The Buffalo National River is the heart of this area and it must be protected.

Please deny the Regulation 5 permit for the C&H swine factory in the Buffalo River watershed. This industrial operation has no business in the geologically sensitive karst environment of our own national river. The Buffalo National River is a treasure that can not be measured.

1) It is a tourist attraction that provides healthy, positive enjoyment for American citizens;
2) It provides jobs in the tourism industry that have been a sustainable source of income for far more individuals and far longer than the hog farm;
3) It is part of a delicate ecosystem that nourishes all living things.

Any failures or long term degradation risks a $62M tourism industry in one of the poorest areas of our state.

Deny it because it makes economic sense.

Deny it out of respect for the Arkansans who came before you who fought to protect it.