













THE VIRGINIA MARINE RESOURCES COMMISSION

***WANTS YOUR FISH...
TO MEASURE AND AGE.***

*You catch it, you fillet it,
but instead of throwing the remains in the trash,
please donate them to science.*



The Marine Sportfish Collection Project will focus on species of fish that are difficult to collect through the agency's normal sampling program. Anglers are asked to donate their filleted carcasses (head and tail intact) of legal and fresh-caught:

<p><u>BLUEFISH</u> (GREATER THAN 36 INCHES)</p> 	<p><u>TAUTOG</u></p> 	<p><u>COBIA</u></p> 	<p><u>RED DRUM</u></p> 
<p><u>SHEEPSHEAD</u></p> 	<p><u>SPADEFISH</u> (GREATER THAN 12 INCHES)</p> 	<p><u>SPANISH MACKEREL</u> (GREATER THAN 22 INCHES)</p> 	<p><u>SPECKLED TROUT</u> (GREATER THAN 22 INCHES)</p> 
<p><u>BLACK DRUM</u></p> 	<p><u>TILEFISH</u> (BLUELINE OR GOLDEN)</p> 	<p><u>WRECKFISH, SNOWY GROUPEL, .</u></p> 	

In return for participating in the project, the agency will provide ONE FREE PROJECT TEE SHIRT, OR HAT FOR EACH PARTICIPANT, PER MONTH of the DONATION.



Please visit these merchants to participate:
 Ocean's East-Eastern Shore (Capeville)
 Port Messick Marina (Poquoson)
 JEB Little Creek (Virginia Beach)
 Long Bay Pointe Marina (Virginia Beach)
 Lynnhaven Municipal Marina (Virginia Beach)
 Mill's Marina (Seaford)

