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Dear Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality,

You're going to get lots of canned text emails and that's fine but bottom line: Fourche Creek and the Buffalo River both need to be High Priority Level 5. Respectively, these are 1) a gateway creek that's highly visible and easily accessible therefore a perfect learning and teaching example for the public that can get people thinking about how things flow and accumulate downstream, 2) a national treasure, a source of state pride and a historical natural gem whose (continued) destruction will be a black eye on Arkansas' environmental, tourism, economic future and reputation for decades to come. ADEQ is attached to the fates of both Fourche Creek and the Buffalo River either way....your move.

Sincerely,  
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