



Hemlock Restoration on Trout Streams Project Details for Toccoa Bend



WHEN: Saturday, October 15, 2016

WHAT: Hemlock restoration project on the Toccoa River where it runs through the common area of the Toccoa Bend subdivision

WHO: Volunteers from Trout Unlimited, Save Georgia's Hemlocks, Toccoa Bend, and any friends who want to help



WHERE: We'll gather at the home of Carl Riggs in Toccoa Bend, 128 Hemlock Dr., Suches.

SCHEDULE: **9:00 – 9:45 a.m.** – TU business meeting, fishing reports, and brief program on hemlock planting project and TU partnership with SGH.

9:45 – 10:00 a.m. – Prepare for hemlock planting: instruction and demonstration of planting process, team assignments.

10:00 a.m. – noon – Work in small teams to plant 60 saplings that have been pre-treated for HWA at 20 sites along a 1,500' section of the river. The saplings and planting materials will already be staged at the planting sites.

Noon – Lunch and fellowship, lunch-and-learn on fall fishing tactics.

WHAT TO WEAR: Dress for the weather and the activity, including long pants and long sleeves, sturdy footwear with socks, work gloves, and rain gear in case of light rain.

WHAT TO BRING: Several empty 1-gallon milk jugs, a bucket, and a shovel
If you have any serious allergies (like bee stings), bring whatever you need to manage.

REGISTRATION: **Participants must sign up in advance.** Please contact:
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