



ARKANSAS  
Department of Environmental Quality

## WATER DIVISION COMPLAINT REPORT

AFIN: <b>51-00164</b>	PERMIT #: <b>ARG590001</b>
COUNTY: <b>51 Newton</b>	PDS #: <b>022332</b>
GPS LOCATION: LAT: <b>35.924729</b> LONG: <b>-93.071343</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Discharge Site / <input type="checkbox"/> General Area / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Entrance	

COMPLAINANT NAME: <b>Brian Thompson</b> MAILING ADDRESS: <b>3428 E. Wyman Rd.</b> CITY, STATE, ZIP: <b>Fayetteville AR 72701</b> PHONE & EXT. / FAX: / EMAIL: <b>thompsonaddc@gmail.com</b> RESPONSE REQUESTED BY COMPLAINANT: <b>Yes</b>	COMPLAINT AGAINST: <b>C&amp;H Hog Farms, Inc.</b> SITE ADDRESS:  MAILING ADDRESS: <b>HC 72, Box 2</b> CITY, STATE, ZIP: <b>Vendor AR 72683</b> PHONE & EXT. / FAX: / EMAIL:
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HOW WAS COMPLAINT RECEIVED BY ADEQ: **EML**      ADEQ = ADEQ Personnel | EML = E-Mail | FAX = Fax | LTR = Letter  
 PERS = Personal Contact | PHON = Telephone | WEB = ADEQ Website

PERSON RECEIVING REPORT: <b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	DATE: <b>4/30/2017</b>	SUPERVISOR REFERRAL:	DATE:
MEDIA SUPERVISOR REFERRAL:	DATE:	RECEIVING INSPECTOR: (ID & Name) <b>83321 Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	DATE: <b>4/30/2017</b>

### DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF COMPLAINT

**This is not so much a complaint as a request to check the C&H pond levels following this weekend's rain event. If the ponds are overtopped, erosion could cause a failure of the containment berms. If there is a problem, it is better to catch it early on. If you would respond to me on this i'd much appreciate it. Thanks Brian Thompson.**

### DETAILED LOCATION

**The above referenced coordinates are to the entrance of the site.**

PREVIOUS COMPLAINTS: **Yes** DATE(S):

### FOLLOW-UP ON COMPLAINT

NUMBER OF SITE VISITS: **1** DATES: FIRST **5/2/2017** SECOND      THIRD

PHOTOS TAKEN: **Yes**      DISCHARGE TO WATER OF THE STATE: **No**      SAMPLES COLLECTED: **No**


NAME OF WATERBODY:

FAYETTEVILLE SHALE RELATED: **No**      FAYETTEVILLE SHALE VIOLATIONS: **No**

### INVESTIGATION & ACTION TAKEN

**On May 2, 2017 I conducted an investigation of C&H Hog Farms, Inc. due to the above referenced complaint. During the investigation water conditions at Big Creek and the unnamed tributary leading to Big Creek were observed. Water conditions were clear and had no evidence of receiving a discharge of wastewater from the facility. I walked around each wastewater pond and directly below to a monitoring station. There was no evidence wastewater had discharged from either pond, or that the ponds were leaking or compromised. Three pump trucks were removing wastewater from Pond 1 and according to Mr. Henson, the trucks were land applying the wastewater onto Field 15. From residue formed on the inside of Pond 1 the pond level had dropped 12-15 inches due to pumping activities. Pond 2 had approximately 2-3 feet of freeboard at the lowest point but was approximately 3-6 inches above the Must Pumpdown Mark. In a telephone conversation with Mr. Henson on May 10, 2017 he indicated Pond 2 is now approximately 12-18 inches below the Must Pumpdown Mark and will submit photodocumentation confirming Pond 2 is below the mark.**

REFERRED: **No**      TO WHOM: **N/A**      DATE REFERRED:

RESPONSE TRACKING		
RESPONSE REQUESTED: <b>Yes</b>	RESPONSE PROVIDED: <b>Yes</b>	RESPONSE PROVIDED DATE: <b>5/11/2017</b>
BY WHOM?(ID and Name):		ASSIGNED TO? (ID and Name):
RESPONSE COMMENT:		
INSPECTOR: ←Click text to left to add signature	<b>**TYPE INSPECTOR'S NAME HERE**</b>	DATE:
SUPERVISOR: 	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	DATE: <b>5/10/2017</b>

Revised: 5/13/2013

**Water Division Photographic Evidence Sheet**

Location:	<b>C&amp;H Hog Farms, Inc.</b>				
Photographer:	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	Date:	<b>5/2/2017</b>	Time:	<b>09:48</b>
Witness:				Photo #:	<b>1</b>
Description:	<b>Big Creek looking downstream at the C.R. 54 bridge.</b>				



Photographer:	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	Date:	<b>5/2/2017</b>	Time:	<b>10:37</b>
Witness:				Photo #:	<b>2</b>
Description:	<b>View of the creek across the road from the monitoring station located at 35.923718 and -93.070817. This creek discharges into Big Creek.</b>				



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Photographer:	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	Date:	<b>5/2/2017</b>	Time:	<b>09:54</b>
Witness:				Photo #:	<b>3</b>
Description:	<b>Entrance to C&amp;H Hog Farms, Inc.</b>				



Photographer:	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	Date:	<b>5/2/2017</b>	Time:	<b>10:07</b>
Witness:				Photo #:	<b>4</b>
Description:	<b>Pond #2 looking northeast.</b>				



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Photographer:	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	Date:	<b>5/2/2017</b>
Witness:		Time:	<b>10:14</b>
Description:	<b>Pond #2 looking southwest.</b>		



Photographer:	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	Date:	<b>5/2/2017</b>
Witness:		Time:	<b>10:07</b>
Description:	<b>Pond #1 looking southwest.</b>		



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Location:	<b>C&amp;H Hog Farms, Inc.</b>				
Photographer:	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	Date:	<b>5/2/2017</b>	Time:	<b>10:08</b>
Witness:				Photo #:	<b>7</b>
Description:	<b>Pond #1 showing approximately 12-15 inches of drawdown.</b>				



Photographer:	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	Date:	<b>5/2/2017</b>	Time:	<b>10:06</b>
Witness:				Photo #:	<b>8</b>
Description:	<b>Two of three pump trucks that were operating during the investigation.</b>				



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Photographer:	<b>Jason Bolenbaugh</b>	Date:	<b>5/2/2017</b>	Time:	<b>10:07</b>
Witness:				Photo #:	<b>9</b>
Description:	<b>Must Pumpdown Level in Pond #2. Approximately 3-6 inches above Must Pumpdown mark.</b>				

