

The Peale, Baltimore

Out of the Blocks Storytelling Series

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Speaker 1 ([00:00](#)):

Scooping ice, putting it on the fish to keep the fish fresh and cold. We have lake trout, porgies, rockfish, tilapia, steak fish, shrimp.

Tiffany Lee, Jackpot Seafood, 2101 East Monument Street. My parents immigrated 43 years ago from Korea to the States. We actually came to Baltimore. They started selling seafood out of a truck, crabs and fresh fish out of coolers. They did really well. And so they opened up a storefront.

Cut it open, and then rinse it off again. Yes, it is a very physically taxing job. So that's why actually my father is going to retire soon because he's older and his body cannot handle it as much. This was a surprise because I actually worked in New York in the Fashion Industry before I got here. So I moved down here to help them out for six months, and six months has turned into seven years.

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Speaker 2 ([01:11](#)):

You're tuned to Out of the Blocks.

Speaker 3 ([01:13](#)):

2100 East Monument street.

Speaker 4 ([01:15](#)):

One hour of radio, one city block.

Speaker 2 ([01:18](#)):

Everybody's story.

Speaker 3 ([01:19](#)):

Don't touch that dial.

Speaker 2 ([01:20](#)):

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Speaker 4 ([01:21](#)):

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