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To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/13/2012 5:25 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 13, 2012

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

Pct#1258

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Sincerely,

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Ms. Linda Bowman
228 Chapman St
Greenfield, MA 01301-2484

From: Harrison P Bertram <thedanzman@yahoo.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/13/2012 7:24 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

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PC# 1259

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Mr. Harrison P Bertram
1090 Groton Ct
Schaumburg, IL 60193-3745

From: sara taylor <faeriesara1@yahoo.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/13/2012 9:54 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 13, 2012

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

PC#1260

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Ms. sara taylor
48 Pinkham Rd
Lee, NH 03861-6706

From: Jenny Bramlette <bramlette.jenny_m@tampa.med.va.gov>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/14/2012 5:57 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 14, 2012

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

PCT#1261

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Sincerely,

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Mrs. Jenny Bramlette
5909 Estes Ln
Wesley Chapel, FL 33545-4332

From: Helen Garcia <helenwgarcia@yahoo.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/15/2012 7:28 AM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 15, 2012

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

PC#1262

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Sincerely,

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Ms. Helen Garcia
3582 Deercove Drive
750 Gonzalez Dr
San Francisco, CA 94132

From: VIOLA HADER <haderv22@gmail.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/17/2012 5:41 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 17, 2012

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

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Ms. VIOLA HADER
300 Volta St
Copiague, NY 11726-1631

PCH#1263

From: Lucy Bocian <lucybocca@aol.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/17/2012 6:41 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

PC#1264

Jan 17, 2012

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Chicago, IL 60601

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Sincerely,

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Ms. Lucy Bocian
911 W Panorama Dr
Apt 102
Palatine, IL 60067-2051

From: Pamela Kittelson <pamelafouse@gmail.com>
To: <therriaj@lpcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/17/2012 10:12 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 17, 2012

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

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Ms. Pamela Kittelson
912 Cooper St
Missoula, MT 59802-2615

From: Monica Stamm <monicainf@hotmail.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/19/2012 12:18 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

PC #1266

Jan 19, 2012

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

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Sincerely,

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Ms. Monica Stamm
304 Reeves St Lot E1
Niceville, FL 32578-2845

From: Anne Swasey <lyth240@peacemail.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/22/2012 5:24 AM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 22, 2012

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

PC# 1267

Dear Mr. Therriault,

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Ms. Anne Swasey
177 Randolph St
Rochester, NY 14621-4043

From: Steven Haddon <fishers123@comcast.net>
To: <therria@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/22/2012 10:24 AM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

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Mr. Steven Haddon
22w307 1st St
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137-3532

PC#1268

From: Paulo Panganiban <paulo@panganiban.ph>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/23/2012 1:56 AM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 23, 2012

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

PC#1269
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Mr. Paulo Panganiban
Lahug, Cebu City
Cebu City, None 60000

From: Frederick Schultz <fredms@verizon.net>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/25/2012 3:21 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 25, 2012

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

Dear Mr. Therriault,

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Sincerely,

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Mr. Frederick Schultz
25 Albamont Rd
Winchester, MA 01890-3417

PC# 1270 a

From: angela fox <fox444@roadrunner.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/25/2012 8:52 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 25, 2012

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

PC#127/a

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Mrs. angela fox
16725 Bubbling Wells Rd
Desert Hot Springs, CA 92240-9550

From: Saul Sherter <sasherter80@gmail.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/27/2012 10:26 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 27, 2012

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

pc# 1272a

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Mr. Saul Sherter
747 Logan Ave
Geneva, IL 60134-1125

From: Steven Culp <steven@yourveryowngeek.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 1/29/2012 7:00 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Jan 29, 2012

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

PC# 1273a

Dear Mr. Therriault,

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Mr. Steven Culp
33 E Main St
Chesterfield, IN 46017-1211

From: "J.E. MCCARN" <jemccarn@gmail.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/3/2012 12:11 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 3, 2012

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

PC# 1274a

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Sincerely,

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Mr. J.E. MCCARN
4700 N Ashland Ave Apt 8
Chicago, IL 60640-3470

From: Jose de Arteaga <kenn.jose@comcast.net>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/5/2012 2:25 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 5, 2012

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

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Sincerely,

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Mr. Jose de Arteaga
2014 31st PI SE
Washington, DC 20020-3314

PC# 1277a

From: Charles Anderson <candersonmd@centurytel.net>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/5/2012 12:28 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 5, 2012

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Sincerely,

Sincerely,

Dr. Charles Anderson
PO Box 1804
San Marcos, TX 78667-1804

PC#1276a

From: Suzie Awad <suzak22@yahoo.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/5/2012 12:26 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 5, 2012

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Sincerely,

Sincerely,

Mrs. Suzie Awad
1419 N Royer St
Colorado Springs, CO 80907-7631

PC#1275a

From: Deborah Rodell <fatboy230315@sbcglobal.net>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/5/2012 2:28 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 5, 2012

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

PCH 1268a

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Sincerely,

Sincerely,

Ms. Deborah Rodell
1503 Roosevelt Ave
Janesville, WI 53546-6037

From: Roger Burton <rvb@fivesistersproductions.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/6/2012 9:57 AM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 6, 2012

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

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Sincerely,

Sincerely,

Dr. Roger Burton
211 Lebrun Rd
Egbertsville, NY 14226-4121

PC#1269a

From: Suzanne Ion <mauipeach@bellsouth.net>
To: <therriaj@pcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/6/2012 12:57 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 6, 2012

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

PC#1270

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Sincerely,
Suzanne Ion
Palm beach gardens, fl. 33410

Sincerely,

Mrs. Suzanne Ion
2515 San Pietro Cir
Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410-2976

From: william renninger <williamrenninger68@yahoo.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/6/2012 8:26 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 6, 2012

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

PC#1221

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Sincerely,

Sincerely,

Mr. william renninger
8 Cris Dr
Eldred, PA 16731-4414

From: luke van keuren <lvpanzer774@gmail.com>
To: <therriaj@lpcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/6/2012 8:57 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 6, 2012

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

PC#1272

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Sincerely,

Sincerely,

Mr. luke van keuren
472 95th St
Clear Lake, WI 54005-4003

From: Kathleen Leib <lovehousemd@aim.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/6/2012 9:26 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 6, 2012

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

PC# 1273

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Sincerely,

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Ms. Kathleen Leib
112 Jenks Rd
Morristown, NJ 07960-8702

From: Robert Sprenkle <bobspre354@aol.com>
To: <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us>
Date: 2/7/2012 1:22 PM
Subject: Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

Feb 7, 2012

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

PC# 1274

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Mr. Robert Sprenkle
2137 W 70 S
Hurricane, UT 84737-2791