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From: Maria Westerhoff

Sent: Tuesday, June 3, 2025 7:40 PM **To:** Planning Planning@a2gov.org

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Dear Planning Commission,

Hi, my name is Maria Westerhoff and I live near Thurston School and the Nature Center. My son attends Thurston School. I and other neighbors and parents are saddened to hear that there are plans to perturb the Thurston Nature Center area with construction by the Ann Arbor public school system. We learned that this land belongs to the city and not to AA Public School as well. I am emailing to request that you **deny Ann Arbor Public School** in building a road over this ecologically sensitive land owned by the City. We love this precious nature area and we hope that you can protect this historic wildlife preserving area that gives us so much joy.

Thank you so much for listening, Maria Westerhoff