From: Robert Brewer
To: MVN Environmental;
Subject: Save Coconut Beach
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Mr. Owen,

I just wanted to take a few moments to let you know how much Coconut Beach means to me. It's not just a bar where I hang out and drink with buddies, but I do that. It's not just some place where thousands of people get together for athletic competition, but they do. And it's not just a business that brings in quite a bit of money for New Orleans, but I'm sure that is true as well.

Coconut Beach is a staple for those of us that get together to enjoy the spirit of competition and the joy of camaraderie. It's as New Orleans as a po-boy or City Park. By using this as a pumping-station, you'll be robbing thousands of people of a safe outlet to get together in large numbers and enjoy themselves. Many of us go out and play there multiple times per week. I understand that without a pumping-station that there might not be a city to go home to one day, but I implore you to look elsewhere for the land. If that is not an option, please use as little land as necessary so as to preserve our park and our way of living.

Thank you for your time,

Robby Brewer
Concerned Citizen