October 6, 2014

To: The Honorable Senator Boozman, Honorable Senator Pryor,

Honorable Representative Womack

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Re: Shaddox Cemetery

Message:

Since our Memorandum of Request was sent to you in September 2013, on behalf of the Shaddox Cemetery Association, we are dismayed at the unwarranted delay of the settlement of this matter.

Please enter into the congressional record that the Newton County Quorum Court supports the Shaddox Cemetery Association proposal as the lawful solution to this boundary dispute, based on the enabling legislation for the Buffalo National River. (See PL 92-237; USC 16, Ch. 1; 460m-8; 4601-9(c)(2); 4601-22(b) PL 90-401 Sec.5(b))

We also agree with the Shaddox Cemetery Association that the congressional committees that are charged with the oversight of such matters need to pay us a visit and witness first hand what is actually going on.

Please give immediate attention to this official request for as soon as possible in November after the general election, that a joint congressional field hearing be arranged at the Shaddox Cemetery pavilion with the U.S. Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources and the U.S. House Committee on Resources. If the weather is too inclement at that time to sustain a lengthy meeting at their outdoor cemetery pavilion, we shall be happy to accommodate the committees in our Newton County Courthouse for follow-up discussion after their on site visit at the location of the cemetery.

Please arrange this congressional field hearing at once and notify us by return mail of the date and time of that hearing. Mail to: Newton County Quorum Court % Newton County Judge Campbell/Newton County Courthouse/Jasper, Ark. 72641

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