**Fishes of Georgia**

**Polyodon spathula**  
*paddlefish*

Order: Acipenseriformes  
Family: Polyodontidae

NOTE: The paddlefish is native to the Tennessee River basins. Paddlefish were accidentally introduced into the Flint River system during the early 1990’s, but it is unknown if this species is still persisting or has become established. Paddlefish has also been reported, but not confirmed from the Chattahoochee River system.

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