



**AUGUST OPERATIONS REPORT**

The Controlled Solids Distribution Program hauled a total of 664.18 wet tons of Class A material for the Urban Spreading Program this month from the following locations:

CONTROLLED SOLIDS
Vulcan 46.51 Wet Tons
Calumet West 90.33 Wet Tons
Calumet East 527.34 Wet Tons

**FARMER/RESIDENT CONTACTS**

*New Farmers: Will County*

Jim Henke gave us a 40 acre wheat field for application out of LASMA. WL 112-1

Larry Domagolla gave us a 80 acres field for fall application. WL 93-1

Don Nugent has three fields he wants us to do for fall application out of LASMA (WL 71-10, WL 71-17, WL 71-38) 245 acres

Total Fall acres for Will County: 365 Acres

*New Farmers: Kendal County*

Matt Kellogg has a field in Plainfield for fall application. ( KE-38-9) 230 acres

Brian Homerding has a fall field. (KE 19-7) 160 acres

Total Fall acres for Kendal County: 390 Acres

For all fields listed we sent approximately 100 adjacent landowner letters notifying them about the application of biosolids.

SITE CODE	FIELD NUMBER	SOLIDS SPREAD	NEIGHBORS CONTACTED
WL 63-4		1259.63	
WL 43-11		1462.23	



## ODOR MINIMIZATION

Synagro is again pleased to report that no odor complaints were received this month. In order to reduce odor impacts, Synagro hauls, spreads and incorporates the District's biosolids all in the same day. Should the need arise, when stockpiling, Synagro chooses our sites very carefully to minimize interference with the local community. Our crews are prepared to address and respond to any odor issues.



Photo courtesy of Ohio Farm Report

### **Pro Farmer Tour Puts Illinois Corn Crop at 197 BPA- And Says Western Iowa Looks Really Good**

Scouts saw a very large corn yield average in Illinois, but expressed disappointment that the averages weren't the rumored 250 bushels per acre.

Scouts on the eastern leg of the Pro Farmer Midwest Crop Tour reported an average yield of 196.96 bushels per acre, up 15.5% from 170.5 bpa last year. The three-year average, which includes 2012, is 149.4 bpa. The 196 bushels per acre is significantly above the USDA August Crop Report prediction for Illinois of 188 bushels per acre.

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