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First responders on the scene of reports of a car in a retention pond on William Street in Cheektowaga.  
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### **Cheektowaga police investigate report of car submerged in pond**

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Police and volunteer firefighters are at a retention pond on William Street at Rossler Avenue in Cheektowaga Saturday afternoon, where a car may be submerged.

According to neighbors, a car crashed into a building, bounced back and became submerged in the pond next to it.

Neighbors said the fence in the area has been down for a few hours, but police only got call midafternoon to investigate.

It is unclear how many people may be in the car, if in fact it is submerged.

About a dozen firefighters and police are gathered around the small retention pond, perhaps 15 feet wide, with a ladder going into the pond.

The building on the other side pond has big hole in it.

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