

NOTICE TO ANGLERS

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH IS UNDERWAY IN NEARBY RIVERS



Barramundi (*Lates calcarifer*)



Mangrove Jack (*Lutjanus argentimaculatus*)



Jungle Perch (*Kuhlia rupestris*)



Bullrout (*Notesthes robusta*)



Sea Mullet (*Mugil cephalus*)



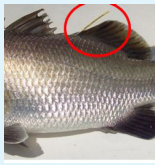
Tarpon (*Megalops cyprinoides*)

These species are being tagged to gain a better understanding of their path from freshwater to the sea and help identify target areas in local waterways for fish restocking of some of these species.

WHAT IS THE PROJECT?

A number of the target fish species (pictured) will be tagged, released and tracked using acoustic telemetry technology. Receivers will be deployed along the O'Connell River, larger tributaries and estuary. The project seeks to gain a better understanding of these species movement patterns within the freshwater and out to sea.

WHAT IS IMPLANTED IN THE FISH?



Fish are tagged with external dart tags (left) and implanted with a small black acoustic tag (far left) measuring 20 x 7mm. Do NOT eat these.

WHAT IF I CATCH ONE?

Release the fish at the point of capture and...

Call SUNTAG on 1800 077 001 to advise

- External Tag No.
- Species
- Recapture location
- Date
- Length

Your assistance will help us to improve fish breeding and fish community populations for the future for all anglers

WHERE CAN I FIND MORE INFO?

Visit www.reefcatchments.com.au/water/river-restoration/ for updates on tagging results

