Sunday, July 4, 2004, 00:00 by Alan Deidun The spawning of a public movement

I strongly solicit the concerned Mellieha community, who have justly taken umbrage over a string of other developments within their community to set up a proactive lobby, mimicking the efforts of Save Garnaw Valley and the recently established il-Maghluq (Marsascala) action group (besides the laudable stances taken recently by Xaghra and Pembroke local councils).

Such a proliferation of public movements is spearheading a clear message to politicians election time is now; voters will weigh your environmental commitments throughout the five years and not scapegoat antics at the last minute before the ballot box can change voters' minds.