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## DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS April 2007

<u>Positive Animal</u> Skunk <u>County</u> Henry (1)

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 3 Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 6 Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 151\* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 1 Percent Positive This Month: 0.66% Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 593\*

Jane Drummond

Director

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies
Species	#Exams	<b>#Positive</b>	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
Dog:	218	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	18	0	2006: 66
Cat:	144	0	Other Domestic:	2	0	2005: 73
Bat:	156	1	Other Wild:	5	0	2004: 59
Skunk:	10	1	Exotic:	0	0	2003: 43
Fox:	0	0	Unknown:	0	0	2002: 45
Cow:	4	0	Total:	593	3	2001: 40
Horse:	3	1	Counties On Alert: Phelps			2000: 50
Ferret:	0	0		-		1999: 31
Raccoon:	33	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a			1998: 42
			positive result on a domestic animal or when			1997: 31
			threshold levels for wild animals have been			1996: 26
			exceeded.			

\*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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## Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2007

