ADVOCA TED
for Georgia’s Rivers

- 74 new people added to the Protect GA alert system to take action for rivers
- 22 citizens assisted with policy concerns
- Joined the GA Outdoor Stewardship Coalition
- Participated in Capitol Conservation Day
- Conducted Campaign to keep coal ash out of water with partners - 1,997 activists sent messages to their legislator

“GA River Network builds the river community in ways that no other organization in the state does. With very limited resources, GRN manages to help people make incredibly personal and informed experiences that are truly life changing. The camaraderie that is developed around our state’s waterways is truly inspirational. Thank you! ~Sally Bethea”

PROVIDED
Resources on Georgia Rivers

- Completed Oconee River Users Guide for release in 2019 and started the Ocmulgee River Users Guide
- Developed a mobile GA Water Trails app to be released in 2019
- Launched our new website
EMPOWERED
River Groups and Worked With Community Partners

- 52 river groups supported / empowered
  27 water trail groups and 25 river groups
- 22 water trails being developed
  using GA Water Trail resources and technical support
- # of organizations GRN has had community partnerships with = 16
- 68,000 individuals reached
  through our website, social media, newsletters
- 100+ river events promoted
  for watershed groups around the state

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We live in Upson County and teach in the local system. We are always amazed that our students do not visit or even know about the Flint River. Attending GRN events gives me ideas to get students interested in the rivers of Georgia. —Carole Carpenter

INTRODUCED
People to Georgia Rivers

- 834 people reached through paddling trips and GRN events
- 10 events hosted for people to learn about rivers
- $70,900 raised for river protection through GRN trips

Creating the Next Generation of Leaders

- 17 interns worked 2691 hours

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