

Mr. Szcwher

I am writing on behalf of the C+H hog farm in the Buffalo River watershed. I myself have been involved in farming my whole life. My wife and I own a poultry & Beef farm in west Washington county (Illinois watershed). We too have felt the effects of tighter regulations on waste management in the last few years. Those of us involved in agriculture are dedicated to being stewards of the environment, we have families ourselves, and the land is our livelihood. My dad was born in Newton county and we have a strong affection for the Buffalo river. I myself have floated and camped all along her banks, and most mornings I enjoy bacon or sausage cooked over a campfire and give thanks for it and those who raised it.

B. Scott Ramsey

## Final thoughts

I am a simple man, and I don't understand how such a minority (farmers) can be made to feel so much like a criminal by the majority (those we are providing for). In these great United States of America it is legal to smoke marijuana in the beautiful state of Colorado, but where and how we raise hogs in Arkansas is criticized.