

Dear City Manager,

I've come to hear that a very vocal minority in the neighborhood are trying to close the boat ramp... again! The place I walk my dog to! The place I paddle board with my son! The place I taught my daughter to kayak! Surely this can't be allowed!

Furthermore, I believe that there are some \*improvements\* that should be made to make our already great neighborhood EVEN BETTER!

- 1) The gate is constantly closed, even when it's open! Perhaps keep it open so as to not look so foreboding;
- 2) Publicly announce your support of the boat ramp and its users and CONDEMN the folks that harass and intimidate regular people that just want to enjoy our town;
- 3) Put in some kind of signage, so that people can use and appreciate this hidden gem! I lived here for MONTHS before I knew it existed;
- 4) Perhaps the people that don't like living by the boat ramp SHOULDN'T HAVE BOUGHT A HOUSE BY A BOAT RAMP :-) Perhaps there's some kind of fencing that could be installed to give them more privacy(?);
- 5) Currently the boat ramp is ALSO under attack by the crazy foliage all around it. With some maintenance/care it would be less of an eyesore for the unappreciative parties;
- 6) Let's get a porta-potty around there... especially during the summer. nothing like a nice boat ride and then telling my son to "Hold it!" :-)

All in all, this is an amazing community. The boat ramp is truly a hidden gem and best-kept-secret. Rather than attacking the boat ramp, I hope people echo my feelings that more should be done to AUGMENT this wonder treasure of Rivergrove.

Let me know if there's anything else I can do to help the cause.

Thanks & best,

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