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Subject: Deny C & H Hog Farm permit; protect Buffalo River
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Please deny the state permit for C & H Hog Farm.

This "factory farm" keeps over 6000 pigs in confined quarters. The waste produced is sprayed over hundreds of acres along Big Creek, a Buffalo River tributary.

C & H is now applying for a new state permit which would supercede a federal permit that required regular review and a five year expiration. The state permit requires no review and no expiration and would add an additional 599 acres to the spray area. Research has shown that Big Creek is already showing higher levels of nitrates downstream from the C & H fields than above.

For this, and the very real threat of pollution to the Buffalo, I am asking ADEQ to deny the new permit.

Thank you,
Deanne Van Briggie