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I think before Arkansas is left to lament the former purity and beauty of the Buffalo, we should take a lesson from Iowa.

<http://www.motherjones.com/environment/2014/03/hog-wild-factory-farms-are-poisoning-iowas-drinking-water>

Although I've only been an Arkansas resident for seven years, I am well familiar with the spills and contamination associated with mining activity in the Black Hills of South Dakota. Even with the increased scrutiny of the EPA for cyanide and heavy metal contamination, accidents happen...mother nature happens....but in the case of hog farming s\*\*t happens, and once it does, our natural resources are never the same.

Please let reason trump corporate gain and save the Buffalo.

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Typed real slow cause I type with Southern drawl.

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