BOL# 0310810003

FOS-01

8/5/2025

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Delegated Agency Solid Waste Program
Transfer/Storage Inspection

County:	Cook	BOL #:	0310810003	Region:	2 - Des Plaines
Site Name:	Evanston Transfer Station				
Site Address:	1711 Church Street	City:	Evanston		
Site Contact:	Steve Rooney	Phone:	847-879-1998		
Inspector:	Archie Tolar	Email:	jgonza81@wm.com		
Date/Times:	3/17/25 9:30 am	Interviewed:	Juan Gonzalez		
Weather:	partly sunny 35°F	Complaint #:	N/A		

Owner Mailing Address

The Advanced Disposal Service SW Midwest LLC
1712 Church Street
Evanston, IL 60201

Operator Mailing Address

Evanston Transfer Station
1711 Church Street
Evanston, IL 60201

Chief Operator (conduct) Mailing Address (if applicable)

N/A

Certified Operator (competency) Mailing Address (if applicable)

N/A

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Division of Records Management
Releasable
AUG 19 2025
Reviewer: AMS

Permit:

DE: OP: 1984-2-DE/OP; 2013-005-SP SigMod: Current Mod or SP:

Expiration Date:

☐ Exempt per §21(d)(1)

Operational Status (permitted and permit-exempt sites):

Operating ☐

Closed/Not Certified ☐

Closed/Date Certified:

Operational Status (unpermitted sites):

Operating ☐

Closed ☐

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Summary of Apparent Violation(s)			
Status	Date	Violation	Explanation

Illinois EPA FOIA Exemption Reference Sheet

SID: 15372

Agency ID: 170000450884 Media File Type: LAND
Bureau ID: 0310810003
Site Name: Veolia-Evanston TS
Site Address1: 1711 Church St
Site Address2:
Site City: Evanston State: IL Zip: 60201-

This record has been determined to be partially or wholly exempt from public disclosure

Exemption Type:

Redaction

Exempt Doc #: 26 **Document Date:** 3 /17/2025 **Staff:** AMS

Document Description: TRANSFER/STORAGE INSPECTION

Category ID: 01 **Category Description:** FIELD OPERATIONS/INSPECTIONS **Exempt Type:** Redaction

Permit ID: **Date of Determination:** 8 /19/2025

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY
SOLID WASTE INSPECTION REPORT

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City:	Evanston	Date:	3/17/25	Time:	10:30 AM
Inspector:	Archie Tolar			Badge No.:	122

Inspection Report

Inspection Type:

☒Complaint ☐Commercial ☐Industrial ☐Waste/Recycling ☐Asbestos ☐Demolition
☐ Other:

Observations and Comments:

Inspector Tolar conducted an inspection of Evanston Transfer Station to follow-up on a complaint that was filed on 3-14-2025 with the Department. Juan Gonzalez, scale operator, was interviewed during the inspection. The weather was sunny and 50°F. During the complaint follow-up Inspector Tolar drove the perimeter of the site and made frequent stops at various residential locations.

Inspector Tolar spoke with a neighbor, [redacted] who stated that the smell comes and goes on a regular basis. [redacted] mentioned that the rats are very aggressive in the area. [redacted] Inspector Tolar gav[redacted] business card for future issues. Inspector Tolar drove within a one block radius to determine if there was smells outside of the immediate area of the site. There was no evidence of smell or maldor at the site during our investigation.

During the investigation, Inspector Tolar spoke with Mr. Gonzalas regarding the urgency to put the mister system back online. Mr. Gonzalas will make an urgent call to speak with the company that maintains the system. The system was winterized and inoperable. Inspector Tolar recommended several short-term solutions for the smell. Inspector Tolar also made suggestions for the bait stations and wall that is adjacent [redacted]

The site is approximately one acre in size and contains a scale house, scales, and a transfer station building. Bordering the site are residential neighborhoods to the east and west, a business to the north, and Church Street to the south, where the site entrance/exit is located. The site accepts MSW.

Inspector Tolar visited the site 2-28-25, which is two weeks ago. There was no smell at the time of the inspection. Inspector Tolar will continue to monitor this site monthly and respond to any direct calls from Mrs. Cullen. This site has had a smell complaint in November of 2024. Inspector Tolar will follow-up with Larry Stallings, District Manager Waste Management.

This site will continue to be monitored on a regular basis to assure compliance.

☒ Photos Taken
☐ Warning Issued
☐ Citation Issued
☐ Follow-up Inspection Required

Signature: Archie Tolar

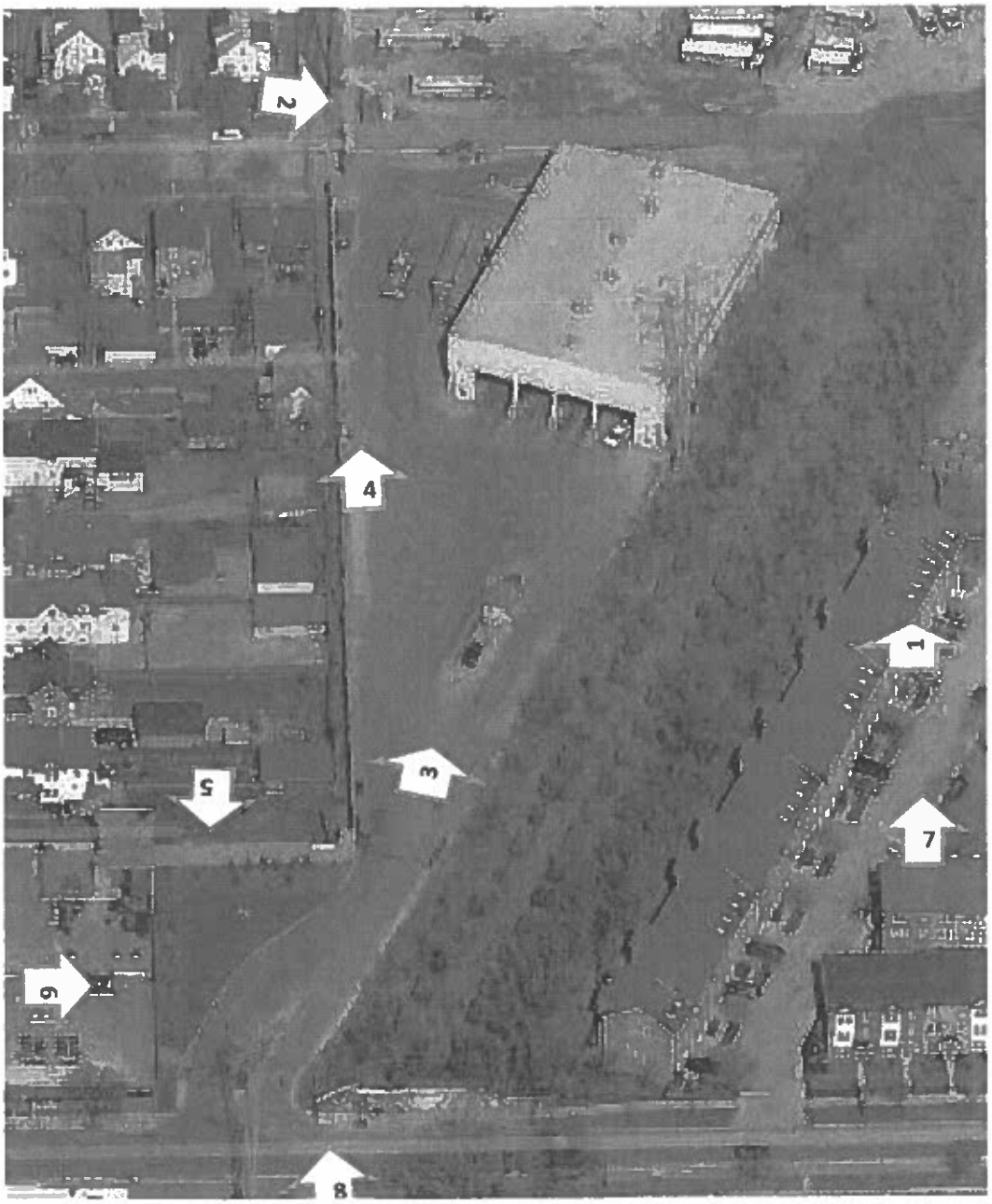
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Site Map

Photo does not depict current conditions at the site at the time of inspection.

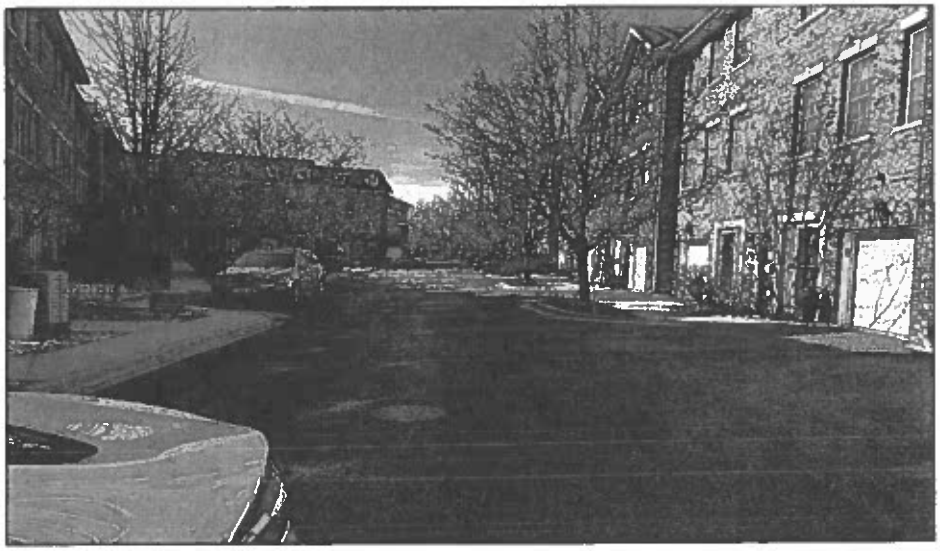
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Photograph Log



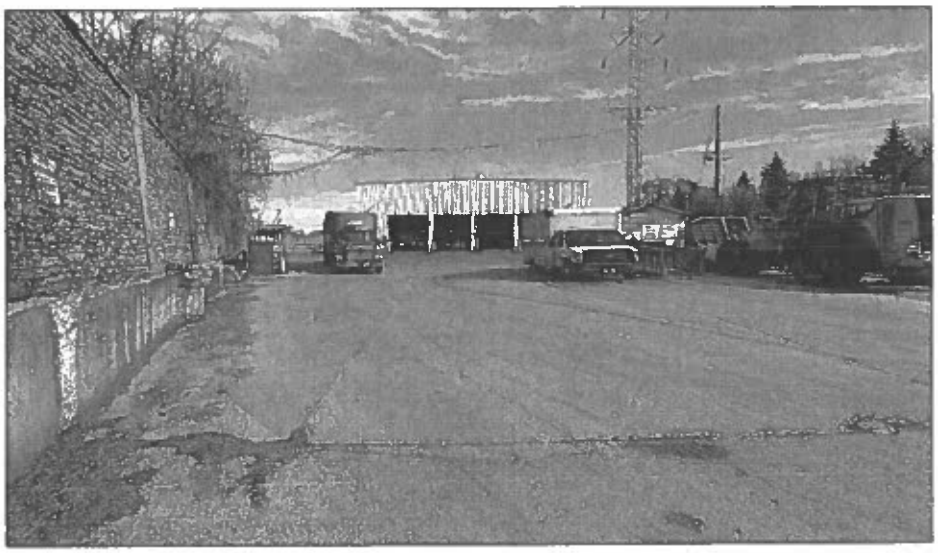
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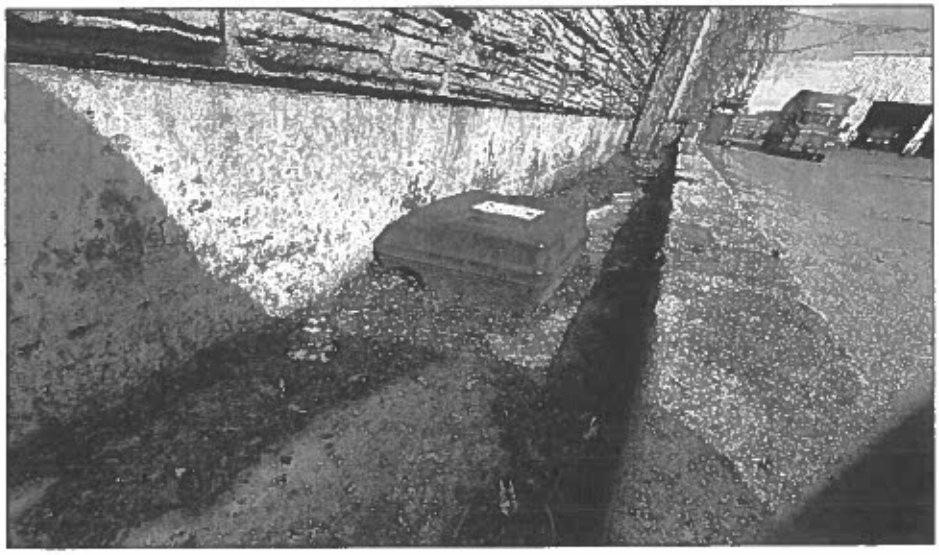
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Description:	West of site		

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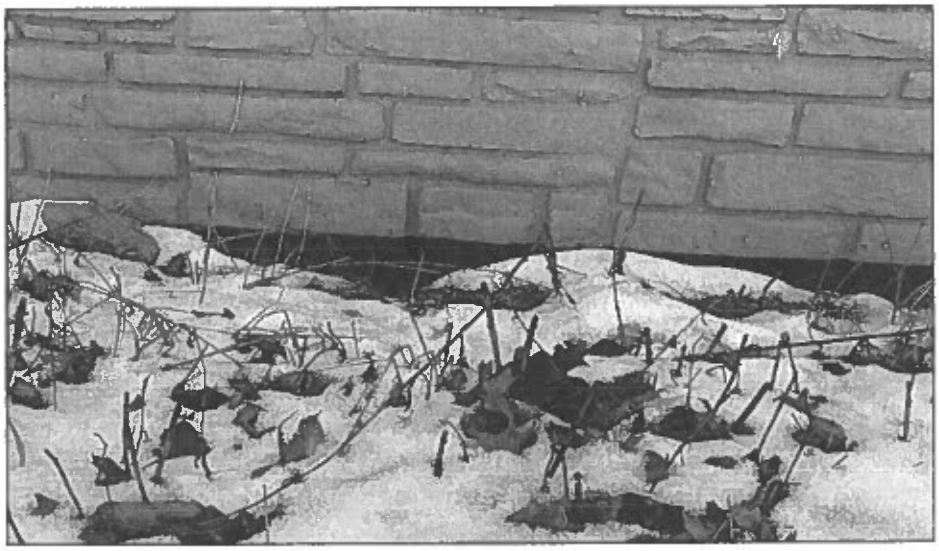
Photograph No.:	3	Direction:	North
Description:	View of site misters are winterized		



Photograph No.:	4	Direction:	North
Description:	View of bait station that is full of leaves		

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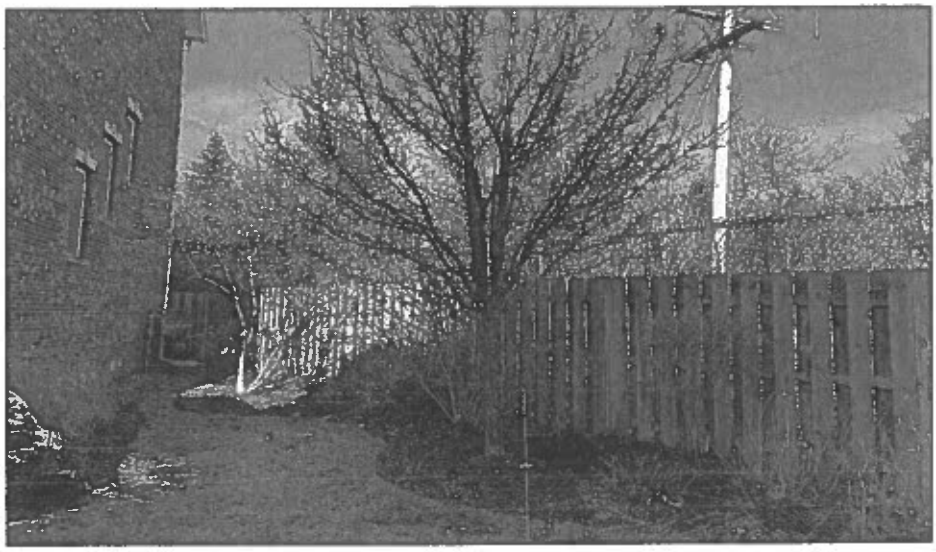
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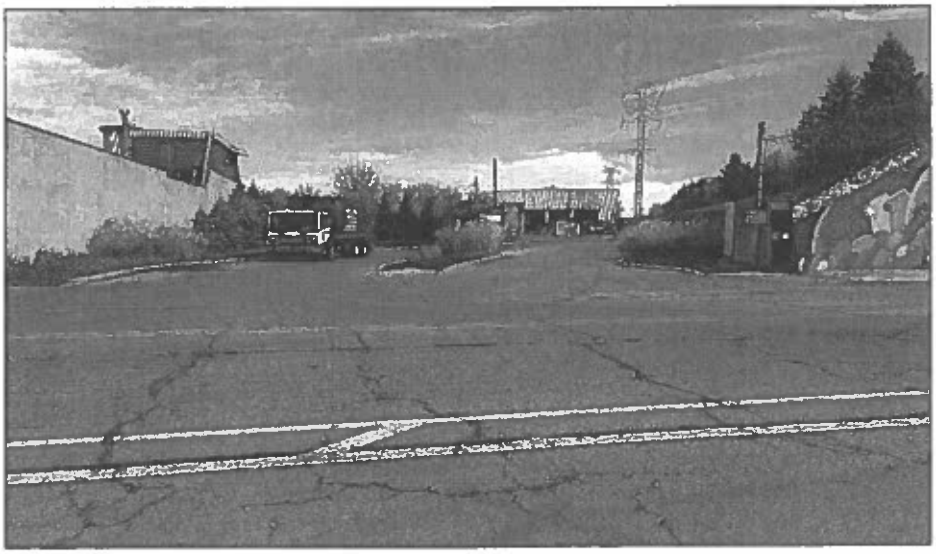
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Description:	View of commercial building 100 feet west of the Transfer Station		

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Photograph No.:	7	Direction:	North
Description:	View of residential building one lot east of Transfer Station		



Photograph No.:	8	Direction:	South
Description:	View of south side of street. No smell		