

## **MUSKRAT MANAGEMENT GOAL AND OBJECTIVES 1985 – 1990**

*Adopted by MDIFW Commissioner and Advisory Council in 1986*

### **GOAL**

Allow muskrat population to fluctuate naturally.

Abundance Objective: Allow muskrat densities to fluctuate naturally in all WMUs through 1990.

Harvest Objective 1: Increase harvest opportunity (season length) by 10% in WMUs 1, 2, 5, and 6 and maintain harvest opportunity at current levels in the remainder of the State by 1990.

Harvest Objective 2: Maintain harvest opportunity (season length) at current levels statewide through 1990.