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LRJA has been throwing around the idea of placing a temperature sensor on the Little J. One option is to upgrade the USGS station above Spruce Creek. The initial installation cost is reasonable but the yearly maintenance cost would be around \$3600 a year. This includes posting the real time data to the Internet along with the flow information. I think in the overall scheme of things this is probably not excessive but it would be a substantial drain on the group's resources. I am checking around to see how we can garner financial support for this effort. If anyone has any ideas feel free to PM.

I think this information would benefit all who fish the little j especially in the summer. I have a few thoughts how this might be accomplished but the more the burden is shared the easier it will be to make it happen.