



BOARD MEETING MINUTES

DECEMBER 4, 2025

11:00 a.m.

Videoconference

160 N. LaSalle St.
Chicago, IL
Room N-502

AND

2520 West Iles Avenue
Springfield, IL
Conf. Room 1.508

ROLL CALL

The Clerk of the Board called the roll. All five Board Members answered present.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

PUBLIC REMARKS

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the Board's November 20, 2025 regular open meeting were approved by a roll call vote of 5-0.

RULEMAKINGS

<u>R25-15</u>	<u>National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS), USEPA Amendments (July 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024) (Air)</u>	5-0 roll call vote
<u>R26-7</u>	<u>National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS), USEPA Amendments (January 1, 2025 through June 30, 2025) (Air)</u>	
<u>R26-15</u>	<u>National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS), USEPA Amendments (July 1, 2025 through December 31, 2025) (Air)</u> – The Board adopted an order consolidating these three “identical-in-substance” dockets, and extending the due date for final action until December 23, 2026.	

ADJUSTED STANDARDS

AC 26-3	<u>Illinois Environmental Protection Agency v. Randy W. Johnson</u> (Land) – The Board accepted the Johnson’s petition as timely filed but directed him to file, by January 20, 2026, an amended petition correcting identified deficiencies.	5-0 roll call vote
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ADMINISTRATIVE CITATIONS

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TIME-LIMITED WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

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ADJUDICATORY CASES

PCB 24-29	<u>BFI Waste Systems of North America, LLC v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Land, RCRA – Permit Appeal) – The Board denied IEPA’s motion to consolidate this appeal with the PCB 25-12 appeal and the PCB 25-44 appeal. The Board therefore also directed the hearing officer to hold a separate hearing in each appeal.	5-0 roll call vote
PCB 24-81	<u>Marine Bank Springfield Trust #53-0051 v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (UST Appeal) – Upon granting Marine Bank’s unopposed motion for summary judgment, the Board reversed IEPA’s \$8,884.41 deduction from Marine Bank’s corrective action plan budget. The Board therefore also directed the parties to address Marine Bank’s request for Underground Storage Tank Fund reimbursement of its legal fees.	5-0 roll call vote
PCB 25-8	<u>People of the State of Illinois v. Motor City Chevrolet GMC, Inc.</u> (Land, RCRA, Water – Enforcement) – Upon receiving a stipulation, proposed settlement, and motion for relief from the hearing requirement in this enforcement action concerning Motor City Chevrolet GMC’s automobile dealership in Henry County, the Board directed the Clerk to provide the required newspaper notice.	5-0 roll call vote
PCB 25-12	<u>BFI Waste Systems of North America, LLC v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Land, RCRA – Permit Appeal) – The Board denied IEPA’s motion to consolidate this appeal with the PCB 24-29 appeal and the PCB 25-44 appeal. The Board therefore also directed the hearing officer to hold a separate hearing in each appeal.	5-0 roll call vote

PCB 25-44	<u>BFI Waste Systems of North America, LLC v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Land, RCRA – Permit Appeal) – The Board denied IEPA's motion to consolidate this appeal with the PCB 24-29 appeal and the PCB 25-12 appeal. The Board therefore also directed the hearing officer to hold a separate hearing in each appeal.	5-0 roll call vote
PCB 26-25	<u>People of the State of Illinois v. Aurelio Zapata, d/b/a Chi-Town Customs Incorporated</u> (Land – Enforcement) – Upon receiving a stipulation, proposed settlement, and motion for relief from the hearing requirement in this enforcement action concerning Zapata's retail tire business in Cook County, the Board directed the Clerk to provide the required newspaper notice.	5-0 roll call vote
PCB 26-39	<u>Waste Management of Illinois, Inc., d/b/a CID Recycling & Disposal Facility v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Land, RCRA – Permit Appeal) – The Board granted the parties' request to extend the appeal period to March 9, 2026.	5-0 roll call vote

OTHER ITEMS

	The Chair congratulated Senior Attorney Tim Fox on his upcoming retirement and thanked him for his many years of service with the Board.	
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ADJOURNMENT

Moved and seconded, by a roll call vote of 5-0, the Chair adjourned the meeting.

I, Don Anthony Brown, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board approved the above minutes on December 18, 2025, by a vote of 5-0.

Don A. Brown

Don Anthony Brown, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board