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To whom it may concern:

This is a letter of support for the third-party proposal by the Ozark Society and the Arkansas Public Policy Panel (Petitioners) to change APCEC Regulations 5 and 6, entitled Liquid Animal Waste Systems and Regulations for State Administration of the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System, respectively. The EPA says 135,000 miles of US rivers have been degraded by factory farms since 1980. Arkansas, the Natural State, has been blessed with an abundance of clean water which is the envy of many surrounding states. Sustainable water quality is a serious issue, not just for the landowners near the factory farms but also for the communities who rely on clean water sources for their wells and recreational use. Please stop this irresponsible practice before more of our water sources are degraded. Thank you for your consideration of this important proposal.

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