

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
May 21, 2015

IN THE MATTER OF:)
)
PETITION OF THE CITY OF) AS 15-03
COLLINSVILLE FOR AN ADJUSTED) (Adjusted Standard – Water)
STANDARD FROM 35 ILL. ADM. CODE)
620.410 FOR CERTAIN CONSTITUENTS)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by D. Glosser):

On December 4, 2014, the City of Collinsville (Collinsville) filed a petition (Pet.) for an adjusted standard with the Board. Collinsville waived hearing on the petition. Collinsville requests an adjusted standards from 35 Ill. Adm. Code 620.410 Class I groundwater quality standards for Picloram, p-Dioxane, Mecoprop (MCP), Total Dissolved Solids (TDS), Chloride, Iron, Manganese, Sulfate, pH, and Perchlorate. For these constituents, Collinsville proposes alternate standards based on the highest readings and predicted future concentrations. Additionally, Collinsville requests adjusted standards for 22 other inorganic chemical constituents listed under Section 620.410(a) to be set at the Class II groundwater quality standards. Pet. at 9-10, Exh. 8. Collinsville seeks this relief in order to obtain its certification of completion of post-closure care for a landfill owned by Collinsville. Pet. at 1-2.

On January 22, 2015, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) filed a recommendation (Rec.) supporting the granting of the adjusted standard. IEPA states that it has worked with Collinsville since February 2011 and reviewed several draft versions of the petition. IEPA states that at this point, Collinsville has satisfactorily addressed its questions and comments and incorporated relevant information into the petition. IEPA explains that this is the reason for the brevity of its recommendation. Rec. at 2-3.

After reviewing the petition and recommendation, the Board finds that a hearing would be advisable. See 415 ILCS 5/28.1(d)(2) (2012); 35 Ill. Adm. Code 104.422(a)(3). Therefore, the Board directs the hearing officer to set a hearing in this proceeding. Hearings shall be scheduled and completed in a timely manner.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, John T. Therriault, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board adopted the above order on May 21, 2015, by a vote of 5-0.



John T. Therriault, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board

