

Full Council, 30 January 2018

Agenda item 14.6 - Amendment in the name of Cllr Tim Roberts

Opposition Motion in the name of Cllr Kath McGuirk - North Finchley Crown Post Office

Delete all and replace with (additions in bold):

Council opposes recently revealed plans to close the busy and well-used North Finchley Crown Post Office and relocate it to far smaller premises away from the heart of the Town Centre in a franchise office.

Council notes this will result in a reduced service with longer queues and waiting times for customers.

Council believes that the Crown Post Office in North Finchley is an important service for the Town Centre that should be maintained.

Council wants to support and rejuvenate our Town Centres, but this proposal to close the Crown Post Office will detract from the plan to regenerate North Finchley Town Centre which aims to concentrate footfall where the Post Office is currently located.

Council therefore instructs officers to set out LB Barnet's opposition to this proposed closure in a response to the Post Office Ltd consultation, **and to make clear Council's opposition to any future plans to downgrade Golders Green or High Barnet Crown Post Offices.**

[Under the relevant FCPR I ask that my item is voted on at the meeting]