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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Dajuan Pritchett <dpritchett@secondcity.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 8:46 PM
To: Therriault, John
Subject: R14-10: We Need Coal Ash Rules that Protect Public Health and the Environment:

May 9, 2014

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Sincerely,

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Kevin Donnelly <ataxia42973@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 7:14 PM
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Oriana Spizzo
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Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 5:14 PM
To: Therriault, John
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of David Borcean <dborcean@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 3:45 PM
To: Therriault, John
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Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 3:15 PM
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Sincerely,

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Charles Ryan <rcesryan@aol.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 2:06 PM
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Ariel Ruth <ariarista@hotmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 1:37 PM
To: Therriault, John
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Sincerely,

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Kendra Massey <kmassey@mybpl.org>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 1:08 PM
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Skokie, IL 60076-2353
(847) 675-1218

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Maribel Silva <maribelsilva2010@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 12:44 PM
To: Therriault, John
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Maribel Silva
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Montgomery, IL 60538-5112
(630) 844-5161

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Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 12:15 PM
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Joy Maddox <jagm57@comcast.net>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 12:12 PM
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Edie Ruffolo <tonyedie@ameritech.net>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 12:06 PM
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Cecelia Samp <ceceliasamp@triton.edu>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:59 AM
To: Therriault, John
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Hansen James <seinseifen@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:56 AM
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Ricca Slone <rcoplans@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:51 AM
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of William Beisiegel <wsbeisiegeljr9@hotmail.com>
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Northbrook, IL 60062-5502
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Jihan Hines <pink.galaxy.28@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:34 AM
To: Therriault, John
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Chicago, IL 60637-4329

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Traci Brown <tbrachmanbrown@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:30 AM
To: Therriault, John
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(630) 885-9607

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Sarah Tolzien <stolzien@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:23 AM
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Lisa Breymeier <tails4@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:15 AM
To: Therriault, John
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Lisa Breymeier
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Farmington, IL 61531-1022

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Stephen Gard <gardsd1@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:14 AM
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Stephen Gard
17764 N Oak Ridge Ave
Marshall, IL 62441-3746

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Jack Klecka <jack-klecka@att.net>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:13 AM
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Jack Klecka
517 Green Bay Rd
Highland Park, IL 60035-4913

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Joe Pacenti <joep12021@att.net>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:11 AM
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Joe Pacenti
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Alsip, IL 60803-3135

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Marilyn Joy <mjedit@comcast.net>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:11 AM
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Marilyn Joy
608 Highland Ave
Oak Park, IL 60304-1500

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Sheila Cook <shamrock77738@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:10 AM
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Rohana Wolf <simarohana@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 11:10 AM
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Rohana Wolf
6709 N Francisco Ave
Chicago, IL 60645-4315

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Garrick Balk <garrickbalk@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 10:58 AM
To: Therriault, John
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Garrick Balk
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Dennis Callanan <drcallanan@att.net>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 10:57 AM
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Dennis Callanan
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Geneva, IL 60134-3929

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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Kat Seno <kseno@g.risd.edu>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 10:42 AM
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Kat Seno
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From: Sierra Club <jennifer.hensley@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Mary Liss <mliss@freeborn.com>
Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 10:42 AM
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Mary Liss
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Brookfield, IL 60513-1549
(708) 485-3708

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Aaron Isaacman
649 S Circle Ave
Port Barrington, IL 60010-1042
(224) 221-8225

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Sent: Friday, May 09, 2014 9:45 PM
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To: Therriault, John
Subject: R14-10: We Need Coal Ash Rules that Protect Public Health and the Environment:

May 12, 2014

Clerk of the IPCB John Therriault

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