Dear Planning Commission,

On behalf of my family, neighbors and others in close proximity I am writing to let you know that we oppose the potential development referred to as South Pond Village.

Allowing this development to continue would devastate the area's natural beauty, add more traffic, pollute South Pond with run-off, damage natural features and destroy wildlife. Not to mention disturbing precious habitat for endangered species.

We hope that you consider all of the above when making a final decision. The area we are talking about is home to many wildlife species that will be pushed out and really have no where to go. It is a gorgeous piece of property and would make a wonderful walking park similar to The Arb.

Have you driven down East Huron River Drive lately? It is a mess with pot holes, too narrow a road with no shoulder and adding more traffic to it on a daily basis just does not make sense. The area we have enjoyed for almost 20 years because of its rural feel would be ruined if South Pond Village is constructed. To think of that area being clear cut makes me sick to my stomach. The same way we felt when Wood Creek was built.

Please take all of these negative reasons to build into consideration. It is most appreciated.

With Kind Regards,

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