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July 8, 2004

The Honorable Dorothy Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board James R. Thompson Center 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500 Chicago, Illinois 60601

Re: <u>Illinois Environmental Protection Agency v. City of Freeport and Ryan Wilson</u> IEPA File No. 309-04-AC; 1770200015—Stephenson County

Dear Clerk Gunn:

Enclosed for filing with the Illinois Pollution Control Board, please find the original and nine true and correct copies of the Administrative Citation Package, consisting of the Administrative Citation, the inspector's Affidavit, and the inspector's Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Open Dump Inspection Checklist, issued to the above-referenced respondent(s).

On this date, a copy of the Administrative Citation Package was sent to the Respondent(s) via Certified Mail. As soon as I receive the return receipt, I will promptly file a copy with you, so that the Illinois Pollution Control Board may calculate the thirty-five (35) day appeal period for purposes of entering a default judgment in the event the Respondent(s) fails or elects not to file a petition for review contesting the Administrative Citation.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at the number above. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Michelle M. Ryan Assistant Counsel

Enclosures

 ROCKFORD – 4302 North Main Street, Rockford, IL 61103 – (815) 987-7760
 • DES PLAINES – 9511 W. Harrison St., Des Plaines, IL 60016 – (847) 294-4000

 ELGIN – 595 South State, Elgin, IL 60123 – (847) 608-3131
 • DES PLAINES – 9511 W. Harrison St., Des Plaines, IL 61614 – (309) 693-5463

 BUREAU OF LAND - PEORIA – 7620 N. University St., Peoria, IL 61614 – (309) 693-5462
 • CHAMPAIGN – 2125 South First Street, Champaign, IL 61820 – (217) 278-5800

 SPRINGFIELD – 4500 S. Sixth Street Rd., Springfield, IL 62706 – (217) 786-6892
 • COLLINSVILLE – 2009 Mall Street, Collinsville, IL 62234 – (618) 346-5120

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JUL 1 3 2004 BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

STATE OF ILLINOIS **Pollution Control Board**

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION AGENCY,
Complainant,
v.
CITY OF FREEPORT and RYAN WILSON

AC 05-03

(IEPA No. 309-04-AC)

Respondents.

NOTICE OF FILING

Latacia Ishmon, City Clerk To: City of Freeport 230 West Stephenson Freeport, IL 61032

Ryan Wilson, P.E. Fehr-Graham and Associates 221 E. Main Street Freeport, IL 61032

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 ADMINISTRATIVE

CITATION, AFFIDAVIT, and OPEN DUMP INSPECTION CHECKLIST.

Respectfully submitted,

Michelle M. Ryan Special Assistant Attorney General

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency 1021 North Grand Avenue East P.O. Box 19276 Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276 (217) 782-5544

Dated: July 8, 2004

THIS FILING SUBMITTED ON RECYCLED PAPER

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JURISDICTION

This Administrative Citation is issued pursuant to the authority vested in the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency by Section 31.1 of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1 (2002).

FACTS

That the City of Freeport is the permitted owner and operator and Ryan Wilson, P.E.
 is the certified operator (collectively "Respondents") of a facility located on South Walnut Road,
 Freeport, Stephenson County, Illinois.

That said facility is a closed, not yet certified, sanitary landfill, operating under Illinois
 Environmental Protection Agency Permit No. 1995-281-LFM, and is designated with Site Code No.
 1770200015. The facility is commonly known to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency as
 Freeport/Municipal Landfill #4.

3. That Respondents have owned and/or operated said facility at all times pertinent hereto.

4. That on June 2, 2004, Katherine Geyer of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's Rockford Regional Office inspected the above-referenced facility. A copy of her inspection report setting forth the results of said inspection is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

VIOLATIONS

Based upon direct observations made by Katherine Geyer during the course of her June 2, 2004 inspection of the above-referenced facility, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has determined that Respondents violated the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (hereinafter, the "Act") as follows:

 That Respondents conducted a sanitary landfill in a manner which resulted in the failure to submit reports required by permits or Board Regulations, a violation of Section 21(o)(11) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/21 (o)(11) (2002).

CIVIL PENALTY

Pursuant to Section 42(b)(4) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/42(b)(4) (2002), Respondents are subject to a civil penalty of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for each of the violations identified above, for a total of <u>Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00)</u>. If Respondents elect not to petition the Illinois Pollution Control Board, the statutory civil penalty specified above shall be due and payable no later than August 13, 2004, unless otherwise provided by order of the Illinois Pollution Control Board.

If Respondents elect to contest this Administrative Citation by petitioning the Illinois Pollution Control Board in accordance with Section 31.1 of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1 (2002), and if the Illinois Pollution Control Board issues a finding of violation as alleged herein, after an adjudicatory hearing, Respondents shall be assessed the associated hearing costs incurred by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and the Illinois Pollution Control Board. Those hearing costs shall be assessed in addition to the statutory civil penalty.

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Pursuant to Section 31.1(d)(1) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1(d)(1) (2002), if Respondents fail to petition or elect not to petition the Illinois Pollution Control Board for review of this Administrative Citation within thirty-five (35) days of the date of service, the Illinois Pollution Control Board shall adopt a final order, which shall include this Administrative Citation and a finding of violation as alleged herein, and shall impose the statutory civil penalty specified above.

When payment is made, Respondents' check shall be made payable to the Illinois Environmental Protection Trust Fund and mailed to the attention of Fiscal Services, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, 1021 North Grand Avenue East, P.O. Box 19276, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276. Along with payment, Respondents shall complete and return the enclosed Remittance Form to ensure proper documentation of payment.

If any civil penalty and/or hearing costs are not paid within the time prescribed by order of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, interest on said penalty and/or hearing costs shall be assessed against the Respondents from the date payment is due up to and including the date that payment is received. The Office of the Illinois Attorney General may be requested to initiate proceedings against Respondents in Circuit Court to collect said penalty and/or hearing costs, plus any interest accrued.

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PROCEDURE FOR CONTESTING THIS ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

Respondents have the right to contest this Administrative Citation pursuant to and in accordance with Section 31.1 of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31/1 (2002). If Respondents elect to contest this Administrative Citation, then Respondents shall file a signed Petition for Review, including a Notice of Filing, Certificate of Service, and Notice of Appearance, with the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, State of Illinois Center, 100 West Randolph, Suite 11-500, Chicago, Illinois 60601. A copy of said Petition for Review shall be filed with the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's Division of Legal Counsel at 1021 North Grand Avenue East, P.O. Box 19276, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276. Section 31.1 of the Act provides that any Petition for Review shall be filed within thirty-five (35) days of the date of service of this Administrative Citation or the Illinois Pollution Control Board shall enter a default judgment against the Respondents.

Renee Cipriano, Director

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency

Date 78104

Prepared by:

Susan E. Konzelmann, Legal Assistant Division of Legal Counsel 1021 North Grand Avenue East P.O. Box 19276 Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276 (217) 782-5544

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REMITTANCE FORM

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,)))
Complainant,) AC) (IEPA No. 309-04-AC)
٧.)
CITY OF FREEPORT and RYAN WILSON,	
Respondents.)

FACILITY:	Freeport/Mun	icipal Landfill #4	SITE CODE NO .:	1770200015
COUNTY:	Stephenson		CIVIL PENALTY:	\$500.00
DATE OF INS		June 2 2004		~

DATE REMITTED:

SS/FEIN NUMBER:

SIGNATURE:

<u>NOTE</u>

Please enter the date of your remittance, your Social Security number (SS) if an individual or Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) if a corporation, and sign this Remittance Form. Be sure your check is enclosed and mail, along with Remittance Form, to Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, Attn.: Fiscal Services, P.O. Box 19276, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276.

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

AFFIDAVIT

IN THE MATTER OF:

City of Freeport,

Respondent

IEPA DOCKET NO.

Affiant, Katherine Geyer, being first duly sworn, voluntarily deposes and states as follows:

- 1. Affiant is a field inspector employed by the Land Pollution Control Division of the Environmental Protection Agency and has been so employed at all times pertinent hereto.
- 2. On June 2, 2004, between 9:20 a.m. and 10:40 a.m., Affiant conducted an inspection of a permitted landfill located in Stephenson County, Illinois and known as Freeport Municipal Landfill #4 by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. Said site has been assigned site code number LPC#1770200015 by the Agency.
- 3. Affiant inspected said site by an on-site inspection which included walking and photographing the site.
- 4. As a result of the activities referred to in Paragraph 3 above, Affiant completed the inspection Report form attached hereto and made a part hereof, which, to the best of Affiant's knowledge and belief, is an accurate representation of Affiant's observations and factual conclusions with respect to said landfill.

Subscribed and Sworn to Before Me s <u>51</u> day of <u>June</u>, 2004 Juna Halunski this \mathcal{S} day of

Notary Public

"OFFICIAL SEAL" TERESA LABUNSKI Notary Public, State of Illinois My Commission Expires 1/10/2007

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY 811 Solid Waste Landfill Inspection Checklist

County:	Stephenson	LPC#: 17	702000	15	Region:	1 - Rockfo	ord
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	(1)	Refuse in Standing or Flowing Water	
	(2)	Leachate Flows Entering Waters of the State	
	(3)	Leachate Flows Exiting the Landfill Confines	
	(4)	Open Burning of Refuse in Violation of Section 9 of the Act	
	(5)	Uncovered Refuse Remaining From Any Previous Operating Day or at the Conclusion of Any Operating Day	
	(6)	Failure to Provide Final Cover Within Time Limits (application pending)	
	(7)	Acceptance of Wastes Without Necessary Permits	
	(8)	Scavenging as Defined by Board Regulations	
	(9)	Deposition of Refuse in Any Unpermitted Portion of the Landfill	
	(10)	Acceptance of Special Waste Without a Required Manifest	
	(11)	Failure to Submit Reports Required by Permits or Board Regulations	
	(12)	Failure to Collect and Contain Litter by the End of each Operating Day	
	(13)	Failure to Submit Any Cost Estimate, Performance Bond or Other Security	
11.	21(t)	CAUSE OR ALLOW A LATERAL EXPANSION OF A MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE LANDFILL (MSWLF) UNIT WITHOUT A PERMIT	
12.	21.6(b)	ACCEPTANCE OF LIQUID USED OIL FOR FINAL DISPOSAL (EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1996)	
13.	22.01	FAILURE TO SUBMIT ANNUAL NONHAZARDOUS SPECIAL WASTE	
14.	22.17	LANDFILL POST-CLOSURE CARE	
	(a)	Failure to Monitor Gas, Water, Settling	
	(b)	Failure to Take Remedial Action	
15.	22.22(c)	ACCEPTANCE OF LANDSCAPE WASTE FOR FINAL DISPOSAL	
16.	22.23(f)(2)	CAUSE OR ALLOW THE DISPOSAL OF ANY LEAD-ACID BATTERY	
17.	22.28(b)	ACCEPTANCE OF WHITE GOODS FOR FINAL DISPOSAL	
18.	55(b)(1)	ACCEPTANCE OF ANY USED OR WASTE TIRE FOR FINAL DISPOSAL (UNLESS LANDFILL MEETS EXEMPTION OF 55(b)(1))	
19.	56.1(a)	CAUSE OR ALLOW THE DISPOSAL OF ANY POTENTIALLY INFECTIOUS MEDICAL WASTE	
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20.	225 ILCS 230/1004	CAUSING OF ALLOWING OPERATION OF A LANDFILL WITHOUT PROPER COMPETENCY CERTIFICATE	
		35 ILLINOIS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE REQUIREMENTS SUBTITLE G	
		PRIOR CONDUCT CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS	
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23.	809.301	REQUIREMENTS FOR DELIVERY OF SPECIAL WASTE TO HAULERS	
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LPC #: 1770200015

Inspection Date: June 2, 2004

24.	809.302(a)	REQUIREMENTS FOR ACCEPTANCE OF SPECIAL WASTE FROM HAULERS	
25.	809.501	MANIFESTS, RECORDS, ACCESS TO RECORDS, REPORTING REQUIREME AND FORMS	ENTS
	(a)	Delivery of Special Waste to Hauler	
	(e)	Retention of Special Waste Manifests	
		NEW SOLID WASTE LANDFILL REQUIREMENTS	
	PART 811 SUBPART	GENERAL STANDARDS FOR ALL LANDFILLS	
26.	811.103	SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE	
	(a)	Runoff from Disturbed Areas	
	(b)	Diversion of Runoff from Undisturbed Areas	
27.	811.104	SURVEY CONTROL	
	(a)	Boundaries Surveyed and Marked	
	(b)	Stakes and Monuments Marked	
	(c)	Stakes and Monuments Inspected	
	(d)	Control Monument Established and Maintained	
28.	811.105	COMPACTION	
29.	811.106	DAILY COVER	
	(a)	Six Inches Soil	
	(b)	Alternative Daily Cover	
30.	811.107	OPERATING STANDARDS	
	(a)	Phasing of Operations	
	(b)	Work Face Size and Slope	
	(c)	Equipment	
	(d)	Utilities	
	(e)	Maintenance	
	(f)	Open Burning	
	(g)	Dust Control	
	(h)	Noise Control	
	(i)	Vector Control	
	(j)	Fire Protection	
	(k)	Litter Control	
	(1)	Mud Tracking	
	(m)	Liquid Restrictions for MSWLF Units	
31.	811.108	SALVAGING	
	(a)	Salvaging Interferes with Operation	
	(b)	Safe and Sanitary Manner	
	(c)	Management of Salvagable Materials	
32.	811.109	BOUNDARY CONTROL	
	(a)	Access Restricted	
	(b)	Proper Sign Posted	

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(811 Solid Waste-3)

33.	811.110	CLOSURE AND WRITTEN CLOSURE PLAN	
	(a)	Final Slopes and Contours	
	(b)	Drainage Ways and Swales	
	(c)	Final Configuration	
	(d)	Written Closure Plan	
	(e)	Initiation of Closure Activities at MSWLF Units	
	(f)	Completion of Closure Activities at MSWLF Units	
	(g)	Deed Notation for MSWLF Units	
34.	811.111	POST-CLOSURE MAINTENANCE	
	(a)	Procedures After Receipt of Final Volume of Waste	
	(b)	Remove All Equipment of Structures	
	(c)	Maintenance and Inspection of the Final Cover and Vegetation	
	(d)	Planned Uses of Property at MSWLF Units	
35.	811.112	RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS FOR MSWLF UNITS	
	(a)	Location Restriction Demonstration	
	(b)	Load Checking Requirements	
	(c)	Gas Monitoring Records	
	(d)	MSWLF Liquid Restriction Records	
	(e)	Groundwater Monitoring Program Requirements	
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	(†)	Closure and Post Closure Care Requirements	
	(f) (g)	Closure and Post Closure Care Requirements Cost Estimates and Financial Assurance Requirements	
36.	(g) PART 811 SUBPART	Cost Estimates and Financial Assurance Requirements	
36.	(g) PART 811 SUBPART C	Cost Estimates and Financial Assurance Requirements PUTRESCIBLE AND CHEMICAL WASTE LANDFILLS	
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	(f)	Standards for On-Site Combustion of Landfill Gas Using Devices Other Than	
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	(b)	Runoff and Infiltration Control	\boxtimes
	(c)	Maintenance of Intermediate Cover	
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Informational Notes

- 1. [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act: 415 ILCS 5/4.
- 2. Illinois Pollution Control Board: 35 Ill. Adm. Code, Subtitle G.
- 3. Statutory and regulatory references herein are provided for convenience only and should not be construed as legal conclusions of the Agency or as limiting the Agency's statutory or regulatory powers. Requirements of some statutes and regulations cited are in summary format. Full text of requirements can be found in references listed in 1. and 2. above.
- 4. The provisions of subsection (o) of Section 21 of the [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act shall be enforceable either by administrative citation under Section 31.1 of the Act or by complaint under Section 31 of the Act.
- 5. This inspection was conducted in accordance with Sections 4(c) and 4(d) of the [Illinois] Environmental Protection Act: 415 ILCS 5/4(c) and (d).
- 6. Items marked with an "NE" were not evaluated at the time of this inspection.

(811 Solid Waste-6)

	PERMIT PROVISIONS
PERMIT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION OF VIOLATION (condition # of permit, page # of permit, and/or page # of approved application)
1995-281-LFM	I.23, pg. 6 (low permeability layer not constructed within time frames)
(Mod. #10, 2-24-04)*	III.2, pg. 14 (annual report not submitted)
	VIII.3, pg. 20 (closure not completed within 180 days of beginning closure)
	XI.2, pg. 23 (modifications made without a submitted permit application)
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	*(note: Modification #9 was used in previous inspections, so the condition numbers for existing violations may be slightly different than the past reports).

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General Remarks

RECEIVED JUN 2 2 2004 IEPA-DLPC On June 2, 2004, Kaare Jacobsen and the writer (Kathy Gever) conducted a solid waste inspection at the Freeport Municipal Landfill No. 4. This inspection was conducted to determine whether the facility was in compliance with all applicable rules and regulations set forth by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) and the Illinois Pollution Control Board. The above referenced facility is located on South Walnut Road in Freeport, Illinois.

On April 5, 2003 the Freeport Municipal Landfill No. 4 ceased accepting waste. Fehr-Graham and Associates, on behalf of the City of Freeport submitted a Permit application (log #2003-441) to extend closure activities beyond the required 6 months after acceptance of the last load of waste. The original deadline date, April 13, 2004, has been extended until July 12, 2004. The extension was considered necessary by Fehr-Graham and Associates and the IEPA's Permit Section to allow further information to be submitted.

During a previous inspection, which took place on September 8, 2003, alleged solid waste violations were cited. A Violation Notice (M-2003-01038) was mailed to the City Clerk, Latacia Ishmon. Since then, Fehr-Graham & Associates, on behalf of the City of Freeport, have responded to the Violation Notice. The response, a Compliance Commitment Agreement letter, was rejected. Fehr-Graham then submitted a second proposal (which was not considered a Compliance Commitment Agreement pursuant to Section 31 of the Regulations), which was acceptable and resolved some of the violations. The City of Freeport was notified in January of 2004 of the resolved violations by letter. Another inspection was completed on March 25, 2004. As a result of the March 25 inspection, a letter was mailed to Latacia Ishmon, resolving several more violations, but reiterated that there remained several violations from the original inspections.

Upon arrival at 9:20a.m, we identified ourselves to the director of the Freeport Community Development Department, Reggie Taylor and a representative from Fehr-Graham & Associates, Ryan Wilson. Mr. Ryan Wilson was, as of the date of this inspection, the Certified Operator of the landfill, and had submitted an application for Prior Conduct Certification. As of June 4, 2004, the Prior Conduct Certification was granted (two days after this inspection), making Mr. Wilson the Chief Operator.

We then proceeded walking along the south side of the landfill on the old haul road, and continued along the haul road over the east edge of the landfill to the north side of the landfill. We found several areas with exposed refuse, mostly from erosion, with small gullies. Also, there were several "washouts" along the lower levels of the landfill, with what appeared to be clayey sand fanning out. It 1770200015—Stephenson County Freeport Municipal Landfill #4 June 2, 2004 Kathy Geyer Page 2 of 3

was obvious that the intermediate cover in these areas, especially on the southeast, east, and northeast sides had less than the required 12" thickness for intermediate cover. The conditions were muddy, but the road was passable. The vegetation on the landfill was still sparse, as mentioned in previous reports. When I asked Mr. Wilson if they attempted to seed the landfill, he told us "no, we just let the weeds grow." There were also several areas of small leachate flows, but upon further investigation, they appeared to be self-limiting at this time. They didn't go off of the landfill proper or into a waterway.

Five photographs were taken. The following is a description of the photographs. They are all stored in digital file #1770200015~06022004.

- #001 faces north, near the southeast corner of the landfill, showing a "rill" with a leachate seep and exposed refuse.
- #002 faces west, showing a self-limiting leachate seep at the east side of the landfill.
- #003 faces west, showing the east face of the landfill, with several washed out gullies.
- #004 faces west, showing a tire which popped through the intermediate cover, and some other unidentifiable refuse (the tire may have been accepted before the landfill ban, this is an older portion of the landfill).
- #005 faces southeast, showing the northeast side of the landfill.

On June 15, 2004, I noted that the Rockford Regional Office had not yet received a copy of the annual landfill report, as required by the permit, Section 813.504 of the Regulations, and Section 21(o)(11) of the Act. I confirmed that the Agency had not received a copy by contacting Jackie Muchow of the Administrative Support Unit at the Agency's headquarters, who maintains a database of all of the required reports. This report was due by May 1, 2004, according to Permit condition #III.2 on page 14. The report covers calendar year 2003. The annual report was also not received for the calendar year 2002.

During this inspection, the following are "new" apparent violations:

- Sect. 21(0)(5) of the Act; uncovered refuse;
- Sect: 21(o)(11) of the Act; failure to submit required report (2 annual reports);
- Sect. 811.313(a) of the Regulations; inadequate depth of intermediate cover;
- Sect. 811.313(b) of the Regulations; intermediate cover not graded to facilitate drainage of runoff and minimize infiltration;
- Sect. 811.313(c) of the Regulations; grade and thickness of intermediate cover shall be maintained, all cracks, rills...shall be maintained to prevent exposure of refuse by vectors, and to minimize infiltration...;

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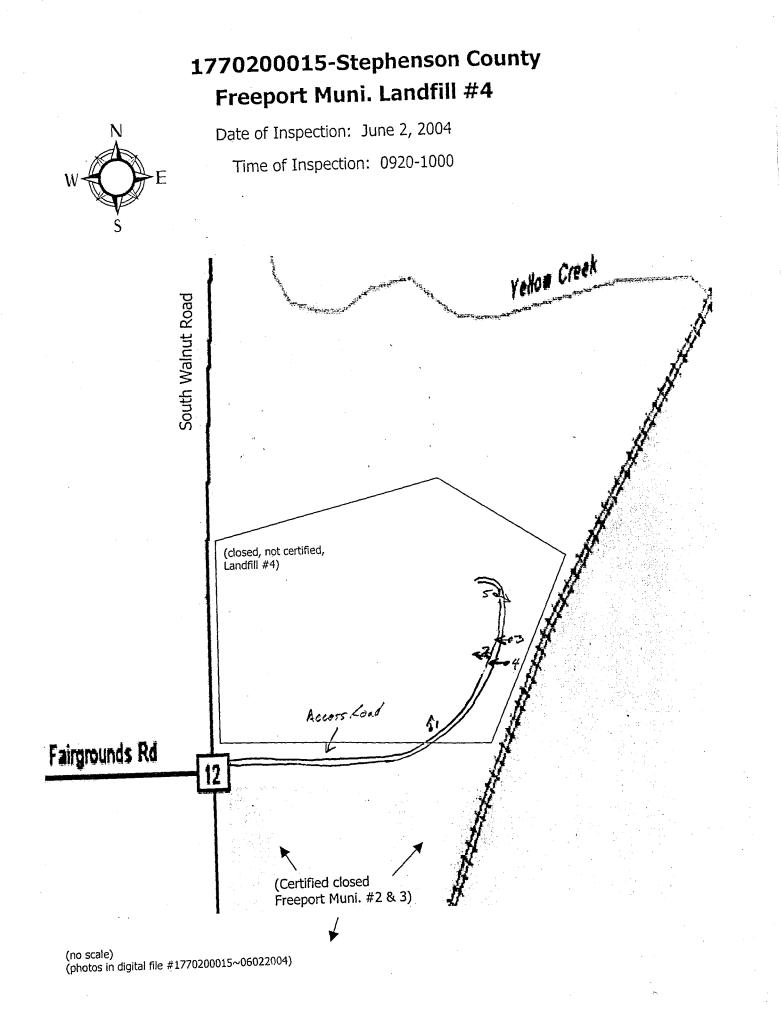
- Sect. 813.504 of the Regulations; required annual report not submitted to the Agency;
- Condition III.2, pg. 14 of Modification #10 of the permit; required annual report not submitted.

The following solid waste violations appear to be outstanding at this time, from previous inspections, along with deadlines:

Outstanding Violation:	Date scheduled for
	compliance:
21(d)(1) of the Act	03/01/04
21(d)(2)	03/01/04
745.181 of the	(resolved 6/4/04)
Regulations	
745.201	(resolved 6/4/04)
811.110(e)	07/12/04*
811.314(b)	07/12/04
Permit conditions:**	Date scheduled for
	compliance:
I.23, pg. 6	07/12/04
I.43, pg. 13	None (resolved 6/4/04)
VIII.3, pg. 20	07/12/04
XI.2, pg. 23	None

* July 12, 2004 is the permit deadline for application log #2003-441. All of the alleged violations with this deadline are part of application log #2003-441.

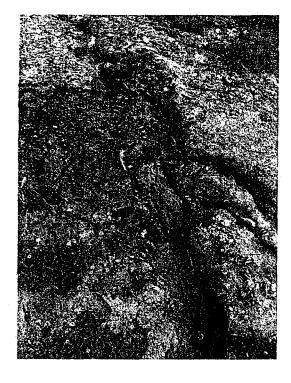
** The listed permit conditions are from Modification #10 of permit #1995-281-LFM, dated February 24, 2004. The same permit violations were cited previously, but may have slightly different reference numbers.



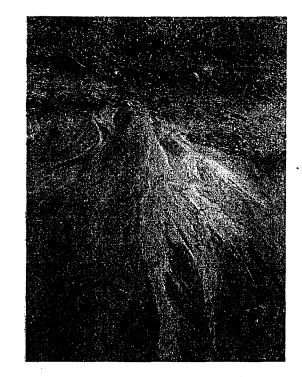
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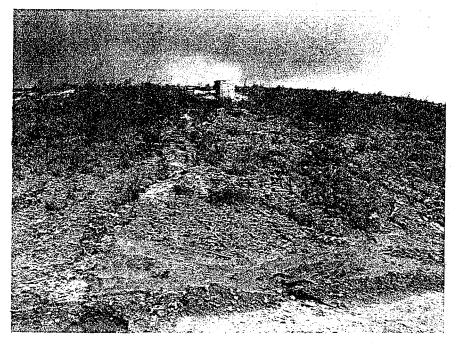
DATE: 6-2-04 TIME: 0933 DIRECTION: west PHOTO by: Jacobsen PHOTO FILE NAME: 1770200015~060204-002 COMMENTS: leachate seep



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DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPH PHOTOCOPIES

DATE: 6-2-04 TIME: 0937 DIRECTION: west PHOTO by: Jacobsen PHOTO FILE NAME: 1770200015~060204-003 COMMENTS: The east face of the closed landfill.



DATE: 6-2-04 TIME: 0937 DIRECTION: west PHOTO by: Jacobsen PHOTO FILE NAME: 1770200015~060204-004 COMMENTS: An exposed used/waste tire.



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DATE: 6-2-04 TIME: 0942 DIRECTION: southeast PHOTO by: Jacobsen PHOTO FILE NAME: 1770200015~060204-005 COMMENTS: The northeast section of the closed landfill.

DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPH PHOTOCOPIES



PROOF OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I did on the 8th day of July 2004, send by Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, with postage thereon fully prepaid, by depositing in a United States Post Office Box a true and correct copy of the following instrument(s) entitled ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION, AFFIDAVIT, and OPEN DUMP INSPECTION CHECKLIST

To: Latacia Ishmon, City Clerk City of Freeport 230 West Stephenson Freeport, IL 61032 Ryan Wilson, P.E. Fehr-Graham and Associates 221 E. Main Street Freeport, IL 61032

and the original and nine (9) true and correct copies of the same foregoing instruments on the same

date by Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, with postage thereon fully prepaid

To: Dorothy Gunn, Clerk Pollution Control Board James R. Thompson Center 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500 Chicago, Illinois 60601

Michelle M. Ryan Special Assistant Attorney General

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