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It is important to all users of Vancouver Lake Park that the lake and its supporting ecosystem be maintained and improved. The free flow of water to and from the lake is essential. As a frequent user of the lake and park I have seen what happens when it does not get the attention it needs.

Algae blooms, millfoil and loss of habitat have all become more frequent.

The parks department has done a good job maintaining the park but needs additional support for lake maintenance.

We have brought visitors from Canada and Europe to the lake and they leave impressed by it and the city of Vancouver.