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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Environment and Natural Resources

Measure: SB1589

I strongly oppose this bill the way it is written. This is not just 3 miles of river that will be taken away from the family friendly activity of wakesurfing, it is the LAST 3 miles. Yes, a study should be done and yes, a boat weight limit needs to be set, but let the activity of wakesurfing remain lawful. It is very frustrating that a compromise of allowing wakesurfing to continue to exist can not be reached. The current zones have no adjacent houses or docks to damage. Please vote no or at least modify the bill so hundreds, if not thousands of families are able to partake in an activity they love and keep the river accessible to all users. Thank you for considering my views on this bill.