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Here is my 2 cents.

First off the D is in my back yard well almost. For FF from Trenton/Morrisville north offers way more wading options than people think, you just need to walk a little from where you park. South of this is more a boat deal but any 16' will work. When to start fishing really depends on water temp. You start hearing of bait guys catching in march but last year between the 3 of us in my little group had our first fish on April 13 on lures. Look for water temps in the mid 40s but once it hits 50 its game on. Now its time to pick a spot,sorry no details on my hot spots but just look for current and structure. **DO NOT BE AFRAID OF WHITE WATER!!!!** It has tons of oxygen. When tying any weighted flies have some variety in weight for diff depths. A cast cross-current and dead drifting can be deadly you dont always need to strip. I'll post some pics later and any thing else I can think of but the basics where already hit. Have fun and tight lines.