



current and proposed regulations have on our families and businesses. I hope the Administration is listening.”

“Federal EPA bureaucrats are on the verge of killing thousands of rural jobs and communities through an arcane maze of rules and regulations that can only make sense to a lawyer in Washington, D.C.,” said **Representative Hastings, Ranking Member of the House Natural Resources Committee**. “At a time when Republicans are focused on stabilizing the economy, these top-down policies will only kill long-term jobs and future economic development. Many rural communities are not asking for massive spending and handouts in times of a \$13 trillion debt; they are simply asking for the government to exercise some common sense and abandon its pursuit of higher taxes and more red tape.”

The Rural America Solutions Group was established by House Republicans to develop solutions to the unique issues facing rural America. To learn more about the Rural America Solutions Group, [click here](#).

\*Note – radio actuality statements from the Co-Chairs are attached.

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