



TIPS TO PREVENT INJURIES TO BIRDS & WILDLIFE

- **Don't feed birds and animals, especially pelicans, cormorants and dolphins.**

-Release fish away from "beggars." Use your live well until clear.

-Learn to control your casts. Learn finger control. Practice to fine tune your skills.

-Learn to properly capture and unhook tangled birds. Keep CROW's number handy. (239-472-3644)

-Don't let plastic bags or mylar balloons go overboard. Turtles think they are food.

-Be responsible. If hung up, take the time and effort to retrieve your tackle.

-Dispose of scrap line properly.

-Use single hook lures and remove treble hooks where possible.

-Use proper size/type tackle. (ex. Braided line strong enough to pull free.)

-Volunteer for the monofilament busters at Ding Darling.