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Jdaddy, TU national is a big business although not for profit. There are millions and millions of dollars available for projects and there are companies that specialize in stream work. It is no different than companies that specialize in road design, bridge design, parking garage design, etc., wherever money is available for boutique projects, boutique firms are there trying to get their hands on it and try to convince the money holder that their project is best.

And with all due respect, when you state that there is strong disagreement between east coast and west coast expenditures based on disproportionate allocations of funds, that is exactly what I am saying. If an east coast firm was truly concerned with protecting cold water fisheries, it shouldn't matter where the money is spent IF it is going to the highest priority projects irrespective of location. But it isn't it is going to those with the most pull within and they want their equal share of the pie. Why do companies make political donations? To get their fair share of work.

My last paragraph was an illustration of the above.