

John Therriault - Re: Chciago Disinfection and Stickney Point

From: Marie Tipsord
To: John Therriault
Date: 10/3/2011 8:57 AM
Subject: Re: Chciago Disinfection and Stickney Point

RUG-9(B)

good response but I would enter this in Docket B as a comment given the specifics addressed.



PC# 1120

>>> John Therriault 9/30/2011 4:25 PM >>>
Mr Freeborn,

I thought I should reply to you to say at least that we are a court and have nothing to do with how the parties involved disinfect the water. You would do better contacting the Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago or some of the facilities that "dump" into the waterways under evaluation.

John Therriault
Assistant Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board
312-814-3629



>>> Bob Freeborn <bfreeborn@peragreenolutions.com> 9/27/2011 11:20 AM >>>
Mr. Therriault,

Margaret Frisbie with the Friends of the Chicago River recommended I write to you concerning adding Stickney Point to the facilities being considered for disinfection. I represent a company that can provide an economically viable alternative to capital expensive UV systems and environmentally unfriendly chlorine and dechlor technologies. Our program is totally "Green" and breaks down to carbon dioxide and water after killing pathogens. Please visit our site at peragreenolutions.com.

I am attaching a formal letter for disinfection at Stickney Point.

Sincerely,

Robert Freeborn
PERAGreen Solutions

From: Carley Broder <carbro67@aol.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 9/16/2011 2:11 AM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Sep 16, 2011

Mr. John Therriault
100 West Randolph St., Ste 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

Dear Mr. Therriault,

As a supporter of American Rivers, I am writing to ask you to kill the pathogens that are contained in the sewage released into the Chicago River every day.

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The Clean Water Act requires that we continually improve our waterways to the greatest extent possible. The law clearly states that we need to keep trying until we get it right. The Illinois EPA, and now the U.S. EPA, have recognized that it is time to improve our water quality and establish new standards for how we treat the river. We support the national and state EPA, and call on you to take responsibility for cleaning up the sewage effluent in Chicago's water.

Please begin work immediately to implement the changes needed to begin disinfection of the water destined for the Chicago River.

Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,

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Ms. Carley Broder
100 W 67th St
Apt 2se
New York, NY 10023-5919

PC#1121

From: tim arnold <ezrider62@yahoo.com>
To: <therriaj@pcb.state.il.us>
Date: 9/23/2011 2:53 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Sep 23, 2011

Mr. John Therriault
100 West Randolph St., Ste 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

PC# 1122

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Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,

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Mr. tim arnold
705 Powderhorn Ave
Santa Rosa, CA 95407-2750

From: anumpeshi aduddell <teresa2012@verizon.net>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 9/25/2011 5:22 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Sep 25, 2011

Mr. John Therriault
100 West Randolph St., Ste 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

PC# 1123

Dear Mr. Therriault,

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Dr. anumpeshi aduddell
1166 Nelrose Ave
Venice, CA 90291-5047

From: dogan ozkan <doanodna@hotmail.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 9/25/2011 10:20 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Sep 25, 2011

Mr. John Therriault
100 West Randolph St., Ste 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

PC# 1124

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From: Barbara Stracke <silent.heresy@gmail.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 9/26/2011 7:26 AM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Sep 26, 2011

Mr. John Therriault
100 West Randolph St., Ste 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

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Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,

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Mrs. Barbara Stracke
R.: Caure, 119 apt. 45
Sao Paulo, None 02310

PC# 1125

From: carl gadner <sgardner@ee.net>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 9/27/2011 9:57 AM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Sep 27, 2011

Mr. John Therriault
100 West Randolph St., Ste 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

PC# 1126

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Sincerely,

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Mr. carl gadner
3613 Bradley Cir
Zanesville, OH 43701-1011

From: Craig Beach <crclub@hotmail.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 9/30/2011 9:23 AM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Sep 29, 2011

Mr. John Therriault
100 West Randolph St., Ste 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

PC# 1127

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Thank you for considering my request.

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Mr. Craig Beach
417 Cockeys Mill Rd
Reisterstown, MD 21136-5111