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The original Hares Ear nymph used tinsel rib. That is wide enough that it is very visible even when the dubbing is very buggy.

I prefer using wire on the Hares Ear nymph, because it provides some subtle flash, but not too much. Whether the trout agree, I'm not sure.

Also, you can just use copper wire stripped from old electrical cord. The price is right.

I don't like the look of the vinyl rib. It's looks like plastic; because it is plastic.

If you want to use something that's non-flashy, you can just use heavy thread.