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To USDA:

I urge the USDA to grant petition 98P-015/CPI  
to prohibit the slaughter of downed animals.

Animals who are too sick to stand pose a health  
threat, and should not be allowed to enter the human  
food chain

It is impossible to move downed animals humanely,  
and they're typically pushed with tractors or dragged  
with chains - inhumane processes which cause  
injuries ranging from bruises + abrasions, to broken  
bones and torn ligaments. What kind of sick  
society are we?

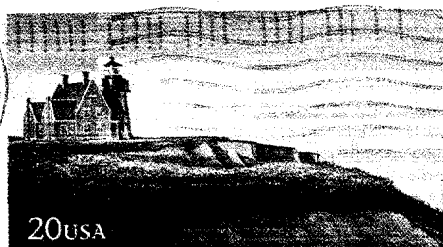
Respectfully,  
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