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My husband and I spend many hours in the summer riding our bikes, picnicking and sitting in the shade of the trees at Vancouver Lake. We totally enjoy watching the kids play and swim, the boater's kayak and paddle board and all of the other wonderful water activities available at this beautiful park. It was heartbreaking to see this park EMPTY during this past summer season. It's a shame that such an accessible local lake can't be used for safety issues. For these reasons and more Please make the cleanup of Vancouver Lake a top priority. This beautiful area and park is a natural resource for the wildlife as well as a recreational resource for the 175,000 Vancouver populace and others.

We need to preserve the health of this beautiful lake for the community and our children.