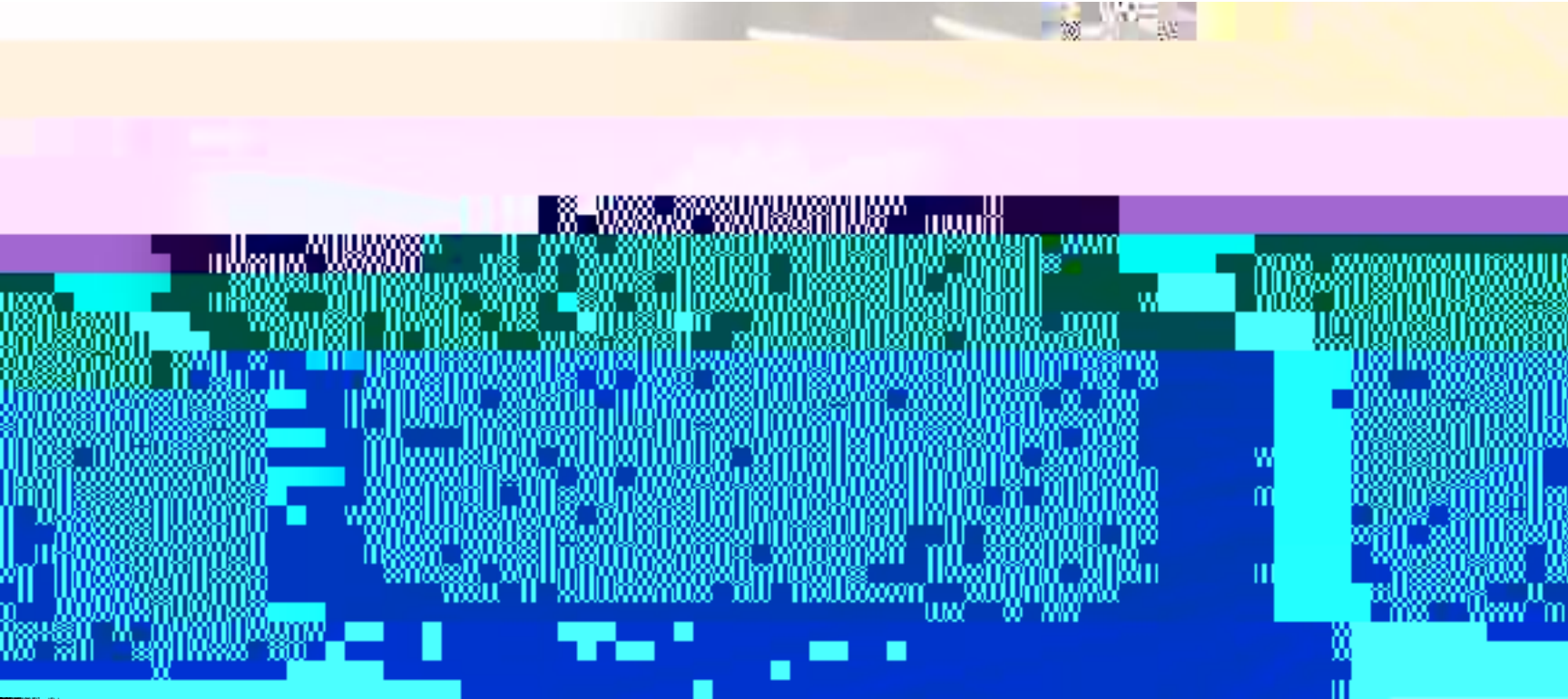
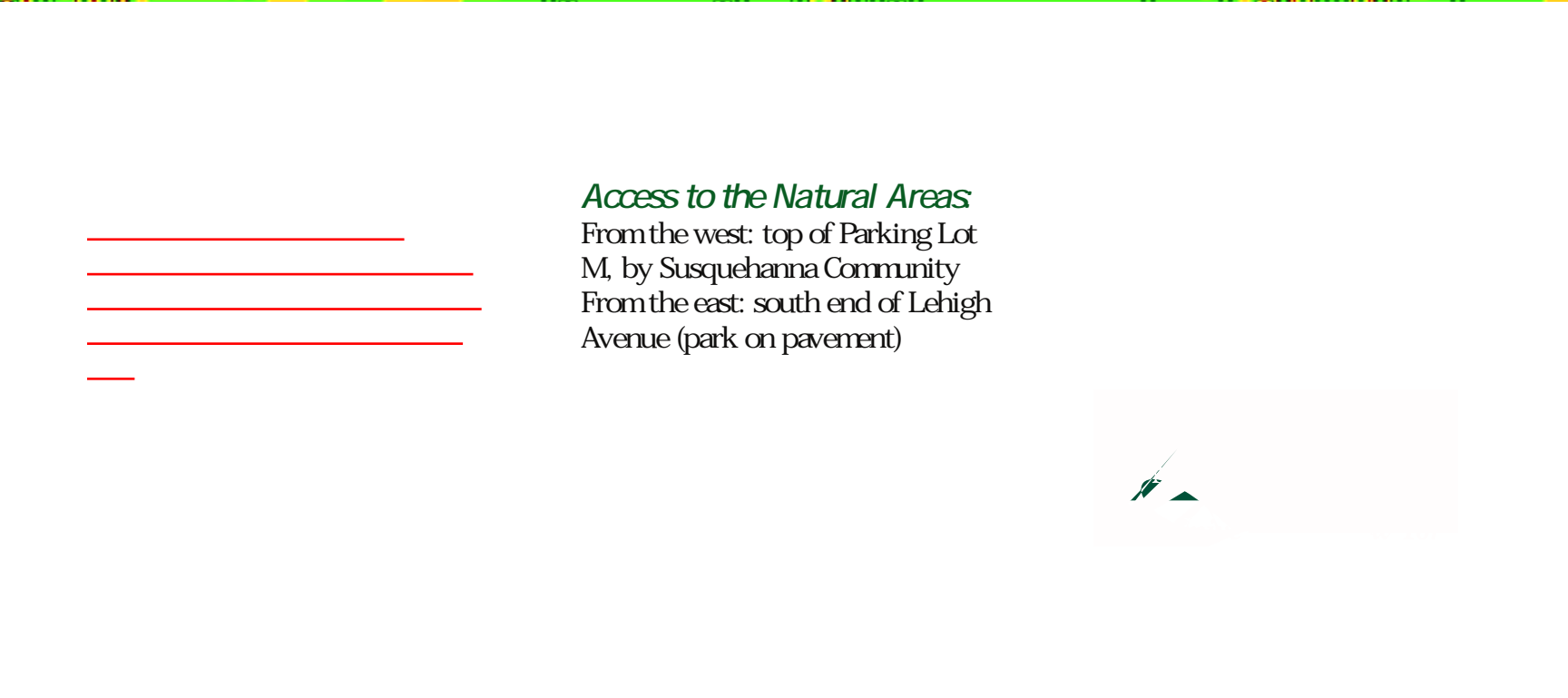
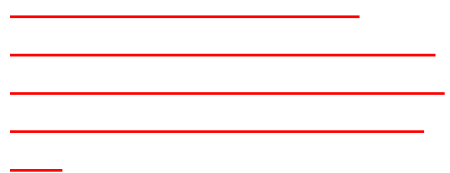


*Access to the Natural Areas*

From the west: top of Parking Lot M, by Susquehanna Community  
 From the east: south end of Lehigh Avenue (park on pavement)



The Nature Preserve was established in 1970 to recognize natural areas on campus and to preserve the area for minimal-impact research and quiet contemplation. The University is unique in having such a large preserve right on campus. Its approximately 600 acres of natural areas, including 190 acres designated as Nature Preserve and 400 acres of untouched land, are open to all nature lovers. Lowlands flooded by beavers, forested hills, old fields and shrub lands create a mosaic of plant communities that offer habitat for a wide variety of mammals, birds, and insects.

- No hunting
- No fires
- Stay on trails

*About the Friends of the Nature Preserve*

This nurturing group of faculty, students and community members