CONSERVATION through PARTICIPATION

Anglers and boaters help support and protect our aquatic natural resources and the wildlife that thrives there through the purchase of fishing licenses, boat registrations, fishing gear and boat fuel sales and much more.

Here's how the cycle works:

1. Anglers & Boaters ("Users")
   Buy licenses and registrations, fishing gear, motor boat fuel

2. Tax on Gear
   Manufacturers pay excise taxes; boaters pay fuel taxes

3. Sport Fish Restoration (SFR) & Boating Trust Fund

4. U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
   Allocate funds to state fish & wildlife agencies

5. State Fish & Wildlife Agencies
   Receive grants for research, management, education & access

6. State Projects for Users
   Such as access & fish stockings

7. Benefits to Anglers & Boaters
   Better fishing & boating

100% of funds go towards conservation

$ BILLIONS Contributed Annually from Anglers and Boaters

STATE AQUATIC CONSERVATION EFFORTS

Allocated to all states and territories based on size of fishing license sales

- Coastal Wetlands Act
- Boating Infrastructure
- Take Me Fishing Campaign & Outreach
- Clean Vessel Act
- Multi-State Conservation (fixed)
- SFR Grant Admin
- Recreational Boating Safety

Import Duties

- Excise Tax on Fishing Tackle and Gear
- Boat Fuel Tax
- Interest

Sport Fish Restoration (SFR) & Boating Trust Fund

- 18.5%
- 2%
- 2%
- 2%
- $3M
- Fixed $
- 18.5%

Fishing License Sales

SFR Grant Admin

CyCLE OF SUCCESS