Why is it difficult to establish sustainable wetland conservation?

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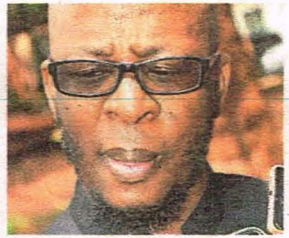
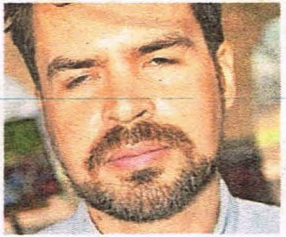
Changing people's attitudes towards new ideas is very difficult.

Marion Icheduna, Water specialist
When you are encouraging people to leave wetlands to go into other businesses, they weigh the pros and cons. That is where degradation always comes in, especially when the alternative is weaker.



Dr Akankwasa Barirega, ED -NEMA
The pressure on wetlands is too high. Communities are relying on them for so many things, which is affecting the integrity of the wetlands in the first place, which is worsened by the high population growth rate.



Simon Bar, Giz
The pressure on wetlands is too high because the community relies on them for horticulture. We have very few of them being used as demonstration sites for sustainable use.

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