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Subject: springfield lake

To whom it may concern.

I am writing you with a somewhat simple quest, i have looked though your web site and was wondering if u are able to help my, i have a piece of land on springfield lake in sackville..

over the past 10-15 yrs there has been alot of development in the area and due to this the lake is suffering, coming down the river is alot of dirt and gravel from the road. yrs ago there was enough marsh land in the area to help contain some of the water before it reaches the lake but now with all the construction and the distruction of the "dam" that was in place the river is bringing so much water in during storms that the roads get washed out and the backs around the river gets washed out as well.

we have been trying to get the lake cleaned up with out much luck. there is alot of gravel entering the lake cause of the above issues also alot of dirt. from the pits at the top of the road.

i was wondering if u can give me any information u have on the lake from over the past years. also if u have any ideas on how we can get the problems resolved would be great..

also iam i know that the metro gas station that was closed and bull dozed down was because of a GAs spill, what r the chances that this will affect the lake ? this is a concern on mine because of the fact that i plan on living there till my elder yrs and with the lake as my main source of water, i wouldnt want to c it contaminated... anymore than it already is.

one last quick question, is there or should there possibly be a restriction on the size or number of motor boats on the lake, with all the new homes built the lake is starting to get over crowded with hi speed motor boats and only amater of time before an accedent happens or too much gas and oil spills into the lake.

thank you for your time

M. Grace

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