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Subject: South Pond Development

To Whom It May Concern,

I'm disappointed to see that Ann Arbor is continuing to consider these large scale housing developments and condos. It seems to be the majority of what is built around Ann Arbor and is a sad use of property all around. Architecturally it's the most boring and uncreative type of development and as it continues to take over Ann Arbor, it is beginning to define the style of the city. As a resident of Geddes Farm Neighborhood, I'm especially concerned about the infrastructure being able to support this influx of traffic. Having just been struck and having my car totaled at the intersection of Huron Parkway and Washtenaw, I feel especially nervous about the state of traffic along Washtenaw. Many of us in the Geddes Farm neighborhood have chosen this location as a means of keeping much of our large lots natural with many residents having the properties deemed as official natural habitats. I can't imagine the South Pond development will prioritize such issues as they build especially since that property really isn't suitable for building on in general. I support the notion of keeping the area maintained for wildlife and park use and hope that Ann Arbor considers their long term legacy and not continue to give in to these large developers.

Thanks Kindly,  
Kim DeBord