

The development of this wetland area would be an irreversible act of destruction of one of the few remaining green (almost wild) spaces on the island of Montreal. There is NO possibility of replacing this area with another. There is no other large chunk of wetland on the island. This is an important breeding area for animals, and a filter of water, a plant habitat that we can't have elsewhere at the whim of developers and politicians. The Mayor of Montreal own objective of 10% green space would be impossible to achieve!

In the long run, we have to find a way to maintain our environment for our own health and very existence as we are sustained by nature. While destroying this section, won't mean our own death it does diminish what we have on the island radically for almost no public gain!

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