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BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

COUNTY OF SANGAMON,)
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 Complainant,)
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 v.)
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 Joe Chernis, Jr., and)
 Midwest Demolition and Scrape, Inc.,)
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 Respondent.)

AC 2014-44
 ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION
 SCDPH 14-AC-1

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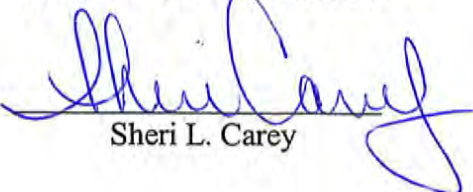
TO: Joe Chernis, Jr.
 401 Hatfield Rd.
 Meredosia, Illinois 62665

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that I have today filed with the Office of the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board an Administrative Citation, a copy of which is herewith served upon you.

Dated this 7th day of April, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

COUNTY OF SANGAMON

BY: 
 Sheri L. Carey

Sheri L. Carey
 Assistant State's Attorney
 Room 402 County Complex
 200 South Ninth Street

Springfield, Illinois 62701
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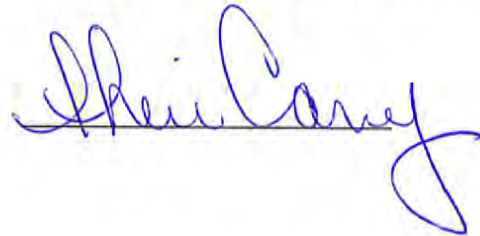
The undersigned hereby certifies that an original and nine (9) copies of the foregoing document were served by placing same in a sealed envelope addressed to:

John Therriault, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board
James R. Thompson Center
100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500
Chicago, Illinois 60601

and one copy was served by placing same in a sealed envelope addressed to:

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by depositing in the United States Mail, certified mail, postage fully prepaid on April 7, 2014.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John Therriault", is written over a horizontal line.

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JURISDICTION

This Administrative Citation is issued pursuant to the authority vested in the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency by Section 31.1 of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act ("Act"), 415 ILCS 5/31.1, (2010) and delegated to the County of Sangamon pursuant to Section 4(r) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/4(r) (2010).

FACTS

1. Joe Chernis, Jr, ("Respondent") owner and registered agent for Midwest Demolition and Scrap, Inc. is an excavation, demolition contractor and scrape metal dealer operating this business within Sangamon County, Illinois.
2. That the Respondent is the owner of real property, with parcel number 14-12.0-176-019, with a legal description of PT E 1/2, NW 1/4, & PT SW 1/4, NW1/4,(former RR Row) 12-16-5, located in Springfield Township, Sangamon County, Illinois.
3. That said property is an open dump operating without an Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("IEPA") Operating Permit and is designated with IEPA Land Pollution Control #1678225059

THIS FILING IS SUBMITTED ON RECYCLED PAPER

4. That Respondent has owned said property at all times pertinent hereto.
5. That on March 6, 2014, Darlene K. Powell of the Sangamon County Department of Public Health ("SCDPH") inspected the above-described property. A copy of her inspection report setting forth the results of said inspection is attached hereto and made a part hereof.
6. That on April 7, 2014, Sangamon County Department of Public Health sent this Administrative Citation via Certified Mail No. 7009 3410 0001 2388 7247.

VIOLATIONS

Based upon direct observations made by Darlene K. Powell during the course of her March 6, 2014 inspections of Respondent's property, the County of Sangamon has determined that Respondent has violated the Act as follows:

1. That Respondent caused or allowed the open dumping of waste in a manner resulting in litter, a violation of Section 21(p)(1) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(1) (2008),
2. That Respondent caused or allowed the open dumping of waste in a manner resulting in open burning, a violation of Section 21(p)(3) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(3) (2008);
and
3. That Respondent caused or allowed the deposition of (i) general construction or demolition debris as defined in Section 3.78 of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/3.78 (2008), or (ii) clean construction or demolition debris as defined in Section 3.78(a) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/3.78(a) (2008), a violation of Section 21(p)(7) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(7) (2008).

CIVIL PENALTY

Pursuant to Section 42(b)(4-5) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/42(b)(4-5) (2008), Respondent is subject to a civil penalty of One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) for each of the violations identified above, for a total of Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500.00). If Respondent elects not to petition the Illinois Pollution Control Board, the statutory civil penalty specified above shall be due and payable no later than May 12, 2014, unless otherwise provided by order of the Illinois Pollution Control Board.

If Respondent elects to contest this Administrative Citation by petitioning the Illinois Pollution Control Board in accordance with Section 31.1 of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1 (2008), and if the Illinois Pollution Control Board issues a finding of violation as alleged herein, after an adjudicatory hearing, Respondent shall be assessed the associated hearing costs incurred by the County of Sangamon and the Illinois Pollution Control Board. Those hearing costs shall be assessed in addition to the One Thousand Five Hundred Dollar (\$1,500.00) statutory civil penalty for each violation.


Pursuant to Section 31.1(d)(1) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1(d)(1) (2008), if Respondent fails to petition or elects not to petition the Illinois Pollution Control Board for review of this Administrative Citation within thirty-five (35) days of the date of service, the Illinois Pollution Control Board shall adopt a final order, which shall include this Administrative Citation and findings of violation as alleged herein, and shall impose the statutory civil penalty specified above.

When payment is made, Respondent's check shall be made payable to the Sangamon County Department of Public Health and mailed to the attention of James D. Stone, Director of the Sangamon County Department of Public Health, 2833 South Grand Avenue East, Springfield, Illinois 62703. Along with payment, Respondent shall complete and return the enclosed Remittance Form to ensure proper documentation of payment. If any civil penalty and/or hearing costs are not paid within the time prescribed by order of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, interest on said penalty and/or hearing costs shall be assessed against Respondent from the date payment is due up to and including the date that payment is received. The State's Attorney of Sangamon County may be requested to initiate proceedings against Respondent in Circuit Court to collect said penalty and/or hearing costs, plus any interest accrued. In addition to the previously assessed civil penalty and/or hearing costs and/or interest, the State's Attorney of Sangamon County will seek to recover his costs of litigation.

PROCEDURE FOR CONTESTING THIS ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

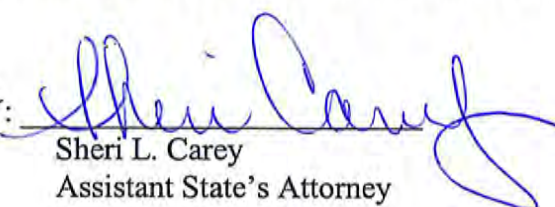
Respondent has the right to contest this Administrative Citation pursuant to and in accordance with Section 31.1 of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1 (2008). If Respondent elects to contest this Administrative Citation, then Respondent shall file a Petition for Review with the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500, Chicago, Illinois 60601. A copy of said Petition for Review shall be filed with the Sangamon County State's Attorney, Attention: Sheri L. Carey, Sangamon County Complex, Rm 402, 200 South Ninth Street, Springfield, Illinois 62701. Section 31.1 of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1 (2008),

provides that any Petition for Review shall be filed within thirty-five (35) days of the date of service of this Administrative Citation or the Illinois Pollution Control Board shall enter a default judgment against Respondent.



James D. Stone, M.A.
Director
Sangamon County Department of Public Health

Date: 4/7/14

BY: 

Sheri L. Carey
Assistant State's Attorney

Prepared by: Sheri L. Carey
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REMITTANCE FORM

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FACILITY: Chernis/Midwest Demolition and Scrape, Inc.

LPC SITE CODE: 1678225059

COUNTY: Sangamon

DATE OF INSPECTION: March 6, 2014

CIVIL PENALTY: \$4,500.00

DATE REMITTED: _____

SSN: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

Please enter the date of your remittance, your Social Security Number, and sign this Remittance Form. Be sure your check is enclosed and mail, along with Remittance Form, to Sangamon County Department of Public Health, James D. Stone, Director, 2833 South Grand Avenue East, Springfield, Illinois 62703.

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AFFIDAVIT

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Affiant, Darlene Powell, being first duly sworn, voluntarily deposes and states as follows:

1. That Affiant is a solid waste inspector employed by the Sangamon County Department of Public Health and certified by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and has been so employed and certified at all times pertinent hereto.
2. That on March 6, 2014 Affiant conducted an inspection of property located in Springfield Township parcel number #14-12.0-176-019, located in Sangamon County, Illinois.
3. Affiant inspected said property by an inspection which included walking on property and photographing the property.
4. As a result of the action referred to in Paragraph 3 above, Affiant completed the inspection report attached hereto and made a part hereof, which, to the best of Affiant's

knowledge and belief, is an accurate representation of Affiant's observations and factual conclusions with respect to the property.

Darlene Powell
Darlene Powell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of April, 2014.



Carol R. Graham

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Open Dump Inspection Checklist

County: Sangamon LPC#: 1678225059 Region: 5 - Springfield
 Location/Site Name: Springfield Twp./Chernis, Joe
 Date: 03/06/2014 Time: From 2:25pm To 2:40pm Previous Inspection Date: 07/12/2013
 Inspector(s): D. Powell, K. Fitzpatrick, & K. Hickey Weather: 44°F, clear skies, light winds
 No. of Photos Taken: # 29 Est. Amt. of Waste: 150 yds³ Samples Taken: Yes # No
 Interviewed: Ryan (employee) Complaint #:
 Latitude: Longitude: Collection Point Description: Center of Site -
 (Example: Lat.: 41.26493 Long.: -89.38294) Collection Method: Photo Interpolation -

Responsible Party Mailing Address(es) and Phone Number(s): Joseph J. Chernis Jr. 2348 Sandhill Road Springfield, IL 62707-6923	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; color: red; font-weight: bold;"> RECEIVED CLERK'S OFFICE APR - 9 2014 </div>	Midwest Demolition and Scrap, Inc. Registered Agent: Joe Chernis, Jr. 401 Hatfield Rd. Meredosia, IL 62665
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	SECTION	DESCRIPTION	VIOL
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT REQUIREMENTS			
1.	9(a)	CAUSE, THREATEN OR ALLOW AIR POLLUTION IN ILLINOIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2.	9(c)	CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN BURNING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.	12(a)	CAUSE, THREATEN OR ALLOW WATER POLLUTION IN ILLINOIS	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.	12(d)	CREATE A WATER POLLUTION HAZARD	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.	21(a)	CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN DUMPING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6.	21(d)	CONDUCT ANY WASTE-STORAGE, WASTE-TREATMENT, OR WASTE- DISPOSAL OPERATION:	
	(1)	Without a Permit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	(2)	In Violation of Any Regulations or Standards Adopted by the Board	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7.	21(e)	DISPOSE, TREAT, STORE, OR ABANDON ANY WASTE, OR TRANSPORT ANY WASTE INTO THE STATE AT/TO SITES NOT MEETING REQUIREMENTS OF ACT AND REGULATIONS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
8.	21(p)	CAUSE OR ALLOW THE OPEN DUMPING OF ANY WASTE IN A MANNER WHICH RESULTS IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING OCCURRENCES AT THE DUMP SITE:	
	(1)	Litter	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	(2)	Scavenging	<input type="checkbox"/>
	(3)	Open Burning	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	(4)	Deposition of Waste in Standing or Flowing Waters	<input type="checkbox"/>
	(5)	Proliferation of Disease Vectors	<input type="checkbox"/>
	(6)	Standing or Flowing Liquid Discharge from the Dump Site	<input type="checkbox"/>

LPC # 1678225059

Inspection Date: 03/06/2014

	(7)	Deposition of: (i) General Construction or Demolition Debris as defined in Section 3.160(a); or (ii) Clean Construction or Demolition Debris as defined in Section 3.160(b)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9.	55(a)	NO PERSON SHALL:	
	(1)	Cause or Allow Open Dumping of Any Used or Waste Tire	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	(2)	Cause or Allow Open Burning of Any Used or Waste Tire	<input type="checkbox"/>
10.	55(k)	NO PERSON SHALL:	
	(1)	Cause or Allow Water to Accumulate in Used or Waste Tires	<input type="checkbox"/>
	(4)	Transport Used or Waste Tires in Violation of the Registration and Placarding Requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
35 ILLINOIS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE REQUIREMENTS SUBTITLE G			
11.	812.101(a)	FAILURE TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO DEVELOP AND OPERATE A LANDFILL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
12.	722.111	HAZARDOUS WASTE DETERMINATION	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.	808.121	SPECIAL WASTE DETERMINATION	<input type="checkbox"/>
14.	809.302(a)	ACCEPTANCE OF SPECIAL WASTE FROM A WASTE TRANSPORTER WITHOUT A WASTE HAULING PERMIT, UNIFORM WASTE PROGRAM REGISTRATION AND PERMIT AND/OR MANIFEST	<input type="checkbox"/>
OTHER REQUIREMENTS			
15.		APPARENT VIOLATION OF: (<input type="checkbox"/>) PCB; (<input type="checkbox"/>) CIRCUIT COURT CASE NUMBER: ORDER ENTERED ON:	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.	OTHER:		<input type="checkbox"/>
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Informational Notes

- [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act: 415 ILCS 5/4.
- Illinois Pollution Control Board: 35 Ill. Adm. Code, Subtitle G.
- Statutory and regulatory references herein are provided for convenience only and should not be construed as legal conclusions of the Agency or as limiting the Agency's statutory or regulatory powers. Requirements of some statutes and regulations cited are in summary format. Full text of requirements can be found in references listed in 1. and 2. above.
- The provisions of subsection (p) of Section 21 and subsection (k) of Section 55 of the [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act shall be enforceable either by administrative citation under Section 31.1 of the Act or by complaint under Section 31 of the Act.
- This inspection was conducted in accordance with Sections 4(c) and 4(d) of the [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act: 415 ILCS 5/4(c) and (d).
- Items marked with an "NE" were not evaluated at the time of this inspection.



Memorandum

TO: SCDPH Environmental File

FROM: Darlene K. Powell, L.E.H.P.
Sangamon County Department of Public Health
Environmental Health Division

DATE: March 13, 2014

RE: LPC# 1678225059
Springfield Twp./Chernis, Joe
Sangamon County

On **March 6, 2014** an inspection was conducted at the above referenced site by Darlene K. Powell, Kyle Fitzpatrick, and Keith Hickey of the Sangamon County Department of Public Health (SCDPH). The weather conditions at the time consisted of clear skies, light winds, and an air temperature of 44°F. The inspection was prompted after SCDPH received a complaint from the Springfield Fire Department on the morning of March 6, 2014 alleging open burning of garbage and construction debris at 2348 Sandhill Road.

The property consists of one parcel (9.51 acres) located at 2348 Sandhill Road in Springfield, Illinois. Sangamon County Assessor's Office has Joseph J. Chernis Jr. listed as the property owner. Midwest Demolition & Scrap is operated at this location, and Illinois Secretary of State has Joseph J. Chernis Jr. listed as the registered agent for the business (see attached records and map).

Photos 001 – 029 were taken during the inspection and are representative of the conditions observed. A white plume of smoke was visible from Sandhill Road as inspectors approached the site (**Photos 001 & 002**). Inspectors parked at the shop and attempted to make contact with someone prior to conducting their investigation. Inspectors knocked at two different doors on the north side of the shop but received no answer. Inspectors then proceeded to the back of the property where the apparent burn pile was located. Evidence of open dumping and open burning were observed during the inspection. The following apparent violations were observed (items correspond with the numbers in the attached inspection checklist):

- 1. 9(a) CAUSE, THREATEN OR ALLOW AIR POLLUTION IN ILLINOIS** – Evidence of open burning which would cause or tend to cause air pollution was observed during the inspection. A burn pile was observed; the contents of which included landscape waste, construction and demolition (C&D) debris, and litter (**Photos 015-022**). **Photo 027** shows an area on the south side of the property where it appeared open burning may have occurred previously and/or ashes of burned materials may have been deposited for potential disposal.

2. **9(c) CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN BURNING** – Evidence of open burning was observed during the inspection. (See 9(a) above)

5. **21(a) CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN DUMPING** – Evidence of open dumping was observed during the inspection. **Photos 003-026 & 028** illustrate open dumped refuse, which included but was not necessarily limited to, waste tires, automotive materials, and general C&D debris. Concrete with protruding rebar was also observed to be used as ground fill in the transfer area (**Photo 029**).

6. **21(d)(1) and 21(d)(2) CONDUCT ANY WASTE-STORAGE, WASTE-TREATMENT, OR WASTE-DISPOSAL OPERATION WITHOUT A PERMIT OR IN VIOLATION OF ANY REGULATIONS OR STANDARDS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD** – Waste was disposed of without a permit granted by the Illinois EPA, and a waste disposal operation was conducted in violation of regulations adopted by the Illinois Pollution control Board. (See 21(a) above)

7. **21(e) DISPOSE, TREAT, STORE, OR ABANDON ANY WASTE, OR TRANSPORT ANY WASTE INTO THE STATE AT/TOSITES NOT MEETING REQUIREMENTS OF ACT AND REGULATIONS** – Waste was treated, stored, abandoned, and/or transported to a site not meeting requirements of the Act and Regulations. (See 21(a) above)

8. **21(p)(1) CAUSE OR ALLOW THE OPEN DUMPING OF ANY WASTE IN A MANNER WHICH RESULTS IN LITTER** – The open dumping of waste was caused or allowed in a manner which resulted in litter. (See 21(a) above)

8. **21(p)(3) CUASE OR ALLOW THE OPEN DUMPING OF ANY WATE IN A MANNER WHICH RESULTS IN OPEN BURNING** – The open dumping of waste was caused or allowed in a manner which resulted in open burning. (See 9(a) above)

8. **21(p)(7) CAUSE OR ALLOW THE OPEN DUMPING OF ANY WASTE IN A MANNER WHICH RESULTS IN DEPOSITION OF: (i) GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OR DEMOLITION DEBRIS AS DEFINED IN SECITON 3.160(a); OR (ii) CLEAN CONSTRUCTION OR DEMOLITION DEBRIS AS DEFINED IN SECITON 3.160(b)** – The open dumping of waste was caused or allowed in a manner which resulted in the deposition of general demolition debris. (See 21(a) above)

9. **55(a)(1) NO PERSON SHALL CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN DUMPING OF ANY USED OR WASTE TIRE** - Evidence was observed to indicate the open dumping of waste tires was caused and/or allowed. (See 21(a) above)

11. **812.101(a) FAILURE TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO DEVELOP AND OPERATE A LANDFILL** – A waste disposal site is operating without submittal of an application for a permit to the Illinois EPA to develop and operate a landfill. (See 21(a) above)

Additional Comments

Two men were on-site working with earth moving equipment in the area adjacent to the burn pile when inspectors arrived. Mr. Chernis was not present at the time. Workers were informed of the complaint received and the purpose of the inspectors coming to the facility. Ryan (last name not provided) works for Mr. Chernis and briefly spoke with inspectors before both men vacated the area and headed to the shop.

Ryan was informed on-site generated landscape waste can be burned at the property; however, all other forms of solid waste generated at job sites must be taken to an Illinois EPA licensed landfill or transfer station for disposal. Solid waste cannot be hauled to the property on Sandhill Road for storage and/or disposal purposes. Ryan claimed to be unaware of any illegal burning at the property. He noted the large tree trunks present in the burn pile were generated on-site and were previously stored along the east tree line. Ryan was unsure as to where the pile of junk and trash came from or how long it had been there (**Photos 07-014**). Ryan stated demolition debris is typically taken up the road to the Sangamon Valley Landfill for disposal.

Prior to leaving the area inspectors contacted Environmental Health Director, Allen Alexander, to discuss the smoldering burn pile and whether the Springfield Fire Department should be called out to the scene. Per Mr. Alexander, the Fire Department was not contacted. The man power and resources required to address the issue were not warranted based on observations made at the time of inspection.

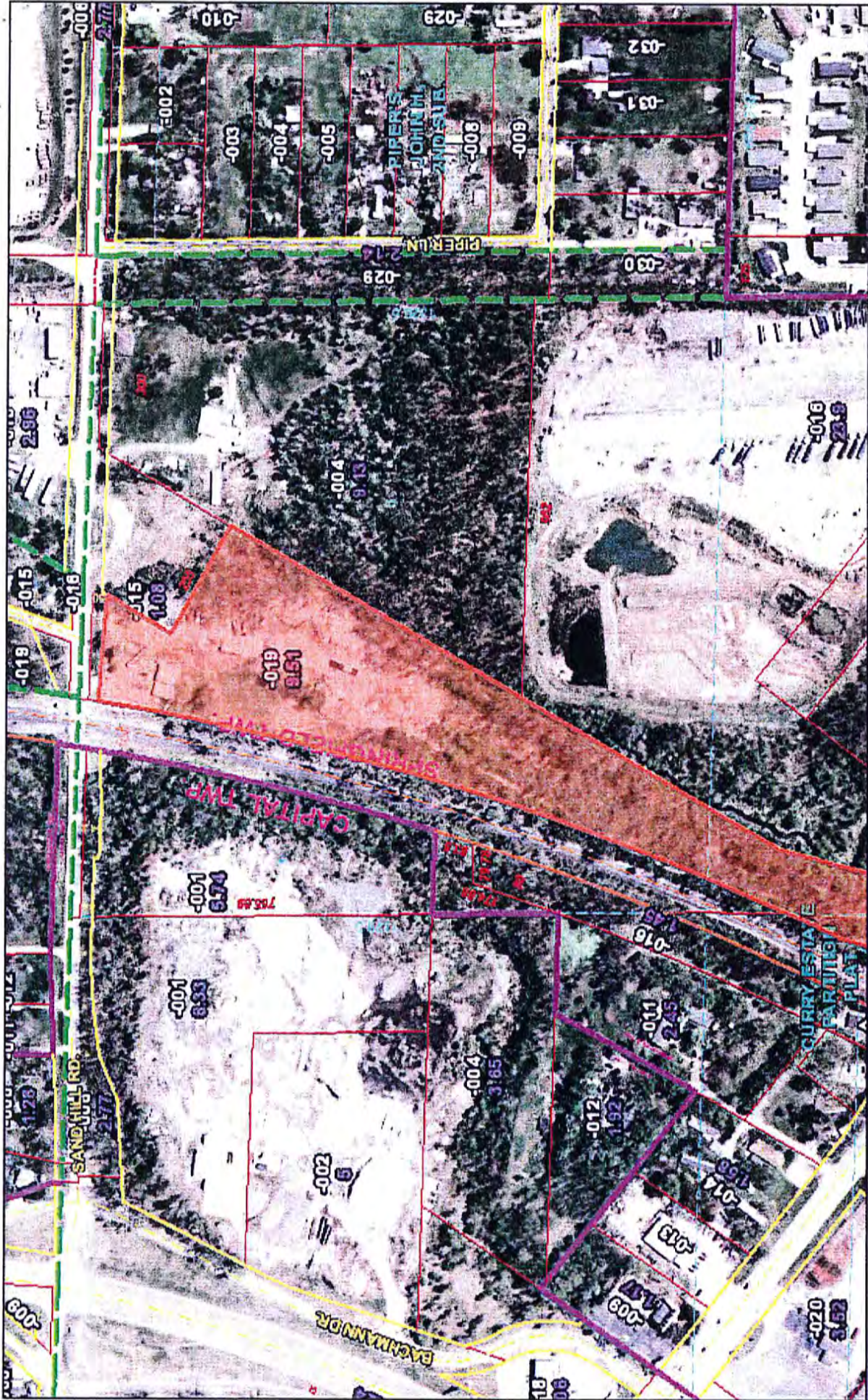
It is relevant to note there are ongoing issues with Mr. Chernis operating an illegal transfer station and allowing open dumping and burning of solid waste at the facility. Representatives from both IEPA and SCDPH have conducted several inspections at the property throughout the years. Open dumping and open burning violations have been cited on multiple occasions. Prior to 2014 inspections were conducted by representatives of this Department on December 14, 2011 and July 12, 2013. Inspector Jim Hartwig conducted an inspection on December 14, 2011 after a complaint was called in from IEPA alleging open burning at the property. Evidence of open dumping and open burning were observed. Construction debris, scrap metal, railroad ties, and landscape waste were observed during the inspection. An Administrative Citation Warning Notice (ACWN) was sent to Mr. Chernis as a result. All violations were considered to be corrected on December 28, 2011 at the time of re-inspection.

Complaints received by SCDPH in 2012 did not result in violations being cited based on observations made at the time. On July 12, 2013 SCDPH received a complaint from the Springfield Fire Department stating various materials were being illegally burned. Steve Hall of this Department conducted an inspection and observed evidence of open dumping and open burning. Construction debris, tires, fireworks, car parts, vinyl siding, and PVC pipe were observed in the burn pile. An ACWN was sent to Mr. Chernis as a result. To date there is no record of permanent corrective actions being taken by Mr. Chernis to mitigate the ongoing issues at the property.

Enclosures

cc: DLPC Division File
DLPC/FOS Region 5

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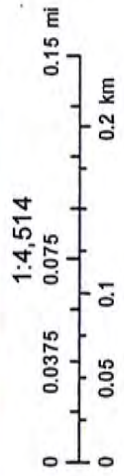


March 10, 2014



Office Of
Supervisor of Assessments

Sangamon County GIS



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Sangamon County

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Property Information | Assessment Values | Other Information

Name and Mailing Address	
CHERNIS JOSEPH J JR 2348 SAND HILL RD SPRINGFIELD IL 62707-6923	

Tax Year	Status	Tax Code	Acres Non-Farm	Acres Farm
2013	Pending		.00	.00
2014	Active	B04	9.51	.00

Mortgage Code

Class

Property Address	
2348 SAND HILL RD SPRINGFIELD IL 62707 Bldg Nbr 1 Unit Nbr	

Volume / Page / Taxes Sold
Scavenger Sale

Legal Description	
PT E1/2 NW1/4 & PT SW1/4 NW1/4 (FORMER RR ROW) 12-16-5	

Exemption	Exemption	Exemption	Exemption
Owner Occupied	N	Home Improvement	N
Contract For Deed	N	Disabled Veteran	N
Senior Citizen	N	Fraternal Org	N
Sr Assmt Freeze	N	Veteran Org	N
Disabled Owner	N	Returning Vet	N
Natural Disaster	N		

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CORPORATION FILE DETAIL REPORT

Entity Name	MIDWEST DEMOLITION & SCRAP, INC.	File Number	69310745
Status	ACTIVE		
Entity Type	CORPORATION	Type of Corp	DOMESTIC BCA
Incorporation Date (Domestic)	12/27/2013	State	ILLINOIS
Agent Name	JOSEPH J CHERNIS JR	Agent Change Date	12/27/2013
Agent Street Address	401 HATFIELD RD	President Name & Address	
Agent City	MEREDOSIA	Secretary Name & Address	
Agent Zip	62665	Duration Date	PERPETUAL
Annual Report Filing Date	00/00/0000	For Year	

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SITE REPRESENTATION

Date of Inspection: 03/06/2014

Inspector(s): D. Powell, K. Hickey, & K. Fitzpatrick

I.E.P.A. Site Code: 1678225059

County: Sangamon

Site Name: Springfield Twp./Chernis, Joe

Time: 02:25 – 02:40pm

Measurement Approximate

Not To Scale

Aerial Photo, 2011



SANGAMON COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
2833 South Grand Avenue East
Springfield, Illinois 62703
(217) 535-3145

DIGITAL INSPECTION PHOTOS

DATE: 03/06/2014	SITE #: 1678225059	SANGAMON COUNTY
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Smoke
observed from
Sandhill road

PHOTO BY: KF
DIRECTION: SE
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03062014-KF- 1678225059-Chernis-002



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**Construction debris
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Construction debris in
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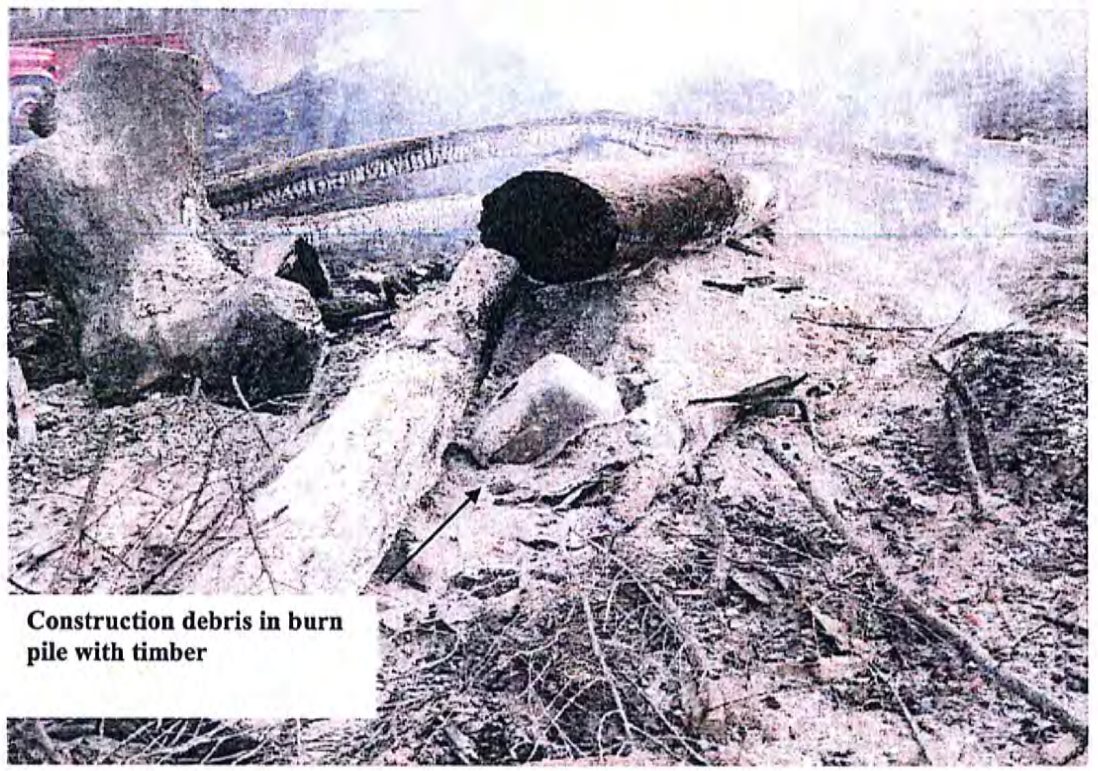
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Rebar and mixed
construction debris

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In re: Administrative Citation
Joe Chernis, Jr. and Midwest Demolition and Scrap, Inc
SCDPH Case No. 14-AC-1
IEPA Site Code #1678225059
Inspection Date: March 6, 2014

Dear Mr. Therriault:

Enclosed for filing is an Administrative Citation Package issued to the above-captioned Respondent. I am forwarding one complete copy, which includes the Administrative Citation, field inspector's affidavit, inspection report and a remittance form. I am enclosing nine additional copies of the Citation itself.

For your records, the Citation was mailed to the Respondent on April 7, 2014 certified mail return receipt requested. As soon as I receive the green receipt card back, I will notify you so that your file will reflect the exact date of service. If the Respondent pays the civil penalty without filing a Petition for Review, I will notify your office.

The Respondent is being served at 401 Hatfield Rd, Meredosia, Illinois 62665.
Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you need anything further, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Sheri L. Carey
Assistant State's Attorney