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Illinois Pollution Control Board

Attention: Mr. Don Brown

We support stringent requirements for the cleanup and storage of coal ash in Illinois. As coal power electric generation utilities are phased out for renewable energy alternatives, the coal ash produced by this polluting energy source needs to be stored, cleaned up, and disposed of properly. Future generations should not bear the responsibility or cost for coal ash clean up for energy that we consumed. Utility corporations and any other company with coal ash storage operations need to be held accountable and implement timely clean-up and remediation operation to prevent further pollution of our lakes, streams and rivers.

We trust the Pollution Control Board will act in an environmentally responsible manner and adopt/enforce rigorous requirements for clean up and storage of coal ash.

Sincerely,

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