

Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon Governor

DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS April 2013

Positive Animal County

Gail Vasterling

Acting Director

Skunk Bollinger (1), Howell (1), Ozark (1)

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 12

Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 10

Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 115* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 3

Percent Positive This Month: 2.54%

Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 408*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
Dog:	177	1	Rodent/Rabbit:	9	0	2012: 28
Cat:	88	0	Other Domestic:	0	0	2011: 29
Bat:	69	0	Other Wild:	9	0	2010: 63
Skunk:	17	10	Exotic:	0	0	2009: 65
Fox:	2	0	Unknown:	0	0	2008: 64
Cow:	7	0	Total:	408	12	2007: 38
Horse:	7	1	Counties On Alert: Oregon, Wayne			2006: 66
Ferret:	1	0		,		2005: 73
Raccoon:	22	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a			2004: 59
			positive result on a	2003: 43		
			threshold levels for exceeded.	2002: 45		

^{*}Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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