

# If you think you caught a **SNAKEHEAD**

- **DO NOT** put the fish back into the water.
- Take a side view photo of the fish (*if possible*).
- Kill it, freeze it (*double bag*) and contact your local LDWF office or call the ANS Hotline.
- Make sure to note the exact location of the catch. This is helpful to determine species distribution and control/management strategies.

## Why should I care?

Louisiana's climate is similar to their native habitat, meaning snakeheads can easily flourish in our waterways.

Northern snakeheads are a highly predatory species that will out compete and prey on our native aquatic species.

Northern snakeheads have the potential to devastate Louisiana's recreational and commercial fisheries.

## For more information or to report a possible snakehead, contact:

Louisiana Department of Wildlife & Fisheries  
Office of Fisheries  
Aquatic Nuisance Species Coordinator  
P.O. Box 98000  
Baton Rouge, LA 70898-9000  
(225) 765.2800  
[www.wlf.louisiana.gov](http://www.wlf.louisiana.gov)



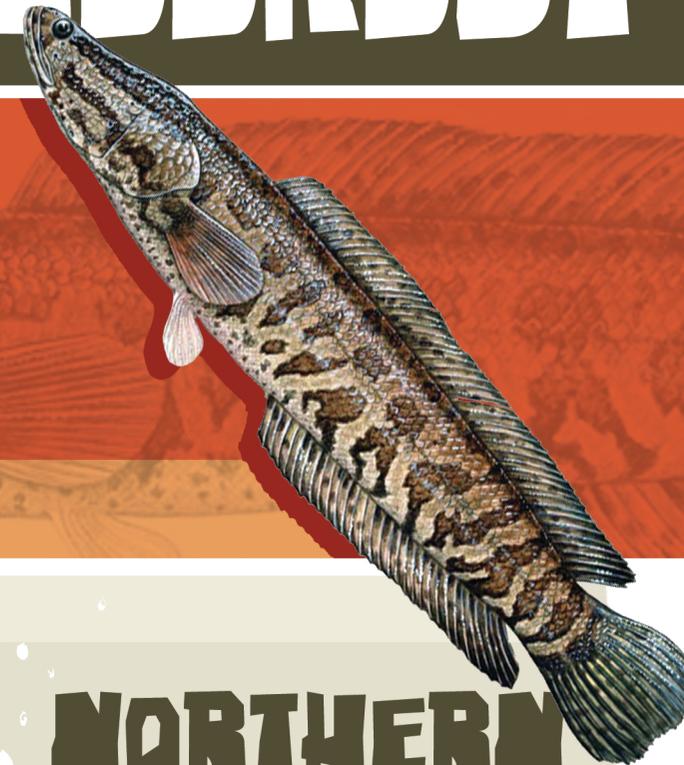
## To report any Aquatic Invasive Species 24-hours a day call:

1.877.STOP.ANS  
(1.877.786.7267)  
[www.ProtectYourWaters.net](http://www.ProtectYourWaters.net)

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# NORTHERN SNAKEHEAD