

Dear Customer

Linton Mobile service

Local Public Consultation Decision

We are writing to confirm that we will be proceeding with our proposal to restore Post Office services in the communities of Walton on Trent, Blackfordby, Sheepy Magna, Bitteswell, Abbots Bromley, Denstone, Whitacre Heath, Whittington, Fillongley, Hammerwich, Mapleton, Hulland Ward, Turnditch, Acton Trussell and Branston with the introduction of a Mobile service.

We received a number of comments from customers and local representatives during the consultation period. The feedback welcomed the proposed service as it will enable us to reinstate Post Office services in the local area. We also received comments about the proposed locations of the service and that the proposed visiting times of the mobile service might be insufficient to meet the needs of customers in the area. The feedback has enabled me to improve my understanding of customers' views and to ensure that all such information was taken into account before finalising our plans for the new services.

In order to ensure the new service can be introduced without undue delay for our customers, some of the locations and times of the service have been changed from those previously detailed in our proposal. However, we remain confident that the amended service will be accessible to our customers and allow us to reinstate Post Office services within the Linton area. Further details of the services are provided at the end of this letter.

We do understand that for some customers the new mobile service times may be less convenient, however, we do consider that the hours for the mobile service will meet the needs of our customers in the rural communities and allow us to provide sustainable services to them in the longer term. We will, however, continue to review and monitor service on an on-going basis and should customer usage increase significantly, consideration would be given to adjusting service times accordingly.

We have carefully considered my original proposal and the feedback received during the public consultation period. I am confident that the new branch is suitably located and that this new way of offering Post Office services will meet customer needs, whilst helping to provide future sustainability for the branch.

The new services will commence from Thursday 22 March 2018.

You can also find a copy of this letter on our website at <u>postofficeviews.co.uk</u>. When entering the website you will be asked to enter the code for this branch: 379207

Thank you for considering our proposal.

Yours faithfully

Lesley McNally

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Network Operations Area Manager

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Details of the new Mobile services:

Turnditch Mobile service

Crompton Inglefield Hall Ashbourne Road Turnditch Belper DE56 2LH

Proposed opening times

Monday 09:15 - 10:15

Services

A wide range of services will be available. Customers can still collect benefits in cash using our everyday banking services or Post Office card account.

Access and facilities

There is a step into the Mobile vehicle, but an electronic tailgate is available to facilitate easy access for wheelchair users and those with disabilities.

Parking

Parking available close to the Mobile Van.

Hulland Ward Mobile service

Hulland General Store Main Road Hulland Ward Ashbourne DE6 3EA

Proposed opening times

Monday 10:30 – 11:30

Services

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Access and facilities

There is a step into the Mobile vehicle, but an electronic tailgate is available to facilitate easy access for wheelchair users and those with disabilities.

Parking

Parking available close to the Mobile Van.

Mapleton Mobile service

The Okeover Arms car park Mapleton Ashbourne DE6 2AB

Services

A wide range of services will be available. Customers can still collect benefits in cash using our everyday banking services or Post Office card account.

Proposed opening times

Monday 12:00 – 13:00

Access and facilities

There is a step into the Mobile vehicle, but an electronic tailgate is available to facilitate easy access for wheelchair users and those with disabilities.

Parking

Parking available close to the Mobile Van.

Denstone Mobile service

Village Hall College Road Denstone Uttoxeter ST14 5HR

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Parking

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Branston Mobile service

Roadside - Acacia Lane Branston Burton on Trent DE14 3FW

Services

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Proposed opening times

Tuesday	08:30 - 12:30
Friday	08:30 - 11:30

Access and facilities

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Parking

Parking available close to the Mobile Van.

Whittington Mobile service

Village Hall 4-6 Langton Crescent Whittington Lichfield WS14 9LR

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Proposed opening times

Tuesday	13:00 - 15:00		
Thursday	08:30 - 10:30		
Friday	15:00 - 16:00		

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Parking

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Walton on Trent Mobile service

Roadside Bells End Road Walton on Trent Swadlincote DE12 8NF

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Proposed opening times

Tuesday 15:15 – 16:15

Access and facilities

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Parking

Parking available close to the Mobile Van.

Bitteswell Mobile service

Roadside - The Man at Arms The Green Ullesthorpe Road Bitteswell Lutterworth LE17 4SB

Proposed opening times

Wednesday | 09:00 - 10:00

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Fillongley Mobile service

The Manor House car park Coventry Road Fillongley Coventry CV7 8ET

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Proposed opening times

Wednesday | 10:45 - 11:45

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Whitacre Heath Mobile service

The Railway car park 30 Station Road Whitacre Heath Coleshill Birmingham B46 2EH

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Proposed opening times

Wednesday 12:00 - 13:00

Parking

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Sheepy Magna Mobile service

Layby off Main Road Opposite Black Horse Sheepy Magna Atherstone CV9 3QR

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Proposed opening times

Wednesday 13:45 - 14:45

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Parking

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Blackfordby Mobile service

Blackfordby Village Hall car park Sandtop Lane Blackfordby Swadlincote DE11 8AL

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Wednesday 15:15 - 16:15

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Hammerwich Mobile service

Hammerwich Community Centre 105 Burntwood Road Hammerwich Burntwood WS7 0JL

Proposed opening times

Thursday	11:00 - 13:00
Friday	13:45 - 14:45

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Acton Trussell Mobile service

Community Centre 9 Acton Hill Road Acton Trussell Stafford ST17 0RY

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Abbots Bromley Mobile service

The Bagot Arms car park Bagot Street Abbots Bromley Rugeley WS15 3DB

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Friday	12:00 - 13:00

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