



# A perspective from our local watermen and marketers....

- Historical and spatial landings: what have you seen change over time?
- What are you seeing now in the fishery, increase or decreased catches?
- Could you comment on your preferred gear ?
- Size breakdown of blue catfish you are catching and selling?
- Are you seeing changes in landings of other species related to prevalence of blue catfish?
- How profitable is the fishery for you, if you feel comfortable answering that? Is this more burdensome than profitable?
- How difficult is it to obtain licenses/fishing gear to join the fishery?