

## RANCH MINK SALE RESULTS– MARCH 22-24, 2024

*PRICES SHOWN IN US DOLLARS*

Fur Harvesters Auction Inc. is pleased to report the following sales results from our March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024 ranch mink auction. The ranch mink prices have rebounded to a new level, which is well overdue. The buying community has realized that ranch mink production worldwide has reached an all-time low. The driving force is the supply and demand of certain color phases that will dry up quickly and be almost impossible to buy in the near future. China, Korea & Turkey were a major force in the auction room, all of them were pushing prices to a higher level.

Pastel males topped at \$84 USD with an average of \$61.22 with a 100% clearance. China and Turkey were the major factors. Pastel females were bought by Korea who have dominated this item for several years now. Pastel females sold 100% with a \$32.15 USD average and a top of \$48 USD.

Overall the auction was well attended by buyer from many countries which showed renewed strength in the fur markets worldwide. Fur Harvesters Auction Inc. would like to thank all mink ranchers and buyers for the continued support and look forward to seeing you at our June 15<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> auction.

Section	Offered	% Sold	Average	Top
<b>Pastel Males</b>	2,875	100%	\$61.22	\$84.00
<b>Pastel Females</b>	5,820	100%	\$32.15	\$48.00
<b>Polar Males</b>	1,108	100%	\$43.85	\$55.00
<b>Polar Females</b>	1,445	100%	\$28.44	\$33.00
<b>Brown Males</b>	2,101	100%	\$37.59	\$82.00
<b>Brown Females</b>	2,613	100%	\$19.61	\$27.00

Section	5X0	4X0	3X0	2X0	0	1	2	3
<b>Pastel Males</b>								
Mystique	82 - 84	72 - 84	60 - 68	46 - 50	40 - 41	-	-	-
VSL	64	50 - 70	42 - 53	39 - 41	35	-	-	-
<b>Pastel Females</b>								
Mystique	-	-	-	48	40 - 46	32 - 42	23 - 33	21 - 23
Silver	-	-	-	-	-	32 - 34	-	23
VSL	-	-	-	34	36 - 37	29 - 33	25 - 28	20 - 22
<b>Polar Males</b>								
Mystique	-	52 - 55	40 - 50	42 - 44	30 - 37	-	-	-
<b>Polar Females</b>								
Mystique	-	-	-	-	33	30 - 31	26 - 29	-
VSL	-	-	-	-	-	26	24	20
<b>Brown Males</b>								
Mystique	50 - 52	38 - 47	35 - 39	27 - 30	22	-	-	-
VSL	47	41 - 42	33 - 35	26 - 29	-	-	-	-
<b>Brown Females</b>								
Mystique	-	-	-	27	23	19 - 23	15 - 17	13.50
VSL	-	-	-	-	21	18.50	-	-