



TREDS Research Project



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My Research Question

Where will the fishermen go in New London, and what obstacles are they facing as they continue to fish out of New London and do they have a future here?



What I've Found

- It's been struggle to remain on the Thames River
- The push for wind power has presented obstacles for local Fishermen
- There has been some stability put in place for the future of Fishermen



Renewable Energy

- As the Block Island wind mills began being constructed the State Pier has been taken over by construction crew

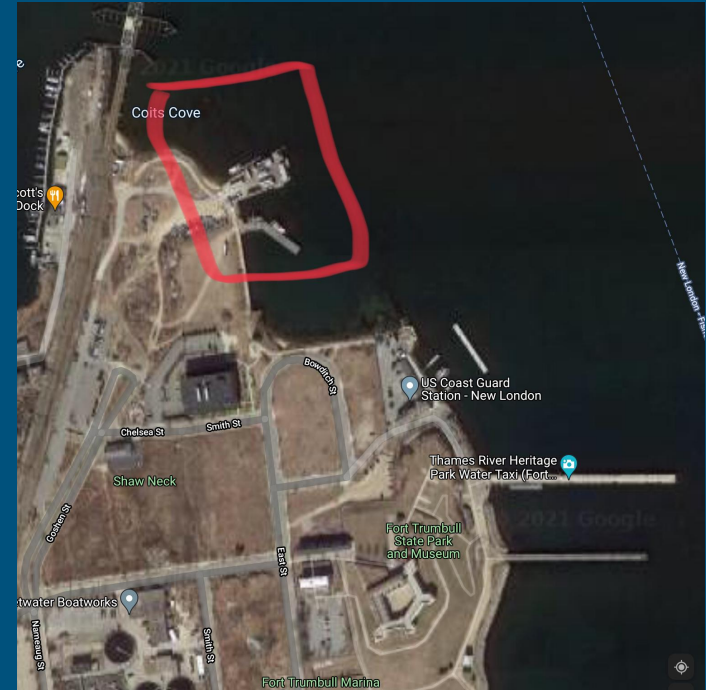


- A lawsuit has taken place over the right for commercial fishermen to remain at the State Pier



Fort Trumbull

- A lease was signed at Fort Trumbull
- Fishermen have some security at Fort Trumbull



Environmental Justice

- We need to support our local Fishermen
- They are a key part of the New London environment
- We can't overlook the needs of the Fishermen as we look for better renewable energy sources