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Subject: re Regulation 6

Dear Mr. Szenher,

Thank you for listening to our concerns regarding the regulatory process with CAFOs in the state of Arkansas. I believe that notifying the people of Arkansas when someone applies for a permit to build a CAFO is the LEAST we can do to ensure that everyone is at least aware of what is going on in Arkansas. Any operation that sends harmful waste downstream into national rivers/public waterways is a matter of public health and we need to know about it. At least so we will know not to swim in these areas.

This is my essential question for anyone opposed to such regulations: If those operating a CAFO truly believe that their sprayed liquid waste is not leaching into porous soil and ending up in tributaries to rivers in which we recreate, then why would they care if the public is notified when they apply for a CAFO permit? We cannot really call this a democratic process if there is no transparency of information. Thank you for taking the time to consider my concerns. I very much support a notification procedure Regulation 6.

Best,

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