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3/13/07

To Whom It May Concern::
This is in regard to the LaSalle County Administrative Citation I was issued on 2/13/07.
In order to comply with the request to pick-up my yard and make it look nice, I am asking for a
month extension. The 35 days will be up on 3/20/07, and as anyone who has been in the state of
Illinois during February and the first part of March knows, the weather has been harsh. The 1st
weekend of decent weather was this last, 3/10 & 3/11, and even that was not ideal. The ground is
still frozen under the top layer of mud and we are unable to complete the fence. Also, many of
the heavier items can not be moved and put out of sight because the condition of my yard—very
soft and muddy---I don't want to create a worse condition with ruts and holes.

I intend to make my yard nicer, by doing as requested by the La sale County EPA----Which
was/is: Putting items in buildings, behind a fence or otherwise out of site. Since I do not have
liter or garbage in my yard, I do not need to dispose of anything. In any event, I have garbage
pick-up on a regular-weekly basis---not a service required by a landfill I would like to mention.

As for that, I would once again like to officially state that I do not now, nor have I ever operated
a landfill. I do not accumulate liter, garbage, debris or junk. I do have a "messy" yard that
certainly is not pretty and will not currently make the cover of Home and Garden. My aim is to
"pretty" it up, so that my neighbor will quit using the EPA as her own personal yard police. I
know there are actual environmental issues in La sale County that they should be looking into
instead of my yard.

Again, please grant me a month extension, which would make the date 4/23/07. That will give us
the time needed to finish.

Thank you

Sincerely,

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