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Governor Hutchinson/ADEQ,

I am writing to ask you to deny the Regulation 5 permit for the C&H industrial hog operation located within the Buffalo River watershed. I live in Little Rock but own a small house near Ponca and Steele Creek. As such, I know of many people in that area who make their living off of the tourism that the beautiful Buffalo River supports. As you know, Newton County, is one of the poorer counties in the state and a pristine Buffalo River is a major attraction that helps generate revenue for the population that lives there. Given the controversy surrounding the significant potential runoff of waste from the Hog farm into a tributary of the Buffalo it just doesn't make sense (to me) to take such a risk when it simply isn't necessary. I hope you will agree with that assessment. Thank you for reading this.

Pat Riley