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Comments: I consider this land as my home. The woods, the peacefulness of the trees and one of Georgia's still pristine areas of land for recreation should not be damaged by poor forestry management again. We have already seen devasting effects of development in the Chattooga watershed from "careful development" which polluted Stekoa Creek.

There is not great data to support the long term financial success of clear-cutting forests let alone the environmental impact that this type of development would cause on nearby streams and animal habitats.

Perhaps consider investing in long term management of the forest for recreational purposes instead of clear cuts for cheap lumber.