

It is necessary to have more voices on the Marine Board. There should be ecologists and Native Americans represented. Science must be the guide. Science shows that putting heavier boats on the river will cause increased damage to habitats of endangered and threatened species and to the species themselves. Erosion of riverbanks is very serious; it damages water quality, as well as habitat.

Let there be people who know how to save the river and who have an interest in so doing be given a voice on the board.

Thank you,

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