Protect the Mahomet Aquifer: Boycott AREA Disposal

The Mahomet Aquifer is under threat of contamination from toxic chemicals. The Clinton Landfill, owned by PDC/AREA Disposal, sits directly above the Mahomet Aquifer, and has created a new kind of dump in order to receive highly toxic, carcinogenic chemical wastes, including Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) and polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) wastes.

Over 750,000 people in 14 counties rely on the Mahomet Aquifer's water for their drinking, cleaning, agricultural, and industrial needs. There is no greater environmental or public health threat facing Central Illinois than the possible toxic contamination of the Mahomet Aquifer. AREA DISPOSAL Protect the Mahomet Aquifer!

We must take action now!

AREA Disposal is one of the garbage haulers doing business in our local community.

If YOU use AREA Disposal, show your disapproval by switching garbage haulers!

See the back side for a list of alternative haulers.



Join the boycott!

For more information please contact:
Champaign County Health Care Consumers (CCHCC)
(217) 352-6533 or cchcc@healthcareconsumers.org
healthcareconsumers.org

About the Boycott of AREA Disposal

The purpose of the boycott is to let PDC/AREA Disposal know that our communities do not approve of the Clinton Landfill chemical waste dump and the threat it poses to the Mahomet Aquifer. We will not help enrich a company that is so willing to threaten our environmental and public health in order to benefit its bottom line.

If AREA Disposal is your garbage hauler, please consider changing hauling companies. See below for more information on garbage haulers that are <u>not</u> owned by AREA Disposal and who do not haul their wastes to the Clinton Landfill, which is owned by AREA Disposal. <u>Please note that AREA Disposal owns many smaller waste haulers, including Klean Way.</u> If your hauler is not listed below, they may be owned by AREA Disposal. Please call them to find out if they are owned by AREA Disposal, and if they are, consider switching haulers.

Alternative Residential Garbage Haulers

Below are residential garbage hauling companies, listed by city, that are not part of AREA Disposal and that do not haul waste to Clinton Landfill. The haulers listed are all approved by their respective cities, and you can find them on each municipal website. If there are no haulers listed, please contact your city or village directly to get a list of approved haulers. Then you can contact those haulers to find out if they are part of AREA Disposal or if they haul to Clinton Landfill.

Urbana:

Allied Waste Services ABC Chris's Service Co.

Dale Levitt Mel's Disposal MCI Services

For more information please contact the City of Urbana at (217) 384-2416.

Champaign:

Allied Waste Services ABC Advance Disposal Cook's Sanitary MCI Services Illini Recycling

For more information please contact Champaign Public Works at (217) 403-4700.

Mahomet:

Allied Waste Services of Urbana

For more information please contact your city or village at (217) 586-4456.

Rantoul:

Allied Waste Transportation of Urbana

For more information please contact your city or village at (217) 892-6526.

Homer:

Allied Waste Services Chris's Service Co. Dillman

For more information please contact your city or village at (217) 896-2521.

Ogden:

Appl Sanitary Service

For more information please contact your city or village at (217) 896-2521.

If your city or village is not listed here, and you want to find an alternative to PDC/Area, contact your local city or village for approved haulers. View the full list on our website:

healthcareconsumers.org/alternative-haulers