

## **Terra Fondriest**

It is our obligation as friends and neighbors of the CH farm to make sure that the placement of this concentrated hog operation is really a safe location. Biases aside, it's our drinking water, our river, and our children at stake. All I ask is that a proper environmental assessment of this operation be completed that takes into account this unique system of karst (which is already scientifically showing signs of stress due to the hog waste). This is the first concentrated agricultural operation of it's kind to take place in the watershed of our irreplaceable Buffalo River, and because of this, extremely close examination is necessary and responsible on our part.

Thank you,