



Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program in GEORGIA

Background

The Partners for Fish and Wildlife program is a voluntary program to assist private landowners with wildlife habitat restoration and improvement on their land. The Partners program offers both technical and financial assistance to private landowners willing to restore wildlife habitat. In Georgia, the Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program has worked with landowners to restore habitat since about 1995.

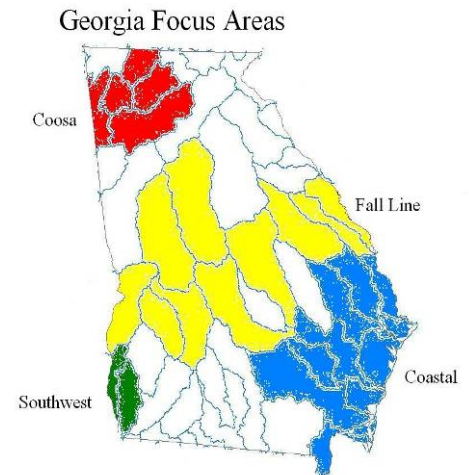
- ❖ The Partners Program has restored or enhanced over 8,500 acres of longleaf pine habitat.
- ❖ Approximately 80 miles of stream and riparian habitat have been restored or enhanced.
- ❖ About 30 federally endangered and threatened species have benefited from projects in some way.

Accomplishments

- ❖ Since 1995, wildlife habitat on private lands has been restored, or enhanced, or protected on over 350 Partners for Fish and Wildlife projects.

Priorities

In Georgia, Partners projects are focused in watersheds where conservation efforts will provide the greatest benefit for federal trust species which include: migratory birds, anadromous (migratory) fish, and threatened and endangered species.



Focus areas for Partners for Fish and Wildlife projects in Georgia.

For More Information

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Projects include restoring longleaf pine habitat, the restoration of degraded streams and riparian areas, and the restoration and improvement of endangered, threatened, and rare species habitat.