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Electric Energy, Inc.  
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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: Electric Energy, Inc. - Joppa Power Plant  
Bureau ID # W1270100004-02  
CCR Surface Impoundment Construction Permit Application Supplement

Electric Energy, Inc. (EEI) 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 East Ash Pond at EEI's Joppa Power Plant which was included in the Final Closure Plan found in Attachment 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 July 2024.

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

Sincerely,



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

# **Closure Alternatives Analysis Addendum**

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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 East Ash Pond (EAP) at Electric Energy, Inc.'s (EEI) Joppa Power Plant property near the Village of Joppa, 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 three specific closure scenarios for the EAP: Closure-in-Place (CIP) with coal combustion residual (CCR) excavation and consolidation, Closure-by-Removal with Off-Site CCR Disposal by Trucking (CBR-Offsite-Truck), and Closure-by-Removal with Off-Site CCR Disposal by Barging (CBR-Offsite-Barge). 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 three closure scenarios (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 three closure scenarios addressed residents' concerns regarding the potential risks of dike failure and the potential impacts to groundwater and surface water quality. The CAA identified CIP as the most appropriate closure scenario for the EAP based on all criteria that were evaluated consistent with the requirements of Section 845.710. A public meeting was held on June 30, 2022, during which the results of the CAA were discussed, and community questions were answered.

Since the initial submission of the CAA, EEI 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 both the CBR-Offsite alternatives. 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, EEI 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 both the CBR-Offsite alternatives.

Specifically, local residents consider the CIP closure plan to be "better" than the two CBR-Offsite alternatives and support the transition towards renewable energy generation associated with the proposed site re-development plan under the CIP alternative (a utility-scale solar facility that will be installed on the capped impoundment). They note that this re-development "will create construction jobs, generate property tax revenue, and reuse the plant site to generate electricity for years to come" (e.g., see letter by Gayla Willis from Eldorado, IL). On the other hand, residents express concern about the adverse effects associated with the two CBR-Offsite scenarios, which would involve removing and transporting millions of cubic yards of coal ash offsite over a period of 14 years.

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

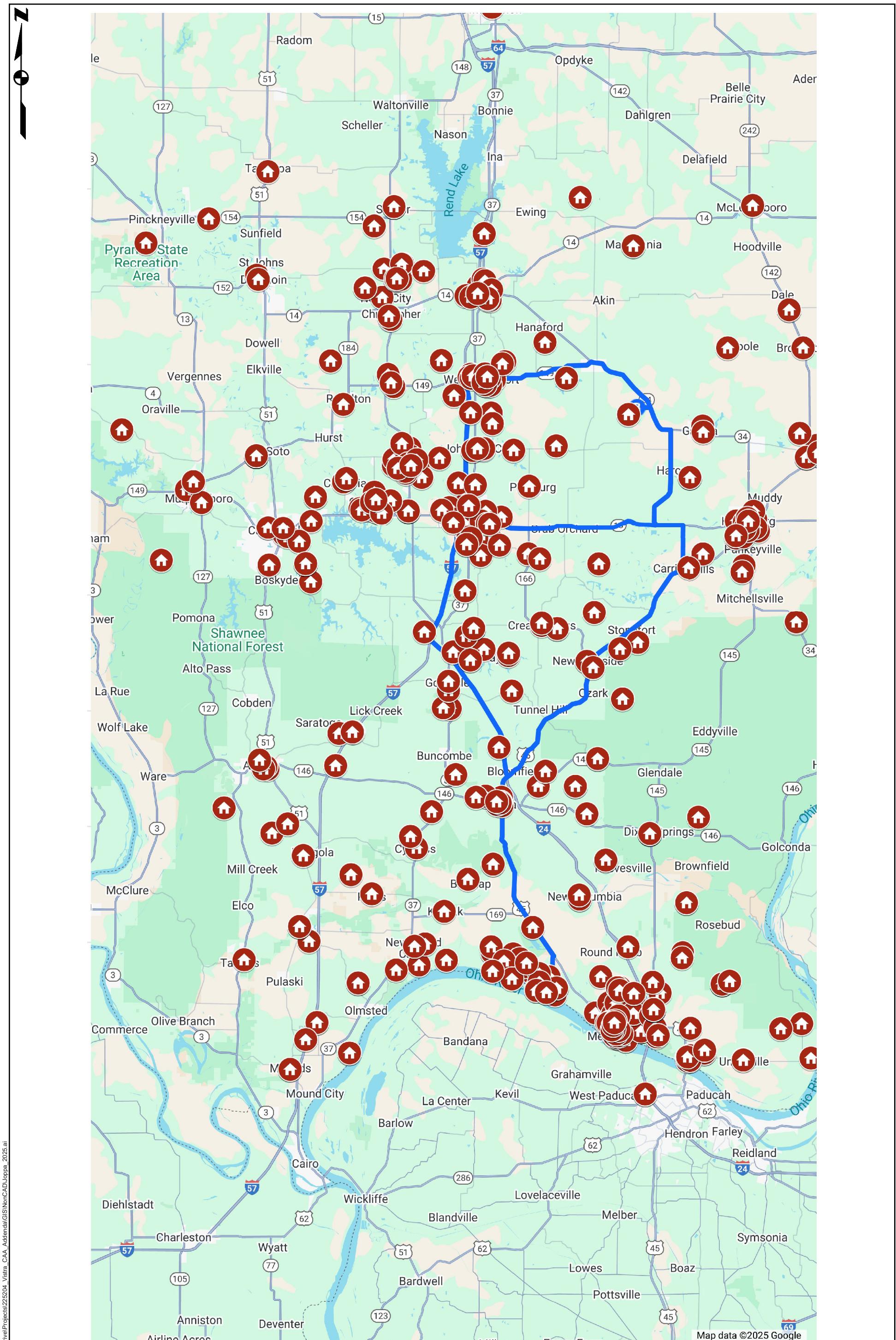
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#### LEGEND

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

SOURCE: Google Maps, 2025



Map Showing the Locations of Respondents that Live in Proximity to Potential Truck Haul Routes  
East Ash Pond, Joppa Power Plant, Joppa, IL

FIGURE A.1

Date: 07/15/2025

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## **Letters From Local Residents**

05/30/2025, 10:38:25 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,

Angie Parr  
516 W. 20th street  
Metropolis, IL 62960-1117

05/30/2025, 12:16:38 AM

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Sincerely,

Bradley Harris Jr.  
1813 Bay City Rd  
Brookport, IL 62910

05/29/2025, 03:53:49 AM

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909 Elder St  
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Zion Blye  
26 Eastland Dr  
Metropolis, IL 62960-2910

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Sincerely,

Pennie Smith  
Broughton, IL 62817

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Michael Martin  
314 e 4th st.  
West Frankfort, IL 62896-2127

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Max Damron  
Carterville, IL 62918

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Vienna, IL 62995-2107

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206 N. Locust St.  
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Clyde Schmidt  
71 Hospital Drive  
Metropolis, IL 62960-2459

05/23/2025, 05:01:35 PM

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Skyler Elder  
4191 mountain lion rd  
Pinckneyville, IL 62274-3208

05/21/2025, 05:43:39 AM

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John Spilman  
1417 n Lincoln Drive  
Mount Vernon, IL 62864

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Marion, IL 62959-6465

05/19/2025, 11:21:30 PM

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705 W 9th St  
Johnston City, IL 62951-1223

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Tricia King-Henshaw  
2060 State Route 147  
Vienna, IL 62995

05/19/2025, 08:18:52 AM

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Sincerely,

William Jewell  
4027 guinea rd.  
Metropolis, IL 62960-6200

05/19/2025, 08:00:50 AM

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Sincerely,

Kymbra Doyle  
1405 east clark st  
West Frankfort, IL 62896-3018

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Sandy Harvey  
76 middle street  
Simpson, IL 62985-2516

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Thomas Caliper  
4554 mcinturf la  
Marion, IL 62959-6057

05/18/2025, 04:44:09 PM

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Sincerely,

Karen Mosier  
1105 ledford rd  
Harrisburg, IL 62946-4430

05/17/2025, 11:26:16 PM

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Gilbert Abrego  
602 n madison st  
West Frankfort, IL 62896-1478

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Sincerely,

Ms. Rosanne Szekely  
181 Carolyn Dr Apt M  
Carbondale, IL 62902-8117

05/14/2025, 03:12:57 PM

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Sincerely,

Sue Sandusky  
225 Main P.O. Box 162  
Joppa, IL 62953-4500

05/13/2025, 02:40:25 PM

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Brittney Bailey  
103 N 35th St  
Herrin, IL 62948-1164

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Ms. Terry Carter  
2005 Illinois Avenue  
Murphysboro, IL 62966-1540

05/12/2025, 07:38:00 PM

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Timothy Walker  
29 Walker road  
Brookport, IL 62910

05/12/2025, 09:08:18 AM

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Ms. Tammy Whitaker  
1801 Baynes Street  
Metropolis, IL 62960-1421

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Gayla Willis  
909 Elder St  
Eldorado, IL 62930-1335

05/10/2025, 07:48:40 AM

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Rhea Wilson  
2922 N US 45 Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

05/10/2025, 07:18:56 AM

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Mrs. Lynn Followell  
9349 Day Road  
Marion, IL 62959-8510

05/09/2025, 09:10:15 PM

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Keith Refugee  
1209 E 5th St Apt 10A  
Metropolis, IL 62960-2385

05/09/2025, 08:22:53 AM

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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.

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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,

RON HUCKLEBERRY  
2910 Illinois 145 Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

05/08/2025, 08:33:29 AM

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Molly Stephens  
2357 Crim Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960-4213

05/08/2025, 07:59:21 AM

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Curtis Marshall jr  
P.O. Box 123  
Olmsted, IL 62970-0123

05/07/2025, 01:00:14 AM

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Mr. Gary Williams  
414 north 4 street  
Vienna, IL 62995-1628

05/06/2025, 11:41:47 PM

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Sincerely,

Jeffrey Shaffer  
400 Bogie Dr.  
Herrin, IL 62948-3735

05/06/2025, 09:43:50 AM

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

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Gary Faulkner  
509 Pearl St  
Metropolis, IL 62960-1840

05/05/2025, 11:23:09 AM

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Mr. James Richardson  
203 n 9th  
Vienna, IL 62995-1576

05/04/2025, 06:06:37 PM

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Sincerely,

hugo Chavez  
302 n commercial st  
Harrisburg, IL 62946-1346

05/03/2025, 10:37:12 AM

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Sincerely,

Chris Long  
235 Bynum Road  
Stonefort, IL 62987-1409

05/01/2025, 04:59:55 PM

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Sincerely,

Ms.sandra Lisella  
54 Jon St  
Metropolis, IL 62960-2474

05/01/2025, 02:55:47 PM

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Roy Culpepper  
20296 Galatia Post rd.  
Pittsburg, IL 62974-1858

05/01/2025, 05:50:50 AM

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Sincerely,

Jessica Darnell  
1896 Belgrade Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

04/30/2025, 05:45:40 AM

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Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
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Springfield, IL 62794-9276

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As a locally impacted resident, I strongly urge your Agency to approve the EEI/Joppa Power Plant's plan to responsibly close the coal ash impoundment and reclaim the acres by building a new utility-scale solar investment.

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

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

Sincerely,

Nick Tutkus  
621 south 8th  
Herrin, IL 62948

04/29/2025, 08:18:12 PM

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Sincerely,

Anna Warren  
1703 Ferry st  
Metropolis, IL 62960

04/29/2025, 11:10:46 AM

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Sincerely,

Mrs. Patricia Thurman  
410 E 4th Street  
West Frankfort, IL 62896

04/26/2025, 04:22:29 PM

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Jerome P Tobin  
16518 N MORRISON LN  
Mount Vernon, IL 62864-7939

04/26/2025, 01:46:14 PM

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Justin Jay  
1007 n state st  
Marion, IL 62959

04/26/2025, 05:57:31 AM

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Deanna Wright  
201 Illinois Street  
Karnak, IL 62956

04/25/2025, 12:43:43 PM

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Frieda Fitz  
429 south central  
Benton, IL 62812

04/24/2025, 09:30:14 PM

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Mr. Vernon D Baldwin  
Po box 77  
Cambria, IL 62915

04/24/2025, 06:18:27 AM

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Danielle Meyer  
878 grand chain road  
Grand Chain, IL 62941

04/23/2025, 02:48:46 AM

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Sincerely,

Laurie Neilio  
595 Sunflower  
Belknap, IL 62908

04/22/2025, 08:21:27 AM

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Ms. Andrea Baker  
730 N. Division St.  
Carterville, IL 62918

04/21/2025, 09:50:11 AM

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Archibald Ledsinger  
1307 White Pine Lane  
Metropolis, IL 62960

04/20/2025, 09:33:53 PM

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Cierra Simmons  
302 West 8th St.  
Metropolis, IL 62960

04/20/2025, 05:19:16 PM

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RON HUCKLEBERRY  
2910 Illinois 145 Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

04/20/2025, 01:04:01 PM

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919 butler street  
Metropolis, IL 62960

04/20/2025, 10:49:52 AM

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1901 n 13th st  
Herrin, IL 62948

04/20/2025, 06:16:35 AM

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Nick Niestrath  
1907 America Rd  
Villa Ridge, IL 62996

04/19/2025, 10:40:25 PM

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Ms. Sylvia Stott  
PO box 2117  
West Frankfort, IL 62896

04/18/2025, 06:15:03 PM

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Isaac Mccuan  
5088 briarwood rd  
Karnak, IL 62956

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Carrie Rider  
30 Schlenker Rd  
Anna, IL 62906

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Mike Gibbons  
75 Wamble Rd  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

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Kathryn D'Leon  
400 Metropolis Street  
Metropolis, IL 62960

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Mr. Bill William Kain  
84 Mt Zion Church Rd  
Golconda, IL 62938

04/14/2025, 08:20:10 AM

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Sincerely,

Rita Felty  
1702 W. Copeland  
Marion, IL 62959

04/14/2025, 07:23:39 AM

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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,

Robert Massey  
680 Rebman Ln  
Goreville, IL 62939

04/13/2025, 09:12:02 PM

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Donna Junkerman  
3011 Olmsted Rd  
Villa Ridge, IL 62996

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David Clark  
825 N 13TH ST  
Herrin, IL 62948

04/13/2025, 11:56:05 AM

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Sharon Gwaltney  
110 N Crawford  
Ridgway, IL 62979

04/11/2025, 11:13:28 AM

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4877 Old Marion Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

04/10/2025, 10:00:02 PM

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Shawn Teel  
4679 Park Rd  
Coello, IL 62825

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Mrs. Tonna Smith  
9826 S Macedonia  
Macedonia, IL 62860

04/09/2025, 09:23:31 AM

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Michael Tulo  
402 s emma street  
Christopher, IL 62822

04/09/2025, 08:22:29 AM

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James George  
68 Lee Ln  
Grand Chain, IL 62941

04/08/2025, 02:11:17 PM

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Kody Lyons  
537 joppa rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

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6093 Midway Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

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2476 poco rd  
Brookport, IL 62910

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Lacinda Oliver  
4237 Hillerman Rd  
Grand Chain, IL 62941

04/06/2025, 03:56:29 PM

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Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
2520 W. Iles Ave.  
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Wilma Hohimer  
Lambtown. Road  
Cave In Rock, IL 62919

04/05/2025, 12:32:04 PM

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Sincerely,

Freddy Aldana  
201 Iowa st  
Cambria, IL 62915

04/03/2025, 04:49:04 PM

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Dan Breslin  
3652 Hamilton Pk Rd  
Du Quoin, IL 62832

04/02/2025, 11:21:16 AM

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Sincerely,

Richard DeWitt  
11141 Lake Hamilton Ln  
Marion, IL 62959

04/02/2025, 07:55:53 AM

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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 EEI/Joppa 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 Shaffer  
400 Bogie Dr.  
Herrin, IL 62948-3735

04/02/2025, 07:30:45 AM

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Sincerely,

Mr. Terry Kern  
471 Hannan Rd  
Olmsted, IL 62970

04/01/2025, 08:49:43 AM

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Jeremiah Myrick  
16 Hayden lane  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/31/2025, 03:56:37 PM

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Ms. Andrea Baker  
730 N Division St  
Carterville, IL 62918

03/31/2025, 01:34:15 PM

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Brian Brown  
407 W 11th St  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/30/2025, 03:00:36 AM

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Carla McElroy  
4227 tanager Rd.  
Mulkeytown, IL 62865

03/29/2025, 09:46:19 AM

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Bill Walker  
5608 st hwy 149  
Mulkeytown, IL 62865

03/28/2025, 05:49:34 AM

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Jesse Gibbs  
307 SYcamore st.  
Anna, IL 62906

03/27/2025, 04:06:40 PM

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Lynn Crespi  
218 N 20th St  
Herrin, IL 62948

03/27/2025, 10:00:20 AM

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Sarah Elliott  
55 Ellen St  
Cypress, IL 62923

03/26/2025, 11:50:37 PM

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Merry Jo Arvai  
117 Prairie st  
Zeigler, IL 62999

03/26/2025, 01:21:15 PM

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RON HUCKLEBERRY  
2910 Illinois 145 Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/25/2025, 03:21:45 PM

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Miss Michelle McLaskey  
303 w. chicago ave.  
Orient, IL 62874-4216

03/25/2025, 10:18:44 AM

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Summer Lee  
1209 E 5th st APT 8D  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/24/2025, 11:10:01 PM

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Carol  
1005 N 13th Street  
Herrin, IL 62948

03/24/2025, 07:43:12 AM

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Donna Junkerman  
3011 Olmsted Rd  
Villa Ridge, IL 62996

03/23/2025, 07:47:17 AM

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Ms. Mary Mullinix  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/22/2025, 10:04:15 AM

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Sincerely,

Catherine Devous  
5 Womble Rd  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

03/22/2025, 02:58:18 AM

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Community Relations Officer  
Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
2520 W. Iles Ave.  
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Darla Hageman  
319B W church st  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

03/21/2025, 11:56:12 PM

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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 EEI/Joppa 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,

Michael Rash  
Carterville, IL 62918

03/21/2025, 02:51:28 PM

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Sincerely,

Mrs. Michael Franklin  
275 Cypress Valley Lane  
Vienna, IL 62995

03/20/2025, 08:28:28 PM

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Sincerely,

Johnny Richard  
4037 Altenberger Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/19/2025, 09:45:04 PM

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Sincerely,

Mr. Thomas Burnham  
2011 simmons st  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/17/2025, 05:17:18 PM

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Richard Bowman  
409 east 7th. street  
Metropolis, IL 62960

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Albert Smith  
53 Orchard. Dr  
Herrin, IL 62948

03/16/2025, 02:55:20 PM

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Ms. Melissa Bozarth  
702 South Victor St  
Christopher, IL 62822

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Mrs. Corinna Coulson  
po box 315  
Colp, IL 62921

03/16/2025, 08:51:18 AM

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Alan Rahn  
2785A North Ave  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/16/2025, 01:46:34 AM

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Ms. Marcia Jenkins  
500 S. Jackson St.  
Harrisburg, IL 62946-2259

03/16/2025, 12:46:06 AM

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John Sims  
1611 ferry st  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/15/2025, 01:36:13 PM

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Ms. Connie Baker  
230 lewis st  
Joppa, IL 62953

03/15/2025, 12:55:27 PM

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RON HUCKLEBERRY  
2910 IL-145  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/15/2025, 09:31:26 AM

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Connie ury  
2320 mt zion rd  
Vienna, IL 62995

03/14/2025, 10:20:06 PM

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Stacy Yates  
6749 Unity School Road  
Brookport, IL 62910

03/14/2025, 10:07:40 AM

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Mr. Mark Wayer  
1200 E Poplar St  
Herrin, IL 62948-4013

03/13/2025, 04:51:49 PM

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Randy Drone  
109 kimbro st  
Ridgway, IL 62979

03/12/2025, 08:24:58 AM

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Shirley Davis  
1556 n franklin dr.  
Benton, IL 62812

03/11/2025, 12:07:25 PM

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1441 mt Sterling rd  
Brookport, IL 62910

03/10/2025, 09:46:58 AM

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Kimberly Dawn Blackman  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/09/2025, 11:38:58 PM

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Joe Boyd  
622 girard st  
Metropolis, IL 62960

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Steve Eastman  
Marion, IL 62959

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3101 S Market  
Marion, IL 62959

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Ron Huckleberry  
2910 Illinois, 145 Road  
Metropolis, IL 62960

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Bruce Clendenin  
Freedom Fence Co  
Johnston City, IL 62951

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Todd Barrall  
696 pine road  
Eldorado, IL 62930

03/06/2025, 06:20:25 PM

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Ms.Nora See  
348 N Linden St  
Du Quoin, IL 62832-1022

03/06/2025, 09:27:32 AM

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Nicky Dover  
886 big stone rd  
Grand Chain, IL 62941

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Justin Jay  
1007 n. state st  
Marion, IL 62959

03/04/2025, 10:31:33 PM

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Michael Rash  
Carterville, IL 62918

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801 w st. Louis st.  
West Frankfort, IL 62896

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Chris Moore  
503 east 11th  
Metropolis, IL 62960

03/04/2025, 06:42:59 AM

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Jesse Gibbs  
Anna, IL 62906

03/03/2025, 08:41:40 PM

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Janet King  
1209 LAURA LN  
Marion, IL 62959

03/02/2025, 04:05:36 PM

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Ms. Nancy Cole  
300 E Patton St  
Valier, IL 62891

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4037 Altenberger Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

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Mr. Ronald Gallo  
330 Temple Hill Road  
Golconda, IL 62938

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Robin Eldridge  
4131 Phillips Rd.  
Brookport, IL 62910

03/02/2025, 01:56:09 AM

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P. O BOX 70  
Carterville, IL 62918

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990 hound dog ridge rd  
Vienna, IL 62995-3910

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217 s 9th st herrin, il  
Herrin, IL 62948

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17354 New Dennison Rd  
Marion, IL 62959

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282 High Forest Dr.  
Carbondale, IL 62903

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511 shaggy Oak  
Pocahontas, IL 62275

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Fred Scott  
2825 Greenhill Rd  
Eldorado, IL 62930

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Levieta Fred  
5514 Hwy 149  
De Soto, IL 62924

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Johnny Perkins  
435 Butler lane  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

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350 Belville Rd  
New Burnside, IL 62967

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Andrew Jones  
210 w Main st  
Du Quoin, IL 62832

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Herrin, IL 62948

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1907 America Road  
Villa Ridge, IL 62996

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1229 largent  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

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Ullin, IL 62992

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West Frankfort, IL 62896

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Metropolis, IL 62960

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895 Allentown Rd  
Harrisburg, IL 62935

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41 Old Orchard Rd  
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1412 W. Longstreet Road  
Marion, IL 62959

02/22/2025, 06:57:28 AM

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Antony Stevens  
207 oak drive  
Olive Branch, IL 62969

02/21/2025, 10:05:41 PM

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209 W College St  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

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Herrin, IL 62948

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Brandon Smith  
124 joppa north ave joppa, il  
Joppa, IL 62953

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George Bell  
512 N 11th #9.  
Vienna, IL 62995

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820 DEWEY ST  
Eldorado, IL 62930

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James Farmer  
1427s McKinley st  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

02/19/2025, 10:39:34 PM

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Ti Clemons  
924 Diamond Hill Road  
Grand Chain, IL 62941

02/19/2025, 06:43:13 PM

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Jerald Windings  
953 Shumaker Rd  
Villa Ridge, IL 62996

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john clark  
16618 Frisco Rd  
Ewing, IL 62836

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Doug Combs  
21595 Springhill Rd  
Creal Springs, IL 62922

02/19/2025, 05:33:55 PM

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355 Grisham Corner Road  
Eldorado, IL 62930

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1109 E Sloan St  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

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601 Crab Orchard Blvd  
Carterville, IL 62918

02/18/2025, 10:29:48 PM

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Mr. Mike Triplett  
504 E Lincoln St  
Galatia, IL 62935

02/18/2025, 08:46:25 PM

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Gabrielle Moore  
720 Ferry St  
Metropolis, IL 62960

02/18/2025, 08:41:09 PM

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14 Hilanoa dr  
Metropolis, IL 62960

02/16/2025, 01:09:01 PM

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1208 Ferry St  
Metropolis, IL 62960

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4339 Maple Rd  
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471 Hannan Rd  
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11/30/2024, 09:11:13 PM

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Wanda Rucker  
510 west 4th st  
Brookport, IL 62910

11/29/2024, 01:44:01 PM

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Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
2520 W. Iles Ave.  
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Margaret Goessman  
14477 Bear Point Rd.  
Sesser, IL 62884

11/28/2024, 05:26:43 PM

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Mr. Member Finney  
804 E Garland St  
West Frankfort, IL 62896-2960

11/27/2024, 04:33:46 PM

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Terry Potts  
211 east walnut  
Carrier Mills, IL 62917

11/27/2024, 12:57:10 PM

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albert Smith  
53 Orchard Dr  
Herrin, IL 62948

11/26/2024, 11:54:21 AM

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Danny Holmes  
4829 park street road  
Benton, IL 62812

11/25/2024, 02:15:22 PM

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Keith Billingsley  
1109 s fly ave  
Goreville, IL 62939

11/21/2024, 02:22:37 PM

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Clay Dunn  
100 north Calhoun ave  
Goreville, IL 62939

11/19/2024, 07:37:13 PM

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Melody Viernum  
5 Enterprize Way  
Murphysboro, IL 62966

11/19/2024, 12:08:10 PM

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Mr. Bryan Williams  
4347 Rt.37  
Marion, IL 62959

11/19/2024, 10:02:13 AM

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Ms. Jorge Torres  
14814 christmas tree rd  
Johnston City, IL 62951

11/18/2024, 11:15:29 AM

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Rhonda Rothrock  
7398 Hickory Ridge Rd.  
Pomona, IL 62975

11/17/2024, 11:58:00 AM

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Robert Henderson  
302 N Line st.  
Creal Springs, IL 62922

11/17/2024, 12:07:05 AM

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Shain Griffith  
1300 hemlock drive  
Marion, IL 62959

11/16/2024, 06:49:52 AM

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Freddy Aldana  
201 Iowa st  
Cambria, IL 62915

11/14/2024, 10:29:27 PM

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Everett Pollard  
Carmi, IL 62821

11/13/2024, 07:34:34 AM

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1607 S LAKE DR  
Marion, IL 62959

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Dee Mittendorf  
6987 Midway Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

11/06/2024, 02:02:54 PM

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William Place  
239 South Chestnut street  
Tamaroa, IL 62888-4515

11/05/2024, 05:05:08 PM

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12 Orchard Drive  
Herrin, IL 62948

11/03/2024, 06:20:15 AM

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1530 N. 45 Rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

11/02/2024, 08:20:23 PM

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2520 W. Iles Ave.  
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509 west 20 street  
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330 temple hill road  
Golconda, IL 62938

10/26/2024, 10:17:31 PM

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BoBo BoBo  
413 West Grand  
Carterville, IL 62918

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15635 east fairfield rd  
Mount Vernon, IL 62864

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Michael Marks  
11492 Hurricane Rd  
Carterville, IL 62918

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1001 S. Main St.  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

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307 w ogara st.  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

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Sincerely,

Clyde Rush  
53 JON ST  
Metropolis, IL 62960-2474

10/23/2024, 05:00:34 AM

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Lisa Hawkins  
P.o.box 142, 320 2nd ave  
Hampton, IL 61256

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Ms. Joyce Reach  
705 W 9th St  
Johnston City, IL 62951

10/18/2024, 01:18:26 PM

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2910 IL 145 rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

10/17/2024, 07:17:48 AM

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Carbondale, IL 62902

10/16/2024, 11:45:20 AM

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Allen Pollard  
222 east avenue  
Anna, IL 62906

10/15/2024, 05:26:42 PM

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T L clark  
17509 Parrish rd  
West Frankfort, IL 62896

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3114 Williamson County  
Marion, IL 62959

10/09/2024, 04:30:32 PM

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5514 Hwy 149  
De Soto, IL 62924

10/07/2024, 10:58:11 AM

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470 Chapel Hill Rd  
Cypress, IL 62923

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11407 Norton St  
Carterville, IL 62918

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2910 IL-145  
Metropolis, IL 62960

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Cassell Rogers  
408 west Flora st  
Valier, IL 62891

09/28/2024, 06:05:53 AM

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Sincerely,

Ms.maureen davis  
701s. wilson  
Benton, IL 62812

09/27/2024, 08:30:14 AM

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

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Sincerely,

Robert Garduno  
3395 Cohoon Lane  
Metropolis, IL 62960

09/26/2024, 10:28:16 AM

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Ruth Johnston  
454 w church  
Benton, IL 62812

09/26/2024, 04:18:08 AM

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Steve Arview  
19273 east old lake road  
West Frankfort, IL 62896

09/25/2024, 05:26:49 AM

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

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

Sincerely,

Jesse Gibbs  
307 sycamore st.  
Anna, IL 62906

09/24/2024, 03:55:21 PM

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Sincerely,

William Henshaw  
11553 WOODLAND HILLS RD  
Marion, IL 62959

09/22/2024, 12:56:02 AM

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Ms. Diane Strong  
1152 Co. Rd 700 E  
Carmi, IL 62821

09/21/2024, 03:42:49 PM

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707 N Adams St  
West Frankfort, IL 62896

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Mrs. Jennifer Henderson  
1215 Trolley Road  
Eldorado, IL 62930

09/20/2024, 06:04:22 PM

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Gayland Grant  
704 BRAMLET St.  
Eldorado, IL 62930

09/19/2024, 04:46:29 PM

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Karl Conley  
1607 S LAKE DR  
Marion, IL 62959

09/18/2024, 11:46:08 AM

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512 N 5th St B  
Herrin, IL 62948

09/17/2024, 09:06:44 PM

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Rachel Deaton  
25 Hospital Dr  
Metropolis, IL 62960

09/17/2024, 08:43:45 PM

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Nancy Stanhouse-Peck  
15688 Dwina rd  
Marion, IL 62959

09/16/2024, 03:56:57 PM

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John Patterson  
1304 w Longley st  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

09/15/2024, 05:22:17 PM

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Walter Bertram  
24408 Kaskaskia rd  
Thompsonville, IL 62890

09/15/2024, 03:37:39 PM

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Steve Houston  
1738 Ellis Rd  
Brookport, IL 62910

09/14/2024, 06:00:52 PM

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Betty Runion  
1283 s. giant city rd.  
Carbondale, IL 62902

09/13/2024, 07:47:56 AM

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Charles Parton  
13839 Hwy 37  
Whittington, IL 62897

09/13/2024, 12:00:54 AM

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Mr. Jimmy Meeks  
1690 2nd street  
Benton, IL 62812

09/12/2024, 06:35:10 PM

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Teresa Edwards  
502 west 11th st.  
Metropolis, IL 62960

09/11/2024, 11:07:36 AM

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Amanda Dooley  
1801 4th Street  
Eldorado, IL 62930

09/10/2024, 04:28:26 PM

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Metropolis, IL 62960

09/10/2024, 03:35:27 PM

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Herrin, IL 62948

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135 Sunset Road  
Grand Chain, IL 62941

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603 E. Clark St  
West Frankfort, IL 62896

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Mr. Melvin Holer  
410 E. James and Thelma Walker Ave  
Carbondale, IL 62901

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Larry Villarreal  
6487 New Columbia Rd  
Grantsburg, IL 62943

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Jim Osberg. (Asst. Gov.)  
544 Phillips Rd  
Carbondale, IL 62902

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206 stone st  
Carterville, IL 62918

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Kelly Smejkal-Early  
6873 Midway rd  
Metropolis, IL 62960

09/01/2024, 03:24:46 AM

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2005 Vista lane  
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08/30/2024, 11:51:16 PM

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08/28/2024, 11:27:46 AM

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Royalton, IL 62983

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Marion, IL 62959

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2606 Michael Lane  
Marion, IL 62959

08/24/2024, 07:48:08 PM

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276 river bend Rd  
Grand Chain, IL 62941-3201

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Sincerely,

Don Aldrich  
P.O. Box 74  
Ullin, IL 62992

08/21/2024, 12:50:15 PM

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Community Relations Officer  
Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
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Sincerely,

Stuart Haigh  
POB 941, Marrian, IL 62959  
Carterville, IL 62948

08/19/2024, 08:53:42 PM

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Sincerely,

jerry sanders  
895 Allentown rdharrisburg  
Harrisburg, IL 62946

08/18/2024, 01:02:05 PM

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Sincerely,

Jessica Johnson  
208 S Graham St  
Brocton, IL 61917

08/14/2024, 01:00:03 AM

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Sincerely,

Michael Parks  
300 W Flora St  
Valier, IL 62891

08/13/2024, 08:30:07 PM

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Mr. Marvin Norris  
15365 Corinth rd  
Marion, IL 62959

08/11/2024, 12:00:07 AM

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Mr. Jack Dunaway  
308 maple St  
Zeigler, IL 62999

08/06/2024, 01:30:07 PM

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Sincerely,

AUDREY SCHWIEGER  
0001 Rice  
Grantsburg, IL 62943

08/05/2024, 10:20:03 AM

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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 EEI/Joppa 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,

David Neally  
200 Baker Dr.  
Metropolis, IL 62960

08/05/2024, 08:10:07 AM

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David Freehill  
3375 izaac walton rd  
Mulkeytown, IL 62865

08/03/2024, 04:50:06 AM

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Derk Trost  
405 e first st  
Ellis Grove, IL 62241

08/02/2024, 04:20:03 PM

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Mrs. Deborah Shovan  
8012 Park Street Rd  
Benton, IL 62812

07/31/2024, 04:00:05 PM

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Karen Sawyer  
345 Tunnel Valley Ln.  
Tunnel Hill, IL 62972

07/30/2024, 11:40:06 PM

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48 Forest Circle  
Metropolis, IL 62960