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Here you go

From: Alex Hlavacek [mailto:ahlavacek@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, November 27, 2017 8:15 PM
To: Tipsord, Marie <Marie.Tipsord@illinois.gov>
Subject: [External] Public Comment for R18-18- Regulatory Relief Mechanisms

Dear Ms. Tipsord:

Please place the attached public comment into the Record of R18-18

Thank you,

Alex Hlavacek
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Attached Comment

COMMENT OF **Alex Hlavacek** ON R18-18 REGULATORY RELIEF MECHANISMS

The Pollution Control Board should adopt regulations that make our waters as clean as possible as soon as possible. The Board should beware of adopting any rules that allow polluters to delay meeting standards that protect public health, aquatic life, wildlife or recreational opportunities.

I live in **Chicago** and enjoy **walking near** the **Chicago River** and going on trips led by Sierra Club and other groups on or near these waters. I would enjoy these experiences more if the waters had less algae and invasive plants, floating debris, odors and other types of pollution. I am also worried about children who play in these waters and animals who use them for habitat or drinking water.

I am looking forward to the day that more and more Illinois waters are truly suitable for fishing, swimming and use for drinking water supply. Please make sure that the final rules that come out of R18-18 cause our rivers, lakes and streams to be clean up as soon as possible.

Thank you for your consideration.

Alex Hlavacek

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