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I oppose the ban on wilderness recreational compliant paddling on the Chattooga Wild and Scenic River upstream of the US 28 bridge..
All compliant user groups are entitled to access to the entire National and Scenic River at flows less than 450 cfs in all seasons.
All compliant user groups have the same entitlements.
All compliant user groups must tolerate each other.
No user groups have exclusive rights to solitude.
Compliant paddlers must not be subject to prejudice.

Please use logic, fairness, and the rights of all citizens in all user groups when considering Chattooga River restrictions.

Thank you.
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