

Illinois Pollution Control Board Members and Chairmen
In Order of Their Appointment

1. David P. Currie, Esq. (I – Chicago) July 1, 1970 – December 1, 1972
Chairman July 1, 1970 – December 1, 1972
Served as Board member and Chairman for 2 ½ years
2. Richard J. Kissel, Esq. (R – Lake Forest) July 23, 1970 – June 30, 1972
Served as Board member for 2 years
3. Samuel T. Lawton, Jr., Esq. (D – Highland Park) August 1, 1970 – July 31, 1972
Acting Chairman December 1, 1972 – July 31, 1973
Served as Board member for 2 years and Acting Chairman for 8 months
4. Dr. Samuel R. Aldrich (R – Urbana) August 1, 1970 – July 30, 1972
Served as Board member for 2 years
5. Jacob D. Dumelle, P.E. (D – Oak Park) August 1, 1970 – December 31, 1991
Chairman August 1, 1973 – October 31, 1988
Served as Board member for 20 ½ years and Chairman for 15 years, 4 months
6. Donald A. Henss, Esq. (R – Moline) July 15, 1972 – December 15, 1972
January 11, 1973 – October 15, 1975
Served as Board member for 3 years, 4 months total
7. John L. Parker, Esq. (R – Joliet) August 1, 1972 – December 15, 1972
Served as Board member for 4 ½ months
8. Roger G. Seaman, Esq. (R – Joliet) March 1, 1973 – November 20, 1974
Served as Board member for 1 year, 8 months
9. Dr. Russell T. Odell (R – Champaign) September 4, 1973 – September 1, 1975
Served as Board member for 2 years
10. Sidney M. Marder, P.E. (D – Peru) September 17, 1973 – January 15, 1975
Served as Board member for 2 years, 4 months
11. Philip Zeitland, R.A. (D – Chicago) November 21, 1974 – July 1, 1977
Served as Board member for 2 years, 8 months

12. Irvin G. Goodman, Esq. (R – Medinah, Oak Brook) April 8, 1975 – April 13, 1983
Served as Board member for 8 years
13. James L. Young, Esq. (R – Springfield) October 14, 1975 – October 1, 1979
Served as Board member for 4 years
14. Dr. Donald P. Satchell (R – Carbondale) December 17, 1975 – June 30, 1981
Served as Board member for 5 ½ years
15. Nels Werner, P.E. (D – Chicago) July 2, 1977 – February 23, 1983
Served as Board member for 5 years, 7 months
16. Joan G. Anderson (R – Western Springs) March 1, 1980 – November 15, 1993
Served as Board member for 13 ½ years
17. Donald B. Anderson (R – Peru) July 1, 1981 – March 12, 1984
Served as Board member for 2 years, 8 months
18. Walter J. Nega (D – Chicago) February 24, 1983 – December 1, 1986
Served as Board member for 3 years, 9 months
19. J. Theodore Meyer, Esq. (R – Chicago) June 13, 1983 – June 30, 1998
Served as Board member for 15 years
20. Bill S. Forcade, Esq. (D – Chicago) November 4, 1983 – April 30, 1993
Served as Board member for 9 ½ years
21. Dr. John Marlin (R – Urbana) November 4, 1983 – April 30, 1993
Chairman November 1988 – April 30, 1993
Served as Board member for 9 ½ years and Chairman for 2 years, 5 months
22. Dr. Ronald C. Flemal (R – DeKalb) May 16, 1985 – September 30, 2002
Served as Board member for 16 years, 4 months
23. Edward Nedza (D – Chicago) March 9, 1987 – March 16, 1987
Served as Board member for 7 days
24. Michael Nardulli (D – Chicago) October 1, 1987 – February 1994
Served as Board member for 6 years, 4 months

25. Dr. Tanner Girard (D – Grafton) February 4, 1992 - October 22, 2011
Acting Chairman December 1, 2005 to October 22, 2011
Executive Director October 23, 2011 to June 1, 2012
Served as Board member for 19 ½ years and Acting Chairman 5 years, 10 months
26. Claire A. Manning, Esq. (R – Springfield) May 1, 1993 – December 31, 2002
Chairman May 1, 1993 – December 31, 2002
Served as Board member for 9 years, 7 months and Chairman same period
27. Emmett E. Dunham II, Esq., P.E. (D – Elmhurst) November 12, 1991 – October 1, 1996
Served as Board member for 3 years
28. Marili McFawn, Esq. (R –Palatine, Inverness) November 12, 1993 – June 30, 2001
Served as Board member for 8 years, 7 months
29. Joseph C. Yi, P.E. (I – Park Ridge) September 12, 1994 – January 9, 1999
Served as Board member for 4 years, 4 months
30. Kathleen M. Hennessey, Esq. (D – Chicago) October 16, 1996 – August 1999
Served as Board member for 2 years 10 months
31. Nicholas J. Melas (D – Chicago) July 1, 1998 – November 3, 2008
Served as Board member for 10 years, 4 months
32. Elena Z. Kezelis, Esq. (R – Springfield) January 10, 1999 – December 1, 2001
Served as Board member for 1 year, 11 months
33. Samuel T. Lawton, Jr., Esq. (D – Lake Forest) April 24, 2000 – June 30, 2002
Served as Board member for 2 years, 2 months
34. Thomas E. Johnson, Esq. (R – Urbana) July 1, 2001 – August 30, 2012
Chairman January 1, 2003 to December 1, 2003
Executive Director June 3, 2013 – September 30, 2016
Served as Board member for 11 years, 2 months, Chairman for 11 months, and
Executive Director for 3 years, 4 months
35. Michael E. Tristano (R – Glen View) December 1, 2001 – November 30, 2003
Served as Board member for 2 years

36. William A. Marovitz (D – Chicago) July 1, 2002 – November 30, 2003
Served as Board member for 1 year, 4 months
37. Doris C. Karpiel (R – Carol Stream) January 10, 2003 – November 30, 2003
Served as Board member for 10 months
38. Lynne P. Padovan (R – Charleston) January 10, 2003 – November 30, 2003
Served as Board member for 10 months
39. John Philip Novak (D – Bradley) December 1, 2003 – November 30, 2005
Served as Board member for 2 years
Chairman, December 1, 2003 – November 30, 2005
40. Andrea S. Moore (R – Libertyville) December 1, 2003 – October 22, 2011
Served as Board member for 7 years 10 months
41. Shundar Lin (R – Peoria) November 3, 2008 – November 4, 2009
Served as Board member for 1 year
42. Gary Blankenship (D – Joliet) October 31, 2008 – August 4, 2011
Served as Board member for 2 years, 9 months
43. Carrie Zalewski, Esq. (D – River Forest) November 5, 2009 – March 28, 2019
Served as Board member for (current) years
44. Tom Holbrook (D – Belleville) October 23, 2011 – June 30, 2013
Chairman October 23, 2011 – June 30, 2013
Served as Board member for 1 year, 8 months and Chairman for the same period
45. Jennifer Burke, Esq. (D – Chicago) August 4, 2011 – June 30, 2017
Served as Board member for 5 years, 11 months
46. Dr. Deanna Glosser (R – Riverton) October 23, 2011 – July 31, 2016
Chairman September 13, 2013 – September 3, 2015
Served as Board member for 4 years, 9 months and Chairman for 2 years
47. Jerome D. O’Leary (R – Rock Island) November 15, 2012 – December 2, 2016
Served as Board member for 4 years

48. Gerald M. Keenan (I – Glencoe) March 16, 2015 – April 16, 2018
Chairman September 4, 2015 – May 26, 2017
Served as Board member for 3 years, 1 months and Chairman for 1 year, 8 months
49. Thomas E. Johnson, Esq. (R – Urbana) October 1, 2016 – January 19, 2017
Served as Board member for 11 years, 6 months, Chairman for 1 year, and Executive Director for 3 years, 4 months
50. Cynthia Santos, (D – Chicago) December 12, 2016 – Current
Served as Board member for (current) years
51. Katie Papadimitriou, (R – Wheaton) January 23, 2017 – August 30, 2019
Chairman May 30, 2017 – August 30, 2019
Served as Board member for (2 years, 7 months) and Chairman for (2 years, 4 months)
52. Brenda Carter, (R – Sherman) July 1, 2017 – August 30, 2020
Served as Board member for (3 years, 1 month) years
53. U-Jung Choe (R – River Forest) April 17, 2018 – April 25, 2019
Served as Board member for 1 years
54. Anastasia Palivos (I – Chicago) April 19, 2019 – Current
Served as Board member for (current) years
55. Barbara Flynn Currie (D – Chicago) April 26, 2019 – Current
Chairman August 16, 2019 – (current)
Served as Board member for (current) years
56. Jennifer Van Wie (I – Third Lake) September 14, 2020 – Current
Served as Board member for (current) years

Chairmen or Acting Chairmen

July 1, 1970 – December 1, 1972, David P. Currie
December 1, 1972 – July 31, 1973, Samuel Lawton (Acting)
August 1, 1973 – October 31, 1988, Jacob Dumelle
November 1, 1988 – April 30, 1993, John Marlin
May 1, 1993 – December 31, 2002, Claire Manning
January 1, 2003 – December 1, 2003, Tom Johnson
December 1, 2003 – November 30, 2005, John Philip Novak
December 1, 2005 – October 23, 2011, Tanner Girard (Acting)
October 23, 2011 – June 30, 2013, Tom Holbrook
September 13, 2013 – September 3, 2015, Dr. Deanna Glosser
September 4, 2015 – May 26, 2017, Gerald M. Keenan
May 30, 2017 – August 30, 2019, Katie Papadimitriu
August 30, 2019 – Current, Barbara Flynn Currie

Executive Directors

October 23, 2011 – June 1, 2012, Tanner Girard
June 3, 2013 – September 30, 2016, Tom Johnson