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Illinois Power Resources Generating, LLC
1500 Eastport Plaza Drive
Collinsville, IL 62234

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 Resources Generating, LLC - Edwards Power Plant Bureau ID # W1 43 8050005 CCR Surface Impoundment Construction Permit Application Supplement

Illinois Power Resources Generating, LLC (IPRG) is hereby submitting a supplement to the closure construction permit application submitted on June 29, 2022. Enclosed is an addendum to the Closure Alternatives Assessment (CAA) for the Ash Pond at IPRG's Edwards Power Plant which was included in the Final Closure Plan found in Appendix H 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 July 2024.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding the above responses, please contact Rhys Fuller at <a href="mailto:rhys.fuller@vistracorp.com">rhys.fuller@vistracorp.com</a> or (618) 975-1799.

Sincerely,

Phil Morris, P.E.

Sr. Director, Environmental

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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 Ash Pond at Illinois Power Resources Generating, LLC's (IPRG) Edwards Power Plant property in Peoria County, 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 Ash Pond: Closure-in-Place (CIP) with consolidation and Closure-by-Removal with Off-Site coal combustion residual (CCR) Disposal (CBR-Offsite) using 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 (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 both closure scenarios addressed residents' concerns regarding impacts to groundwater and surface water quality. The CAA identified CIP as the most appropriate closure scenario for the Ash Pond based on all criteria that were evaluated consistent with the requirements of Section 845.710. A public meeting was held on May 25, 2022, during which the results of the CAA were discussed, and community questions were answered.

Since the initial submission of the CAA, IPRG has received hundreds of letters from residents, labor organizations, 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. An addendum to the CAA conveying the local community's strong preference for the CIP alternative was submitted to the IEPA in 2024 (Gradient, 2024).

After the initial addendum was prepared, IPRG 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), which are attached at the end of this addendum, continue to voice support for the CIP alternative and raise concerns associated with the CBR-Offsite alternative.

Specifically, local residents are concerned about the "inherent hazards" (*e.g.*, increase in traffic, safety risk, noise and air pollution) associated with the CBR-Offsite scenario, which would involve removing and transporting millions of cubic yards of coal ash off-site over a period of 15 years. They state that they "cannot support any years-long proposal that would send hundreds of thousands of truckloads over our local roads and highways, transporting millions of cubic yards of coal ash to a landfill." On the other hand, they consider the CIP closure plan to be "environmentally responsible" and "better" than the CBR-Offsite alternative. They also point to the economic benefits of the CIP alternative which will involve "build[ing] a new utility-scale solar installation atop the reclaimed acres" that "will create good-paying jobs, increase property taxes, and generate new sources of energy" (*e.g.*, see letter from Mrs. Debra Eagan from Pekin, IL).

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

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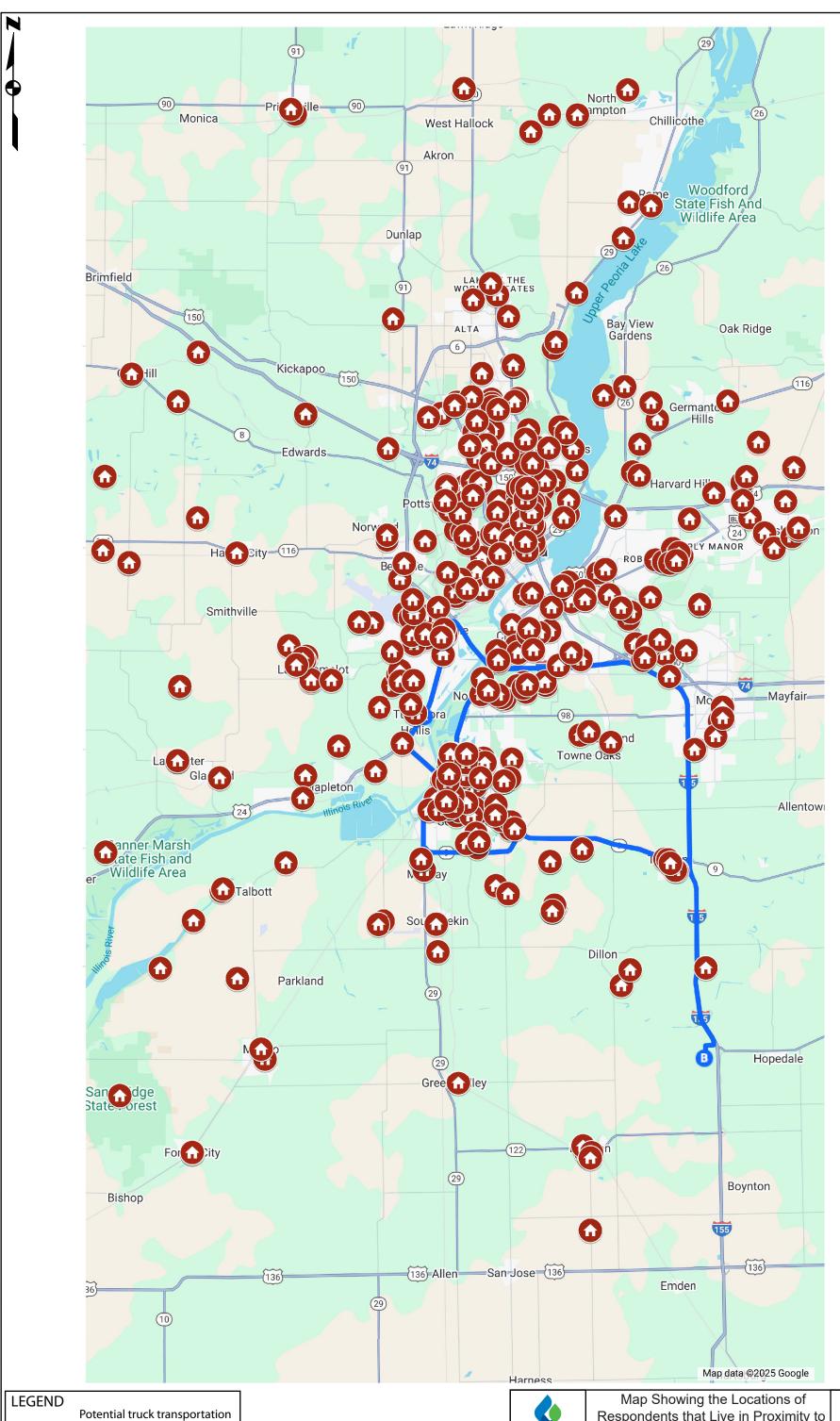
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route between the site and

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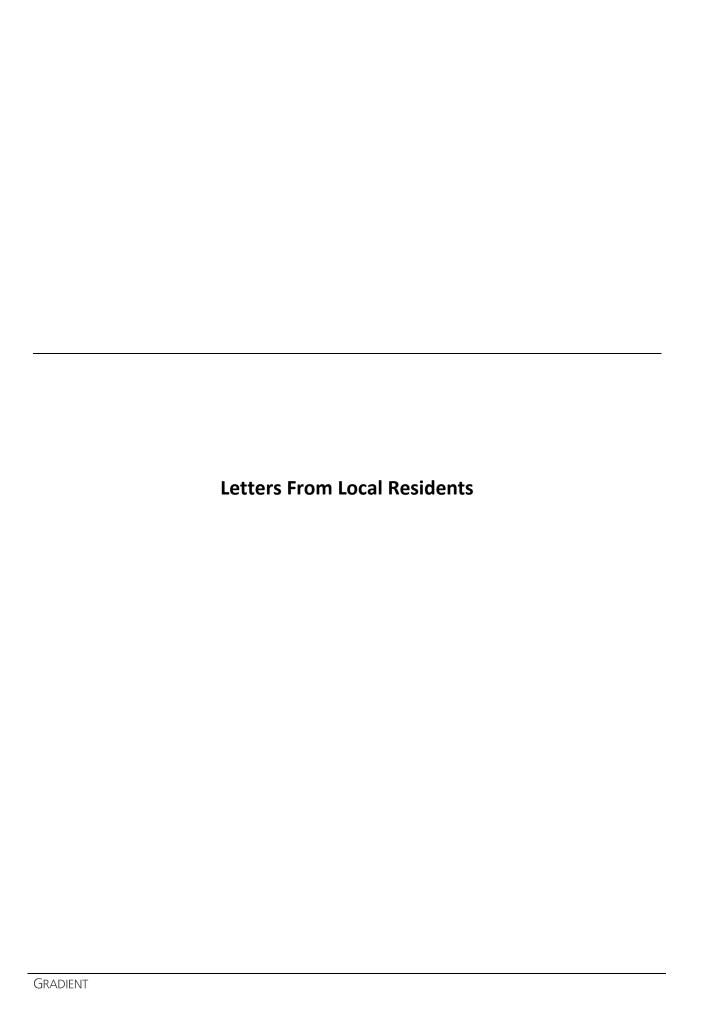
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Respondents that Live in Proximity to Potential Truck Haul Routes

FIGURE **A.1** 

Ash Pond, Edwards Power Plant. Bartonville, IL Date: 07/15/2025



05/31/2025, 04:11:23 PM

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

Subject line: Proposed Edwards Power Plant Impoundment Closure Public Comment

Dear Illinois EPA and Community Relations Officer Barb Lieberoff:

I am contacting you about the Illinois EPA's consideration of the closure plan for the Edwards Power Plant.

I'm a resident who would be adversely impacted by the alternative closure by removal method. I cannot support any years-long proposal that would send hundreds of thousands of truckloads over our local roads and highways, transporting millions of cubic yards of coal ash to a landfill.

There is a better way that does not involve the risks associated with hauling hundreds of thousands of truckloads of material through our communities.

The Edwards Power Plant's closure plan is responsible. It provides a path that will create construction jobs, generate property tax revenue, and reuse the plant site to generate electricity for years to come.

Alternatively, the closure by removal method would severely diminish the quality of life for residents who live nearby and along the proposed trucking routes. That is unacceptable.

Please reject any pressure to require the plant to close the impoundment by removing the coal ash by truck and through our communities.

Sincerely,

Deb Scurry 23123 County Rd. 2250 E. Topeka, IL 61567-9527 05/31/2025, 01:46:23 PM

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Mrs. Debra Eagan 104 Sycamore St Pekin, IL 61554-5159 05/31/2025, 11:44:12 AM

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Mr. Larry G McCoy Sr 601 Walnut St. Delavan, IL 61734-7588 05/28/2025, 12:37:15 PM

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Sincerely,

Ms. Carol Cole 4000 N Main St East Peoria, IL 61611-1451 05/26/2025, 05:36:48 AM

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Sincerely,

Mr. alan wolford 3018 wisconsin Peoria, IL 61603-1934 05/25/2025, 11:30:37 PM

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Todd Uhlman 7302 S Adams Street Bartonville, IL 61607-2713 05/25/2025, 05:20:52 PM

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Sincerely,

Mike cox 405 atkins Raymond, IL 62560 05/24/2025, 07:55:35 PM

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This plan is environmentally responsible and would create good-paying jobs, increase our property tax base that was negatively impacted by the closure of the legacy plant, and generate electricity for years to come.

The economic and environmental benefits of the Edwards Power Plant's closure plan make it the most sound approach for closing the impoundment and investing in our community.

Please approve the Edwards Power Plant's impoundment closure plan and reject calls to require closure by removal.

Sincerely,

Paul Cullen 502 Bryan St. Apt. F Peoria, IL 61603-3736 05/24/2025, 02:06:18 PM

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Mr. Ross Koberlein Brownstown, IL 62418 05/23/2025, 09:38:27 PM

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Mr. Chuck Traver 2700 w. Alt Rd Peoria, IL 61615-9525 05/22/2025, 07:11:34 PM

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Kathy Davis 1017 Market St apt A Pekin, IL 61554-2882 05/21/2025, 01:41:55 PM

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Mr. Paul Williams 812 Lasalle Road Marquette Heights, IL 61554-1438 05/20/2025, 11:10:50 AM

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mike woo 318 Rosalind Ave. Peoria Heights, IL 61616-5153 05/20/2025, 10:47:07 AM

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Walt Emmons 12087 Sunset Dr Manito, IL 61546-8815 05/20/2025, 08:12:06 AM

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Kenny Painter 1517Hamoton st Pekin ill 61554 Washington, IL 61571-1371 05/19/2025, 11:50:38 AM

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Tracey Goulding 1106 s 7 ave Canton, IL 61520-3452 05/19/2025, 09:41:13 AM

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Loretta Hardgrove 1429 w tomar Peoria, IL 61614-5821 05/19/2025, 07:45:49 AM

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Maryann Ozella 5616 N Montello Peoria, IL 61614-3935 05/18/2025, 11:37:15 PM

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Graham Elvis 123 SW Jefferson Peoria, IL 61602-1221 05/16/2025, 09:47:21 PM

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Keith Huff 101 E. Chicago PO Box 559 Minier, IL 61759-7546 05/16/2025, 02:27:08 AM

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Mr.Mark Stevens 6290 Macs Road Manito, IL 61546 05/14/2025, 09:56:36 PM

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Ms.JoAnn Barnes 414 School St. Po box 260 Henry, IL 61537-1518 05/14/2025, 05:45:40 PM

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Clarence D Warlick 3303 main st Rockford, IL 61103-3128 05/13/2025, 06:30:36 AM

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Gary Craig 4015 Harmon Ave. Peoria, IL 61614-6634 05/12/2025, 09:09:30 PM

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Eddie Love III 3417 W Villa RDG Peoria, IL 61604-1732 05/12/2025, 01:59:38 PM

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Cynthia Sticken 203 N Randolph St Princeton, IL 61356-1664 05/11/2025, 11:12:41 PM

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Rich Kruse 4737 Blossom Drive East Peoria, IL 61611 05/10/2025, 07:14:23 PM

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Harold Hood 24525 Adams rd Frederick, IL 62639-4006 05/10/2025, 09:04:50 AM

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Glen Stallings 15405 W Glasford Canton Rd Glasford, IL 61533 05/08/2025, 07:20:56 AM

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Ms.Carol Cole 4000 N. Main Street East Peoria, IL 61611-1451 05/07/2025, 11:01:15 AM

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Mr. Steve Bohler 913 e chestnut Canton, IL 61520-2937 05/07/2025, 10:00:08 AM

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Mrs. Rebecca Pritchard 5315 W Janet Ct Peoria, IL 61607-1467 05/05/2025, 06:17:07 PM

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Russell Davis 5424 South Airport Road Peoria, IL 61607-9475 05/05/2025, 06:06:44 AM

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Sparky Coffey 20861 Oakford st Petersburg, IL 62675-6639 05/03/2025, 05:21:20 PM

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Glen Stallings 15405 W Glasford Canton Rd Glasford, IL 61533 05/03/2025, 03:35:23 PM

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Joel DeVries 14506 w schlink rd Brimfield, IL 61517-9438 05/03/2025, 03:35:23 PM

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Annmarie Kieffer 420 N. 5th St. Apt #4 Watseka, IL 60970-2200 05/03/2025, 06:26:06 AM

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Sincerely,

Ms.Sherry taylor 2021 meadow ave East Peoria, IL 61611-3636 05/02/2025, 06:29:04 PM

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Joann Johnson 1622 W Christine Ave Peoria, IL 61614-5732 05/02/2025, 08:08:23 AM

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Rick Norris 1809 rustic oak dr Washington, IL 61571-8703 05/01/2025, 08:40:55 AM

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Mrs. Diana R Campos 2632 N Peoria Ave Peoria, IL 61603-1767 05/01/2025, 03:07:00 AM

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Eugene D 10823 Medalion Dr Bloomington, IL 61705 04/30/2025, 04:51:55 PM

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Kevin Grove 535 S Main St Canton Canton, IL 61520 04/30/2025, 07:20:04 AM

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Lonnie Klein 24644 farmdale rd Washington, IL 61571 04/28/2025, 07:48:32 PM

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Dawn Evans 12035 Wagonseller rd Pekin, IL 61554 04/28/2025, 05:46:26 PM

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Mr. Randall Couch 313 Lakeside Ave, Apt B Pekin, IL 61554 04/25/2025, 08:41:29 PM

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Ms. Diane Dycus 115 Sun Valley Ct. East Peoria, IL 61611 04/24/2025, 08:31:32 AM

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Danny Randleman 13914 Glenmar Dr Pekin, IL 61554 04/23/2025, 10:59:39 PM

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Ms. Judith McColl 14105 n River Beach dr Chillicothe, IL 61523 04/19/2025, 12:35:37 AM

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Ms. Tamara Leveque 201 Cooper Street Pekin, IL 61554 04/18/2025, 02:57:28 PM

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Matthew Lembke 1801 w hovey Normal, IL 61761 04/17/2025, 04:39:13 PM

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Mr. Shawn Gillham 304 n trivoli rd Trivoli, IL 61569 04/17/2025, 02:23:23 PM

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Art Palmer 5227 Airport Rd Peoria, IL 61607 04/16/2025, 08:19:19 PM

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George Ridyard 1402 Jill Dever Lane Pekin, IL 61554 04/14/2025, 10:53:34 PM

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Michael O'Hara 16756 Red Shale Hill Road Pekin, IL 61554 04/13/2025, 07:50:42 PM

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Mrs. Joy Barker 1030 E Mason Pittsfield, IL 62363 04/12/2025, 11:30:47 PM

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Mike Tisdale 600 west high st Peoria, IL 61606 04/12/2025, 09:28:18 PM

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Kensey Ross 1806 S Kneer Ave Peoria, IL 61605 04/12/2025, 09:13:27 PM

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John MCILNAY 12001 N Devinwood Dr Dunlap, IL 61525 04/12/2025, 07:25:51 PM

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James Mayernick 1091/2 s. main st #2 Creve Coeur, IL 61610 04/12/2025, 05:14:47 AM

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Linda Brooksbier Jackson 925 Primm Rd Apt 218 Lincoln, IL 62656 04/12/2025, 01:54:30 AM

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Dear Illinois EPA and Community Relations Officer Barb Lieberoff:

I am contacting you about the Illinois EPA's consideration of the closure plan for the Edwards Power Plant.

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There is a better way that does not involve the risks associated with hauling hundreds of thousands of truckloads of material through our communities.

The Edwards Power Plant's closure plan is responsible. It provides a path that will create construction jobs, generate property tax revenue, and reuse the plant site to generate electricity for years to come.

Alternatively, the closure by removal method would severely diminish the quality of life for residents who live nearby and along the proposed trucking routes. That is unacceptable.

Please reject any pressure to require the plant to close the impoundment by removing the coal ash by truck and through our communities.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Hemp 4620 s Canterbury ct Mapleton, IL 61547 04/12/2025, 12:10:51 AM

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Phillip Neptun 22110 SPRING CREEK RD Washington, IL 61571 04/11/2025, 07:51:33 AM

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Marcia Ball Appel Mckee 5510 lee ann ct Peoria, IL 61607 04/11/2025, 06:50:40 AM

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Joshua Crandell 210 hamilton rd Pekin, IL 61554 04/10/2025, 11:43:51 PM

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Don Manning 316 W. Corrington Av Peoria, IL 61604 04/09/2025, 07:05:37 AM

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Stephen Gawlik 15 N Holly Ave Fox Lake, IL 60041 04/08/2025, 03:51:21 PM

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Laurie Frazee-Decker 202 birkett po box 228 South Pekin, IL 61564 04/07/2025, 10:32:34 PM

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Ms. Brenda Trujillo 313 Park Ridge LN Pekin, IL 61554 04/07/2025, 12:18:15 PM

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Roger Jones 915 s helen st #119 Peoria, IL 61605 04/06/2025, 01:41:03 PM

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Robin Webb 1507 w teton Peoria, IL 61614 04/06/2025, 01:42:43 AM

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Mrs. Linda L 402 Christopher St Pekin, IL 61554 04/06/2025, 01:28:04 AM

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George Ridyard 4133 joliet sve Pekin, IL 61554 04/05/2025, 01:15:53 PM

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Mr. Felix Kaskie 15233 St Andrews Dr Orland Park, IL 60462 04/05/2025, 09:12:27 AM

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Mr .Anthony Hirner 926 main street Peoria, IL 61602 04/04/2025, 03:58:16 PM

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Mr. John Abel 1809 Greenview Dr. Pekin, IL 61554 04/03/2025, 04:51:00 PM

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The economic and environmental benefits of the Edwards Power Plant's closure plan make it the most sound approach for closing the impoundment and investing in our community.

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Sincerely,

Jay Sauer 5021 AirPort rd. Peoria, IL 61607 04/01/2025, 07:39:22 AM

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trudy heitzman heitzman 9012wmaplerige Rd Mapleton, IL 61547 03/31/2025, 12:13:38 AM

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Daryl Carter 4210 Brentwood lane Waukegan, IL 60087 03/30/2025, 04:50:10 AM

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Steven Coensgen 1201 south capitol st. Pekin, IL 61554 03/29/2025, 02:37:19 PM

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vickie osborne 104 southwest st apt 6 Tremont, IL 61568 03/29/2025, 12:06:51 PM

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Debbie Selburg 514 W. Teton Drive Peoria, IL 61614-2046 03/28/2025, 02:57:16 PM

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Jim Hayes Hayes 2707 N. Dechman Av. Peoria, IL 61603 03/27/2025, 03:51:39 PM

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David Cox 1124 n wildwood ct Peoria, IL 61604 03/26/2025, 09:02:16 PM

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John Marter 112 BEVERLY AVE Morton, IL 61550 03/26/2025, 01:29:33 PM

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Mary McMorrow 1216 N Olde Farm Rd East Peoria, IL 61611 03/25/2025, 08:00:47 AM

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Mrs.Karen Connett 807 S Locust St Delavan, IL 61734 03/24/2025, 01:47:46 PM

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avery johnson 248 Briargate Rd, Washington IL Washington, IL 61571 03/23/2025, 03:08:12 AM

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Jerry Morris 701 Fischer rd trlr 250 Creve Coeur, IL 61610 03/23/2025, 12:04:38 AM

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Mr.Billy Rhoades 412 Rusche St. Apt A Creve Coeur, IL 61554 03/22/2025, 08:09:42 PM

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Ms.Janet Koch 113 West Forest Ave East Peoria, IL 61611-3032 03/22/2025, 01:54:23 PM

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Ms. Twyla Lowe 30 s 2nd st Pekin, IL 61554 03/22/2025, 10:51:31 AM

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Mr. Gregg Hedge 114 Radisson road Marquette Heights, IL 61554 03/21/2025, 03:35:10 PM

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Melvin Pruss 1113n nofsinger rd Metamora, IL 61548 03/20/2025, 09:14:21 PM

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Wendy Fadness 14504 w Sommerfield Rd Hanna City, IL 61536 03/18/2025, 01:28:13 PM

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Daniel Carson 3029 w Farmington rd West Peoria, IL 61604 03/17/2025, 11:00:31 AM

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Mrs. Alisa Ann Robb 627 E Virginia Ave Peoria, IL 61603 03/16/2025, 11:42:56 AM

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Glen Stallings 15405 Glasford Canton rd. Glasford, IL 61533 03/14/2025, 06:04:22 PM

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Sally Brown 200 Sherwood Park Road Washington, IL 61571 03/10/2025, 08:46:39 PM

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Eliida Lakota 17171 Red Shale Hill Rd Pekin, IL 61554 03/10/2025, 02:12:43 PM

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Mr. Virgil McMurtrey 105 Argo St Washington, IL 61571 03/09/2025, 05:25:32 PM

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Ms. Dorothy Trier 1501 willow st. Pekin, IL 61554-2957 03/09/2025, 02:23:15 PM

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Chris Pounds 225 Ehrett St Creve Coeur, IL 61610 03/08/2025, 03:01:32 PM

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Mr.Lester Seman 118 Craig Road Marquette Heights, IL 61554 03/08/2025, 07:54:42 AM

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Richard Clevenger 5503 S Airport Rd Peoria, IL 61607 03/07/2025, 10:21:00 PM

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Ms. Tamara Leveque 201 Cooper Street Pekin, IL 61554 03/07/2025, 05:48:10 PM

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Matthew Fagle 2013 W Richwoods blvd Peoria, IL 61604-1244 03/07/2025, 09:37:59 AM

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Mr. Mike Zawadzki 36036 N Adelphi Ave Waukegan, IL 60087-2600 03/05/2025, 05:02:26 PM

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Thomas Hobbs 1201 Avon Pekin, IL 61554 03/05/2025, 03:50:15 PM

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Thomas Singer 4239 N Keenland Ave Peoria, IL 61614 03/05/2025, 10:57:18 AM

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Ms. Lynda Kiger 402 Christopher St. South Pekin, IL 61564 03/04/2025, 04:08:19 PM

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Charles Slagel 206 harriet st. Pekin, IL 61554 03/04/2025, 12:38:29 PM

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Tom Hall 1424 henry st Pekin, IL 61554 03/04/2025, 03:30:10 AM

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Mrs.Connie Hoffert 6104 Hartford Dr Pekin, IL 61554 03/03/2025, 03:20:27 PM

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Carole Hoke 1017 N Flora Ave Peoria, IL 61606 03/03/2025, 10:17:50 AM

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Mrs. Marilyn Davis 115 Lawndale Bartonville, IL 61607 03/03/2025, 06:16:30 AM

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Kelly Shaeffer 2019 Aldrich Ave S Pekin, IL 61554 03/02/2025, 11:09:04 PM

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Mr. Joel Rickey 397 E 2nd El Paso, IL 61738-1206 03/02/2025, 09:07:06 PM

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Mr. Russel Van Note 1684 1300th st Beason, IL 62512 03/01/2025, 11:33:32 AM

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Randy Howard 200 matilda apt 1 Pekin, IL 61554 02/28/2025, 09:24:51 PM

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Mary Freeman 611 S 7th St Pekin, IL 61554 02/28/2025, 07:43:36 PM

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George Lacanski 3129 W Birkshire Dr Peoria, IL 61614 02/28/2025, 03:26:49 PM

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Mr. Dale Schaeffer 507 Walnut Street Washington, IL 61571-2743 02/28/2025, 03:14:16 PM

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Deb Sammis 8520 W Lancaster Rd Peoria, IL 61607 02/28/2025, 02:34:40 PM

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Wesley frantz 603 N 11th St Pekin, IL 61554 02/28/2025, 06:00:17 AM

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Mr. James Goldman 1420 S 9th St Pekin, IL 61554 02/28/2025, 01:40:19 AM

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Terry Howell besimi 443 South St Pekin, IL 61554 02/27/2025, 11:40:33 PM

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Charles Zentko 1701 somerset Pekin, IL 61554 02/27/2025, 08:24:47 PM

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David Boggs East Peoria, IL 61611 02/27/2025, 05:17:59 PM

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Cynthia Zillion 411 Bess St Washington, IL 61571 02/27/2025, 06:51:33 AM

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steve muller 5715 galena rd Peoria Heights, IL 61616 02/26/2025, 04:25:11 PM

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Mr. Arthur Herm 22804 Farmdale Rd East Peoria, IL 61611 02/26/2025, 08:44:24 AM

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Nancy Gardner 407 Mckinley Ave Bartonville, IL 61607 02/25/2025, 07:06:42 PM

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Mrs. Debbi Bitner 8656 N. Picture Ridge Rd. Peoria, IL 61615 02/25/2025, 04:19:05 PM

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Jennifer Sewell 111 Peru Bartonville illinois Peoria, IL 61607 02/25/2025, 02:58:49 PM

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Mr. Steven Smith 12211Mennonite Church Rd Tremont, IL 61568 02/25/2025, 07:43:06 AM

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Mrs. Suzi McMullen 113 Catherine St East Peoria, IL 61611 02/25/2025, 07:42:01 AM

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patrick bott 3406 w lincoln ave Peoria, IL 61604

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Scott Underwood 1204 Henrietta St. Pekin, IL 61554

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Mr. Troy Berg 1663 US Highway 136 Atlanta, IL 61723

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Sincerely,

Dennis Reis 428 Morton st Trivoli, IL 61569 02/24/2025, 03:53:53 AM

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Michael c. fuller 401 s. third st., po box 361 Wapella, IL 61777 02/23/2025, 06:56:13 PM

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Mrs. Connie Hoffert 6104 Hartford Dr. Pekin, IL 61554 02/23/2025, 01:13:15 PM

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Richard Mitchell 1619 N New York ave Peoria, IL 61603 02/23/2025, 08:37:02 AM

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Jose Sanchez 2604 Lavelle ct ap 1A Peoria, IL 61604 02/22/2025, 10:28:40 PM

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Joy Plemmons 408 Willow Ct East Peoria, IL 61611 02/22/2025, 03:10:40 PM

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Michael Moore 17 Newberry Ct. Morton, IL 61550 02/22/2025, 02:30:16 PM

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Bob Schurter 21380 Connell Road Tremont, IL 61568 02/22/2025, 02:22:15 PM

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Mike Green 1208 SOUTH 12TH ST Pekin, IL 61554 02/22/2025, 08:18:39 AM

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Debra Jones 4912 W Linda Ct Peoria, IL 61607 02/22/2025, 02:13:25 AM

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Jeff Withey 510 Northbrook Dr Minier, IL 61759 02/21/2025, 10:42:26 PM

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Brad Berlett 320 almond dr i Washington, IL 61571 02/20/2025, 10:46:26 PM

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Carol Cordrey 1704 Highwood Ave Pekin, IL 61554 02/20/2025, 05:31:58 PM

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Justin Williams 601 n the 7 Murdock, IL 61941 02/20/2025, 12:20:23 PM

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Jennifer Survis 165 Elmridge circle East Peoria, IL 61611 02/20/2025, 10:36:22 AM

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Colton Prater 202 N Hickory st Bath, IL 62664 02/20/2025, 02:30:34 AM

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Carrie Snider 740 W Joan Ct Apt #304 Peoria, IL 61614-5947 02/19/2025, 09:13:37 PM

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Jonathan Fletcher 304 s 7th st Wyoming, IL 61491 02/19/2025, 04:22:26 PM

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steve muller 5715 galena rd Peoria Heights, IL 61616 02/19/2025, 02:06:13 PM

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Mr. Jason Jason 123 walnut st N. pekin North Pekin, IL 61554 02/19/2025, 06:03:08 AM

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Mr. VIRGIL TURNER 5025 W CHIPPEWA RD Peoria, IL 61607 02/18/2025, 07:26:03 PM

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Ms.Carol Bennett-Barker 2512 West Kenwood Avenue West Peoria, IL 61604 02/18/2025, 05:52:08 PM

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Douglas Meyer 5505 S Lafayette Ave Bartonville, IL 61607 02/17/2025, 08:20:36 PM

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Carmen Adams 918 n Sheridan Road, Apt 3 Peoria, IL 61606 02/17/2025, 03:44:36 PM

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Kade Stancil 24524 E Oak Park Rd Canton, IL 61520 11/29/2024, 05:45:52 PM

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Paul Wagner 201 S 6th St Wyoming, IL 61491 11/29/2024, 09:55:47 AM

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Mr. Steven Smith 12211 Mennonite Church Road Tremont, IL 61568 11/26/2024, 08:11:05 PM

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Darrell Williams 1323 springbay road East Peoria, IL 61611 11/26/2024, 01:02:58 AM

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Brenda Miller 2223 Veterans Rd. Unit 13 Morton, IL 61550 11/24/2024, 09:39:10 PM

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Linda M 2909 S Hilton Ln Bartonville. IL Peoria, IL 61607 11/18/2024, 05:07:44 AM

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steven bell 960 e main st Lomax, IL 61454 11/17/2024, 09:42:34 PM

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Mrs. Gynith Braker 2716 overhill dr. Pekin, IL 61554 11/16/2024, 10:57:58 AM

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Mr. Gregory Hankins 2515 W Humboldt Street Peoria, IL 61605 11/14/2024, 06:59:32 PM

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Keith Huff 101 E. Chicago PO Box 559 Minier, IL 61759-7546 11/14/2024, 01:43:40 PM

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Mrs. Barbara Powell 24625 Swab Run Rd Elmwood, IL 61529 11/14/2024, 08:06:35 AM

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Mr. Danny Randleman 13914 Glenmar Dr Pekin, IL 61554 11/13/2024, 09:20:14 AM

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Catherine Gearhartschinske 11625 Amberwood Dr Hebron, IL 60034 11/11/2024, 07:26:14 AM

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Lennell Smith 205 Springfield rd East Peoria, IL 61611 11/08/2024, 06:14:12 AM

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Mr. Lester Seman 118 Craig Road Marquette Heights, IL 61554 11/05/2024, 03:06:20 PM

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David Morgan 2 manor dr Pontiac, IL 61764 10/27/2024, 08:22:20 PM

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Ms. Janet Koch 113 West Forest Ave East Peoria, IL 61611-3032 10/24/2024, 10:18:00 AM

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Thomas Sargent 111 Partridge Rd Marquette Heights, IL 61554 10/24/2024, 03:31:27 AM

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Eric Camacho 4721 w Grace St Chicago, IL 60641 10/22/2024, 05:59:38 PM

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Mrs. Linda Gibson 405 SE 13TH APT 272 Aledo, IL 61231 10/22/2024, 01:31:42 PM

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Mrs. Shirley Burkhart 7954 E 1000 North Rd Stanford, IL 61774-7510 10/20/2024, 02:08:56 PM

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Brooke Lindeman 1423 E Melaik Ct Peoria, IL 61615 10/19/2024, 10:11:10 AM

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Sally Mcellhaney 20632 N Deer Bluffs Dr Chillicothe, IL 61523 10/18/2024, 04:54:07 PM

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George Pieper 816 Grandview Way Germantown Hills, IL 61548 10/17/2024, 05:25:29 AM

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Mr. Clifford Roach 407 N. Main St. Troy Grove, IL 61372 10/15/2024, 02:28:18 PM

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Sincerely,

Andrea Hollins 1702 s stanley Creve Coeur, IL 61610 10/14/2024, 04:18:58 AM

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Sincerely,

Mr. Troy Berg 1663 US Highway 136 Atlanta, IL 61723 10/11/2024, 08:35:54 PM

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Sincerely,

Mr. Hal Watkins 12201 Mennonite church rd Tremont, IL 61568-9052 10/08/2024, 06:42:53 AM

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Mr. Daniel Putney 9. park dr north pekin il North Pekin, IL 61554 10/07/2024, 12:03:32 PM

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Mrs. Marianne White 106 Happy Hollow Dr Dahinda, IL 61428 10/07/2024, 01:29:33 AM

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Rita Mock 401 Nth 4th Street Pekin, IL 61554 10/06/2024, 08:41:37 PM

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Sandra Gasparovich 4920 S Woodwind Ct Peoria, IL 61607 10/06/2024, 01:40:55 PM

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Charie Manning 2 valleyview Groveland, IL 61535 10/06/2024, 09:20:40 AM

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Mr. Jim Riley 1009st julian Pekin, IL 61554 10/06/2024, 06:53:24 AM

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Kathy Comer Kuhns 1104 lincoln rd Marquette Heights, IL 61554 10/03/2024, 07:08:19 PM

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Tracy Smith 238 N. Illinois Ave. Morton, IL 61550 10/03/2024, 06:47:43 PM

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Ms. Rick Miller 21819 Woodland Meadows Lane Tremont, IL 61568-9042 10/02/2024, 07:50:40 PM

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Ms. hortencia Juarez 735 kenwood ave. West Chicago, IL 60185 10/01/2024, 09:05:29 PM

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Cathy Vance Box 68 Forest City, IL 61532 09/30/2024, 12:57:39 PM

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Ms.Patricia Patnode 209 N C Monmouth, IL 61462-1631 09/29/2024, 02:32:28 PM

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Linda Ricks 303 capri st Pekin, IL 61554 09/29/2024, 10:10:54 AM

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Judy morris Reed 1321 W Hickory grove rd Dunlap, IL 61525 09/27/2024, 08:54:12 AM

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Mr. michael vinson 1714 N Linn St Peoria, IL 61604 09/27/2024, 02:03:45 AM

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Tony Maxwell 502 east McClure ave Peoria, IL 61603 09/26/2024, 10:56:19 PM

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Jamisha Hudson 420 E Republic St Peoria, IL 61603 09/26/2024, 04:48:24 PM

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Ms. Shirley Fowler 1130 East Euclid Avenue Peoria Heights, IL 61616 09/25/2024, 04:58:01 AM

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Richard Long 253 W Olive Canton, IL 61520 09/22/2024, 02:00:59 AM

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Mrs. Mary Shelton Cheri 908 Rose St., P.O. 403, South Pekin, IL 61654 09/21/2024, 04:07:19 PM

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Michelle Hobbs 128 Center East Peoria, IL 61554 09/21/2024, 02:12:18 PM

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Sincerely,

Larry Grapperhaus 707 Hillyer Pekin, IL 61554 09/21/2024, 11:18:52 AM

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Becky Schweigert 332 s sampson st Tremont, IL 61568 09/20/2024, 02:54:06 PM

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Mrs.Connie Hoffert 6104 Hartford Dr Pekin, IL 61554 09/20/2024, 01:20:17 PM

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Mrs. Joe Knoerle 224 S IL Av Morton, IL 61550 09/19/2024, 02:21:56 PM

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Sincerely,

Ms. Pauline Jordan Banks 123 West Richmond Avenue Peoria, IL 61604 09/17/2024, 09:28:31 AM

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Sincerely,

Jeffrey Neumann 1754 N. Main Washington, IL 61571 09/13/2024, 07:44:25 PM

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Sincerely,

Robert Calvin 1308 georgeanne dr Pekin, IL 61554 09/11/2024, 02:19:12 PM

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Paul Loris 2735 grove Berwyn, IL 60402 09/10/2024, 05:53:06 PM

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Mr. Ryan Williams 1910 Tanglewood Dr Mapleton, IL 61547 09/10/2024, 11:43:43 AM

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Mr. william brown 511 E Jefferson St. Washington, IL 61571 09/09/2024, 02:34:37 PM

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Sincerely,

Butch Demling 1007 east 300 north rd Mc Lean, IL 61754 09/07/2024, 12:08:57 PM

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brad fields 10409 laporte st Oak Lawn, IL 60453 09/05/2024, 02:01:33 PM

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Mr. Lee-lee/ camieyacameiya Osten/green 1026 w third st Peoria, IL 61605

09/05/2024, 11:58:33 AM

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Wayne Theobald 109 east cherry ridge road Peoria, IL 61614 09/03/2024, 05:15:14 PM

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Jsocorro Alfaro 1428 shawnaa ave ja belle fl 33935 Peoria, IL 61605 09/03/2024, 12:08:49 AM

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Lillian Pegues 2216 w warwick dr Peoria, IL 61614 09/02/2024, 08:11:01 AM

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Patrick Faley 521 Illini Dr East Peoria, IL 61611 09/01/2024, 03:39:47 PM

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Mr.Rick McClain 2306 W Gilbert Peoria, IL 61604 08/29/2024, 08:29:15 PM

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Jim Hayes 2707 N. Dechman Av. Peoria, IL 61603 08/29/2024, 09:43:12 AM

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Nancy Morgan 115 Glenridge dr East Peoria, IL 61611 08/29/2024, 09:34:05 AM

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Mr. John Abel 1809 Greenview Dr Pekin, IL 61554 08/28/2024, 06:20:29 PM

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Barbara Powell 24625 Swab Run Rd Elmwood, IL 61529 08/28/2024, 07:50:19 AM

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Graham Elvis 123 SW Jefferson Peoria, IL 61602 08/28/2024, 05:23:57 AM

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John Kramer 611 Pine Delavan, IL 61734 08/27/2024, 12:04:28 PM

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Willard Bullock 2214 court st Pekin, IL 61554 08/25/2024, 12:35:48 PM

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Cate Closen 5415 W. Summit Peoria, IL 61607 08/23/2024, 08:13:49 PM

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Bill Kells 1409 Earl St Pekin, IL 61554 08/22/2024, 11:30:08 PM

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Mrs. Kathleen Baker 714 Hamilton Blvd Peoria, IL 61603 08/18/2024, 11:47:40 AM

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Enrique Bringas 4606. 26th avenue. Moline, IL 61265 08/18/2024, 10:50:09 AM

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Sharon Lane P.O. Box 1025 Elgin, IL 60121-1025 08/18/2024, 09:26:18 AM

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Ms. Janet Koch 113 West Forest Ave East Peoria, IL 61611-3032 08/15/2024, 11:59:46 PM

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Rick Layman 712 Joliet Rd Marquette Heights, IL 61554 08/14/2024, 03:50:53 PM

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Susan Monroe 206 S 1st Ave Canton, IL 61520 08/12/2024, 01:50:04 PM

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Yvette Slaughter 12119 North Woodcrest Drive Dunlap, IL 61525 08/11/2024, 06:10:07 PM

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Nita Wasson 42604 N LaValle #3L Peoria, IL 61604 08/08/2024, 04:40:23 PM

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Larry vanDyke 812 S Locust St Delavan, IL 61734 08/05/2024, 04:10:12 AM

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Debbie widner 150 yordy rd apt 215 Morton, IL 61611 08/04/2024, 12:10:04 PM

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Gary Melton 331 CATHERINE ST Pekin, IL 61554 07/31/2024, 07:10:03 AM

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Ms. Sharon Longden 828 North Main Street East Peoria, IL 61611 07/30/2024, 12:20:33 PM

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Janet Frakes 1112crabel ct. A 6 Chillicothe, IL 61523 07/30/2024, 08:40:29 AM

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Peter Smith Henry, IL 61537 07/30/2024, 01:20:19 AM

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