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August 12, 2025

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Bureau of Land - Permits MC #33
Attn: Part 845 Coal Combustion Residual Rule Submittal
2520 West Iles Avenue
Springfield, IL 62794

Re: Illinois Power Generating Company - Coffeen Power Plant
Bureau ID # W1350150004-03
CCR Surface Impoundment Construction Permit Application Supplement

Illinois Power Generating Company (IPGC) is hereby submitting a supplement to the closure construction permit application submitted on July 28, 2022. Enclosed is an addendum to the Closure Alternatives Assessment (CAA) for the Gypsum Stack Pond at IPGC's Coffeen Power Plant which was included in the Final Closure Plan found in Appendix G of the application. The enclosed addendum provides updated information related to the CAA requirements to address the concerns of the local community. A similar addendum was submitted in October 2024.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding the above responses, please contact Rhys Fuller at rhys.fuller@vistracorp.com or (618) 975-1799.

Sincerely,



Phil Morris, P.E.
Sr. Director, Environmental

Closure Alternatives Analysis Addendum

**July 2025 Updated Information Regarding Concerns of Residents
Associated with the Closure Alternatives
[Illinois Administrative Code Section 845.710(b)(4)]**

This document presents an addendum to the Closure Alternatives Assessment (CAA) for the Gypsum Management Facility (GMF) Gypsum Stack Pond (GSP) and the GMF Recycle Pond (RP) at Illinois Power Generating Company's (IPGC) Coffeen Power Plant property near the City of Coffeen, Illinois, which was submitted to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) in July 2022 (Gradient, 2022). The CAA was prepared to meet the requirements of Section 845.710 of the Illinois Administrative Code (Title 35, Subtitle G, Chapter I, Subchapter j, Part 845; IEPA, 2021), which requires the development of a CAA prior to undertaking closure activities. The CAA evaluated two specific closure scenarios for the GMF GSP: Closure-in-Place (CIP) with coal combustion residual (CCR) excavation and consolidation and Closure-by-Removal with off-Site CCR disposal (CBR-Offsite). For the GMF RP, the CAA evaluated one closure scenario: Closure-by-Removal with on-Site disposal (CBR-Onsite). A wide range of criteria – including the efficiency, reliability, and ease of implementation of the closure scenario, and its potential positive and negative short- and long-term impacts on human health and the environment – were used to evaluate the closure scenarios for the GMF GSP and the GMF RP (Gradient, 2022; IEPA, 2021).

One specific requirement of Section 845.710 of the Illinois Administrative Code [845.710(b)(4)] relates to the ability of the closure scenario to address concerns raised by the local community:

The closure alternatives analysis must examine the following for each closure alternative... [t]he degree to which the concerns of the residents living within communities where the CCR will be handled, transported and disposed of are addressed by the closure method (IEPA, 2021).

The CAA submitted in 2022 (Gradient, 2022) evaluated the closure alternatives with respect to this requirement and concluded that all the closure scenarios considered for the GMF GSP and the GMF RP addressed residents' concerns regarding impacts to groundwater and surface water quality. The CAA identified CIP of the GMF GSP and CBR-Onsite of the GMF RP as the most appropriate closure scenarios based on all criteria that were evaluated consistent with the requirements of Section 845.710. A public meeting was held on June 14, 2022, during which the results of the CAA were discussed, and community questions were answered.

Since the initial submission of the CAA, IPGC has received hundreds of letters from residents and town officials who live in communities near the Site and along adjacent transportation corridors. Through these letters, local community members have shown overwhelming support for the CIP alternative and raised concerns regarding the activities associated with the CBR-Offsite alternative for the GMF GSP. An addendum to the CAA conveying the local community's strong preference for the CIP alternative for the GMF GSP was submitted to the IEPA in 2024 (Gradient, 2024).

After the initial addendum was prepared, IPGC has continued to receive letters from residents who live in communities near the Site and along adjacent transportation corridors (Figure A.1). These letters (received since the submission of the 2024 addendum and attached at the end of this addendum) continue to voice support for the CIP alternative for the GMF GSP and raise concerns associated with the CBR-Offsite alternative.

Specifically, local residents are concerned about the adverse effects (including an increase in traffic, safety risks, noise and air pollution) associated with the CBR-Offsite scenario, which would involve removing and transporting 556,000 cubic yards of coal ash off-site over a period of approximately three years. They are concerned that these effects would "diminish the quality of life for nearby residents along the proposed coal ash hauling routes" (*e.g.*, see letter by Eugene Brominski from Mount Olive, IL). On the contrary, they consider the CIP closure plan to be "environmentally responsible" and "a better way that does not involve the risks associated with hauling tens of thousands of truckloads of material through our communities."

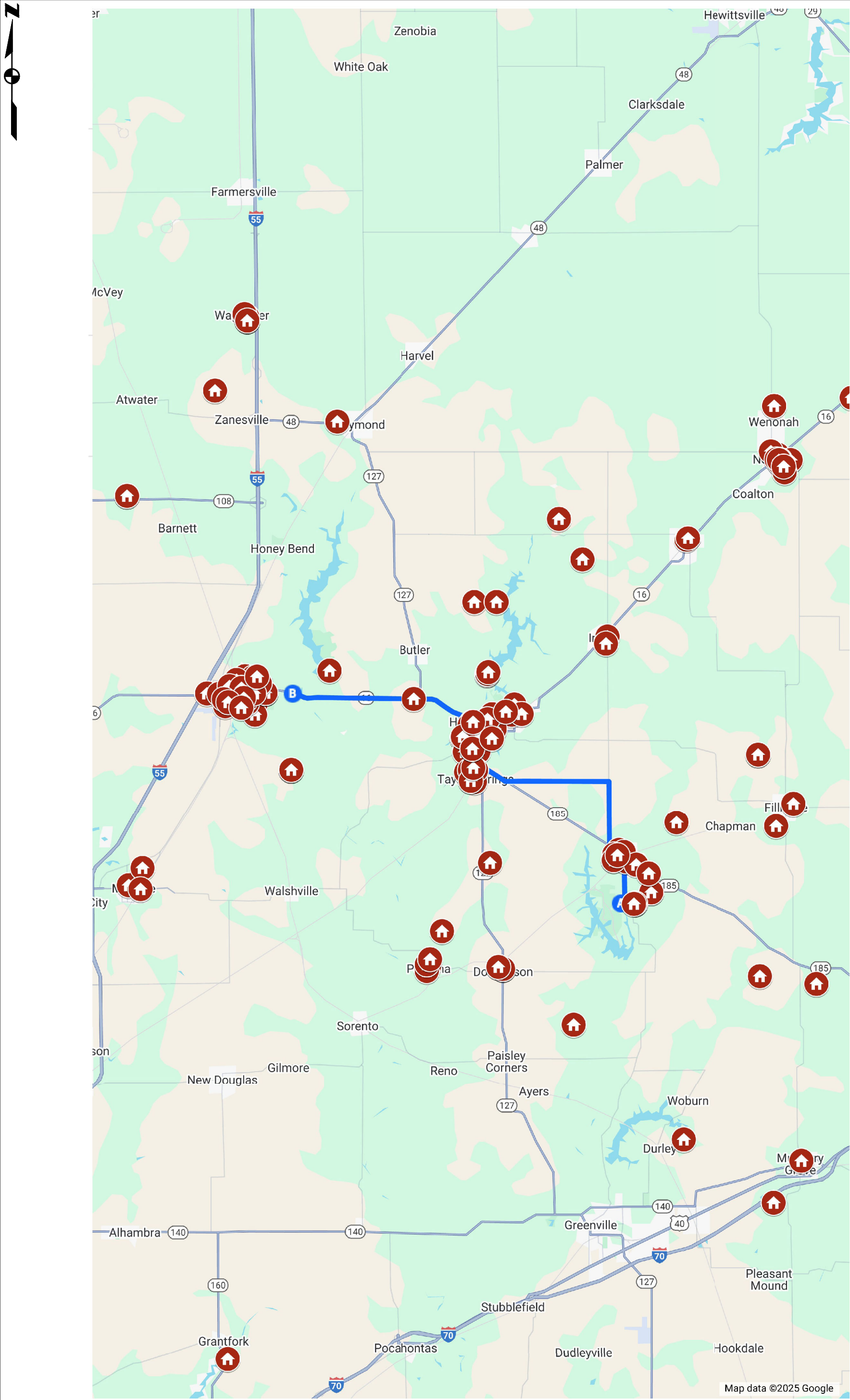
As can be seen from the attached letters, the local community continues to overwhelmingly support the CIP alternative over CBR-Offsite for the GMF GSP.

References

Gradient. 2022. "Closure Alternatives Analysis for the Gypsum Management Facility Stack Pond and Recycle Pond at the Coffeen Power Plant, Coffeen, Illinois." 107p., July 28.

Gradient. 2024. "Closure Alternatives Analysis Addendum: Updated Information Regarding Concerns of Residents Associated with the Closure Alternatives [Illinois Administrative Code Section 845.710(b)(4)], Gypsum Management Facility Stack Pond and Recycle Pond at the Coffeen Power Plant, Coffeen, Illinois." 88p., October.

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA). 2021. "Standards for the disposal of coal combustion residuals in surface impoundments." Accessed at <https://www.ilga.gov/commission/jcar/admincode/035/03500845sections.html>.



LEGEND



Potential truck transportation route between the site and the off-site disposal facility



Map Showing the Locations of Respondents that Live in Proximity to Potential Truck Haul Routes

FIGURE A.1

SOURCE: Google Maps, 2025

Gypsum Management Facility, Coffeen Power Plant, Coffeen, IL

Date: 07/15/2025

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Letters From Local Residents

05/30/2025, 05:53:02 PM

Barb Lieberoff
Community Relations Officer
Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
2520 W. Iles Ave.
PO Box 19276
Springfield, IL 62794-9276

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Sincerely,

Eugene Brominski
304 w 2nd north st
Mount Olive, IL 62069-1207

05/27/2025, 07:35:20 AM

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James Branham
402 south plum
Carlinville, IL 62626-1743

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Sincerely,

Tammy Nelson
102 n oak st
Nokomis, IL 62075-1224

05/26/2025, 07:10:39 AM

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205 N Ash St
Coffeen, IL 62017

05/20/2025, 08:57:12 PM

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Sincerely,

Steve Snow
1417 center street Hillsboro IL
Hillsboro, IL 62049-2003

05/17/2025, 03:57:59 PM

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Sandra Moody
108 Lakewood Drives
Hillsboro, IL 62049-3201

05/16/2025, 11:48:37 AM

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Sincerely,

Anjolee Eickhoff
117 W. Goltra St.
Blue Mound, IL 62513-9744

05/14/2025, 09:46:36 AM

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Barydon Mason
503 Jefferson street
Donnellson, IL 62019

05/13/2025, 12:28:56 PM

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William Korunka
22779 Mullins Rd
Mount Olive, IL 62069-3113

05/12/2025, 05:19:26 AM

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251 Coyote Ln
Coffeen, IL 62017-2334

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17611 Moore Cemetery Rd
Carlinville, IL 62626-4103

04/30/2025, 11:06:30 PM

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202 Berry ste
Gillespie, IL 62033

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19101 S. Atwater Rd.
Raymond, IL 62626

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1979 Motycka In
Panama, IL 62077

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Mr. Jim Young
416 e main st
Mount Olive, IL 62069

04/10/2025, 09:04:34 AM

Barb Lieberoff
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PO Box 19276
Springfield, IL 62794-9276

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Toni Will
13376 rt 138
Gillespie, IL 62014

04/10/2025, 05:49:40 AM

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David Wilson
108 S 2nd St
Mulberry Grove, IL 62262

04/07/2025, 10:56:47 PM

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Sincerely,

John Jackson
1333 N 1150 East Rd
Tower Hill, IL 62571

04/07/2025, 09:05:45 PM

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11122 Glenn Shoals Dr.
Hillsboro, IL 62049

04/06/2025, 04:19:24 PM

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Trisha Bradley
1074 Yaeger Lake Trail
Butler, IL 62015

04/06/2025, 06:09:23 AM

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Susan Susan
222 E Rogers Ave
Witt, IL 62094

04/05/2025, 09:52:27 AM

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Susan Odle
529 E. Ryder
Litchfield, IL 62056

04/04/2025, 01:34:57 PM

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Mike Prosser
804 W.S.2nd
Shelbyville, IL 62565

04/02/2025, 08:52:07 PM

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503 Jefferson street
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Madyson Austin
815 Ridge St
Taylor Springs, IL 62049

03/30/2025, 12:30:02 PM

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Gene Cailey
19 circle drive
Litchfield, IL 62056

03/28/2025, 06:43:17 AM

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Katie Zang
224 ohren dr
Litchfield, IL 62056

03/27/2025, 10:26:21 AM

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Bonnie Alvey Miller
6 Yount Drive
Hillsboro, IL 62049

03/25/2025, 11:00:26 PM

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Catherine Hancock
34 Cinder Lane
Coffeen, IL 62017

03/19/2025, 01:15:40 PM

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Terri Hinderhan
268 Mid City Rd
Kane, IL 62054

03/18/2025, 04:58:38 PM

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Mr. Phillip Adams
205 N Ash St
Coffeen, IL 62017

03/17/2025, 10:51:55 PM

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207 South Street
Coffeen, IL 62017

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500 West Virginia Ave.
Gillespie, IL 62033

03/15/2025, 07:19:18 PM

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306 N Richmond St
Fillmore, IL 62032

03/14/2025, 04:45:02 PM

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710 pence dr
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03/14/2025, 03:59:51 PM

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Matthew Blankenship
1115 cabin ave
Donnellson, IL 62019

03/09/2025, 10:06:46 PM

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Pierron, IL 62017

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Matt Rauzi
1410 madison
Gillespie, IL 62033

03/07/2025, 03:11:55 AM

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Levi Compton
406 south Harrison st
Litchfield, IL 62056

03/06/2025, 03:14:23 AM

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604 SCHOOL ST
Hillsboro, IL 62049

03/05/2025, 04:38:50 PM

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Billie Simmons
728 spring atreet
Taylor Springs, IL 62089

03/04/2025, 06:09:08 PM

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208 Locust St
Coffeen, IL 62017

03/04/2025, 09:30:31 AM

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11305 Meisenheimer
Hillsboro, IL 62049

03/03/2025, 03:27:36 PM

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Mrs. Twila Presnell
313 Lynne Ave.
Nokomis, IL 62075

03/03/2025, 06:47:38 AM

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Valerie Gibbs
1516 Laurel Ave
Greenville, IL 62246

03/01/2025, 08:21:24 PM

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803 Forest Street po box 51
Taylor Springs, IL 62089

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Karen Chesser
219 Elder st
Panama, IL 62077

02/27/2025, 11:27:44 PM

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108 Lakewood Dr
Hillsboro, IL 62049

02/27/2025, 03:24:11 AM

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Jordan White
32 Ash Lane
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300 W second st
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610 eastsouth st.
Litchfield, IL 62056

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179 S. McCullough st.
Waggoner, IL 62572

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Debra McGown
15033 N 17th Ave
Irving, IL 62051

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Beth Triplett
402 E 7th
Staunton, IL 62088

02/24/2025, 01:33:34 PM

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Shelly Dyer
604 east main street
Coffeen, IL 62017

02/23/2025, 04:32:23 PM

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Monte Govaia
111 E. Tyler Avenue
Litchfield, IL 62056

02/23/2025, 06:07:24 AM

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David Newcum
210 south prospect st
Coffeen, IL 62017

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Mr. Terri Hutchins-Towell
1320 N Walnut St
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James Dagon
1203 N MADISON ST
Litchfield, IL 62056

02/21/2025, 03:51:26 PM

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Jeff Scott
11477 Mansholt Rd
Bunker Hill, IL 62014

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Joseph Maretti
24385 N 23rd Ave
Nokomis, IL 62075-4013

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I urge you to support the plant's proposed impoundment plan.

Sincerely,

Brenda Goehlich
202 Bowles St
Hillsboro, IL 62049

02/20/2025, 01:50:39 PM

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John Blankenship
506 M
Coffeen, IL 62017

02/20/2025, 09:09:54 AM

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709 Freeland ave
Hillsboro, IL 62049

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Michael Watkins
1980 Gilham rd
Mulberry Grove, IL 62262

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383 McCoullough
Waggoner, IL 62572

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301 S Pine st
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Litchfield, IL 62056

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921 e ryder
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1417 center street
Hillsboro, IL 62049-2003

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John Walk
1962 memory lane rd
Mulberry Grove, IL 62262

02/19/2025, 03:35:45 PM

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505 s Front St
Ramsey, IL 62080

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323 south spruce
Nokomis, IL 62075

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Litchfield, IL 62056

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Mrs.Linda LaChance
204 S. Maple St.
Nokomis, IL 62075-1334

02/19/2025, 07:22:40 AM

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Jim Robbins
1247 E 1400 Ave
Vandalia, IL 62471

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154 N Starr St
Waggoner, IL 62572

02/18/2025, 09:45:15 PM

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Phillip Burdell
314 S Grant St
Litchfield, IL 62056

02/17/2025, 10:57:03 PM

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Norma Sharp
611 Seyborn Ave
Hillsboro, IL 62049

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David David
9272 pheasant trl
Hillsboro, IL 62049

02/14/2025, 06:00:37 PM

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Sharon Carlock
800 Capps Ave
Nokomis, IL 62075

02/14/2025, 04:47:36 AM

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1417 center street
Hillsboro, IL 62049

11/27/2024, 04:44:52 PM

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1212 goby ave
Waggoner, IL 62572

11/24/2024, 08:29:19 PM

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MILTON ZOSCHKE
1023 E. Clark
Litchfield, IL 62056

11/17/2024, 10:07:27 AM

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708 W Columbia St
Litchfield, IL 62056

11/16/2024, 09:22:51 PM

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912 St.louis st.
Hillsboro, IL 62049

11/08/2024, 08:50:33 AM

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829 So. Jackson st.
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11/05/2024, 04:37:58 AM

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106 Greenbriar Dr
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17216 IL 185
Coffeen, IL 62017

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Sincerely,

Mrs. Shelley K Woolard
503 S Spruce St
Nokomis, IL 62075

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Litchfield, IL 62056

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