dotted with islands and pottery has been found throughout. There are strong local beliefs in water spirits and, in a similar fashion to Ampan Swamp, there have been local tales of residents hearing traditional Thai music coming from the swamp. Accordingly, there are rituals held at the swamp every year.

Figure 3. La Han Luk Nok Swamp

Samrong Swamp (Figure 4) is a large natural reservoir in Nakhon Ratchasima, 3.37km^2. The swamp can hold a total of 30 million cubic metres. It is located five kilometres from the Chi River. During the rainy season, the Chi River will swell and fill Samrong Swamp. The swamp provides water for the 5,550 people from the 1,280 households in the surrounding nine communities. However, there is not enough water stored in the swamp to provide for everyone the entire year (Sarawut Chanapan, personal communication, 2014).

Figure 4. Samrong Swamp

Many of the water resources, including Huai Yang Reservoir are home to a variety of flora and fauna and an extremely relaxing environment, suitable for