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STATE OF ILLINOIS

Pollution Control Board

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May 17, 2007

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

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Illinois Environmental Protection Agency v. Joseph Combs Re: IEPA File No. 128-07-AC: 0610405013-Greene 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. Rvan Assistant Counsel

Enclosures

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ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

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ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION AGENCY,

Complainant,

v.

JOSEPH COMBS,

Respondent.

STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board

AC 07-60

(IEPA No. 128-07-AC)

NOTICE OF FILING

To: Joseph Combs 260 Isreal Street White Hall, IL 62092

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: May 17, 2007

THIS FILING SUBMITTED ON RECYCLED PAPER

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BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

ADMINISTRATIVE CITATION

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JURISDICTION

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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 (2004).

FACTS

1. That Joseph Combs ("Respondent") is the present operator of a facility located at 260 Isreal Street, White Hall, Greene County, Illinois. The property is commonly known to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency as White Hall/Combs.

2. That said facility is an open dump operating without an Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Operating Permit and is designated with Site Code No. 0610405013.

3. That Respondent has operated said facility at all times pertinent hereto.

4. That on April 12, 2007, Charlie King of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's Springfield Regional Office inspected the above-described facility. A copy of his inspection report setting forth the results of said inspection is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

VIOLATIONS

Based upon direct observations made by Charlie King during the course of his April 12, 2007 inspection of the above-named facility, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has determined that Respondent has violated the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (hereinafter, the "Act") as follows:

- (1) That Respondent caused or allowed the open dumping of waste in a manner resulting in litter, a violation of Section 21(p)(1) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(1) (2004).
- (2) That Respondent caused or allowed the open dumping of waste in a manner resulting in open burning, a violation of Section 21(p)(3) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(3) (2004).
- (3) That Respondent caused or allowed the open dumping of waste in a manner resulting in deposition of general construction or demolition debris or clean construction or demolition debris, a violation of Section 21(p)(7) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(7) (2004).

CIVIL PENALTY

Pursuant to Section 42(b)(4-5) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/42(b)(4-5) (2004), Respondent is subject to a civil penalty of One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) for each of the violations identified above, for a total of <u>Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500.00)</u>. If Respondent elects not to petition the Illinois Pollution Control Board, the statutory civil penalty specified above shall be due and payable no later than <u>July 31, 2007</u>, unless otherwise provided by

order of the Illinois Pollution Control Board.

If Respondent elects 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 (2004), and if the Illinois Pollution Control Board issues a finding of violation as alleged herein, after an adjudicatory hearing, Respondent 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 One Thousand Five Hundred Dollar (\$1,500.00) statutory civil penalty for each violation.

Pursuant to Section 31.1(d)(1) of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31.1(d)(1) (2004), if Respondent fails to petition or elects 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 findings of violation as alleged herein, and shall impose the statutory civil penalty specified above.

When payment is made, Respondent's check shall be made payable to the Illinois Environmental Protection Trust Fund and mailed to the attention of Fiscal Services, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, 1021North Grand Avenue East, P.O. Box 19276, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276. Along with payment, Respondent 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 Respondent 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 Respondent 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

Respondent has the right to contest this Administrative Citation pursuant to and in accordance with Section 31.1 of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/31/1 (2004). If Respondent elects to contest this Administrative Citation, then Respondent 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 Respondent.

Date: 5/17/07

Douglas P. Scott, Director

Prepared by:

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

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REMITTANCE FORM

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ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,)
Complainant,)
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JOSEPH COMBS,)
Respondent.)

AC 07-60

(IEPA No. 128-07-AC)

FACILITY:	White Hall/C	ombs	SITE CODE NO .:	0610405013
COUNTY:	Greene		CIVIL PENALTY:	\$4,500.00
DATE OF IN	SPECTION:	April 12, 2007		

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:)	
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Illinois Environmental)	
Protection Agency)	
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vs.)	IEPA DOCKET NO
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Joseph Combs,)	
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Respondent)	

Affiant, Charles W. King, Jr., being first duly sworn, voluntarily deposes and states as follows:

1. Affiant is a field inspector employed by the Division of Land Pollution Control/Field Operations Section of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and has been so employed at all times pertinent hereto.

2. On April 12, 2007 between 1:20 PM and 2:20 PM, Affiant conducted an inspection of a disposal site operated without an Illinois Environmental Protection Agency permit, located in Cass County, Illinois, and known as White Hall/Combs by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. Said site has been assigned site code number LPC# 0610405013 by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency.

3. Affiant inspected said White Hall/Combs open dump 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 White Hall/Combs open dump.

Charles W. King, Jr.

Subscribed and Sworn To before me This 1st day of May, 2007

Charlene K Powell

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ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY Open Dump Inspection Checklist

County:	Greene		I	LPC#:	0610	040	5013			Region:	5 -	Springfield
Location/Site Name: White Hall/Comb				mbs	nbs							
Date:	04/12/2007	Time:	From	1320	7	То	1420	Previo	ous Inspe	ection Da	ate:	11/17/2006
Inspector(s): Charlie	King					Weather:	Overc	cast, 38 c	leg. F., V	Vinds	NW @ 20 mph
No. of Pho	otos Taken: #	‡ 14	Est. A	mt. of V	Vaste:	1,	344 yds ³	Sampl	les Take	n: Yes #	¥	No 🖾
Interviewe	d: Joseph	Combs	•				Compl	aint #:	C-07-03	37-C	_	

Responsible Party Mailing Address(es) and Phone Number(s): 260 Isrea White Ha 217/942-

Joseph Combs 260 Isreal Street White Hall, IL 62092 217/942-3759 or 217/491-4761 Debra Kay Combs 260 Isreal Street White Hall, IL 62092

	SECTION	DESCRIPTION	VIOL
	ILL	INOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT REQUIREMENTS	
1.	9(a)	CAUSE, THREATEN OR ALLOW AIR POLLUTION IN ILLINOIS	\square
2.	9(c)	CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN BURNING	\square
3.	12(a)	CAUSE, THREATEN OR ALLOW WATER POLLUTION IN ILLINOIS	
4.	12(d)	CREATE A WATER POLLUTION HAZARD	
5.	21(a)	CAUSE OR ALLOW OPEN DUMPING	\square
6.	21(d)	CONDUCT ANY WASTE-STORAGE, WASTE-TREATMENT, OR WASTE- DISPOSAL OPERATION:	
	(1)	Without a Permit	\square
-	(2)	In Violation of Any Regulations or Standards Adopted by the Board	\square
7.	21(e)	DISPOSE, TREAT, STORE, OR ABANDON ANY WASTE, OR TRANSPORT ANY WASTE INTO THE STATE AT/TO SITES NOT MEETING REQUIREMENTS OF ACT AND REGULATIONS	
8.	21(p)	CAUSE OR ALLOW THE OPEN DUMPING OF ANY WASTE IN A MANNER WHICH R IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING OCCURRENCES AT THE DUMP SITE:	ESULTS
	(1)	Litter	
	(2)	Scavenging	
	(3)	Open Burning	\square
	(4)	Deposition of Waste in Standing or Flowing Waters	
	(5)	Proliferation of Disease Vectors	
	(6)	Standing or Flowing Liquid Discharge from the Dump Site	

LPC # 0610405013

	(7)	Deposition of General Construction or Demolition Debris; or Clean Construction or Demolition Debris	D
9.	55(a)	NO PERSON SHALL:	
	(1)	Cause or Allow Open Dumping of Any Used or Waste Tire	D
	(2)	Cause or Allow Open Burning of Any Used or Waste Tire	
		35 ILLINOIS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE REQUIREMENTS SUBTITLE G	
10.	812.101(a)	FAILURE TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO DEVELOP AND OPERATE A LANDFILL	D
11.	722.111	HAZARDOUS WASTE DETERMINATION	
12.	808.121	SPECIAL WASTE DETERMINATION	
13.	809.302(a)	ACCEPTANCE OF SPECIAL WASTE FROM A WASTE TRANSPORTER WITHOUT A WASTE HAULING PERMIT, UNIFORM WASTE PROGRAM REGISTRATION AND PERMIT AND/OR MANIFEST	
		OTHER REQUIREMENTS	
14.		APPARENT VIOLATION OF: () PCB; () CIRCUIT COURT CASE NUMBER: ORDER ENTERED ON:	
15.	OTHER:		

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 (p) 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.
- 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.

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 25, 2007

TO: Land Division File

FROM: Charlie King, DLPC/FOS – Springfield Region

SUBJECT: LPC # 0610405013 – Greene County White Hall/Combs C-07-037-C Compliance File

NARRATIVE RE-INSPECTION REPORT DOCUMENT

The purpose of this memorandum is to serve as the Narrative Re-Inspection Report Document of a re-inspection conducted at the subject site on April 12, 2007 from approximately 1:20 p.m. until 2:20 p.m., by this author. The re-inspection was conducted to follow up the original site inspection that was conducted on November 17, 2006, by this inspector. That original inspection resulted in alleging apparent violations of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (Act) and an apparent violation of the regulations, Title 35, Illinois Administrative Code, Subtitle G (35 IAC). It was reported in a Narrative Inspection Report Document Memorandum to the Land Division File, from this author, dated December 14, 2006. Subsequently, an Open Dump Administrative Citation Warning Notice (ACWN) was issued to the respondents dated December 19, 2006. Joseph Combs, one of the respondents, telephoned this inspector within a few days of the inspection and was advised that he would be receiving the ACWN. He was told that he would have to respond to the ACWN in writing within15 days of receipt of that notice with the reasons for the alleged violations, a description of the corrective actions that have been taken or will be taken to correct the alleged violations and a proposal to ensure that the alleged violations will not recur. He was also advised to meet cleanup deadlines set in the ACWN and to submit copies of receipts documenting cleanup activities, such as from landfills and scrap yards. Mr. Combs agreed to comply at that time and admitted placing the wastes on the property. No written response was submitted prior to the reinspection as required.

The site is located at 260 Isreal Street, White Hall, Illinois. It is located southeast of the downtown area of White Hall, approximately two blocks east of the railroad tracks that run north/south on the east side of the town. A Warranty Deed was obtained via Liz Stemm of the Greene County Health Department and has been made part of the file. The only name on the Deed as grantee is Debra Kay Combs. Details of the property location and proximity to neighboring properties were presented during the initial site inspection, an therefore, will not be repeated herein.

Upon arrival at the site on the day of the inspection, the weather was overcast, cool and windy, with an air temperature of approximately 38° F. Winds were northwesterly at approximately 20 mph. Surface soil conditions were wet and muddy.

Upon arrival at the site on the day of the inspection, I went to the residence and knocked on the door. A man answered who identified himself as Mr. Combs. He asked me in, and I stood just inside the doorway as Mr. Combs sat in a chair and discussed matters with me. When I asked to conduct the re-inspection, he granted permission. When asked if he would like to accompany me, he said he would and soon met me outside.

The re-inspection results revealed that very little work towards compliance had been made, that some of the wastes were not on the respondents' property, rather they were on neighbors' properties, and no receipts had been obtained for the minimal cleanup undertaken, as explained herein. Upon inquiry to Mr. Combs during the inspection as to why he had not only failed to clean up his property, but also failed to respond in writing to the ACWN, Mr. Combs replied that the weather got "nasty" over winter. When asked how the weather kept him from replying as required, he again stated that the weather was bad, but added that he didn't have any help cleaning up, and that his truck was broken down. He said he did have the oil tanker removed (an upside down tank observed in the driveway during the initial inspection, with approximately 1,000 gallon capacity with wheels but no cab or engine). However, a used oil stain was left in its place on the gravel in the driveway.

During the original site inspection, numerous open dump and some open burn areas were observed. During the re-inspection, Mr. Combs noted that the open dump areas at the western extent noted in the Site Sketch and narrative in my original report, were not on his property. He did not identify his two neighbors that had those small open dump areas on their properties, but stated that the one furthest south, next to his driveway, was owned by a man who owned a paintball business in Greenfield.

During the re-inspection, plastics, vehicle parts, paper, used tires, metals, general household refuse, roofing shingles, construction wastes and other solid wastes. Some of the wastes were burned. A large amount of wood chips was also found.

The deer fawn that was observed in a shed to the north of the residence was still there. When asked if the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, Conservation Police, had came out to inspect the deer, Mr. Combs stated that no, not to his knowledge. I asked if he had a permit for the captive deer fawn, and he said it belonged to his daughter. He stated that he thinks she bought it at a livestock auction and said he was sure she had a permit for it.

Mr. Combs was told that since very little cleanup had occurred and since he did not respond to the ACWN as required, he would likely receive an Administrative Citation (AC), which would include a fine of \$1,500 for each violation of Section 21(p) of the Act, or \$4,500. He said he sure didn't need that. I told him that we gave him ample chances to communicate and to bring the site into compliance. I told him that he would

have his chance to contest the charges, but since he failed to respond to the ACWN and was told verbally and in writing of the consequences of not cleaning up in a timely manner, and since he had no receipts, that an AC would very likely be issued.

During the re-inspection, 14 photographs were taken with a digital camera. They show the conditions of the site on the day of the inspection. From the re-inspection and the Digital Photographs, and from the previous sketch of the site, a partially computer generated and partially hand drawn sketch of the site was developed by this author. The Site Sketch shows the approximate layout of the property, as well as the approximate locations and directions of the inspection photographs. The digital camera assigns a three-digit number to each photograph, i.e., 001, 002, etc. This is how the photos are identified on the Digital Photographs and in this narrative. However, to save space on the Site Sketch, real numbers were used, i.e., 1, 2, etc. Copies of the Digital Photographs and the Site Sketch accompany this narrative and a part of this report.

From the Digital Photographs:

Photo # 001 shows waste reportedly on the neighboring property to the west, and not part of this inspection.

Photo # 002 shows an open burn pile measuring approximately 12' x 20' x 4'.

Photo # 003 shows the same pile shown in photo # 002 from another angle.

Photo # 004 shows two burn barrels and two homemade makeshift incinerators measuring approximately 3' x 3' x 5' (in center of photo with pipe sticking out of the top) and 4' x 2' x 3' (elongated rectangular box).

Photo # 005 shows a partially demolished trailer in the back center of the photo.

Photo # 006 shows an oil stain in the foreground, the large shed with some clutter on the ground and used tires against the building in the background.

Photo # 007 shows oil contaminated rock and soil from a used oil tank that formerly was located at this location.

Photo # 008 shows approximately 35 used tires, some on rims, some off, that were observed leaning against the south side of the main shed.

Photo # 009 shows the area between the main shed (right) and the trailer being demolished. The trailer reportedly came from White Hall North Greene High School. The trailer measured approximately 12' x 60' x 10'. The waste on the ground measured approximately 20' x 5' x 3', showing only a slight improvement since the original site inspection.

Photo # 010 shows the partially burned doublewide trailer. Used tires, metals and other solid wastes measured approximately 20' x 20' x 2' on the ground behind the main shed.

Photo # 011 shows part of a demolished building measuring approximately 20' x 20' x 4. Also shown are approximately 30 used tires, some on rims and some off.

Photo # 012 shows the wood chip pile measuring approximately 100' x 50' x 3'.

Photo # 013 shows the same wood chip pile shown in photo # 012.

Photo # 014 shows dumped shingles in the wood chip pile.

During the inspection, apparent violations of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (Act) and of the regulations, Title 35, Illinois Administrative Code, Subtitle G (35 IAC) were observed. Those apparent violations of the Act are, Sections: 9(a), 9(c), 21(a), 21(d)(1), 21(d)(2), 21(e), 21(p)(1), 21(p)(3), 21(p)(7) and 55(a)(1). An apparent violation of the regulations, 35 IAC, is, Part: 812.101(a). The Open Dump Inspection Checklist that accompanies this narrative, and is a part of this report, provides additional information.

The volume of waste at this site is estimated at approximately 1,344 cu. yds. This is a reduction from the estimate shown in the first inspection report. The removed oil tanker and the exclusion of small open dump piles that were reportedly to be actually on neighboring properties have been omitted from the previous total. The revised figure was arrived at as follows:

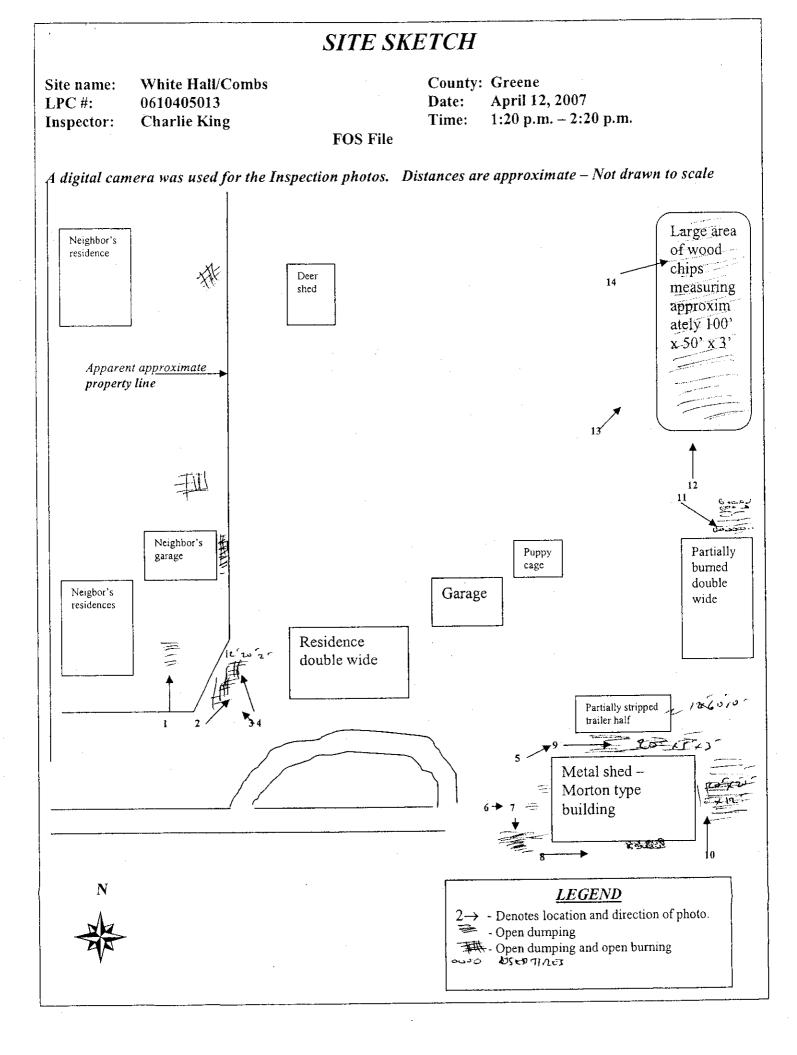
Waste Description	Size of Waste Area	<u>Total</u>	<u>s in Cu. Ft.</u>
Makeshift incinerator # 1	3' x 3' x 5'	_	45
Makeshift incinerator # 2	4' x 2' x 3'	=	24
Wastes in front of south side of metal shed	42' x 18' x 3'	=	1,890
Wastes in front of north side of metal shed	35' x 12' x 2'	=	840
Wastes east of (behind) metal shed	20' x 20' x 2'	=	800
Area between metal shed and half-trailer	20' x 5' x 3'	=	300
Half-trailer undergoing demolition	12' x 60' x 10'	=	7,200
Wood chip piles northeast part of site	100' x 50' x 5'	-	25,000
Batteries and miscellaneous if piled togethe	r 10' x 10' x 2'	=	+200
			36,299

 $*36,299 \div 27$ (conversion factor cu. ft. to cu. yds.) = 1,344.407 or 1,344 cu. yds.

Based on the evidence and conditions discussed herein, the site is referred for consideration of an AC. There are no other comments to report at this time.

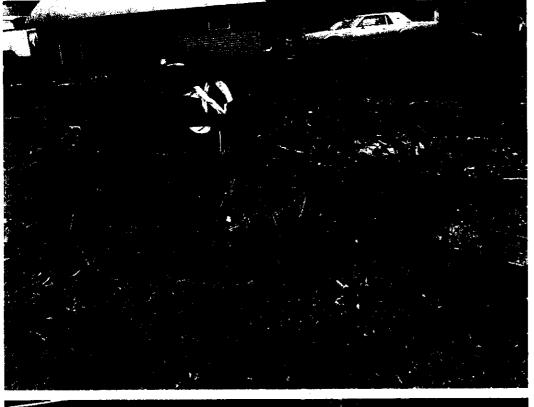
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cc: DLPC/FOS - Springfield Region





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Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:37 p.m. Direction: N Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 001 Comments: This waste reportedly in on the neighboring property to the west, and not part of this inspection.



Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:38 p.m. Direction: N Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 002 Comments: Open burn pile measuring approximately 12' x 20' x 4'.

File Names: ~-[Exp. #].jpg



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Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:38 p.m. Direction: NW Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 003 Comments: The same pile shown in photo # 002 from another angle.

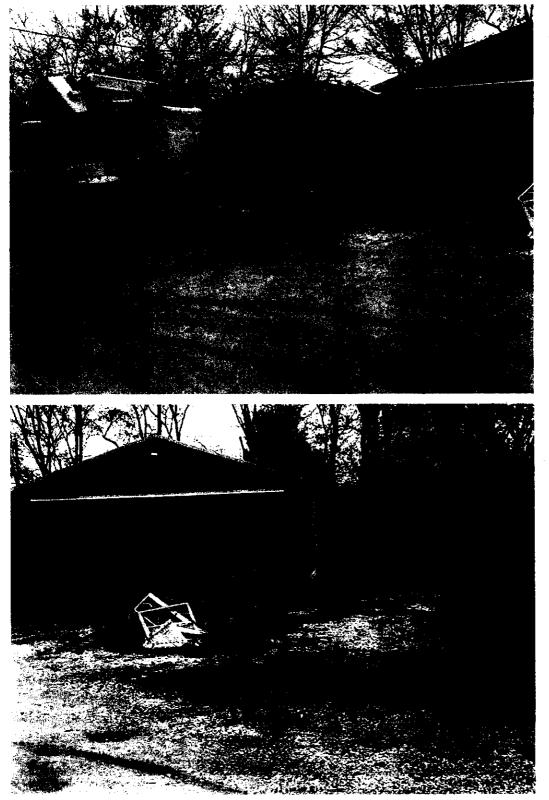
Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:38 p.m. Direction: NW Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 004 Comments: Two burn barrels and two homemade makeshift incinerators measuring approximately 3' x 3' x 5' (in center of photo with pipe sticking out of the top) and 4' x 2' x 3' (elongated rectangular box).

File Names: ~-[Exp. #].jpg

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Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:40 p.m. Direction: NE Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 005 Comments: Partially demolished trailer in back center of photo.

Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:41 p.m. Direction: E Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 006 Comments: Oil stain in foreground, large shed with some clutter on the ground and used tires against the building in the background.

File Names: ~-[Exp. #].jpg

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Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:43 p.m. Direction: S Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 007 Comments: Oil contaminated rock and soil from used oil tank that formerly was located at this location.

Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:44 p.m. Direction: E Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 008 Comments: Approximately 35 used tires, some on rims, some off, were observed leaning against the south side of the main shed.

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Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Bureau of Land Division of Land Pollution Control LPC # 0610405013 — Greene County White Hall/Combs FOS File

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Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:45 p.m. **Direction: E** Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 009 Comments: The area between the main shed (right) and the trailer being demolished. The trailer reportedly came from White Hall North Greene High School. The trailer measured approximately 12' x 60' x 10'. The waste on the ground measured approximately 20' x 5' x 3', showing only a slight improvement since the original site inspection.

Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:48 p.m. Direction: N Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 010 Comments: The partially burned doublewide trailer. Used tires, metals and other solid wastes measured approximately 20' x 20' x 2' on the ground behind the main shed.

File Names: ~-[Exp. #].jpg

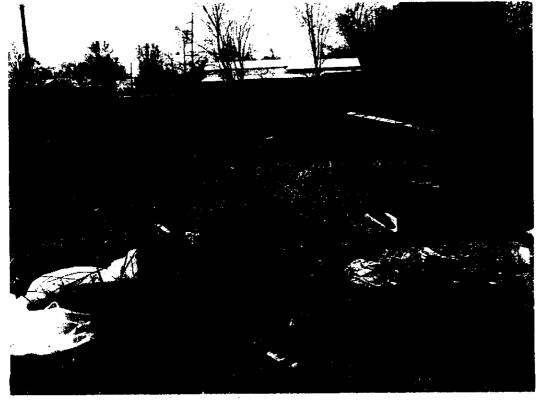
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Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:50 p.m. Direction: SE Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 011 Comments: Part of a demolished building measuring approximately 20' x 20' x 4. Also shown are approximately 30 used tires, some on rims and some off.

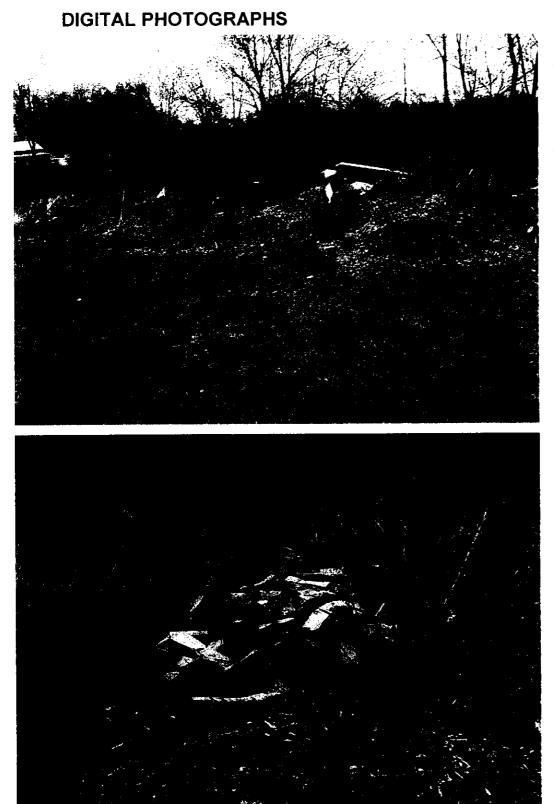


Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:52 p.m. Direction: N Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 012 Comments: The wood chip pile measuring approximately 100' x 50' x 5'.

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Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:53 p.m. Direction: NE Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 013 Comments: Same wood chip pile shown in photo # 012.

Date: April 12, 2007 Time: 1:55 p.m. Direction: NE Photo by: Charlie King Exposure #: 014 Comments: Dumped shingles in the wood chip pile.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I did on the 17th day of May 2007, 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: Joseph Combs 260 Isreal Street White Hall, IL 62092

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

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