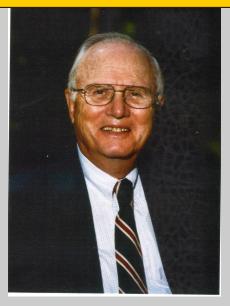
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Dr. Willard Wolfe

Dr. Willard Wolfe, a dentist by trade but an environmentalist by heart. Willard's long-standing devotion to and understanding of wild birds and the awareness of the widespread use of the broadly effective and persistent chemicals of DDT and PCBs made him a natural leader in Michigan's successful efforts to ban them, becoming the first in the nation to do so. His long-standing commitment to the joys of trout fishing on Michigan's beautiful natural rivers made him a logical leader in the effort to provide effective controls. This resulted in the Inland Lakes and Streams Act to protect the natural characteristics of our lakes and streams. Again, Michigan led the nation in those years to provide adequate protections for these natural values.