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**Subject:** Buffalo Watershed / large and medium livestock permits...no, no, no...

Hello Doug Szenher, Director  
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality

Please know that I think it is an awful idea and a mistake to allow those hog farms to be permitted anywhere close to the Buffalo River or any other recreational water supply or municipal water supply.

If you have ever had the misfortune to be close to one, you know why. The stench and sewage is overwhelming.. You literally can't breathe... You gag. The thought of that smell and waste in that pristine water ... Awful!

The Buffalo is a national treasure...please don't let it be corrupted by sewage, stink and waste...that would cost millions to clean after the inevitable flooding. If the 10 inches of rain St Francis Co. received yesterday had happened over a hog farm on an area close to the Buffalo... I know you understand where the flood runoff would go.

Please protect the Buffalo River from us!

Thanks for any consideration.  
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