NOTICE OF PERMIT

Pursuant to the provisions of 415 ILCS 5/39(a), notice is hereby given that the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) has made a final determination granting a permit for a new municipal solid waste and non-hazardous special waste landfill called Winnebago Landfill – East Expansion Unit. This new facility is owned by Winnebago Landfill Company, LLC and operated by Winnebago Reclamation Service, Inc. and is located in an unincorporated area of Winnebago County, Illinois, approximately 5 miles south of the City of Rockford. The original permit application was dated May 31, 2013 and was received by the Illinois EPA on June 4, 2013. The permit was issued on July 27, 2017. This landfill is assigned an Illinois EPA Land Pollution Control (LPC) site number 2018080001. The facility mailing address is 8403 Lindenwood Road, Rockford, Illinois 61109.

The new landfill unit consists of approximately 419 acres, of which 222.38 acres is permitted for waste disposal. The 852-acre facility boundary also encompasses the following permitted waste units: 1) the Northern and Southern Unit, which was certified closed in 2013, 2) the North Expansion Unit, which is accepting waste for disposal, and 3) the West Expansion, which is also accepting waste for disposal. The development, operation and/or post closure care of these units shall continue in accordance with their respective permits. The completed Winnebago Landfill – East Expansion Unit shall have a maximum height of 1002 feet above mean sea level, an “in-place disposal capacity of approximately 51,790,568 cubic yards and an estimated life of 24.7 years.
Questions regarding this permit should be directed to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, Bureau of Land, Permit Section, #33, Post Office Box 19276, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276 and should reference the Illinois EPA LPC site number.