

Deanna Cambridge

Subject: FW: Land Use Change Amendment your file #PD-2013-083.

From: Ronald Moore
Sent: Saturday, March 01, 2014 12:20 PM
To: Inquiries
Subject: Re: Land Use Change Amendment your file #PD-2013-083.

Hi Deanna Cambridge,

I have just returned from being out of country and have received your letter dated February 18th, 2013 Re: land use change amendment your file #PD-2013-083. Given the current quality of the water in Lake Isle I would be opposed to such a rezoning without a plan to address correction of the water quality.

I have grown up spending my summers at Isle Lake for over 50 years and have watched the water quality deteriorate to the point that yearly warnings are now posted by Alberta Health Services (AHS) to stay out of the water. This severely affects us having family and guests out to our lake front vacation property for lake activities.

A precedent has already been set for a proposed development on the other side of the lake last year. Dr. Schindler has already expressed his concerns on nutrient contaminants in this stressed lake and has recommended against further development. Please see the following: <http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/edmonton/lake-isle-cottage-owners-worry-over-proposed-rv-park-1.1333327>

"University of Alberta water expert David Schindler said overdevelopment has already contaminated the lake with harmful nutrients, such as phosphorus. "Lake Isle right now should have no more development," he said. "Every year there are complaints about blooms of noxious blue-green algae that float ashore and produce toxins causing beach closures." "

Thank you for your letter and further attention to this significant concern. Please note that on review of the proposed development area, from Google Earth, there has already been significant development on this Agricultural zone land.

Ronald B. Moore