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From: President GCA <gca2065@gmail.com>

Subject: Potential Health Risk during Construction of the Sport & Rec Facility at Lane Cove Golf Course

Date: 23 April 2024 at 5:33:31 pm AEST

To: service@lanecove.nsw.gov.au, services@lanecove.nsw.gov.au

Cc: councillors <councillors@lanecove.nsw.gov.au>

Dear Mr Wrightson,

I am writing to you, due to concerns raised at the Greenwich Community Association meeting last week, about the level of contamination in the ground where major earthworks have occurred.

The Environmental Auditors Report which has now been released to the public after much pressure, shows a very concerning level of chemical contaminants & asbestos in the ground. Added to this, during flooding which has occurred on 8 separate occasions between 24/12/23 & 7/4/24, dark brown sediment has been visible from the sport & rec site to the Lane cove River, the sediment clearly coming from the construction site.

The Stage 2 RAP prepared by Douglas & Partners expresses concern about "mobilisation of soil particles as a result of heavy rain & flooding (Appendix G2.0 Stormwater Management p232/292)."

To put the public (including residents, golfers, children etc) at ease, please confirm what arrangements have been made for air & water monitoring particularly during heavy storms. To simply state that this is an operational problem for the contractor to manage, who must work within general site safety guidelines, will not be an acceptable response.

We look forward to your urgent, but detailed response.

Thank you

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