The Board noted that all regionalization efforts will be directed toward reducing the number of sewage treatment facilities at the earliest reasonable time. A series of regional plants, well-operated and strategically located, the Board said, will greatly minimize the pollutional load upon the DuPage County streams and assure conformance with the Environmental Protection Act.

Hearing Officers will be appointed for each of the nine regions in order to develop further recommendations for a regional wastewater treatment program for DuPage County.

The proposed final draft is attached.

ASBESTOS PROPOSAL

At its November 15 meeting, the Board authorized the publication of the proposed final draft of the regulations to control the use of Asbestos, #R71-16. Strict controls are incorporated in the draft. A copy is attached.

PLAN HEARINGS ON DISPOSABLE BEVERAGE CONTAINER REGULATIONS

At its meeting in Chicago on November 22, the Board authorized statewide hearings on the recommendation of the Illinois Institute for Environmental Quality for a regulation governing disposable beverage containers (attached). Hearings will be scheduled in the near future and notification of dates and locations of the hearings will be published in the Newsletter.

Those wishing to testify or having questions relating to the proposal should communicate with Steven N. Klein at the offices of the Pollution Control Board in Chicago, or at (312) 793-3620.

PARKING AT CIRCLE CAMPUS

The Assistant Director of Auxiliary Services of the University of Illinois Chicago Circle Campus has asked that we inform all persons wishing to attend meetings of the Board held at the Circle Campus of the following:

"Guest parking in Lot 2, Circle Campus parking facility located at Morgan and Vernon Park Place (directly adjacent to University Hall), is extremely limited. Reservations made through the Campus Parking Office are necessary to insure space. (Contact Rebecca K. Wilson, 966-5053). Fifty cents ($.50) will be charged for each car."