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Dear Commissioner Schornack:

I am writing to express my feelings of the Lake Ontario St. Lawrence River Study Board regarding the decisions on the three plans they are proposing. I extremely feel that they take a lot of consideration of plans "A", "B" and "D" before they release a decision. I feel that these plans will allow our water levels to fluctuate well above current levels - with a high to 249. I have been following the water level in the D+C Daily and it has been 246. A high of 249 - flooding would severely destroy my residence on the water. The impact of the water being raised to 247 feet that happened in April 1993 led to substantial flooding. This would be totally devastating for all our homes, businesses and village of Sodus Point.

Every day I am very thankful to have a place on Lake Ontario in Sodus Point.

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I have put a lot of fine hard work and money into my home. We are already paying a (tax) premium to live on the lake. Then to be subjected to high water levels just doesn't seem fair.

I had to sand bag twice since purchasing it in 1981. To date there has been no worry regarding my property being destroyed by high water.

I feel very strongly that the Commissioners take into consideration my views on these plans in their deliberations on the Study Board's final report.

Thank you.

A concerned resident
of Sodus Point, N.Y.

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