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I am adamantly opposed to any type of CAFO being located on the watershed of any river or stream. Especially, one as relatively unpolluted as the Buffalo River. This is for numerous reasons. I certainly believe that CAFO’s are industrial meat production factories and should be located in industrial parks and regulated by rules and regulations used for any type of manufacturing. There is no place in rural America for such entities.
Bill Cronin, HC 62 Box 660 Deer, AR. I just have a few comments. The old saying: if it ain’t broke, don’t fix it. If that clay line is working, why do they need a new liner? I mean it kinda defies belief, I guess. If anybody follows the weather at all, they know how lately the last several years the experts can’t even predict the weather hardly three days in advance. And the last couple of Augusts, we’ve had recorded rains: ten inches in a month. These rains will come out of nowhere and they’ll stick around in low pressure systems. And so, I can’t imagine how picking the summer or any time of year to try and choose to do this. They can actually think you can get a window of maybe a month to pull this off and then you’re going to have all this excess sewage that you’re going to have to spread around. And I believe that I heard it right that there is no comment period, no notification that they are going to get permits to spread this manure and sewage into other areas. If I understand right, this whole process has been centered on one of the big problems has been spreading this sewage around over these karst formations. And then just to be able to take it on down the road and spread it somewhere without even notifying the people that live in that area, it just pretty much boggles my mind. And then on top of it that there is even no comment period on it and I don’t know. There’s a lot of questions about it that I just kind of blows my mind that it could even be the case. Any way those are my comments. Thank you.