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BEFORE THE VILLAGE BOARD  
VILLAGE OF ATKINSON, ILLINOIS

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
Pollution Control Board

IN RE: THE APPLICATION OF THE	)	
ATKINSON LANDFILL COMPANY FOR	)	PCB 07-20
A POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY IN	)	(Pollution Control Facility
THE VILLAGE OF ATKINSON	)	Siting Appeal)

**RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR REVIEW**

NOW COMES the Respondent, VILLAGE OF ATKINSON and THE VILLAGE Board of the village of Atkinson, BY ITS ATTORNEY, Virgil A. Thurman, and for its Response to the PETITION FOR REVIEW of the Applicant, ATKINSON LANDFILL COMPANY, states as follows:

1. - 22. The Village admits the allegations of Paragraphs 1. - 22., except Paragraphs 8. - 10., to which it responds by affirmatively stating as follows:

A. At the special closed session of the Village Board held at 6:00 P.M. on August 28, 2006, the parties present at that session were:

- Keith Noard, Mayor
- Bobby Burton, Trustee
- Corey Junior, Trustee
- Ryan Rahn, Trustee
- Shad Sturtewagen, Trustee
- Carolyn Jiles, Village Clerk
- Virgil A. Thurman, Village Attorney
- Stacey Hall, Special Attorney for Village

At this special closed session, the Atkinson Landfill siting conditions were discussed. At the conclusion of the special closed session, the Village Board conducted a special open meeting at 7:00 P.M. on the same date.

B. At this special open meeting, the same individuals set forth above were present, along with the following persons:

- Gary Reynolds
- Bob Walker
- Ted Larimar, all from Giant Goose conservationist organization

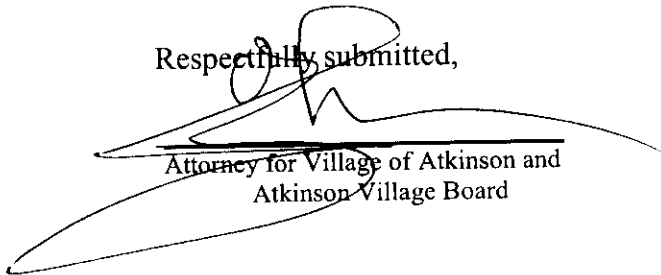
- Erik Vardijan
- Mario Vardijan
- Branko Vardijan, all from Atkinson Landfill Corporation

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After a general discussion period where all present participated, the Village Board passed Resolution No. 185. The Village admits that the passage of this Resolution was not based upon specific evidence submitted at the siting hearing.

WHEREFORE, the Village submits the issue of relief to the discretion of the Illinois Pollution Control Board.

Respectfully submitted,



Attorney for Village of Atkinson and  
Atkinson Village Board