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Illinois Pollution Control Board

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

August 6, 2026

11:00 a.m.

Videoconference

160 N. LaSalle St.
Chicago, IL
Room N-505

AND

2520 West Iles Avenue
Springfield, IL
Conf. Room 1.508

ROLL CALL

The Clerk of the Board called the roll. Chair Gibson, Member Liva, and Member Tin, who were physically present, answered present. Chair Gibson then made a motion under Section 7(a)(iii) of the Open Meetings Act (5 ILCS 120/7(a)(iii) (2024)) for Member Van Wie to attend the meeting telephonically as she was prevented from physically attending due to a family emergency. Chair Gibson's motion was approved by a roll call vote of 3-0, after which the Member Van Wie answered present. Member Mankowski was absent.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

PUBLIC REMARKS

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the Board's July 23, 2026 regular open meeting were approved by a roll call vote of 4-0.

RULEMAKINGS

<u>R25-1(A)</u>	<u>Safe Drinking Water Act Update, USEPA Amendments (January 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024)</u> (Public Water Supply – Identical-in-Substance) – In this this “identical-in-substance” rulemaking, the Board proposed, for public comment, amendments to its drinking water regulations. The Board also granted the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency’s request for a status hearing.	4-0 roll call vote
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ADJUSTED STANDARDS

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ADMINISTRATIVE CITATIONS

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TIME-LIMITED WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

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ADJUDICATORY CASES

<u>PCB 26-51</u>	<u>Midwest Generation LLC (Joliet 9/Lincoln Stone Quarry) v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Land, CCR – Permit Appeal) – Because Midwest Generation failed to file a petition during the extended appeal period, the Board dismissed the case and closed the docket.	4-0 roll call vote
<u>PCB 26-52</u>	<u>Chem-Plate Industries, LLC v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Land, RCRA – Permit Appeal) – The Board granted petitioner’s motion to correct the caption to reflect its correct name, “Chem-Plate Industries, Inc.”	4-0 roll call vote
<u>PCB 26-54</u>	<u>Aqua Illinois, Inc. (Nordic Woods) v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Public Water Supply – Permit Appeal) – The Board accepted for hearing this permit appeal involving Aqua Illinois’ public water supply in Ogle County. In addition, to allow IEPA’s response time to run, the Board reserved ruling on Aqua Illinois’ motion to stay the effectiveness of contested permit conditions.	4-0 roll call vote
<u>PCB 26-55</u>	<u>Aqua Illinois, Inc. (Sheridan Grove) v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Public Water Supply – Permit Appeal) – The Board accepted for hearing this permit appeal involving Aqua Illinois’ public water supply in Winnebago County. In addition, to allow IEPA’s response time to run, the Board reserved ruling on Aqua Illinois’ motion to stay the effectiveness of contested permit conditions.	4-0 roll call vote

<u>PCB 26-56</u>	<u>Aqua Illinois, Inc. (Woodlawn) v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Public Water Supply – Permit Appeal) – The Board accepted for hearing this permit appeal involving Aqua Illinois’ public water supply in Ogle County. In addition, to allow IEPA’s response time to run, the Board reserved ruling on Aqua Illinois’ motion to stay the effectiveness of contested permit conditions.	4-0 roll call vote
<u>PCB 26-59</u>	<u>People of the State of Illinois v. Keshav Investments, LLC d/b/a CD One Price Cleaners #9</u> (Air – Enforcement) – In this enforcement action concerning Keshav Investments’ dry-cleaning facility in Cook County, the Board granted relief from the hearing requirement of Section 31(c)(1) of the Environmental Protection Act (415 ILCS 5/31(c)(1) (2024)), accepted a stipulation and proposed settlement, and ordered Keshav Investments to pay a \$20,000 civil penalty and to cease and desist from further violations.	4-0 roll call vote
<u>PCB 27-2</u>	<u>Kenda C. Hess, Theresa C. Adams, Lori Shields, John and Joyce Borchers, Lois Rooney, Charles Archibald, Yolanda Taylor-Hudson, and Mary Mann Reifsteck v. Area Disposal Service, Inc. and Village of Rantoul</u> (Land – Third-Party Pollution Control Facility Siting Appeal) – The Board accepted a petition for review of the Village of Rantoul’s decision to grant siting approval for Area Disposal Service’s proposed pollution control facility.	4-0 roll call vote
<u>PCB 27-3</u>	<u>United States Steel Corporation v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (Water, NPDES – Permit Appeal) – The Board granted the parties’ request to extend the appeal period to September 14, 2026.	4-0 roll call vote
<u>PCB 27-4</u>	<u>Haneghan’s Amoco v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</u> (UST Appeal) – The Board granted the parties’ request to extend the appeal period to October 27, 2026.	4-0 roll call vote

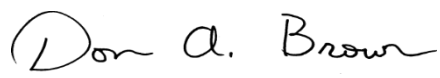
OTHER ITEMS

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ADJOURNMENT

Moved and seconded, by a roll call vote of 4-0, Chair Gibson adjourned the meeting.

I, Don Anthony Brown, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board approved the above minutes on August 20, 2026, by vote of 5-0.



Don Anthony Brown, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board