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As a frequent visitor to the beautiful Buffalo River, I wish to protest the granting of a permit for C&H hog farm to be allowed to spread more hog waste on the karst terrain. Why allow more of a risk of more pollution and desecration of this beautiful and fragile area? This river is a gem of the United States, and especially Arkansas. Already, there are signs of toxins in the water, the smell is bad for the residents and visitors, and the algae growth on the water, last summer, was terrible. It seems to me that an agency that is mandated to protect our natural resources would not risk losing it all. The laws of nature tell us that man made things can not be protected from floods, leaks, and other natural disasters. Why take more risks for something that wasn't permitted properly in the first place?

LaVon Bitting