I am concerned about the hog farm in Mt. Judea. It was quietly, almost secretly issued an operating permit in spite of its location very near an elementary school and being in the watershed of the Buffalo National River. What about runoff during heavy rains? What about the groundwater that people use for drinking? Can you assure the people of Arkansas this farm won't pollute the streams, River and groundwater? What would occur if a tornado struck the holding ponds? All types of farming and commercial activities in this watershed should be carefully controlled and monitored. Your agency seems to be waiting until pollution is proven to occur rather than acting to prevent it.

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