R2012-023, FILED 1/14/14 - COMMENT #2-302-

Therriault, John

From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Cindy Parrone

<cparrone@diederichgroup.com>

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:09 AM **To:** Therriault, John

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Scott Lombardo

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Robert Goodwin

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Roberta Brewster

<robertabrewster09@gmail.com>

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Roberta Brewster

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Brik Blackford

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From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Joseph Sessa <jvs60612

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Sent:

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To:

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Joseph Sessa

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Therriault, John

From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Gloria Picchetti <picchetti707

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Gloria Picchetti

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Debra Harris

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From:	Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of JUEL BEY</act@fwwatch.org>
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<gideon@purduecal.edu>

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Sincerely,

John Lindgren

R2012-023, FILED 1/14/14 - COMMENT # 2-321-

Therriault, John

60462-3865

From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Brian Angel <bangel@orland135.org> Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:08 AM Sent: Therriault, John To: Subject: Public Comment Supporting R2012-023 Jan 14, 2014 Mr. James Therriault 100 W. Randolph St. 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, **Brian Angel**

R2012-023, FILED 1/14/14 - COMMENT # 2-322-

Therriault, John

From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of William Hess <enkido1

@charter.net>

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:08 AM

To: Therriault, John

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William Hess

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From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Pat O'Connell

<patsara@comcast.net>

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Pat O'Connell

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Therriault, John

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Bonnie Burgund

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:08 AM

To:

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Subject:

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Bonnie Burgund

R2012-023, FILED 1/14/14 - COMMENT # **4** - 325 -

Therriault, John

From: Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Martha Faulhaber

<mfaulhaber@sbcglobal.net>

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:08 AM

To: Therriault, John

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Sincerely,

Martha Faulhaber 5653 S Harper Ave Chicago, IL 60637-1831 (773) 667-3818

R2012-023, FILED 1/14/14 - COMMENT #4-326-

Therriault, John

From:

Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Rachael Pappano

<rpappano@rocketmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:08 AM

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Rachael Pappano 330 River Rd Mattawamkeag, ME 04459-3229

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Therriault, John

From: Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Michael Meres

<mmerel@wmace.com>

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Sincerely,

Michael Meres 1115 Skokie Ridge Dr Glencoe, IL 60022-1138

R2012-023, FILED 1/14/14 - COMMENT # 2 - 328 -

Therriault, John

From:

Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Jon Cole

<jcole@poschange.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:08 AM

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Jon Cole 6023 S Park Ave Morton Grove, IL 60053-2947

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Therriault, John

From:

Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Michael Hayes

<hayesmikej@comcast.net>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Michael Hayes 2706 Whiteside Pl Springfield, IL 62711-6411 (217) 546-6065

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Therriault, John

From:

Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of David Anderson

<ddmander@ameritech.net>

Sent:

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David Anderson 1878 N Orchard St Chicago, IL 60614-8923 (773) 929-7305

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Therriault, John

From: Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Maja Ramirez

<valkyrry@yahoo.com>

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Maja Ramirez 328 W Willow St Chicago, IL 60614-5717 (312) 664-1916

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Therriault, John

From:

Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Greg Cascio

<wtfigc@gmail.com>

Sent:

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Greg Cascio 3437 N Hoyne Ave Chicago, IL 60618-6109 (773) 529-8820

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From:

Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Carma Forgie

<carma9forgie@ix.netcom.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:08 AM

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Carma Forgie 5550 S Shore Dr Chicago, IL 60637-5051 (773) 753-4651

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Therriault, John

From:

Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Gloria Picchetti

<picchetti707@sbcglobal.net>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Gloria Picchetti 553 W Oakdale Ave Chicago, IL 60657-5753 (773) 871-0999

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Therriault, John

From: Environment Illinois <action@environmentillinois.org> on behalf of Michael Conway

<gerard_1@sbcglobal.net>

Sent:

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Michael Conway 2020 W 102nd St Chicago, IL 60643-2027 (312) 839-4789

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Therriault, John

From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Rose & John Martin

<roznjon@sbcglobal.net>

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 8:38 AM

To: Therriault, John

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From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Julie Winsberg

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From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Tom Boyle <tom1479

@comcast.net>

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From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Mary Schnabel

<mjpschnabel@gmail.com>

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 8:38 AM

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Mary Schnabel

R2012-023, FILED 1/14/14 - COMMENT #4-340-

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From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of donna scott

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Sincerely,

donna scott

R2012-023, FILED 1/14/14 - COMMENT # 2-341-

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From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Ray Ruthenberg

<peg43ray@jisp.net>

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 8:38 AM

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Ray Ruthenberg

R2012-023, FILED 1/14/14 - COMMENT # 2-342-

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Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 8:38 AM

To: Therriault, John

Subject: Public Comment Supporting R2012-023

Jan 14, 2014

Mr. James Therriault 100 W. Randolph St. Chicago, IL 60601

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