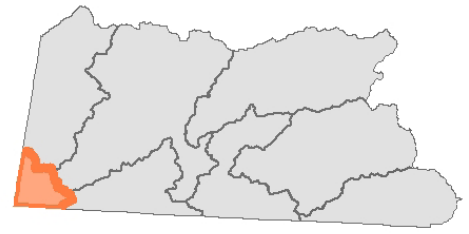


# Ocoee River Watershed

















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*Includes: Major Streams- Hothouse Creek & Wolf Creek*

## WATERSHED AT A GLANCE

| <u>COUNTY:</u>                               | <u>AREA</u>        | <u>2006 LAND COVER:</u> | <u>PERMITTED FACILITIES:</u> |
|--|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| Cherokee                                     | 18 sq mi.          | Open Water.....4%       | NPDES                        |
| <u>MUNICIPALITIES:</u>                       | <u>POPULATION:</u> | Developed.....4.5%      | Wastewater Discharge.....0   |
| none   | 2000.....0         | Forested.....88%        | Wastewater Nondischarge...0  |
| <u>EPA LEVEL IV ECOREGIONS:</u>              | 2010.....925       | Shrub.....1%            | Stormwater.....0             |
| Broad Basins, Southern Metasedimentary Mtns. |                    | Agriculture.....6%      | Animal Operations.....0.     |

### 2006 Land Cover

-  Water
-  Developed, Open Space
-  Developed, Low Intensity
-  Developed, Medium Intensity
-  Developed, High Intensity
-  Pasture/Hay
-  Cultivated Agriculture
-  Woody Wetlands
-  Barren Land
-  Deciduous Forest
-  Evergreen Forest
-  Mixed Forest
-  Shrub/Scrub
-  Grassland

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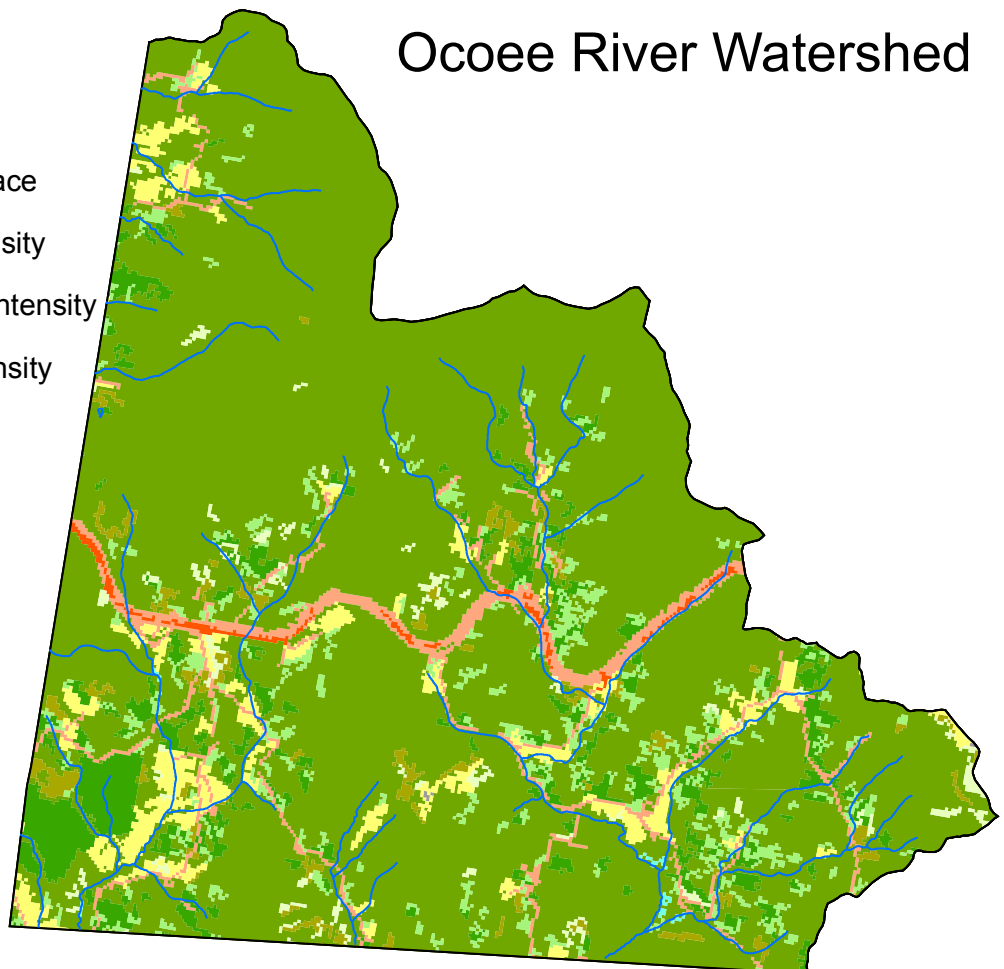









FIGURE 1-1: OCOEE RIVER WATERSHED MAP

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## Legend

-  Municipalities
-  Roads
-  County Boundaries

## Monitoring Sites

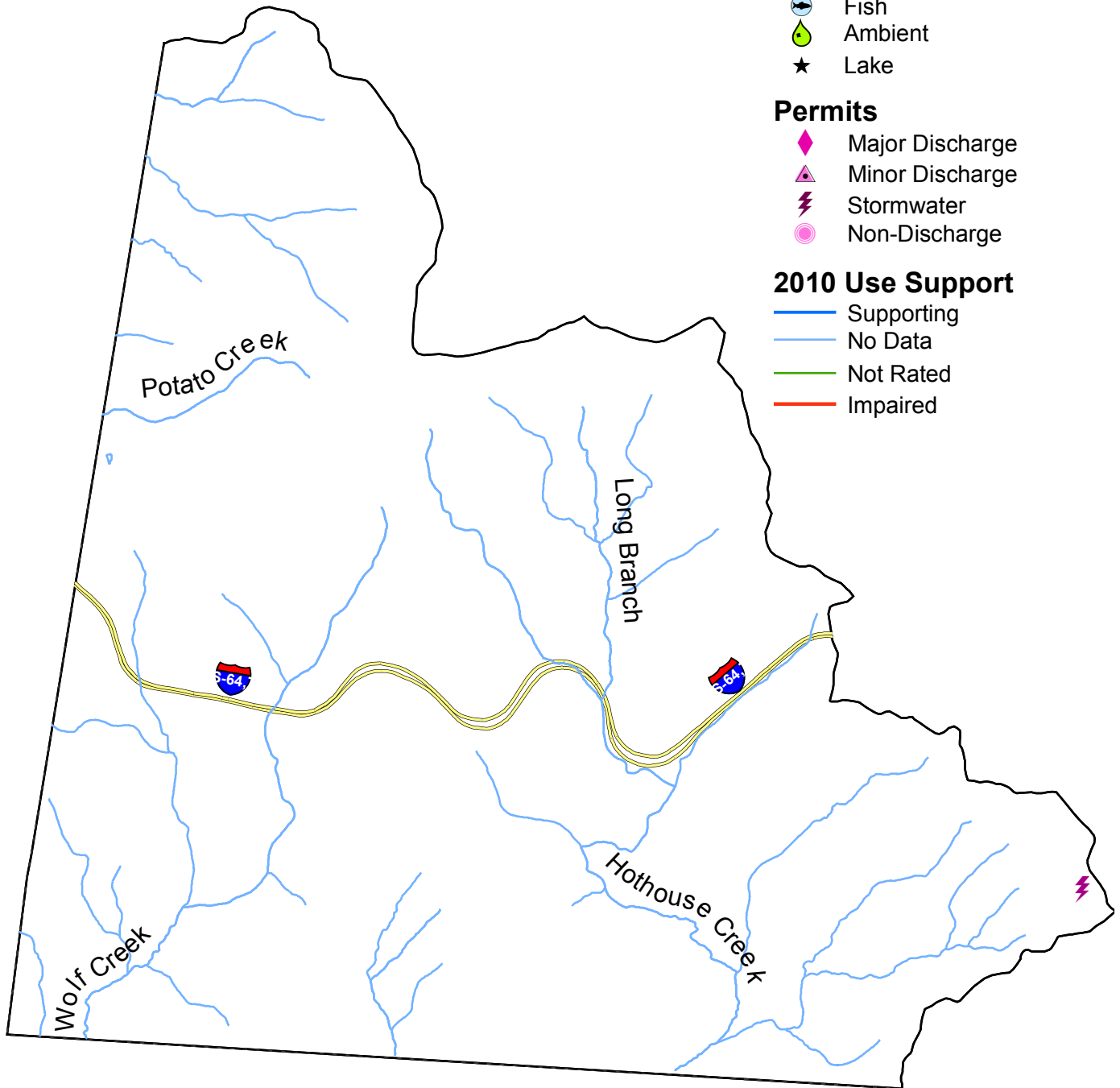
-  Benthic Macroinvertebrate
-  Fish
-  Ambient
-  Lake

## Permits

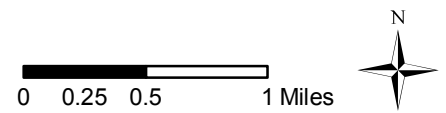
-  Major Discharge
-  Minor Discharge
-  Stormwater
-  Non-Discharge

## 2010 Use Support

-  Supporting
-  No Data
-  Not Rated
-  Impaired



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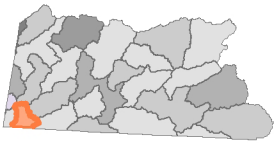


## PROTECTION AND RESTORATION OPPORTUNITIES

The following section provides more detail about specific streams where special studies have occurred or stressor sources information is available. Specific stream information regarding basinwide biological samples sites are available in Appendix 1B. Use support information on all monitored streams can be found in Appendix 1A. Detailed maps of each of the watersheds are found in Appendix 1C or by clicking on the following small maps.

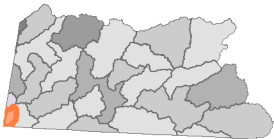
To assist in identifying potential water quality issues citizens, watershed groups and resource agencies can gather and report information through our Impaired and Impacted Stream/ Watershed survey found here: <http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/wq/ps/bpu/about/impactedstreamsurvey>.

### HOTHOUSE CREEK (HUC 060200030204)



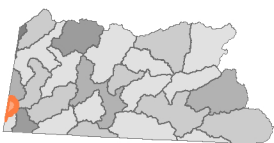
There are three named streams in this subwatershed that all drain south into Georgia, including: Synacia Creek [AU#1-91-2] and Long Branch [AU# 1-91-1] which are tributaries to Hothouse Creek [AU# 1-91]. There are no DWQ monitoring stations in this subwatershed. Additional information is needed about water quality conditions, restoration, and protection opportunities in this subwatershed.

### WOLF CREEK-TOCCOA RIVER (HUC 060200030201)



Wolf Creek [AU# 1-92] is the only waterbody in the North Carolina portion of this subwatershed which drains to Georgia. There are no DWQ monitoring stations in this subwatershed. Additional information is needed about water quality conditions, restoration, and protection opportunities in this subwatershed.

### NORTH POTATO CREEK (HUC 060200030209)



The headwaters of North Potato Creek [AU# 1-93-1] and Potato Creek [AU# 1-93] are found on the North Carolina portion of this subwatershed. There are no DWQ monitoring stations in this subwatershed. Additional information is needed about water quality conditions, restoration, and protection opportunities in this subwatershed.