

Progress Report for Fiscal Year 2019

December 1, 2018 – November 30, 2019 updated

Snapshot of Accomplishments & Capabilities

- All 19 HWA-infested Georgia counties in native hemlock range now served by our Hemlock Help Program.
- Hemlock Help Line available 7 days a week with 809 calls handled to date.
- 13 Hemlock Help Clinics with total of 67 attendees:

1/9/19 Cherokee County	6/22/19 Murray & Whitfield Counties
1/16/19 Pickens & Gordon Counties	7/6/19 Lumpkin County
1/23/19 White County	7/13/19 Dade & Walker Counties
3/24/19 Hart County	7/27/19 Hall County
3/30/19 Rabun County	9/20/19 Fannin County
4/13/19 Union County	11/9/19 Gilmer County
5/18/19 Habersham County	
- 13 Facilitator Training Workshops with total of 64 new Facilitators trained.
Total active Facilitator corps = 340 in Georgia and 79 in other states.

1/9/19 Cherokee County	6/22/19 Murray & Whitfield Counties
1/16/19 Pickens & Gordon Counties	7/6/19 Lumpkin County
1/23/19 White County	7/13/19 Dade & Walker Counties
3/24/19 Hart County	7/27/19 Hall County
3/30/19 Rabun County	9/20/19 Fannin County
4/13/19 Union County	11/9/19 Gilmer County
5/18/19 Habersham County	
- 2 customized training classes for 8 volunteers and public land managers:

6/13/19 Redbud Project at Linwood Nature Preserve in Gainesville
8/26/19 4-H Center at Camp Wahsega in Dahlonega
- 8 presentations to civic/community groups with 288 attendees:

12/3/18 TU Savannah River in Hartwell	5/26/19 LRA Memorial Day Meeting in Lakemont
1/10/19 TU Chattahoochee-Nantahala in Blairsville	6/13/19 TU Foothills in Clarkesville
4/9/19 Project Chimps in Morganton	9/1/19 LRA Labor Day Meeting
4/20/19 Wildlife Action of Georgia in Acworth	11/2/19 Goleega POA
- 2 Hemlock Lessons for 25 students and teachers:
- 14 festivals / public events with info booth & saplings for adoption – 79 volunteers and 2,217 visitors / contacts:

3/30/19 Helen Trout Tournament	9/7 & 9/8/19 Trail Fest in Dahlonega
4/27/19 Trout Fest in Blue Ridge	9/28/19 Project Chimps Discovery Days in Morganton
4/27/19 & 4/28/19 Bear-on-the-Square in Dahlonega	10/5/19 Foxfire Mountaineer Festival in Clayton
5/26/19 LRA Memorial Day Meeting in Lakemont	10/5/19 Indian Summer Festival in Suches
5/25/19 & 5/26/19 Blue Ridge Arts Festival	10/5/19 & 10/6/19 Marble Festival in Jasper
6/1/19 Hemlock Day at Anna Ruby Falls in Helen	10/19/19 Georgia Mountains Brew Fest in Ball Ground
9/1/19 LRA Labor Day Meeting in Lakemont	11/9/19 BSA Hornaday Weekend in Blairsville
- 23 articles / news items written by, with the assistance of, or about SGH published in newspapers/magazines.
- 72 Facilitator visits made with charitable treatment of 1,359 trees.
- **18** hemlock treatment projects with **326** volunteers treating/retreating **3,541** trees:

12/4/19 Truett McConnell University, Cleveland	7/13/19 Cloudland Canyon, Dade County
3/2/19 Mill Creek, Murray County	8/3/19 Lake Winfield Scott -- cabins area & fishing pier
3/23/19 Smithgall Woods, Helen	8/24/19 Bob Creek & Lordamercy Cove, Union County
3/24/19 Alpharetta	9/14/19 High Shoals, Towns County
4/13/19 Corbin Creek, Towns County	9/16/19 Young Harris College
5/19/19 Lake Winfield Scott – cabins area, Union Cty	10/9/19 Yonah Preserve, Cleveland
6/13/19 Linwood Nature Preserve, Gainesville	10/12/19 Chattahoochee River Rd., White County
6/23/19 Lookout Highlands	10/21/19 Project Chimps, Morganton
6/29/19 Wolf Creek, Union County	11/16/19 Long Creek Falls & Chester Creek, Fannin Cty



- 13 hemlock rescue projects with 25 volunteers, 430 saplings rescued and potted for use in educational/service activities or future adoption:

12/4/18 Gilmer County	7/22/19 Lumpkin County
1/14/19 Gilmer County	8/30/19 Gilmer County
3/12/19 Gilmer County	10/2/19 Lumpkin County
3/19/19 Gilmer County	11/1/19 Fannin County
5/17/19 Lumpkin County	11/6/19 Fannin County
5/21/19 Lumpkin County	11/9/19 Rabun County
7/15/19 Lumpkin County	
- 298 hemlock saplings adopted; 8 saplings donated to municipalities / schools / nonprofits.
- 6 hemlock sapling planting projects with 64 volunteers planting 100 saplings:

3/2/19 Mill Creek, Murray County	4/1/19 Lumpkin County
3/18/19 Truett McConnell University, Cleveland	5/13/19 Gwinnett County
3/22/19 Lumpkin County	10/9/19 Yonah Preserve
- 15 soil injectors repaired/refurbished.
- Total of 6,014 volunteer hours logged.

Financial Report

Current: Fiscal 2019*

Dec. 1, 2018 – November 30, 2019

Total Contributions	Educational Spending	Charitable Service Spending	Administrative Expense	Membership/Fundraising	Total Expenses	Cash on Hand
\$31,941.22	\$8,639.31	\$11,583.39	\$1,791.44	\$677.96	\$22,692.10	\$44,345.17
	38.07%	51.05%	7.89%	2.99%		

Cumulative: Fiscal 2009 – 2019

July 1, 2009 – November 30, 2019

Total Contributions	Educational Spending	Charitable Service Spending	Administrative Expense	Membership Fundraising	Total Expenses
\$227,103.00	\$82,115.53	\$85,067.17	\$12,556.92	\$3,018.21	\$182,757.83
	44.93%	46.55%	6.87%	1.65%	

* Our fiscal year is from December 1 to November 30.

Total Spending to date in FY 2019: 89.12% for educational & charitable service programs.
10.88% for administrative, membership & fund raising.

Cumulative Spending FY 2009-2019: 91.48% for educational & charitable service programs.
8.52% for administrative, membership & fund raising.

Donations from 2019 Membership Appeal as of 11/30/19

FY 2019 total	\$10,765.00	117 donations
FY 2018 total	\$9,015.00	92 donations

Purchase of hemlock cone pendants as of 11/30/19

Out-of-pocket cost for 51 pendants:	\$1,530.00
51 pendants purchased:	\$2,370.00
Net profit	\$ 840.00

A few of these were delivered in person, but most were sent by USPS at a cost of \$3.50 per mailing.

Activity Detail: Completed

Dec. 1, 2018 – November 30, 2019

Date	Activity
12/1/18	2 saplings adopted
12/3/18	SGH presentation to TU Savannah River Chapter in Hartwell to plan training and service projects – 12 attendees
12/4/18	SGH hemlock treatment project at Truett McConnell University in Cleveland – 7 volunteers treated 8 trees
12/15/18	SGH sapling rescue in Gilmer County – 4 volunteers rescued 115 saplings
12/16/18	Initiation of SGH sapling nursery at Shearouse Nursery in Lavonia – 57 saplings planted; 49 saplings potted and added to Mason Sheffield's nursery; 9 saplings potted and added to Dahlonega nursery
1/10/19	SGH presentation to TU Chattahoochee-Nantahala chapter in Blairsville – 25 attendees
1/13/19	SGH Leadership Team winter meeting
1/14/19	SGH sapling rescue in Gilmer County – 2 volunteers rescued 10 saplings
1/15/19	Facilitator visit to client in White County
1/15/19	Facilitator visit to scout USFS eastern treatment sites
1/25/19	Community Calendar announcement submitted to newspapers in Cherokee County re 2/9 Fac trng in Canton
1/29/19	Facilitator visit to scout site for March 2 hemlock restoration project at Mill Creek in Murray County
1/31/19	Community Calendar announcement submitted to newspapers in Pickens and Gordon counties re 2/16 Fac trng in Jasper
2/8/19	Community Calendar announcement submitted to newspaper in White County re 2/23 Fac trng at Smithgall Woods
2/9/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop in Cherokee County – 3 new Facilitators trained
2/15/19	Mailing of annual membership appeal letters
2/16/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop for Pickens & Gordon Counties – 2 new Facilitators trained
2/19/19	Facilitator visit at Woody Gap School to meet with faculty & students re partnership for hemlock sapling nursery as part of Mountain Heritage Program
2/23/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop in White County – 3 new Facilitators trained & 2 refreshed
2/27/19	Facilitator visit to scout USFS western treatment sites
3/1/19	Preparation day for SGH-TU-TNC hemlock restoration project at Mill Creek in Murray county – 7 volunteers participated
3/2/19	SGH – TU – TNC hemlock restoration project on Mill Creek in Murray County -- 43 volunteers planted 60 large hemlocks & treated 66 more trees
3/11/19	SGH Hemlock Lesson for general ecology class at Truett McConnell University in Cleveland – 6 students & 1 teacher attended
3/12/19	SGH sapling rescue in Gilmer County – 2 volunteers rescued 62 saplings
3/16/19	Preparation day for SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Smithgall Woods in Helen – 19 volunteers measured & flagged 325 trees
3/18/19	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County, charitable treatment of 37 trees
3/18/19	SGH sapling planting with general ecology class at Truett Mc Connell University in Cleveland – 10 volunteers planted 8 saplings donated by SGH
3/19/19	SGH sapling rescue in Gilmer County – 2 volunteers rescued 40 saplings
3/21/19	Community Calendar announcement and article "Save Your Trees While You Still Can" submitted to newspaper in Rabun County re 3/30/19 Fac trng in Clayton
3/22/19	5 saplings adopted, Facilitator visit to do sapling planting in Lumpkin County
3/23/19	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project at Smithgall Woods in Helen – 25 volunteers treated 325 trees
3/24/19	SGH hemlock treatment project at nursery in Alpharetta – 2 volunteers treated 52 saplings
3/24/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop for Trout Unlimited Savannah River Chapter in Hartwell – 6 new Facilitator trained & 1 refreshed
3/26/19	Facilitator visit to client in Union County
3/30/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop in Rabun County – 4 new Facilitators trained

3/30/19	SGH participation in TU info booth at Helen Trout Tournament – 1 volunteer, 25 visitors/contacts
3/31/19	Letter to the Editor "Help Needed to Protect Lake Winfield Scott Hemlocks" submitted to newspapers in Union County re 5/11 hemlock treatment project at LWS
4/1/19	5 saplings adopted, Facilitator visit to do sapling planting in Lumpkin County
4/2/19	Facilitator visit with representatives of GATC & GFW re potential partnership for treating hemlocks on the Appalachian Trail in Georgia.
4/4/19	Facilitator visit to Gibbs Gardens in Ball Ground to deliver 6 large adopted saplings & consult with landscape maintenance folks re planting and treating hemlocks.
4/4/19	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County – 1 volunteer, charitable treatment of 10 trees.
4/5/19	Facilitator visit to client in Whitfield County – 2 volunteers treated 8 trees.
4/5/19	Facilitator visit to client in Sky Valley, Rabun County
4/9/19	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County to service soil injector
4/9/19	Facilitator visit and presentation for Project Chimps in Morganton re potential partnership for treating, rescuing, and replanting hemlocks on campus – 7 attendees
4/10/19	Facilitator visit to scout USFS western treatment sites
4/12/19	Facilitator visit to scout May 11 treatment site at Lake Winfield Scott in Union County
4/12/19	Facilitator visit to client in Union County – 2 volunteers
4/13/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop in Union County – 6 new Facilitators trained, 3 refreshed
4/13/19	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Corbin Creek near Hiawassee – 14 volunteers treated 170 trees
4/14/19	SGH Leadership Team spring meeting
4/16/19	8 large saplings adopted
4/17/19	Letter to the Editor "Help Needed to Protect Lake Winfield Scott Hemlocks" published in Union & Towns County newspapers re 5/11 hemlock treatment project at LWS
4/20/19	Presentation for Wildlife Action of Georgia in Cherokee County – 3 attendees
4/21/19	1 soil injector repaired for GFC in Rabun County
4/22/19	Facilitator visit to client in Habersham County
4/24/19	Community Calendar announcement re Hemlock Camp Meeting published in all N GA newspapers
4/25/19	Facilitator visit to client in Fannin County
4/27/19	SGH info booth w/saplings for adoption at Trout Fest in Blue Ridge – 8 volunteers, estimated 140 visitors / contacts, 20 saplings adopted
4/27/19 & 4/28/19	SGH info booth w/saplings for adoption at Bear-on-the-Square in Dahlonega – 10 volunteers, estimated 380 visitors / contacts, 61 saplings adopted
4/29/19	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County
4/29/19	1 soil injector repaired for client in Connecticut
4/30/19	1 soil injector repaired for client in Rabun County
5/1/19	1 soil injector repaired for client in Pickens County
5/4/19	Hemlock Camp Meeting in Ellijay – 18 volunteers & 42 attendees
5/8/19	Facilitator visit to client in Lumpkin County
5/13/19	Sapling planting in Gwinnett County – 2 volunteers, 2 saplings
5/17/19	Sapling rescue in Lumpkin County – 1 volunteer, 30 saplings rescued
5/18/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop in Habersham County. 5 new Facilitators trained, 1 sapling adopted
5/19/19	SGH-USFS treatment project at Lake Winfield Scott. 39 volunteers, 954 trees treated
5/21/19	Sapling rescue project in Lumpkin County – 2 volunteers, 20 saplings
5/25/1 & 5/26/19	SGH information booth with saplings for adoption at Blue Ridge Arts Festival – 10 volunteers, 422 visitors, 50 saplings adopted
5/26/19	SGH information station with saplings for adoption and brief presentation at Lake Rabun Memorial Day POA meeting – 2 volunteers, estimated 100 attendees, 1 sapling adopted
5/26/19	Facilitator visit to client in Union County, 28 trees treated.
5/26/19	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer County
5/29/19	Sapling rescue project in Gilmer County – 2 volunteers, 75 saplings

6/1/19	2 soil injectors repaired for U. S. Forest Service
6/1/19	Hemlock Day at Anna Ruby Falls – 3 volunteers, 75 visitors, 9 saplings adopted
6/3/19	2 soil injectors repaired for clients in New Jersey and Rabun County – parts only
6/5/19	Community Calendar item re June 22 training submitted to newspapers in Murray, Whitfield, Gordon, Gilmer, and Fannin Counties.
6/5/19	Article / letter to editor "Invasive pest is especially bad for hemlocks this spring" submitted to newspapers in Murray and Whitfield
6/5/19	Community Calendar item re June 29 treatment project at Wolf Creek submitted to newspapers in Union, Towns, White, Lumpkin, Gilmer, and Fannin.
6/5/19	Article / letter to editor "Forest hemlocks should be EVERYONE's concern" submitted to <i>North Georgia News</i> in Union County.
6/10/19	<i>Hemlock Happenings</i> summer 2019 newsletter published
6/13/19	Customized training session for 3 volunteers at Linwood Nature Preserve in Gainesville
6/13/19	Hemlock treatment project at Linwood Nature Preserve in Gainesville – 4 volunteers treated 19 trees
6/13/19	SGH presentation to TU Foothills Chapter in Clarkesville – 16 attendees
6/20/19	Facilitator visit to client in Fannin County
6/20/19	Facilitator visit with client from North Forsyth High School re possible hemlock program for school
6/21/19	Community Calendar announcement submitted to newspapers in Lumpkin, Dawson, and Hall Counties re Facilitator training in Dahlonega 7/6/19.
6/21/19	Article / Letter to the Editor “Save the Trees While You Still Can!” submitted to newspapers in Lumpkin, Dawson, and Hall Counties
6/22/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop for Murray & Whitfield Counties – 3 new Facilitator trained
6/23/19	Report received of treatment project in Lookout Highlands – 2 volunteers treated 85 trees.
6/24/19	2 SGH volunteers assisted 3 Appalachian Trail Conservancy volunteers in treating 24 ash trees for emerald ash borer.
6/26/19	1 soil injector repaired for client in Gilmer County
6/27/19	Community Calendar announcement submitted to newspapers in Dade & Walker Counties and Chatanooga re 7/13/19 training and treatment event at Cloudland Canyon
6/27/19	Article / Press Release “Volunteers needed to save Cloudland Canyon hemlocks” submitted to newspapers in Dade & Walker Counties and Chatanooga
6/29/19	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Wolf Creek-- 16 volunteers treated 187 trees,
7/1/19	Facilitator visit to client in Habersham County
7/1/19	Facilitator visit to Lookout Highlands in Dade County – 5 volunteers treated 81 trees.
7/5/19	Community Calendar announcement re July 27 in Gainesville submitted to newspapers in Hall, Banks, and Dawson.
7/6/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop in Dahlonega for Lumpkin & Dawson Counties. Trained 5 new Facilitators (4 were from GATC).
7/8/19	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County to assess trees
7/11/19	Facilitator visit to Falls Branch and Swallow Creek in preparation for treatment project
7/13/19	Facilitator visit to Lookout Highlands in Dade County – 5 volunteers treated 70 trees.
7/13/19	Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop at Cloudland Canyon for Dade & Walker Counties. 10 new Facilitators trained, 5 Facilitators refreshed, and 3 guest attendees.
7/13/19	SGH-DNR hemlock treatment project. 10 volunteers treated 221 trees at Cloudland Canyon.
7/14/19	SGH Leadership Team summer meeting
7/15/19	Sapling rescue project in Lumpkin County. 1 volunteer, 30 saplings rescued and potted.
7/17/19	Facilitator visit with White County personnel to plan Yonah Preserve project(s) -- 4volunteers.
7/19/19	Article “Save Georgia’s Hemlocks wants your help to preserve a native tree” written by reporter Ken Hucks and published in <i>Gainesville Times</i> about SGH efforts to save the hemlocks.
7/19/19	Facilitator visit to client on Lake Burton, treated 42 trees.
7/20/19	Facilitator visit to Lookout Highlands in Dade County – 5 volunteers treated 89 trees.
7/22/19	Sapling rescue in Lumpkin County. 1 volunteer, 28 saplings rescued and potted.
7/24/19	Facilitator visit to Project Chimps

7/27/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop in Hall County – 7 new Facilitators trained.
8/1/19	Facilitator visit to Lookout Highlands in Dade County – 5 volunteers treated 25 trees.
8/2/19	Facilitator visit to client in Dade County to supervise treatment of 30 trees.
8/3/19	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Lake Winfield Scott. 31 volunteers treated 112 trees in cabins area and 150 trees on lakeside, roadside, and trailside near fishing pier -- total of 262 trees.
8/5/19	Facilitator visit to 2 clients in Rabun County, treated 28 trees
8/14/19	Facilitator visit to Bob Creek and Lordamercy Cove in preparation for treatment project.
8/14/19	Facilitator visit to client on Lake Seed, treated 34 trees.
8/15/19	Facilitator visits to 5 clients in Rabun County, treated 117 trees
8/17/19	Facilitator visit to Lookout Highlands in Dade County – 5 volunteers treated 105 trees.
8/21/19	Facilitator visit to client on Lake Rabun, treated 37 trees
8/22/19	Facilitator visit with Mountain Conservation Trust to promote joint plan for them to ID and help treat hemlocks on their protected land.
8/23/19	Completed repair/refurbishment of 5 USFS soil injectors.
8/24/19	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Bob Creek & Lordamercy Cove near Blairsville. 20 volunteers treated 178 trees.
8/26/19	Customized training for 4 staff members of at 4-H Center of Camp Wahsega in Dahlonega.
8/26/19	Completed repair/refurbishment of 1 injector for GFC Lumpkin
8/29/19	Facilitator visit to scout High Shoals HCA to prepare for treatment project
8/30/19	Sapling rescue project in Gilmer County. 1 volunteer, 20 saplings and potted.
8/30/19	SGH support for GA ForestWatch to treat ash trees for EAB on 2 sites on the national forest in Rabun County. 10 volunteers treated 45 ash trees.
9/1/19	SGH information table and brief presentation for Lake Rabun Labor Day POA meeting -- 2 volunteers, approx 100 attendees.
9/2/19	Community Calendar announcement submitted to newspapers in Fannin and contiguous counties re Facilitator training on Sept 20 in Morganton.
9/2/19	Community Calendar announcement submitted to newspapers in Banks, Stephens, and contiguous counties re Facilitator training on Sept 21 in Homer.
9/4/19	Facilitator visit with USFS to coordinate with staff for turnover of hemlock program leadership
9/4/19	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer county for assessment & advice
9/5/19	Facilitator visit to Yonah Preserve to scout access to waterfall hemlocks for treatment project
9/7/19 & 9/8/19	SGH information booth w/saplings for adoption at Trail Fest – 15 volunteers, 432 visitors, 57 saplings adopted.
9/14/19	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at High Shoals -- 18 volunteers treated 178 trees
9/16/19	Hemlock Lesson to biology conservation class at Young Harris for 17 students and 1 instructor, followed by hemlock treatment on campus. 19 volunteers treated 36 hemlock trees.
9/16/19	Acquisition of potted saplings from Colonial Farms Nursery in NC for future hemlock restoration projects, field insectary projects, donation to schools and nonprofits, or adoption by the public.
9/20/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop at Projects Chimps in Morganton, Fannin County -- 4 new Facilitators trained.
9/21/19	Facilitator visit to client in Fannin County to assess trees.
9/23/19	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County, treated 90 trees.
9/26/19	Facilitator visit to Yonah Preserve to stage materials for treatment and saplings planting projects -- 4 volunteers.
9/26/19	Facilitator visit to client in Gilmer for assessment & advice
9/27/19	Facilitator visit with The Nature Conservancy to plan joint projects for 2020.
9/28/19	National Public Lands Day -- SGH information booth w/saplings for adoption at Project Chimps Discovery Days -- 2 volunteers, 60 visitors, 7 saplings adopted.
9/30/19	Report received of Facilitator visits to 3 clients in Rabun county during 3 rd quarter, 28 trees treated

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10/1/19	Facilitator visit to Chattahoochee River Road HCA in preparation for treatment project
10/2/19	Sapling rescue in Lumpkin County – 1 volunteer, 24 saplings rescued & potted
10/3/19	Interview with host of radio program “Scenic Roots” on WUTC 88.1 FM
10/4/19	Facilitator visit to Chattahoochee River Road HCA in preparation for treatment project
10/5/19	SGH information booth w/ saplings for adoption at Foxfire Mountaineer Festival – 5 volunteers, est 108 visitors, 3 saplings adopted
10/5/19	SGH information booth w/ saplings for adoption at Indian Summer Festival – 4 volunteers, est 60 visitors, 7 saplings adopted
10/5/19 & 10/6/19	SGH information both w/saplings for adoption at Marble Festival – 8 volunteers, est 250 visitors, 40 saplings adopted
10/6/19	Facilitator visit to client in Fannin County to assess trees
10/8/19	Facilitator visit to Yonah Preserve to stage saplings and materials for planting project – 2 volunteers
10/8/19	Facilitator visit to client in Fannin County to assess trees
10/9/19	SGH dual project at Yonah preserve – 3 volunteers treated 45 trees and 5 volunteers planted 24 saplings.
10/10/19	Facilitator visit to Yonah Preserve to finalize installation of 24 hemlock saplings – 2 volunteers
10/10/19	SGH interview for “Scenic Roots” program aired on WUTC 88.1 FM Chattanooga
10/11/19	Community Calendar Announcement re 10/26/19 Facilitator training submitted to newspapers in towns, White, Rabun, Habersham and Union counties.
10/12/19	SGH-USFS hemlock treatment project at Chattahoochee River Rd HCA 9 volunteers treated 150 trees
10/13/19	Article "Volunteers plant hemlocks at Yonah Preserve" written by Kathy Wood and submitted to AJC, accesswdun, The Gainesville Times, White County News, The Dahlonega Nugget, The Northeast Georgian; also radio stations WRWH, WCDG, WZTR, WNGU
10/13/19	Repairs completed for 3 soil injectors belong to 2 professional companies.
10/15/19	Facilitator visit to client in Rabun County
10/15/19	Facilitator visit to client in Cherokee County
10/15/19	Facilitator visit with The Nature Conservancy to plan partnership activities
10/17/19	Repairs completed for 1 soil injector for professional company.
10/19/19	SGH information booth w/saplings for adoption at Gibbs Gardens Brew Fest – 7 volunteers, est 100 visitors, 12 saplings adopted
10/19/19	3 large saplings adopted
10/20/10	Repair/refurbishment completed for 1 GFC-Lumpkin soil injector
10/21/19	SGH hemlock treatment project at Project Chimps in Morganton -- 19 volunteers treated 376 trees.
10/24/19	Community Calendar Announcement re 11/9/19 Facilitator training submitted to newspapers in Gilmer & Fannin; also submitted Letter to the Editor "Keep our community beautiful and healthy."
10/28/19	Facilitator visit to scout Long Creek Falls in preparation for Hike & Help the Hemlocks
10/30/19	Acquired 3 new EZ-Ject Lite soil injectors for lending to property owners
11/1/19	Sapling rescue project in Fannin County – 3 volunteers, 27 saplings rescued & potted
11/2/19	Hemlock presentation to Goleega POA in Fannin County for 25 attendees.
11/3/19	SGH Leadership Team fall meeting
11/6/19	Sapling rescue project in Fannin County – 2 volunteers, 34 saplings rescued & potted
11/9/19	SGH Hemlock Help Clinic & Facilitator Training Workshop in Gilmer County – 3 new Facilitators trained
11/9/19	SGH info booth at BSA Hornaday Conservation Weekend – 2 volunteers, est 25 visitors to our booth
11/9/19	Sapling rescue project in Rabun County – 1 volunteer, 25 saplings rescued & posted 11/13/19
11/9/19	3 hemlock saplings adopted
11/16/19	SGH-BMTA Hike & Help the Hemlocks at Long Creek Falls and Chester Creek – 45 volunteers treated 257 trees
11/21/19	Facilitator visit to client in Union County
11/22/19	Facilitator visit to scout Rocky Flats near Mill Creek in Murray County for hemlock planting next spring
11/30/19	Report received on 500 trees treated by 1 Facilitator for multiple clients in Pickens County during 2019

