

Scale: 1= best option, 5 = worst option

## Potential Dog Park Site Evaluations

	West Park Knoll	Crest/Bemidiji	South Maple
<b>Location</b> - How close is the location to other dog parks and to the downtown?	1	1.75	2.5
<b>Size</b> - How does the site size compare to existing dog parks?	1.5	3.5	1
<b>Shade</b> - Is there natural shade at the site?	4.5	2.5	2.25
<b>Parking</b> - Is there enough on site parking?	1.75	2.75	4
<b>Water Access</b> - Is there a water source on site and convience of location.	2.5	5	2.75
<b>Neighborhood buffer</b> - How close are residential units to the site?	2.75	3.75	1.25
<b>Surface Grades</b> - Is the site accessable and situated on flat surfaces with minimal slopes?	2.5	1.5	2
<b>Use conflicts</b> - Are there potential conflicts with the space being considered?	2.75	1.5	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	19.25	22.25	16.75
<b>Comments</b> - Other items of note on the site?	~1 acre; trapezoidal in shape; would need buffer from closest neighbor but that's feasible; on a slight incline but manageable; water is located not far away; no shade in dog park but very close by there is shade. One house backs to site. YMCA sometimes uses site	Approx .8 Acre Only street parking; moderately sized lot; there is shade if the woods are fenced in; centrally located; close to only one neighbor but would need buffer. Utilities not in support of using site. Potential conflicts with housing nearby.	Approx 2 acres or more Very large, well buffered from neighbors. In an underserved part of town as well. Could be shade as long as some of treeline is fenced; not a lot of parking; water is located in playground adjacent to lot, need to resolve parking issue

























