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**Subject:** Preserve the Buffalo RIVER

I was saddened to discover the beautiful and pristine Buffalo River was at risk for suffering animal waste run off damage. I have visited the Buffalo River on 3 occasions and have marveled at the clarity of the water and the gorgeous color changes from cloudy blue to deep azure. It was that fact that convinced several friends of mine to go and canoe the river this year. When they returned they said I was exactly right about how beautiful the river was. We all live in Iowa so not only do we are bringing revenue into your state specifically so we may enjoy your rivers.

We have first hand experience at how much damage can be caused to rivers through major animal raising operations and farming too close to the river edge. We have to be pretty hot to swim in our rivers, didn't feel the same way on the Buffalo.

Please do your best to preserve the not only Arkansas treasure but a American treasure.

Sincerely,

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