IEPA OPEN BURN PERMIT APPLICANTS

The Illinois State Agency Historic Resources Preservation Act (20 ILCS 3420/1 et. seq.) [the Act] requires that the IEPA Air Pollution Control Division afford the Illinois State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) the opportunity to review and comment on open burn permit applications. Compliance with this requirement has been delegated by IEPA to its applicants. Prior to issuance of permits, IEPA has requested that applicants submit documentation to the SHPO for a final determination in regards to the Act.

Documentation required by the SHPO is as follows:

1. Cover letter with a copy of the IEPA permit application.
2. Address of the proposed undertaking. Use street or 911 address, including municipality.
3. Location Map. Metropolitan, plat, USGS or internet map clearly indicating the property.
4. Photographs. Current photos should be color 35mm (not photocopies), or may be digital, printed on 8½" x 11" paper no smaller than 4" x 4" each of all facades of structures scheduled for training. If the structure is more than 50 years, please send interior photos also.

Additional documentation may be requested if necessary to complete the review. Submit the required documentation to:

Illinois Department of Natural Resources
Illinois State Historic Preservation Office
Attn: Review and Compliance/Old State Capitol
1 Natural Resources Way
Springfield, IL 62702

If you have any questions please contact Rachel Leibowitz at 217/785-5031.