

# LONDON BOROUGH OF BROMLEY

## STATEMENT OF EXECUTIVE DECISION

The Portfolio Holder for Renewal and Recreation, Councillor Peter Morgan has made the following executive decision:

### **BROMLEY LIBRARY SERVICE - OUTCOME OF CONSULTATION**

#### **Reference Report:**

*Bromley Library Service - Outcome of Consultation PART 1 REPORT TEMPLATE, 23/06/2014  
Renewal and Recreation Policy Development and Scrutiny Committee  
Appendix 1, 23/06/2014 Renewal and Recreation Policy Development and Scrutiny Committee  
Appendix 2, 23/06/2014 Renewal and Recreation Policy Development and Scrutiny Committee  
Appendix 3 Staff Consultation, 23/06/2014 Renewal and Recreation Policy Development and Scrutiny Committee*

#### **Decision:**

- 1) The changes set out in the report be agreed, in particular:-
  - (i) the proposed changes to library operating hours (with the proviso that the operating hours at Mottingham Library be reviewed in six months' time); and
  - (ii) the deletion of the mobile library service.
- 2) The Executive Committee be requested to agree the one-off funding of £275k for the purchase and installation of RFID equipment, to ensure that the full £300k savings are realised within 12 months of installation.

#### **Reasons:**

The review of the Library Service is entirely consistent with the Council's Objectives around Vibrant and Thriving Town Centres as well as being in line with the Council's broader financial strategy.

The proposed decision was scrutinised by the Renewal and Recreation PDS Committee on 23 June 2014 and the Committee supported the proposal.

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Councillor Peter Morgan  
Portfolio Holder for Renewal and Recreation

**Mark Bowen**  
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**Date of Decision:** 4 July 2014  
**Implementation Date (subject to call-in):** 11 July 2014  
**Decision Reference:** RR14015