ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD March 21, 2024

COUNTY OF LASALLE,)
Complainant,)
v.) AC 24-5
DEREK MOORE,) (Administrative Citation)
Respondent.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J. Van Wie):

On March 11, 2024, the County of LaSalle (County) filed an administrative citation against Derek Moore. *See* 415 ILCS 5/31.1 (2022); 35 Ill. Adm. Code 108. The administrative citation concerns a property located at 950 North 14th Road in Streator, LaSalle County. The property is commonly known to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency as the "Moore Property" site and is designated with Site Code No. 0998285005. The County alleged that on December 12, 2023, Derek Moore violated Sections 21(p)(10), 21(p)(3), and 21(p)(7) of the Environmental Protection Act (415 ILCS 5/21(p)(10), 21(p)(3), 21(p)(7) (2022)) by causing or allowing the open dumping of waste in a manner resulting in litter, open burning, and deposition of general construction or demolition debris or clean construction or demolition debris.

Under Section 31.1(b) of the Act the County may issue and serve an administrative citation "within not more than 60 days after the date of the observed violation". 415 ILCS 5/31.1(b) (2022); see 35 Ill. Adm. Code 108.200(b)(1). Based on the reported inspection date and observed violations on December 12, 2023, the County was required to file the administrative citation by Tuesday, February 13, 2024. See 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101.300(a). The Board therefore finds that the County failed to timely file the administrative citation within 60 days after the date of the observed violation. The Board on its own motion dismisses this case and closes the docket. See 35 Ill. Adm. Code 108.200, 108.402.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Don A. Brown, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board adopted the above order on March 21, 2024, by a vote of 4-0.

Don A. Brown, Clerk

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