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**From:** Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of dianne peterson <diannepeterson@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, January 13, 2014 6:35 PM  
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Sincerely,

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I did a research paper on the subject a few years ago, and it really is quite scary the harm factory farms can cause. And I'm not even talking about animal welfare, which is another concern in and of itself. No, I'm just talking about what factory farms do to us.

The huge amounts of fecal matter that ends up in rivers and lakes can devastate local fishing industries. And the pollution can also make the area around the factory farm such a toxic place to live that people become desperate to move away from the area, thus harming real estate industries as well. Furthermore, because factory farms pack so many animals in such tight conditions, if a few become contaminated with a disease, it spreads like wildfire and ends up flooding the supermarkets, threatening to make people seriously ill. Just pumping the livestock full of antibiotics to prevent sickness doesn't work because that encourages bacteria to evolve, thus creating supergerms that are even harder to deal with.

But you probably knew all that already. You undoubtedly get tons of letters like this, so if you have read this far, thank you for your time, and I sincerely hope you will continue to work to make our state a better place.

Sincerely,

Sarah Matthews  
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Evanston, IL 60201-3817

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linda nishi  
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Sincerely,

Shannon Williams  
137 N Furlong Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47905-0631

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Gregory Jarosz

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Sincerely,

Judith Bresolin

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Pamela Hess  
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Wilmette, IL 60091-1402  
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Julia Parks

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Oak Park, IL 60302-3095  
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Julie McLauchlin

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Ronda White

61103-2854

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60516-2732

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61821-2534



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Nicole Beck

60612-4139

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**From:** Newman, Connie  
**Sent:** Monday, January 13, 2014 3:35 PM  
**To:** Brown, Don  
**Cc:** Therriault, John  
**Subject:** December Environmental Register  
**Attachments:** 1312\_A.docx; 1312\_B.docx; 1312\_C.docx; 2013DecemberERmail.docx

Don,

Attached are the Environmental Register and mailing list. Please print and mail the December newsletter.

Thank you.

Connie Newman  
Illinois Pollution Control Board  
217-782-7630

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**From:** Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Laura Cleveland <lcleve39@sbcglobal.net>  
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60546-1901

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60534-1301

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60527-2214

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**From:** Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Geoffrey Odean <gwodean@hotmail.com>  
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Mr. James Therriault  
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Chicago, IL 60601

Dear Mr. Therriault,

I'm writing in support of the rules outlined in R2012-023 and encourage the Illinois Pollution Control Board to maintain the stringent regulation of Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations.

Specific aspects of R2012-023 that must be preserved include the following:

- CAFOs lacking NPDES permits must provide the EPA with information establishing the 1) identity of their operator, 2) location, 3) number and type of livestock, 4) types of animal holding areas and 5) types and capacity of waste storage structures.
- Reducing the frequency of and tightening requirements surrounding winter application of livestock waste.
- Improving land application requirements to reduce the probability of waterway and groundwater contamination from livestock waste.
- Improving production area requirements to protect U.S. waters and institutionalize routine inspections for leaks, discharges and other problems.
- Tightening regulation of temporary manure stacks to prevent leaching into groundwater and runoff into waterways.

TO IMPROVE THESE RULES, the Pollution Control Board could insist on facility siting setbacks to increase distance from surface waters.

CAFOs dot the Illinois landscape and compromise the health of our environment and neighbors. I urge you to defend the advances achieved by these strong rules and to continue to strive for better environmental protections in the future.

Sincerely,

Geoffrey Odean

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