



ALGONQUIN TOWNSHIP HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

3702 U.S. Hwy 14, Crystal Lake, IL 60014

06 November 2017

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

FROM: ANDREW GASSER

Algonquin Township Highway Commissioner
3702 Route 14
Crystal Lake, IL 60014

TO: DAVID DIAMOND

Illinois Railway Museum
7000 South Olsen Road
Union, IL 60180

RE: SALT

Dear Mr. Diamond,

It has come to my attention that you picked up two truckloads of salt at the Algonquin Township Highway Department. As you know in your capacity as the Riley Township Highway Commissioner, the highway department cannot give away its assets. All expenditures must have a public purpose. The taxpayers of Algonquin Township paid for the salt for the purpose of road maintenance and upkeep and not for the consumption of private entities. Therefore, the Algonquin Township Highway Department will no longer provide the Illinois Railway Museum with road salt or otherwise dispense of government property.

While at this time I am not seeking reimbursement for the truckloads of salt obtained by the Illinois Railway Museum, I would like to confirm you received two loads of salt of approximately five (5) cubic yards each. If this is inconsistent with your understanding please articulate to me the sum total of the salt received by the Illinois Railway Museum and how the Illinois Railway Museum received donations from the Algonquin Township Highway Department.

Thank you for your time in this matter.

Be Blessed,

Andrew Gasser
Algonquin Township Highway Commissioner