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Jerome Thomas
Forest Supervisor

Dear Jerome Thomas:

US Forest Service,
I am submitting my strong position in favor of protecting the Upper Chattooga River from overuse by anglers. Please stop the environmentally invasive practice of stocking non-native aquatic species in the Upper Chattooga. I urge the Forest Service to support and promote low impact users in the Upper Chattooga by implementing Alternative 8. This alternative fairly balances recreational uses on the entire river and protects the sensitive upper stretch from disturbance by bank trampling, river polluting, trash dumping anglers. I support alternative 8. Thank you for consideration of my position.

Sincerely,

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