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This permit is for large commercial operations. We use a permitting threshold and how the operation handles their waste to determine if they need a permit. For example, operations with more than 200 head of dairy cows, 750 pigs, or 9,000 chickens would likely need a permit."

I feel it is imperative that the wording of who needs this permit and who does not need this permit is spelled out specifically. "Likely" is not specific enough. It is unreasonable to have a guideline, but not be specific up front about who it pertains to. It would also make too much of a possibility of skewing the rules later... such as not requiring it for a particular individual early on, but changing it later to include them.

Thank you addressing this matter.