

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY BOARD COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ADDENDUM

Finance/Justice & Social Services/Policy, Personnel, & Appointments

County of Champaign, Urbana, Illinois Tuesday, March 10, 2015 – 6:30 p.m.

Lyle Shields Meeting Room-Brookens Administrative Center 1776 E. Washington, Urbana, Illinois

IX. Policy, Personnel, & Appointments

- E. Other Business
 - 1. Resolution in Support of SB 1698 and HB 1326

RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF SB1698 AND HB 1326

WHEREAS, The Champaign County Board is aware of legislation proposed by Senator Scott Bennett (D-52nd District) titled Senate Bill 1698, which proposes to amend the Environmental Protection Act by prohibiting the disposal of (1) Manufactured Gas Plant waste in specified levels and (2) Polychlorinated Biphenyl waste in any landfill whose run off goes into the Mahomet Aquifer; and

WHEREAS, The Champaign County Board is aware of legislation proposed by Representative Carol Ammons (D-103rd District) titled House Bill 1326, which proposes to amend the Environmental Protection Act by prohibiting the disposal of (1) Manufactured Gas Plant waste in specified levels and (2) Polychlorinated Biphenyl waste in any landfill whose run off goes into the Mahomet Aquifer; and

WHEREAS, The Champaign County Board has actively participated in initiatives to protect the Mahomet Aquifer from all risks associated with the disposal of Polychlorinated Biphenyl waste at the Clinton Landfill, and fully supports and endorses both Senate Bill 1698 as proposed by Senator Bennett and House Bill 1326 as proposed by Representative Ammons;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the Champaign County Board, Champaign County, Illinois, that the County Board supports SB 1698 and HB 1326 both of which propose to amend the Environmental Protection Act by prohibiting the disposal of (1) Manufactured Gas Plant waste in specified levels and (2) Polychlorinated Biphenyl waste in any landfill whose run off goes into the Mahomet Aquifer; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Champaign County Board, that the County Clerk be directed to send a certified copy of this Resolution to the state legislators for Champaign County, Illinois.

PRESENTED, ADOPTED, APPROVED, AND RECORDED this 19th day of March, A.D. 2015.

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ATTEST:

Gordy Hulten, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Champaign County Board