

this area is presently served by a system of combined sewers, the Petitioner alleges that no useful purpose would be served by running parallel and separate sewers to the existing combined sewer system.

As in Mary Ann Nowak, PCB 76-193 (November 10, 1976) and City of Calumet, PCB 76-318 (February 3, 1977) the Agency submits that the grant of this variance will have a minimal environmental impact on the transport and treatment systems involved. The Board notes that the storm water which is generated on this site presently enters the combined sewer system. As in the cited cases, ultimate compliance with the regulations will be achieved with the completion of the MSDGC Tunnel and Reservoir Project.

In view of the foregoing, the Board finds that Petitioner is entitled to relief from Rule 602(a) and the variance will be granted.

This Opinion constitutes the Board's findings of fact and conclusions of law in this matter.

ORDER

The Petitioner, Harvey-Ingalls Memorial Hospital, is granted variance from Rule 602(a) to allow the construction of 50 feet of combined sewer as more fully described in the petition.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Christan L. Moffett, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify the above Opinion and Order were adopted on the 28th day of June, 1977 by a vote of 4-0.

Christan L. Moffett pk
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