

**From:** [Diana Angelo](#)  
**To:** [Water Draft Permit Comment](#)  
**Subject:** C & H Hog Farms  
**Date:** Thursday, April 06, 2017 3:10:43 PM

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Thank you,  
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C&H Hog Farms, Permit 5266-W  
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On Thu, 4/6/17, Diana Angelo <diana\_angelo@yahoo.com> wrote:

Subject: C & H Hog Farms  
To: Water-Draft-Permit-Comment@adeq.state.ar.us  
Date: Thursday, April 6, 2017, 3:09 PM

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