



STATE RECORD

Georgia Saltwater Game Fish Records Program

The Georgia Department of Natural Resources hereby recognizes that

CATHY SANDERS

has been awarded a tie for the women's state angling record for a catch of the heaviest Florida Pompano (*Trachinotus carolinus*) under the rules of the Georgia Saltwater Game Fish Records Program and in accordance with its regulations.

FLORIDA POMPANO
Trachinotus carolinus

1 POUNDS, 7.68 OUNCES
0.67 kilograms

OCTOBER 9, 2022
Date of Catch

Witness, this day, October 19, 2022,



GOVERNOR
State of Georgia

COMMISSIONER
Department of Natural Resources

DIRECTOR
Coastal Resources Division

**GEORGIA SALTWATER GAMEFISH RECORDS PROGRAM
REVIEW COMMITTEE**

DATE: 10/09/2022

Name: Cathy Sanders, Palm Coast, Fla.

SPECIES: Pompano, Florida (*Trachinotus carolinus*)

DIVISION: WOMEN'S X MEN'S

CURRENT RECORD: 1 lb. 7 oz.

WEIGHT NEEDED: 1 LBS. 11 OZ.

ENTRY WEIGHT: 1 LBS. 7.68 OZ.

DATE ENTRY RECEIVED: 10/17/2022

notes

Non-resident fishing license and SIP permit verified with LED. -THJ

REVIEW COMMITTEE	APPROVED NEW RECORD	APPROVED TIE RECORD	DISAPPROVED RECORD <i>(explain below & back)</i>	APPROVED Outstanding Catch	DISAPPROVED Outstanding Catch <i>(explain below & back)</i>
Doug Haymans, Director Coastal Resources Division		OK			
Carolyn Belcher		Approved via email			
Jared Flowers		IF			
Paul Medders		PM			
Tyler Jones		TRJ pending biologist species ID			

APPLICATION FORM

**STATE OF GEORGIA
SALTWATER GAMEFISH RECORDS ENTRY FORM**

Read all angling rules Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record requirements before completing and signing this application. This application must be accompanied by photographs as specified in the State record requirements.

1. DIVISION X Women's _____ Men's
2. SPECIES (Common name): Florida Pompano

3. MEASUREMENTS

Weight 1 lbs. 7.68 oz.
Fork Length ¹: 12 inches Total length ²: 14 5/8 inches Girth ³: 11 9/16 inches
¹ Tip of snout to the inner fork of the tail. ² Tip of snout to end of tail - maximum length. ³ Distance around thickest part of body.

4. DATE OF CATCH: October 9, 2022

5. PLACE OF CATCH (Be specific as possible):
St. Simon's Island, Beach side on ~~the~~ South Beach near Seventh Street

6. METHOD OF CATCH (trolling, casting, fly fishing, etc.):
surf-fishing using spinning reel

7. ANGLER (print name as you wish it to appear on certificate): Cathy Sanders
Permanent address (include Zip code):
[Redacted] - [Redacted] Palm Coast, FL 32137

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Phone: (315) [Redacted]
Fishing Club Affiliation (not required): Flagler Sportfishing Club
Angler's Age (not required): 47

8. EQUIPMENT

Rod: Okuma Rockaway 12" Reel: Okuma Rockaway 6000
(make & length) (make)

Line (make & test): 20 lb. High vis mono Name of lure or bait: electronic chicken crab fishbites, the sinker Guy g lass beads and salted shrimp

Terminal rig description (include hook number, types, & arrangement):

302,

2/0 hook on a double drop rig with a sinker buoy Sputnik
circle

9. BOAT (if used)

Name:

Captain's Name:

Signature:

Address:

Phone: ()

10. SCALES

Location:

Winn-Dixie, St. Augustine

Date last certified:

Feb, 2021

✓ verified w/ FL Dept. of Ag. JH

Certifying Agency:

3905 ZAKAS Winn Dixie

Weighmaster Name:

Theresa Dobbing / JEFF THEROUX

Signature:

Theresa Dobbing

Address:

[Redacted]

St. Augustine FL 32080

store number = 0129

Phone: ()

[Redacted]

11. WITNESSES

Witness to catch (other than angler or captain):

Justin Phillips

Phone: (504) _____

Witnesses to weighing (other than angler, captain, or weighmaster):

Andy Sanders

Phone: (315) _____

12. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS (fighting time, equipment used, additional witnesses, etc.):

At the Running of the Bulls Tournament with the Kids Can Fish foundation: Lots of Anglers around saw me pull it in!

13. AFFIDAVIT

I, the undersigned, hereby take oath and attest that the fish described in this application was hooked, fought, and brought to gaff by me without assistance from anyone, except as specifically provided in the regulations, and that it was caught in accordance with Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Records angling rules. I further declare that all information in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____

Cathy Sanders

Date: _____

October 17

2022

When completely filled out and signed, mail this application with photos by quickest means to:

Saltwater Gamefish Records Program
Coastal Resources Division
Georgia Department of Natural Resources
One Conservation Way
Brunswick, Georgia 31520
(912) 264 - 7218

Or email a scanned copy to Paul.Medders@dnr.ga.gov

















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DIRECTOR

Oct. 19, 2022

Cathy Sanders
[REDACTED]

Palm Coast, FL 32137

Dear Ms. Sanders:

I wish to personally congratulate you on your new tied women's state record catch of a Florida Pompano (*Trachinotus carolinus*), caught Oct. 9, 2022, on St. Simons Island. Enclosed is a certificate that serves to recognize not only the size of the catch, but your skill as an angler and the sportsmanship displayed in landing a record-setting gamefish.

Your name will be added to the official record on our website at CoastalGaDNR.org and will appear in the 2023 edition of the Georgia Sport Fishing Regulations guide.

Again, congratulations on your achievement, and thank you for your participation in Georgia's Saltwater Game Fish Record program.

Sincerely,

Doug Haymans

Director

Coastal Resources Division

Georgia Department of Natural Resources

Enclosures

Cc: Records Review Committee package (copy), Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record certificate



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Oct. 19, 2022

Ms. Laura Ann Cheek

[REDACTED]
Houston, TX 77027

Dear Ms. Cheek:

I am writing to inform you that the Georgia Saltwater Game Fish Record you hold for Florida Pompano (*Trachinotus carolinus*) from 1982 was recently tied by Ms. Cathy Sanders of Palm Coast, Fla. Mr. Sanders landed a 1-pound, 7.68-ounce Florida Pompano on Oct. 9, 2022, while fishing on St. Simons Island, Ga.

This new tie record in no way diminishes the excellence of your previous catch. Each record remains a unique and exciting experience for each angler.

Thank you for your participation in the Georgia Saltwater Game Fish Record program. We look forward to hearing from you again in the future.

Sincerely,

Doug Haymans

Director

Coastal Resources Division

Georgia Department of Natural Resources