

Mr. Chris Humphrey

President – Green City Council

I have attended numerous council meetings and have even spoke at a few. My name is Robert Talenda and I have a very serious health hazard concern in several areas at the Lakes of Green housing development. Several residents agree with me and I have been designated to speak for them. This health hazard concerns the various ponds in the development and are outlined below. All concerns involve issues about breeding grounds for mosquitoes, insects and other small animals. Pictures are attached to this letter and have been sent to Nichole Baldinger at the city office.

1. Open lot/field between Ontario & Compass Point Drive (CPD). This has overgrown grass/plants, contains rusted electrical/gas/water lines, unused fountain and a number of animals & insects.
2. Pond to the left of this lot/field has an unused/broken fountain that was in that part of the pond and needs to be there to protect against unhealthy algae, overgrown grass and mosquitoes.
3. Pond on Superior across from Vista Court – This is perhaps the worst pond in the development. Overgrown, dirty, bad algae, mosquitoes, and has a fountain that has not been turned on.
4. Pond/Spillway behind houses across the street from my house – Spillway put in the wrong spot on residents' property, overgrown to the point that you cannot see the spillway at all. On one of the pictures that is not a long python, it what you can see of the plastic sheeting on one side of the spillway. Again, a health hazard for the reasons I have mentioned on other ponds. Also, on the pond itself, there is no fountain or it is not turned on yet – after two plus years??
5. Pond between Ontario & CPD – Overgrown like the others and there should be two fountains and there are none.
6. The main pond behind my house is in reasonable shape as long as the fountain is working – about 65% of the time. When not working this can cause health concerns as it does with all of the other ponds.
7. Finally, in the last two pictures, please look the two wheelchair access areas on the front of my house. This is an American's with disabilities violation and the developer/builder are aware of this matter for over two years. I would like to see the city address this with the developer/builder before it develops into a bigger matter.

I would appreciate it if the council would address this matter and give the LOG an update at the council meeting on the 12th.

Thanks for your consideration,

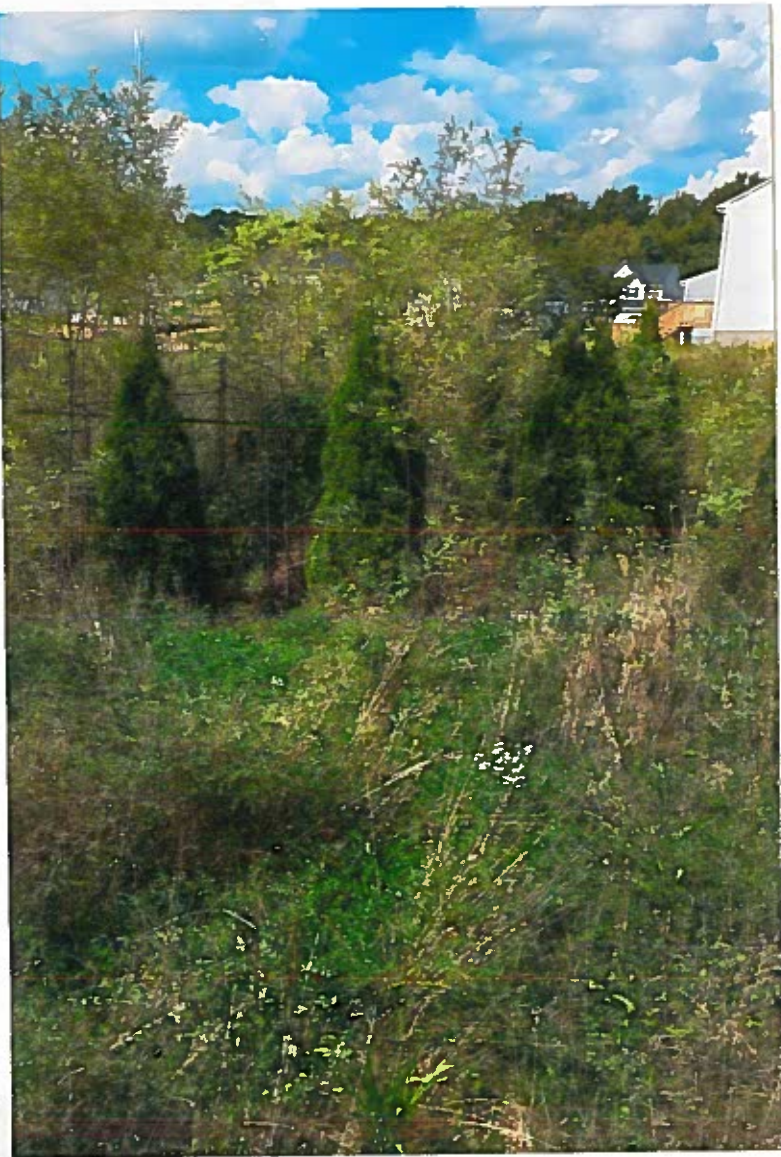


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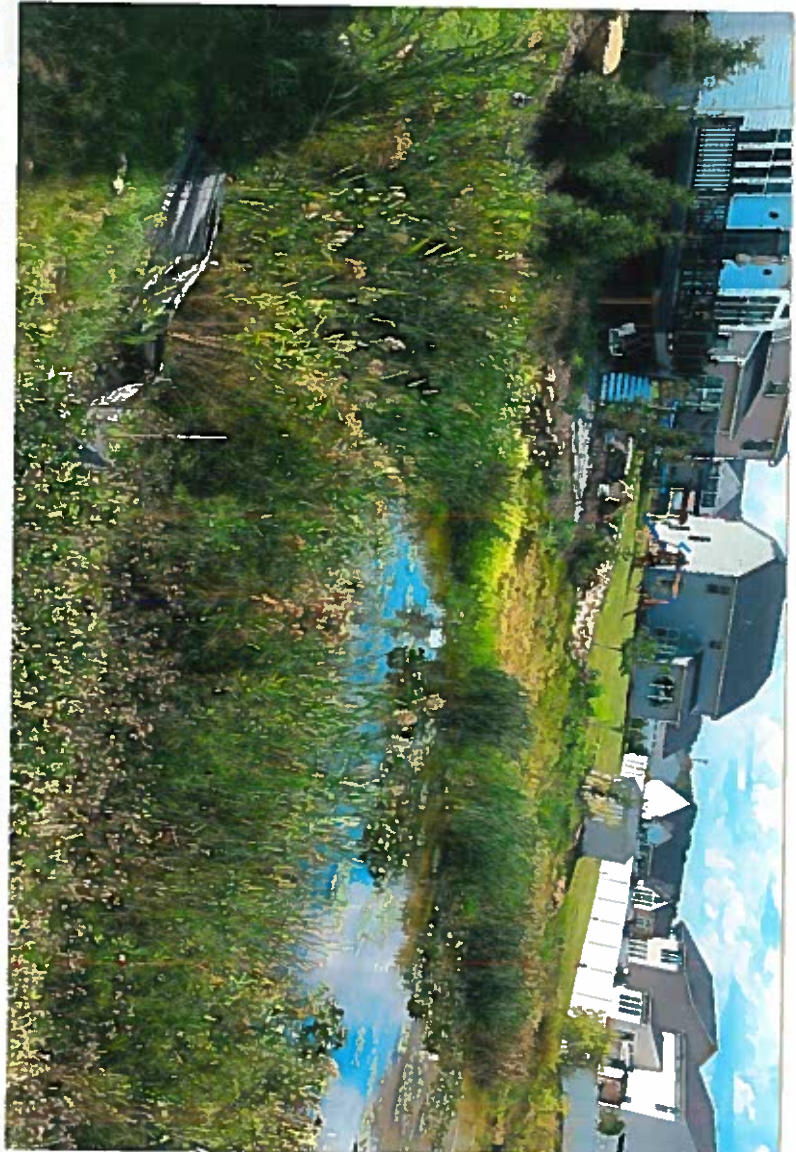
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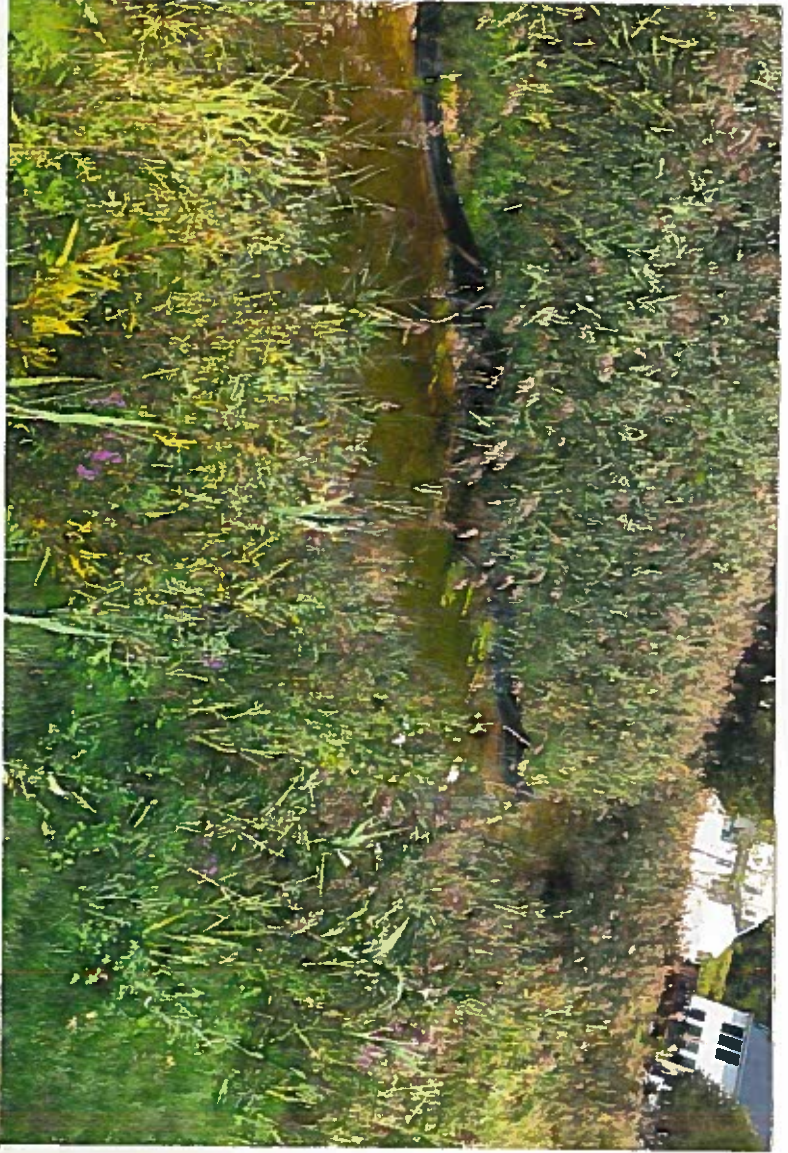
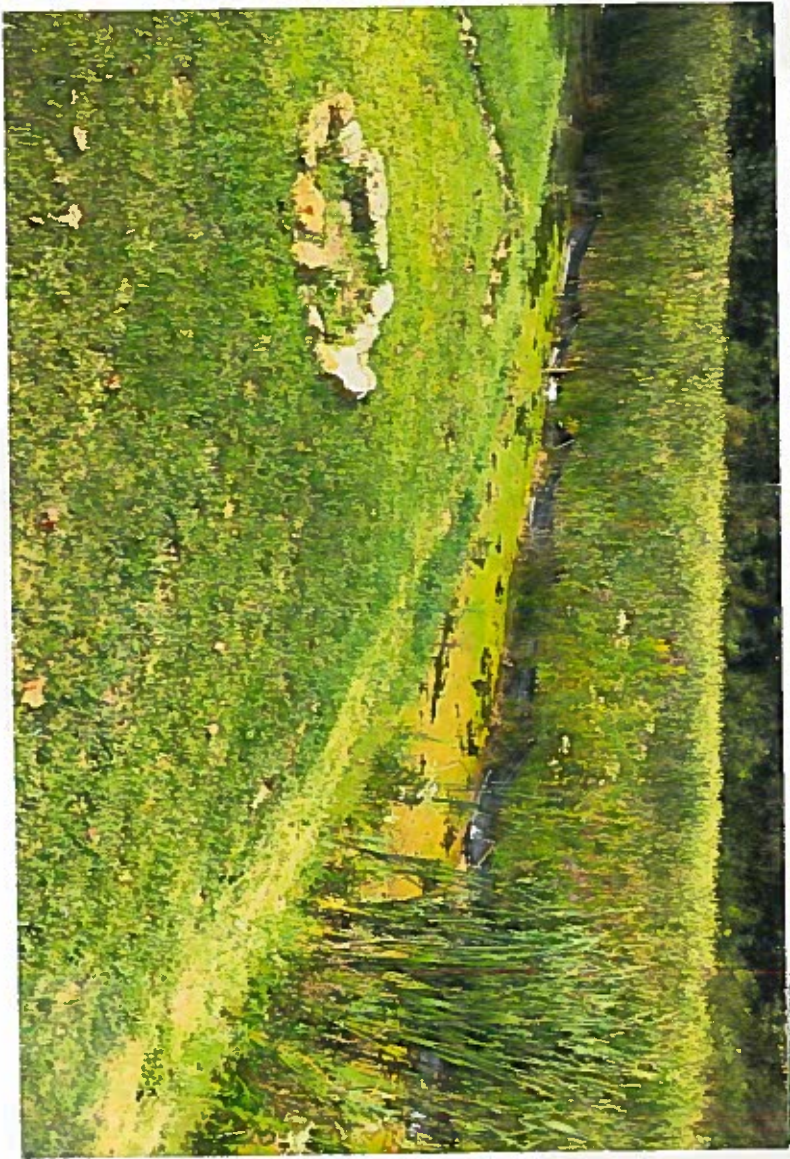
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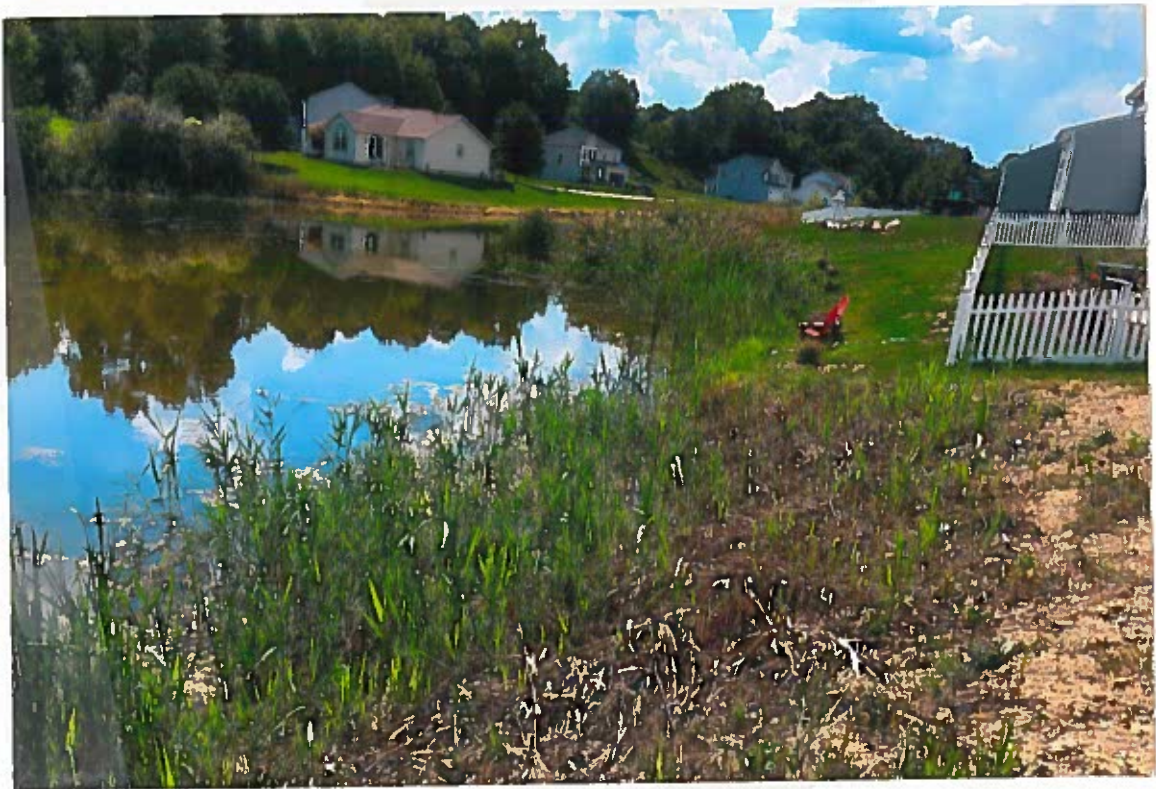
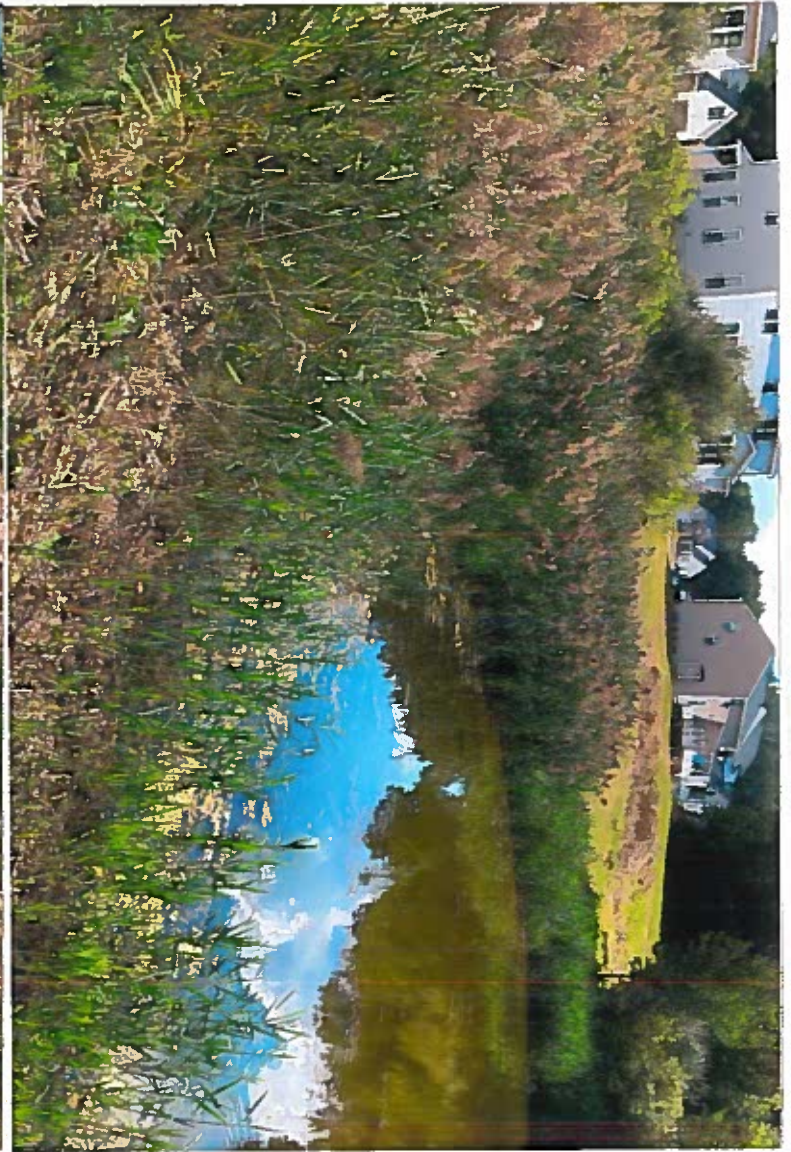
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