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Dear Mr Jefferson

Re: Your request for information:

Thank you for your request for information that was received on 7 October 2016 in which you requested:

Please kindly provide a list of council-run buildings (including Libraries, Day Care Centres, Community Centres, Schools and Administrative bases) which your Council has had to close since 2010. Please provide the name of the buildings and the postcodes of the buildings.

Such closures would include those where people have to seek the same type of service from a different location which already exists (or maybe there is no alternative available). * If there are any scenarios where a service provision is not closed but relocated across the road to another council building I don't require information on that.*

I require the list to include buildings closed and disposed plus buildings that are re-let following service closures.

I'm only interested however in the buildings in which you provided a service that you were forced to close due to Government cuts to your budget making it no longer financially viable for you to keep such buildings open.

Our Response:

No council-run buildings were closed due to cuts, strategic decisions were taken to close some buildings to support service redesign and allow regeneration of office space.

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Yours sincerely

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