Protecting the vulnerable
- 3. Cost effective
- 4. Technology
- 5. Volunteers
- 6. Communities





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## 2 consultations showed....

- Books & Reading
- Community
- Staff
- Volunteers
- Children
- Access
- Technology
- Learning





### **The Core Offer**

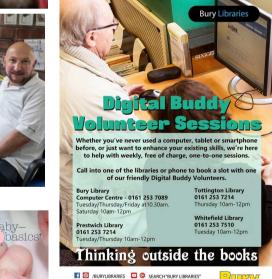
Reading & Literac

Digital Inclusion

Information & Learning

Community Support & Development





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# The thing we cannot escape...

COUNCIL BUDGET
65M cuts to date
32M further cuts
2017/20

By 2020 –
no more Central
Govt Grant
Council to be self
sufficient

LIBRARIES BUDGET Reduced in 2013/14 by £870K Currently £2.4\* million Reducing in 2017/18 by £500K Reducing in 2018/19 by £500K



#### OPTION 1

Retain Bury,
Ramsbottom
and Prestwich
Libraries plus a
service wide
team

#### OPTION 2

Retain Bury,
Ramsbottom,
Prestwich and
Radcliffe
Libraries plus a
smaller service
wide team









# Have your say about your

# Library Service



# Complete the survey now

Take part in the survey online: <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/bury-libraries-consultation">https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/bury-libraries-consultation</a> or pop into any Bury Library for a paper copy











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# **Next Steps**

Public Consultation on proposed models / options for change	Ends 26th April 2017
Final Report to Cabinet on decisions to be taken	May 18 <sup>th</sup> 2017
Staff consultation	Begins July 2017
Implementation	From August 1st 2017

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