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## Environmental Sustainability in NE Ann Arbor

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## Dear Ann Arbor City officials,

Please deny AAPS/Gilbane the permitting/rights to the Ann Arbor City land that the Thurston Nature Center's South Prairie Habitat occupies. This documented prairie has been maintained for decades by our community. It is alarming that AAPS is attempting to annex this land and turn it into an impermeable surface adjacent to Thurston Pond (the headwaters for the Millers Creekshed of the Huron Rivershed).

Our community has already lost over 200 mature trees on the Clague site and sections of the Thurston Nature Center this spring to AAPS building plans that have been created without community input and oversight. These site plans for both Logan Elementary and Thurston Elementary directly conflict with Ann Arbor City Code Title I, Chapter 8,1:237. Please stand up for our community values and for the environment and protect the Prairie Habitat.

Sincerely, Tim and Kelly Krohn Ward 2