

Thorndike Place and flooding

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Dear Conservation Committee Members,

I live at 53 Dorothy Rd in Arlington. Since buying my first-floor condominium in 2005, I have experienced flooding many times. In addition to routinely clearing storm drains, my upstairs neighbors and I installed multiple sump pumps, drainpipe extenders, and a drainage channel. When these measures proved insufficient, we returned to sandbagging to keep the water out.

I am not asking the Commission to solve this problem for us. I know that is not within your charter. I ask you to stop the Thorndike Place development from exacerbating the flooding and putting our homes at greater risk.

Thank you,
Elaine Lyte
53 Dorothy Rd.

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