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Ms. Connie Burns 149 Wesley Ave Buffalo, NY 14214-1655

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responses@change.org and include a link to this petition.

Esther Zamora <ezjamoca@charter.net> <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us> 5/22/2011 7:30 PM Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

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James Doeppers <jimdoeppers@gmail.com> <therriaj@ipcb.state.il.us> 5/23/2011 10:32 AM Protect Chicago River from Dirty Sewage

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