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Hello,

I am Eddie Hubbert and I operate as a part time guide on the river. I guide because I like to share my knowledge of fishing with others, but I don't do very many trips a year so my margin is much lower than full time guides and these types of cost increases hurt my business. I am urging you to not penalize the guide community with an extra fee. Our permit should be enough to cover things as it has in the past.

Additionally, I volunteered for a river clean up on the San Juan River today. There is a great community of people that are kind stewards of this river, please don't encourage them to go elsewhere to recreate.

Sincerely,

Eddie Hubbert

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