

## **PROVIDE YOUR INPUT BY 1pm April 3 – NEW DOG PARK LOCATION**

The agenda for this coming Wednesday's 1:30pm council meeting includes discussion on relocating the dog park and the arboretum. The arboretum is being coordinated by our municipal Communities in Bloom (CiB), with their Co-Chair (Mr. Doug Reycraft) also on the schedule to speak to council about this matter at this same meeting. The CiB would like to relocate the arboretum to the property around the Glencoe water tower found at Parkhouse Road and Tower Ave. There is the opportunity for both the arboretum and the dog park to be located on this property, and there have been other suggestions also submitted for a new dog park location (all included in the report). The suggestions in the report have yet to be reviewed by council, so please realize that just because an option is included in the report, it does not mean that council agrees with all of these options. As well, the report includes a grading/ranking of the options, we realize that there is no right or wrong answer as to how to distribute the weight of each factor for analysis, and likewise some will disagree with the marks/grades assigned to some of these factors – this is merely a starting point, to help try to provide some sort of ranking to the options. This approach is far from perfect, but a great way to start the comparison and get the conversation started.

**YOUR INPUT – if you have any input, please e-mail [smacdonald@southwestmiddlesex.ca](mailto:smacdonald@southwestmiddlesex.ca) by 1:00pm Wednesday April 3<sup>rd</sup> to ensure your feedback is brought before council at the meeting.**

Click the following link and review pages 155 to 170 for the report on this matter: <https://sw-egenda.middlesex.ca/files/agendas/113/package.pdf>