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Mr. Roger Callaway Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Bureau of Water DWPC Compliance Section #19 1021 North Grand Avenue East P.O. Box 19276 Springfield, IL 62794-9274

Dear Mr. Callaway:

Subject: Lawndale Avenue Solids Management Area - Stickney Water Reclamation Plant, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Permit No. 2015-AO-59623, Monitoring Report for January, February, and March 2019

The attached tables contain the monitoring data for the Lawndale Avenue Solids Management Area for January, February, and March 2019 as required by Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) Operating Permit No. 2015-AO-59623. No biosolids were placed in the solids drying area during January, February, and March.

<u>Table 1</u> Analysis of Water from Monitoring Wells M-11 through M-15 at the Lawndale Avenue Solids Management Area Sampled on February 4, 2019.

<u>Table 2</u> Analysis of Water from Lysimeters L-1N through L-9N at the Lawndale Avenue Solids Management Area Sampled on February 4, 2019.

Very truly yours,

Albert E. Cox

Environmental Monitoring and Research Manager Monitoring and Research Department

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cc/att: Mr. J. Patel, IEPA/Records Unit, IEPA

Drs. H. Zhang

TABLE 1: ANALYSIS OF WATER FROM MONITORING WELLS M-11 THROUGH M-15 AT THE LAWNDALE AVENUE SOLIDS MANAGEMENT AREA SAMPLED ON FEBRUARY 4, 2019

	Monitoring Well No.						
Parameter	M-11	M-12	M-13	M-14	M-15		
рН	7.9	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.4		
			mg L ⁻¹				
Cl-	18	15	10	10	10		
Cl ⁻ SO ₄ ²⁻	198	342	635	129	500		
NO ₂ +NO ₃ -N	< 0.25	< 0.25	< 0.25	< 0.25	< 0.25		

TABLE 2: ANALYSIS OF WATER FROM LYSIMETERS L-1N THROUGH L-9N AT THE LAWNDALE AVENUE SOLIDS MANAGEMENT AREA SAMPLED ON FEBRUARY 4, 2019

Parameter	Lysimeter No.							
	L-1N	L-2N	L-3N	L-4N	L-5N	L-6N	L-8N	L-9N
pН	7.3	7.2	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.8	7.0	7.0
				mg	L-1			
Cl-	16	117	143	25	628	78	410	380
SO ₄ ²⁻	758	121	71	1,448	1,563	1,340	144	200
NO ₂ +NO ₃ -N	< 0.25	2.3	< 0.25	0.82	0.38	< 0.25	0.78	< 0.25