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DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS June 2007

<u>Positive Animal</u> Bat

<u>County</u> Butler (1), Holt (1), Jackson (1), Phelps (1), St. Louis City (1), St. Louis County (1) Osage (1)

Skunk

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 15 Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 19 Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 474* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 7 Percent Positive This Month: 1.46% Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 1406*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
Dog:	368	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	51	0	2006: 66
Cat:	275	0	Other Domestic:	3	0	2005: 73
Bat:	623	12	Other Wild:	11	0	2004: 59
Skunk:	12	2	Exotic:	0	0	2003: 43
Fox:	0	0	Unknown:	0	0	2002: 45
Cow:	5	0	Total:	1406	15	2001: 40
Horse:	7	1	Counties On Alert: Phelps			2000: 50
Ferret:	0	0		-		1999: 31
Raccoon:	51	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	1996: 26		
			exceeded.			

*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2007

