



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

Public Library

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Public Hours for Most Libraries to Change July 18

Changes Due to City Budget Reductions

SAN DIEGO – Due to fiscal constraints facing the City of San Diego, public hours of most City libraries will be reduced. Effective July 18, 2005, all but two branch libraries will be open to the public as follows:

- Monday and Wednesday 12:30 to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday and Thursday 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
- Friday 12:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Thanks to funds provided by the Council District 4 office, the public hours will remain unchanged for both the Valencia Park/Malcolm X Branch and the Oak Park Branch:

- Monday and Wednesday Noon to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

In addition, 10 branch libraries will be open on Sundays from 1 to 5 p.m.:

- Carmel Valley
- City Heights/Weingart
- La Jolla/Riford
- Mission Valley
- North Park
- Pacific Beach/Taylor
- Point Loma/Hervey
- Rancho Bernardo
- San Carlos
- Valencia Park/Malcolm X

The public hours of the Central Library were reduced last year and will remain the same:

- Monday and Wednesday Noon to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
- Sunday 1 to 5 p.m.

For more information, visit the Library on the City's Web site at <http://www.sandiego.gov/public-library/> or contact your local library.

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