

2021 Arkansas Dicamba Regulations

My name is Randy Sanders. I retired from farming in 2015. My wife (Bonnie) and I own 400 acres of Farm land $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles west of Kelso. My mother (Emma) owns 440 acres of Farm land in the same area. We also own 115 acres of Wood land (Oak bottom land) $1\frac{1}{4}$ mile southwest of Rohwer.

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The cutoff dates for dicamba should not be extended - but should be more restrictive.

In 2019 and 2020 I had dicamba damage on 3 sides of my woods. North side 100 yards deep. East side Edge and 300 yards deep into my woods from the South side. This damage was there all year after green-up. It does not go away and there were no acorns. No acorns = no tree regeneration. No squirrels, no ducks and few deer.

Woodland in this area is worth more \$ than soybean land.

All of this damage came from Hi Speed John Deere sprayers. They should have to use hooded sprayers after March 1. and the down wind buffer should be 300 ft and enforced even with hooded sprayers.

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My trees mean as much as my Soybean crop.

When we started using Roundup over the top of Cotton & Soybeans we used Broadcast hoods & bullet hoods. The farmers can do that now if they would. They use their hoods for their turnrows & ditches

* No tank mixes other than drift control agents.

If you extend the cotton cut off the Sprayers will be ranning their booms 6-8 ft off the ground with dicamba and roundup mixed in July or whenever.

I am friends with these farmers, but I can't let them destroy my woods.

I will report any damage from any Farm chemical drift

Randy Sanders,
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