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TO: Genesee Foundation Board of Directors
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8/13/08 Board Agenda Item V.A.2.

2008 OPEN SPACE MANAGEMENT

See attachment to the Community Manager's report for an update on open space projects.

The work on Daisy Lane is 90% complete. Raking and re-vegetation will take place when contractors leave the area. Five residents in the project area are undertaking ARC approved mitigation plans.

2009 OPEN SPACE BUDGET

The GEM Committee met to review the proposed budget request for 2009.

STREAMSIDE TRAIL ASSESSMENT

Blue Mountain Environmental Consulting has delivered 2/3 of the first draft of the Streamside Assessment for GEM Committee review. The final section is due later this week. Trees in the Streamside corridor have been marked.

SEEDHEADS

Lee Recca and Jean Dennis have volunteered to chair the Seedheads and will assume leadership at the August meeting of the group. Scott Jacob will follow-up on concerns expressed by GEM members that residents seem to be losing interest in the annual plant sale.