

A message to Russell Square passengers from your station staff:

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- cut **122+ staff** at Piccadilly Line stations (this figure does not include Earls Court, Hammersmith, Gloucester Road, South Kensington, Holborn or King's Cross, which also face staff cuts)
- cut **7-800 station staff** across London Underground



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DAY	CURRENT OPENING HOURS	PLANNED OPENING HOURS
Weekdays	0630-2330	0715-2130
Saturdays	0700-2300	0715-2145
Sundays	0700-2130	0700-2015

See overleaf for the impact this will have on you, and what you can do to show your opposition.



A message to Covent Garden passengers from your station staff:

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London Underground plans to cut the opening hours of the ticket office here at Covent Garden station from 115½ hours per week to just 94½ hours per week, with the ticket office *opening later and closing earlier*.

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Weekdays	0730-0030	0930-2300
Saturdays	0830-0030	0930-0000
Sundays	0900-2330	0945-1945

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station staff = safety + security + service

Fewer station staff means:

- a less safe London Underground
- less information and help during delays and disruptions
- it will be harder to evacuate stations quickly and safely in the event of an emergency eg. fire, crash, bombing
- less help for disabled, elderly and other vulnerable passengers
- less chance of you getting the help you need with directions, information, lost property, accidents or other issues
- less deterrent to assault, vandalism and other harmful behaviour
- you will feel less secure travelling around London Underground

Shorter ticket office opening hours means you will not be able to get a ticket seller's help when:

- you have a problem with your ticket or Oyster
- the ticket machines are not working (which will happen more often with fewer staff to service them)
- you need to buy a ticket that is not available elsewhere
- you believe that the ticketing system has treated you unfairly
- your ticket or Oyster does not work
- you want the 'personal touch' in dealing with your issue

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