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Subject:Glanbrook Animal Control to be taken over by Hamilton SPCA---NO

Thank you

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-Hello Ladies and Gentlemen,

Please do not let Hamilton SPCA take over Glanbrook Animal Control. I feel it would be huge mistake as I've seen in the recent past that Hamilton SPCA can't even handle what they presently have, let alone taking over the Glanbrook area.

We personally know quite a few people that have reported the disgusting conditions of the animals that came in from the U.S. and that these poor animals weren't looked after properly right from their first arrival to Hamilton.

They shouldn't be taking in animals if they can't care for what is already here.

The job that Michelle Bains has been doing as Glanbrook's animal Control has been great and she seems to not have any issues of not being able to handle the work load.

I understand that Miss Bains is doing this job for longer day hours quite considerably below the price of what it would cost Hamilton's and without putting extra burden on to the City of Hamilton SPCA.

Sincerely

Joanne and Rodney Hopkins