WEBINAR ON

"Ecosystem Management for Sustainable Fisheries" At ICAR-Research Complex for Eastern Region, Patna on 10th July, 2021

A webinar on "Ecosystem Management for Sustainable Fisheries" was organized on 10.07.2021 on the occasion of "National Fish Farmers Day" at the ICAR-Research Complex for Eastern Region, Patna in collaboration with the Department of Fisheries, Government of Bihar and NSPAAD project. The main objective of the program was to make fish farmers aware about the wetland fisheries management strategies.

At the beginning of the program Dr. Bivekanand Bharti Scientist, ICAR-RCER, Patna welcome all the participants, Director ICAR-RCER, Patna and speakers of the program. A brief introduction about the webinar was given by Dr Ujjwal Kumar, Director ICAR-RCER, Patna. Dr. Kamal Sarma Principal scientist, ICAR-RCER apprized the farmers and participants about the wetland resources and issues, about importance of resource conservation sustainable utilization, fish farm management and necessary precautions to be taken in fish culture practices. Mr. Jaspreet Sing describes about the recent technologies in aquaculture like Biofloc, circulatory system, cage, pen and aquaponics. Dr Tun Tun Singh, lecturer, Mithapur Research Center, Govt. of Bihar described different types of Fish Diseases, the reasons for disease occurrence in fish ponds and prophylactic techniques. He also mentioned different types of medicines and chemicals applied in fish culture practice. Mr Suman Kumar, Joint Director, Mithapur Research Center, Govt. of Bihar describes the different schemes for the fish farmers under Govt. of Bihar. During the farmer-scientist interaction session, discussion about the identification of healthy fish seed for stocking, transportation mortality and precautions, use of animal manure in fish culture and an economic analysis of fish farms were discussed. In the program 69 farmers and entrepreneurs were present.

