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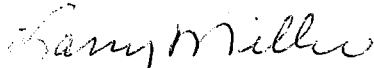
I am writing this letter in response to case number R03-19. I am a private citizen who has an interest in this case as well as the environment in general. I am a hunter and fisherman and it gives me great concern whether the game is safe to eat after it has been harvested. I realize that there are several factors that contribute to these conditions.

I believe that citizens should have privilege and right to participate fully in permit hearings. We (I) have relied on others to make my concerns known. Knowledge of the issues and involvement in permit process would hopefully eliminate the concerns or show the shortcomings of the permit.

I concur that the rules should be fair. Permitting entities should not be adversely burdened but should be good corporate citizens ensuring that their actions to are in the best interest of the public. Most entities have fiduciary responsibility as a primary goal and the environment is much further down on their list.

The permits should be clear as to requirements for intent, information and impacts on the environment. Secondly, the permits and rules should be enforceable by the agency and by the citizens. Once a permit has been issued, concerns still remain with the monitoring of the facility. The monitoring requirements should also be clear and concise. The requirements set forth for monitoring in the permit process should include actions and penalties to correct any violations.

Sincerely,


Larry Miller