



## **Notice for Community Information Meeting**

The City will be hosting a Community Information Meeting for the Medway Valley Heritage Forest Environmentally Significant Area, Conservation Master Plan – Phase One.

**Date: Monday January 27, 2014**

**Time: 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm**

**Location: Sir Frederick Banting S.S.** (in Cafeteria) 125 Sherwood Forest Sq. London, ON N6G 2C3

The City is undertaking an update to the current Conservation Master Plan (CMP) for the Medway Valley Heritage Forest, Environmentally Significant Area (MVHF ESA). CMPs for ESAs function as guideline documents for the purposes of providing direction in the management of these areas. ESAs contain natural features and perform ecological functions that warrant their retention in a natural state. The current study is an update to the 1989 Medway Valley Heritage Forest Conservation Master Plan and the 1995 Medway Valley Heritage Forest Site Planning Study.

The City has hired Dillon Consulting Ltd. to complete an ecological inventory and evaluation of the MVHF ESA. The study is focused on the lands south of Fanshawe Park Road as part of Phase I of the CMP process. At the meeting, Dillon will present their findings, and the Management Zone Map.

Later in 2014 the Phase II start-up meeting will be held which will deal with public use and management of the ESA. At that time a Local Advisory Committee (LAC) will be formed.

Please contact Linda McDougall, Ecologist Planner at 519-661-2500 x 6494  
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