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Subject: OK HERE IS THE CURRENT PROBLEM AND ISSUE regarding the DCFPD

On 12/12/02 the DuPage County Forest Preserve District - DCFPD gave away 11.5 acres of the Greene Valley forest preserve to DuPage County at the site that they still want to use for a 250 vehicle parking lot for abandoned, junked and seized vehicles. Apparently the Sheriff is now backing off putting an outdoor gun and rifle shooting range at the site in the middle of the Greene Valley forest preserve. But there are DCFPD Commissioners lead by Joe Cantore that still want to put an outdoor gun and rifle shooting range for recreational purposes in a forest preserve and ruin 30+ acres. Where will the recreational gun and rifle range go?

Since the DCFPD gave away the 11.5 acres and it was signed by the DCFPD President Dewey Pierotti on 12/12/02. Maybe that is why he has not replied to any emails asking him to stop the shooting range and junkyard? Please send him an email at [dpierotti@dupageforest.com](mailto:dpierotti@dupageforest.com) or [forest@dupageforest.com](mailto:forest@dupageforest.com) asking him to stop these terrible plans.

Another problem is that the DuPage County Chairman Robert Schillerstrom approved and signed off on the plans for the shooting range and junkyard on 8/03. But it appears that he too is now opposed to the Sheriff's shooting range there. But what about the junkyard for 250 vehicles? We need to know a plan to put the Sheriff's shooting range and junkyard in a logical and ecologically safe site away from any forest preserves. Ask him for his help. Send him an email to [rschillerstrom@dupageco.org](mailto:rschillerstrom@dupageco.org)

Contact your DuPage County Board member representatives asking them to direct the Sheriff to not ruin a forest preserve, ANY forest preserve with an outdoor shooting range or 250 vehicle parking lot for junked, abandoned and seized vehicles. Go to this website to get their name and email addresses [http://www.co.dupage.il.us/cobrd/generic.cfm?doc\\_id=291](http://www.co.dupage.il.us/cobrd/generic.cfm?doc_id=291) or call the DuPage County Board of Elections at 630-682-7440

--Lastly contact the DuPage County Forest Preserve District Board of Commissioners at one general email address: [forest@dupageforest.com](mailto:forest@dupageforest.com) and ask them to PRESERVE the preserves in DuPage County by stopping any shooting ranges (Sheriff or recreational) or junkyards in or next to any forest preserve.

Go to the Preserve the DCFPD website for additional information.  
Click here: <http://hometown.aol.com/preservethedcfpd/myhomepage/photo.html>

Thank you again for your support.