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To: [Water Draft Permit Comment](#)
Subject: C&H Permit 5264-W; Afin 51-00-0016
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Dear Ms. McWilliams and ADEQ Officials:

In regard to Permit Number 5264-W; AFIN 51-00-0016, I ask you to deny the C&H permit.

The permit as written contains provisions that are inadequate to protect the environment and most importantly, the Buffalo National River just a few miles downstream from the factory. My reasons for being against the permit are that the nutrient management plan is unrealistic; this permit allows even more hogs into the facility; and the consequences of having this factory sitting on karst don't seem to have been taken seriously by ADEQ.

If this permit is allowed, the C&H operation will continue to degrade the water and air of the Buffalo River watershed as it has for the four years since the start-up of this factory farm.

It seems to me that ADEQ is actually trying to pave the way for this factory- which never should have been approved-to not only continue to operate but expand its operations. ADEQ is supposed to be the state's "primary environmental protection agency", according to its public outreach brochure. I would like to see the agency act in accordance with its mission statement and actually put protection of our natural environment first. Err on the side of caution and common sense. Protect the BNR first.

Thank you for your consideration.

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