

GROUP ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

1977 – Delta Waterfowl Research Station



Organization: Dedicated to producing waterfowl and conserving waterfowl hunting for future generations.

Accomplishments: The Delta Waterfowl Research Station was established at Delta Marsh, Manitoba, in 1938, to study and contribute to management of waterfowl across the Northern Great Plains. The famed wildlife biologist Aldo Leopold once visited the lodge, and the idea of developing a research station here was thought to originate from that visit. Many academics and graduate students have since worked out of this research station, many of which went on to have significant impacts on wildlife management across North America.

Delta Waterfowl as an organization emphasizes not just conservation of waterfowl and their wetland resources, but also the promotion of duck hunting as a culturally important component of our heritage.