

BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

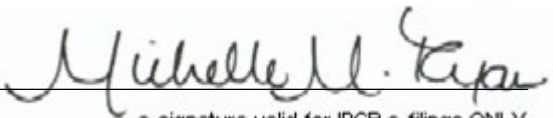
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| v.                     | ) | (IEPA No. 43-26-AC) |
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| HENSLEY TOWNSHIP,      | ) |                     |
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| Respondent.            | ) |                     |

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on this date I mailed for filing with the Clerk of the Pollution Control Board of the State of Illinois the following instrument(s) entitled STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSAL OF RESPONDENT'S PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: September 3, 2026

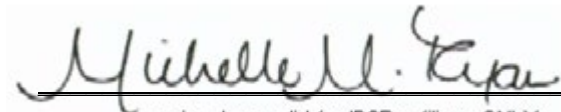
**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I did on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 2026, via email a true and correct copy of the following instrument(s) entitled STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSAL OF RESPONDENT'S PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

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and an electronic copy of the same foregoing instrument on the same date via electronic filing

To: Don Brown, Clerk  
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STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSAL  
OF RESPONDENT’S PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

NOW COMES the Complainant, ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (“Illinois EPA”), by and through its attorney, Michelle M. Ryan, and the Respondent, HENSLEY TOWNSHIP, (“Respondent”), by and through its attorney, Bryce A. Davis, Meyer Capel, pursuant to Sections 31.1 and 42(b)(4-5) of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (“Act”), 415 ILCS 5/31.1 and 42(b)(4-5) (2026), and Section 103.180 of the Illinois Pollution Control Board’s (“Board”) Rules and Regulations, 35 Ill. Adm. Code 103.180, the parties hereby enter into this STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSAL OF RESPONDENT’S PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW (“Agreement”), and in support hereof, the parties respectfully state as follows:

1. On March 4, 2026, Elliot Augustus, Environmental Protection Specialist for the Illinois EPA’s Champaign Regional Office, conducted an inspection of property owned by the Respondent. The property is located at 3001 W. Hensley Road, Champaign, Champaign County, Illinois, and is designated with Illinois EPA Site Code No. 0190105218.

2. On April 17, 2026 the Illinois EPA served the Respondent with Administrative Citation No. 43-26-AC, alleging therein that the Respondent had caused or allowed open dumping at the facility on March 4, 2026, in a manner which resulted in the following occurrences: (1) litter, a violation of 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(1) (2026); (2) open burning, a violation of 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(3)(2026); and (3) causing or allowing water to accumulate in used tires, a violation of 415 ILCS 5/55(k)(1) (2026).

3. On or about May 21, 2026, Respondent filed a Petition for Review contesting the administrative citation.

4. In an effort to resolve this matter without the need for a hearing, the parties have engaged in settlement negotiations and have reached this Agreement and hereby tender it to the Board for approval, the terms and conditions of which are as follows:

- a. Respondent admits that it caused or allowed accumulation of water in used tires, a violation of 415 ILCS 5/55(k)(1) (2026), and, as a final resolution of the Illinois EPA's claim under that Subsection asserted in its Administrative Citation, agrees to pay the statutory civil penalty of \$1,500.00 pursuant to 415 ILCS 5/42(b)(4-5) (2026).
- b. Respondent agrees to pay the statutory civil penalty within 30 days of the date of the Board's order accepting this stipulation.
- c. Respondent agrees to diligently comply with, and shall cease and desist from further violation of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/1 *et seq.* (2026), and the Board's rules and regulations, 35 Ill. Adm. Code Subtitles A through H.

- d. The Illinois EPA agrees not to refer the violations that are the subject of this administrative citation to the Office of the Illinois Attorney General or any other prosecuting authority for the initiation of a civil enforcement action.
- e. Respondent's Petition for Review filed with the Board on or about May 21, 2026, shall be dismissed.

WHEREFORE, the parties request that the Board accept this Agreement and issue an order consistent with its terms and conditions.

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, Complainant,

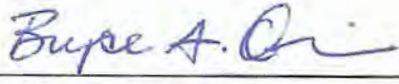
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