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Pollution Control Board Attn: Clerk 100 West Randolph Street James R. Thompson Center Suite 11-500 Chicago, Illinois 60601-3218

Dear Sir(s),

I am writing today to express my views in reference to PBC No. 07-113, Rochelle Waste Disposal, LLC v. The City of Rochelle, an Illinois Municipal Corporation and the Rochelle City Council.

I am strongly in favor of leaving the special conditions imposed on Rochelle Disposal and the Landfill involved unaltered. My understanding is that there were conditions opposed to in this sighting by the operator. My opinion is that they are fair and reasonable and need to be there to protect the environment of the surrounding area.

I was one of the opposing people against expanding the landfill because of my concern of the safety of our future water supply. I still have that concern, but am somewhat dociled by the expert's opinions and assurances that there will be safeguards attached. Only time, I am afraid, will tell.

You deal with these situations all the time; I am simply a father and grandfather concerned about our small village and the impact of this huge landfill on all of us, not only now, but into the future. I trust this matter will receive a fair review and a just decision.

Sincerely,

Creston, Illinois

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