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Comments: As an American, as a tax payer, and lastly and most importantly as a proud Georgian, born, raised and still living in this beautiful state I am extremely concerned with the Foothills Landscape Project #52509. If I am reading this proposal correctly it is stating that I will no say in what happens to the estimated 157,000 acres of the Chattahoochee National Forest possibly for the rest of my lifetime. This is unacceptable particularly when I am seeing the word herbicides in reference to public hiking trails and other areas of the forest. As a cancer survivor, parent, and grandparent I should have a say in what is used in these public spaces and feel that the use of chemicals would not disclosed prior to use. Therefore, we as the public could be contaminated without knowledge.

The US Forest Service is an agency of the US Dept of Agriculture which as far I know is funded by the tax payers one way or another. If I am paying for a job to be done I should have say in said job and exactly how my money is spent. This is public land and needs to be taken off as such and not as privately held acreage. By decimating these forests through chemical use, cut timber, and roads being cut into the areas the damage being done to our state ecosystem is irreparable.

This proposed action needs to be stopped immediately.