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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
Pollution Control Board

Ms. Dorothy Gunn,  
Clerk of the Board  
Illinois Pollution Control Board  
100 W. Randolph  
Chicago, Illinois 60601

Re: Anti-degradation policy for water

Dear Ms. Randolph,

It is of great importance that the Pollution Control Board adopt strong anti-degradation rules for the Illinois' clean water program. We must not allow any water to be degraded. Just the opposite must occur if we are to survive as a species. I ask you to copy this request to all members of the Board.

Respectfully,



Richard Worthen

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