

ORDINANCE NO. 92-4
AN ORDINANCE ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF
COMMISSIONERS OF LAPORTE COUNTY ESTABLISHING
REGULATIONS FOR LAND APPLICATION OF
SEWAGE SLUDGE

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of LaPorte County have determined that regulation of land application of sewage sludge in LaPorte County is in the best interest of the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of LaPorte County, and;

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of LaPorte County have become concerned as to the volume of sewage sludge being applied in LaPorte County from sources outside of LaPorte County, and;

WHEREAS, there exists a need to prohibit the importation of sludge from outside LaPorte County

NOW THERE-FORE BE IT ORDAINED:

1. That no sewage sludge; that being the stabilized end product of a sewage treatment plant, from any source outside of LaPorte County shall be applied on any land lying within LaPorte County.

2. Any person, firm, business or corporation which applies or permits to be applied sewage sludge from sources outside of LaPorte County, shall be in violation of this ordinance.

3. Violations of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine in an amount up to \$500. Each day or occurrence of the prohibited sludge application shall be considered a separate offense of this ordinance.

All of which is ordained the 27th day of April,
1992.

LAPORTE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Michael T. Quinn
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ATTEST:

Betty J. Shall
BETTY J. SHALL, LAPORTE COUNTY AUDITOR

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