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STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board

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Clerk of the Board Illinois Pollution Control Board 100 West Randolph Street James R. Thompson Center, Suite 11-500 Chicago, IL 60601-3218

RE:

AC15-4 Administrative Citation – Perry County/Burgess, Edward J

Site Code: 1458385002

Inspection Date: June 18, 2014

Dear Clerk:

Enclosed for filing with the Board is the Administrative Citation packet issued against Edward J. Burgess.

I will file proof of service once that is obtained on Respondent. Please acknowledge receipt and filing of the enclosed materials. Thank you.

Sincerely,

David Searby

Assistant State's Attorney Perry County, Illinois

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cc: Rebecca Tracy, Perry County Solid Waste w/enclosures

IEPA Springfield (Ellen Robinson w/enclosures)

IEPA Marion (Sheila Williams w/enclosures)

Village of Tamaroa w/enclosures

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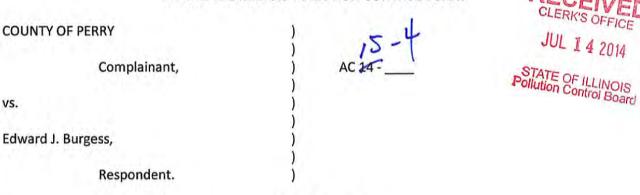
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#### BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD



### **NOTICE OF FILING**

To: Edward J. Burgess, 540 East 2<sup>nd</sup> South Street, Tamaroa, IL 62888

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

David Searby, Assistant State's Attorney

Perry County, Illinois

Perry County State's Attorney's Office Perry County Courthouse 1 Public Square Pinckneyville, IL 62274 (618) 357-6221

DATED: July , 2014

# BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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COUNTY OF PERRY	15-1
Complainant,	AC 14
vs.	
Edward J. Burgess,	ý
Respondent.	)

# **APPEARANCE**

I hereby file my appearance in this proceeding, on behalf of the County of Perry.

David Searby, Assistant State's Attorney

Perry County, Illinois

Perry County State's Attorney's Office Perry County Courthouse 1 Public Square Pinckneyville, IL 62274 (618) 357-6221

DATED: July \_\_\_\_\_, 2014

#### BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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COUNTY OF PERRY	1 5-4	CLERK'S OFFICE
Complainant,	) AC 4-	JUL 1 4 2014
vs.		STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board
Edward J. Burgess,	į	
Respondent.	)	

This Administrative Citation is issued pursuant to the authority vested in the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency by 415 ILCS 5/1 et. Seq., specifically 415 ILCS 5/31.1.

#### **FACTS**

- The Respondent, Edward J. Burgess, is the present owner; and is in control and possession of a facility located in the County of Perry, State of Illinois.
- The facility is an open dump and designated with the Site Code #14583850023. The facility is known to the Agency as the Tamaroa/Burgess, Edward J site.
- The Respondent has owned, occupied, controlled and/or operated the facility at all relevant times hereto.
- 4. On June 18, 2014, Rebecca Tracy, Field Inspector, Perry County Solid Waste Department, inspected the facility. A true and correct copy of the inspection report, along with Ms. Tracy's affidavit, are attached and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit A.

#### **VIOLATIONS**

On the basis of Field Inspector, Rebecca Tracy's, direct observation, she has determined that the Respondent has caused or allowed open dumping at the above described facility in a manner that resulted in the following violations:

That on June 18, 2014, an on-site inspection of the facility disclosed the following:

The Respondent has caused or allowed litter at the facility in violation of 415 ILCS
 5/21(p)(1).

#### **CIVIL PENALTY**

Pursuant to Section 42(b)(4-5) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/42(b)(4-5), 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 One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00). 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 October 1, 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 (2006), and if the Illinois

Pollution Control Board issues a finding of violations(s) as alleged herein, after an adjudicatory hearing,

Respondent shall be assessed the associated hearing costs incurred by the Illinois Environmental

Protection Agency and the Illinois Pollution Control Board. Those hearing costs shall be assessed in

addition to the Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$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), 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 a finding of violation(s) as alleged herein, and shall impose the statutory civil penalty specified above.

When payment is made, checks shall be made payable in equal amounts (50% of total penalty each) to:

(1) Perry County Solid Waste, c/o Perry County Treasurer, Perry County Government Building, 3764 State Route 13/127, Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274; and,

(2) Illinois Environmental Protection Trust Fund and mailed to the attention of Fiscal Services, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, 1021 North Grand Avenue East, PO Box 19276, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276.

Respondent shall complete and return the enclosed Remittance Forms with payments 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 the Respondent from the date payment is due up to and including the date that payment is received. The Complainant may initiate proceedings against Respondent in Circuit Court or other debt collection actions to collect said penalty and/or hearing costs, plus any interest accrued.

#### PROCEDURE FOR CONTESTING THIS ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

Respondent has the right to contest this Administrative Citation pursuant to and in accordance with 415 ILCS 5/31.1. 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. A copy of the Petition for Review shall also be filed with David Searby, Assistant State's Attorney, Perry County Courthouse, Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274. Your Petition for Review must be filed within thirty-five (35) days of the date of service of this Administrative Citation. Your petition must state the reason(s) you believe the present matter should not be issued. If you fail to file your petition and state the reasons the present matter should not be issued, a default order against you will be entered by the Illinois Pollution Control Board.

Your original Petition must be filed with the Clerk of the Board at:

Clerk, Pollution Control Board 100 West Randolph, Suite 11-500 Chicago, IL 60601-3218

A copy must also be sent to:

Office of the State's Attorney, David Searby Assistant State's Attorney Perry County Courthouse Pinckneyville, IL 62274

David Searby, Assistant State's Attorney

Perry County, Illinois

DATE: July \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2014

Perry County State's Attorney's Office Perry County Courthouse 1 Public Square Pinckneyville, IL 62274 (618)357-6221

# REMITTANCE FORM TO THE COUNTY OF PERRY

# BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board

COUNTY OF P	PERRY	15-4
	Complainant,	) AC-4-
vs.		
Edward J. Bur	rgess,	)
	Respondent.	)
FACILITY:	Tamaroa/Burgess, Edward J	
COUNTY:	Perry	
DATE OF INSE	PECTION: June 18, 2014	
SITE CODE:	1458385002	
DATE REMITT	ED:	
SS/FEIN NUM	BER:	
SIGNATURE:		

NOTE

Please include the information on the blank lines. Mail this form with your check to:

Perry County Solid Waste c/o Perry County Treasurer Perry County Government Building 3764 State Route 13/127 Pinckneyville, IL 62274

### REMITTANCE FORM TO THE ILLINOIS EPA

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FACILITY:

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Respondent.

DATE REMITTED:

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SIGNATURE:

### NOTE

Please include the information on the blank lines. Mail this form with your check to:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency

Attention: Fiscal Services

PO Box 19276

Springfield, IL 62794-9276



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#### **PROOF OF SERVICE**

STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board

I hereby certify that I did on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of July 2014, transmit to the Perry County Sheriff's

Department a true and correct copy of the following instruments(s) entitled ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION,

AFFIDAVITS, OPEN DUMP INSPECTION CHECKLIST, OPEN DUMP NARRATIVE, SITE SKETCH AND PHOTO

SHEETS, which will be served upon the following:

To:

Edward J. Burgess

540 East 2<sup>nd</sup> South Street

PO Box 183

Tamaroa, IL 62888

And the original and nine (9) true and correct copies of the same foregoing instruments on the same date by certified mail return receipt requested, with postage thereon fully prepaid

To:

Clerk of the Board

Illinois Pollution Control Board 100 West Randolph Street

James R. Thompson Center, Suite 11-500

Chicago, IL 60601-3218

David Searby, Assistant State's Attorney

Perry County, Illinois

Perry County State's Attorney's Office Perry County Courthouse 1 Public Square Pinckneyville, IL 62274 (618)357-6221



# COUNTY OF PERRY AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board

# BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

cou	NTY OF PERRY ) Complainant, AC 14-
	Complainant, AC 24
vs.	
Edw	ard J. Burgess,
	Respondent. )
Affia	nt, Rebecca Tracy, being first duly sworn, voluntarily deposes and states as follows:
1.	Affiant is a field inspector employed by the Perry County Solid Waste Management Departmen
and	has been so employed at all times pertinent hereto.
2.	On June 18, 2014 at 10:57 a.m., Affiant conducted an inspection of the open dump site known
as Ta	amaroa/Burgess, Edward J, Perry County, Illinois. Said site has been assigned Site Code No.
1458	3385002.
3.	Affiant inspected said open dump site by an on-site inspection.
4.	As a result of the activities referred to in Paragraphs 2 and 3 above, Affiant completed the Open
Dum	p Inspection Checklist and Narrative Inspection Report attached hereto and made a part hereof,
whic	h, to the best of Affiant's knowledge and belief, is an accurate representation of Affiant's
obse	rvations and factual conclusions with respect to the open dump site known as Tamaroa/Burgess,
Edwa	Relecco Fr
	REBECCA TRACY, Environmental Compliance Inspector
	cribed and Sworn to before me this day of, 2014.
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**Notary Public** 

# ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY Open Dump Inspection Checklist

County:	Perry		LPC#:	145838	5002	R	egion:	7 - Marion
Location/s	Site Name:	Tamaroa/Bur	gess, Ed	ward J				
Date: Inspector	06/18/2014 (s): R. Trac		10:57	am To	10:57 am Weather:	Previous Inspect 87 degrees	tion Date	e: 09/17/2013
No. of Ph	otos Taken: # ed:	1 Est. A	Amt. of W	/aste: 30		Samples Taken: laint #:	Yes#	No 🗆
Latitude: (Example:	38.08385 Lat.: 41.26493	Longitude: - Long.: -89	-089.134 .38294)	3 (3)	ection Point ection Meth	Description: - od: -	R	ECEIVED
Responsible Party Mailing Address(es) and Phone Number(s):		Edward J. Bu 540 East 2 <sup>nd</sup> PO Box 183 Tamaroa, IL 6	South St	reet			J	TE OF ILLINOIS tion Control Board

	SECTION	DESCRIPTION	VIOL
		LLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT REQUIREMENTS	
1.	9(a)	CAUSE, THREATEN OR ALLOW AIR POLLUTION IN ILLINOIS	
2.	9(c)	CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN BURNING	
3.	12(a)	CAUSE, THREATEN OR ALLOW WATER POLLUTION IN ILLINOIS	
4.	12(d)	CREATE A WATER POLLUTION HAZARD	
5.	21(a)	CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN DUMPING	$\boxtimes$
6.	21(d)	CONDUCT ANY WASTE-STORAGE, WASTE-TREATMENT, OR WASTE- DISPOSAL OPERATION	ON:
	(1)	Without a Permit	
	(2)	In Violation of Any Regulations or Standards Adopted by the Board	
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	
8.	21(p)	CAUSE OR ALLOW THE OPEN DUMPING OF ANY WASTE IN A MANNER WHICH RESULTS II OF THE FOLLOWING OCCURRENCES AT THE DUMP SITE:	YNA
	(1)	Litter	$\boxtimes$
	(2)	Scavenging	
	(3)	Open Burning	
	(4)	Deposition of Waste in Standing or Flowing Waters	
	(5)	Proliferation of Disease Vectors	
	(6)	Standing or Flowing Liquid Discharge from the Dump Site	
	(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)	

#### LPC # 1458385002

**Inspection Date:** 

06/18/2014

9.	55(a)	NO PERSON SHALL:	
	(1)	Cause or Allow Open Dumping of Any Used or Waste Tire	$\boxtimes$
	(2)	Cause or Allow Open Burning of Any Used or Waste Tire	
10.	55(k)	NO PERSON SHALL:	
	(1)	Cause or Allow Water to Accumulate in Used or Waste Tires	
	(4)	Transport Used or Waste Tires in Violation of the Registration and Placarding Requirements	
	ELE	CTRONIC PRODUCTS RECYCLING AND REUSE ACT REQUIREMENTS	
11.	95(a)	NO PERSON MAY KNOWINGLY CAUSE OR ALLOW THE MIXING OF A COVERED ELECTRONIC DEVICE (CED) OR OTHER LISTED DEVICE WITH MUNICIPAL WASTE THAT IS INTENDED FOR DISPOSAL AT A LANDFILL	
12.	95(b)	NO PERSON MAY KNOWINGLY CAUSE OR ALLOW THE DISPOSAL OF A CED OR OTHER LISTED DEVICE IN A SANITARY LANDFILL	
13.	95(c)	NO PERSON MAY KNOWINGLY CAUSE OR ALLOW THE MIXING OF A CED OR OTHER LISTED DEVICE WITH WASTE THAT IS INTENDED FOR DISPOSAL BY BURNING OR INCINERATION	
14.	95(d)	NO PERSON MAY KNOWINGLY CAUSE OR ALLOW THE BURNING OR INCINERATION OF A CED OR OTHER LISTED DEVICE	
		35 ILLINOIS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE REQUIREMENTS SUBTITLE G	
15.	812.101(a)	FAILURE TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO DEVELOP AND OPERATE A LANDFILL	
16.	722.111	HAZARDOUS WASTE DETERMINATION	
17.	808.121	SPECIAL WASTE DETERMINATION	
18.	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	
19.	815.201	FAILURE TO FILE AN INITIAL FACLITY REPORT WITH THE AGENCY TO PROVIDE INFORMATION CONCERNING LOCATION AND DISPOSAL PRACTICES OF THE FACILITY	
		OTHER REQUIREMENTS	
20.		APPARENT VIOLATION OF: (□) PCB; (□) CIRCUIT COURT CASE NUMBER: ORDER ENTERED ON:	
21.	OTHER:		

#### **Informational Notes**

- 1. [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act: 415 ILCS 5/1 et seq.; and The Electronic Products Recycling and Reuse Act: 415 ILCS 150/5 et seq.
- 2. Illinois Pollution Control Board: 35 III. 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.
- 4. The provisions of subsection (p) of Section 21, subsection (k) of Section 55 of the [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act shall be enforceable either by administrative citation under Section 31.1 of that Act or by complaint under Section 31 of that Act. Violation of the Electronic Products Recycling and Reuse Act shall be enforceable by administrative citation under Section 20(k) of that Act, or referral to the Attorney General, pursuant to Section 20(a) of that 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); and Section 20(a) of the Electronic Products Recycling and Reuse Act: 415 ILCS 150/20(a).
- 6. Items marked with an "NE" were not evaluated at the time of this inspection.

# Perry County Solid Waste Management Department Narrative Inspection Report

Site #: 1458385002 Date: 06/18/2014

County: Perry Inspector: Rebecca Tracy

Subject: Edward J. Burgess

540 East 2<sup>nd</sup> South Street

**PO Box 183** 

Tamaroa, IL 62888

Site Address: 540 East 2nd South Street

Tamaroa, IL 62888

On June 18, 2014, an inspection was performed at 540 East 2<sup>nd</sup> South Street, Tamaroa, IL 62888. The weather conditions were 87 degrees. The inspection was performed as a compliance inspection.

The information obtained from the Perry County Assessor's office indicates that the owner of the property is Edward J. Burgess, 540 East 2<sup>nd</sup> South Street, PO Box 183, Tamaroa, IL 62888. The property index number is 2-41-0560-310.

I arrived at the site at 10:57 a.m. As depicted in Photo 001, the yard is covered with open dumped used/waste tires and open dumped litter, debris and refuse. The property is a nuisance and has an irrefutable unsightly appearance.

I left the site at 10:57 a.m.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

The Burgess property is being used to collect and store litter, debris, refuse and used/waste tires. It appears that Burgess residence is being used as a repair or mechanical business/hobby and although the Burgess' should be allowed to conduct repairs, whether as a hobby or business, they are still subject to the Illinois Environmental Protection Act; more specifically, Section 21(a) which prohibits causing or allowing open dumping; 21(p)(1) which prohibits causing or allowing the open dumping of any waste in a manner which results in litter; and, 55(a) which prohibits causing or allowing the open dumping of any used or waste tire.

Further, they are subject to the Illinois Pollution Control Board's regulations wherein anyone who collects scrap or other materials for salvage, recycling or selling are then subject to Section 810.103 which states that the materials must be separated by type and stored in a manner that does not create a nuisance, harbor vectors or cause an unsightly appearance.

Further, the open dumping of materials "in the anticipation of some future use at some undefined time" is not acceptable. (INTERIM OPINION AND ORDER OF THE BOARD, June 6, 2002, IEPA v. Yocum, AC 01-29 and IEPA v. Yocum, AC 01-30).

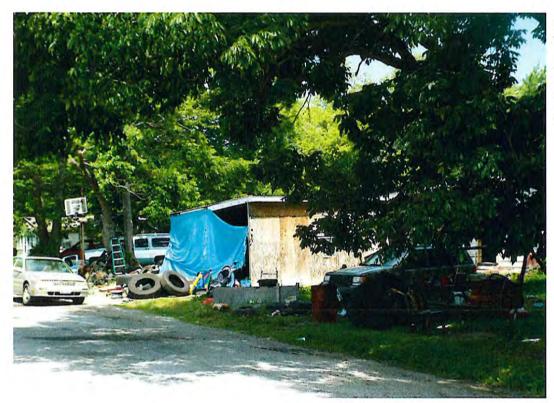
### **VIOLATIONS:**

### ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT

- 21(a) No Person Shall Cause or Allow Open Dumping
- 21(p) No Person Shall 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
- 55(a) No Person Shall:
  - (1) Cause or Allow Open Dumping of Any Used or Waste Tire



# **DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHS**



Date: 06/18/2014
Time: 10:57 a.m.
Direction: Northwest
Photo by: R. Tracy
Exposure #: 001
Comments: open
dumped debris

SITE SKETCH

JUL 1 4 2014

Date of Inspection: 06/18/2014

Time: 10:57 a.m.

Site Code: 1458385002

Site Name: Tamaroa/Burgess, Edward J STATE OF ILLINOIS
Pollution Control Board

Photo 001

County:

Perry

Est. Waste Volume: 30 cubic yards

Previous Inspection: 09/17/2013 **Maple Street** Burgess home shed East 2<sup>nd</sup> South Street

Not Drawn to Scale / All Location Approx. / photo direction