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October 16, 2014

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)
 PROTECTION AGENCY,)
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 Complainant,)
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 v.)
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 DALE WHITE and SHAWN & AMANDA)
 DEPEW)



ORIGINAL

AC 15-1

(IEPA No. 164-14-AC)

(Administrative Citation)

RECONSIDERATION:

My name is Shawn Depew, please accept my Petition for Review. The first of July 2014 I received a notice via USPS informing me of a potential Administrative Citation. Upon receiving this letter I contacted the inspector listed at the Marion, IL IEPA office. I explained to the inspector exactly what she has viewed and photographed, and was instructed to get it cleaned up with-in 30 days and there would be a reevaluation of the property. I did as instructed and removed almost 10 tons of waste and debris that was dumped onto the property before I owned the property. I believed at that point I had followed the instructions given to me and this issue would be taken care of based off my clean up actions. I would like to take a minute to explain the pictures taken during the inspection. Picture one is some metal that was found in the tall grass and moved into a pile waiting being taken to the recycle center here in Centralia. None of these items were burned. Picture 2 is simply a metal ring that fell off the washing tub as it was being drug up to the pile. Picture 3 is of some shingles that the previous property owners had left, it was piled waiting a dumpster to be hauled off and properly disposed of. This was part of the almost 10 tons that was removed. Picture 4 is my burn barrels that had rusted out over the course of winter. I had been in a pretty serious car accident Nov 7, 2013 and spent most of the winter in and out of the hospital and unable to walk until first part of May 2014. They have since been disposed of and replaced. Pictures 5-9 are of the exact same pile of debris being consolidated until a dumpsters worth had been collected up. Since this inspections completion I have rented and filled a 40 yard dumpster and finished the clean up of the property. I feel I have followed all the clean up/disposal laws and guidelines while completing this project. Please consider my appeal for a reconsideration. If any further questions or comments please contact me at 618-322-8544.

Shawn Depew

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