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I am writing as a resident of Odin Green, whose waterways flow directly into Lake Winnipeg, to formally express my opposition to the proposed Crystal Springs (Harbour) Colony lagoon.

This proposal lies directly within the path of the Gimli Wetland Initiative — an area established to protect and restore critical wetland function and water quality. Approving a lagoon in this location contradicts the purpose of that initiative and places downstream communities at unnecessary risk.

Lake Winnipeg is already under significant environmental strain, particularly from nutrient loading and algal blooms. Any additional risk of leakage, overflow, or nutrient seepage into this connected watershed system could further impact water quality for Gimli and surrounding communities.

Given the interconnected nature of our waterways and the existing pressures on Lake Winnipeg, I respectfully urge the Commission to reject this proposal.

Thank-you/Merci/Meeqwetch

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