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Subject: [BULK] Regulation 5 Permit for the C&H Swine Factory in the Buffalo River Watershed.
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To Governor Hutchinson and the ADEQ,

As a Missourian who has visited and enjoyed Arkansas on a number of occasions, I prize the beauty of your state, as I'm sure you do as well. I'm writing to you to entreat you to deny the permit mentioned above. The Buffalo River is a national treasure, and to allow it to be used as the sewage system for a hog factory is unthinkable. The potential environmental damage is incalculable, as is the potential damage to Arkansas's economy, both in terms of its tourism industry, and the cost of clean-up down the road, when (not if) its effects devastate local wildlife and water tables. There is no doubt in my mind that if you were to approve this permit, it would be a decision you would come to regret bitterly. Please don't let your name become synonymous with the poisoning of natural beauty, and despoiling the state you serve -- do the right thing, as I know you must want to do, and protect the Buffalo River and Arkansas for future generations.

With kindest regards,

Susan Macksey