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DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS May 2018

Positive AnimalCountyDogJohnson (1)SkunkStone (1)

Bat Boone (1), Jackson (1)

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 6

Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 7

Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 215* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 3

Percent Positive This Month: 1.38%

Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 737*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
						2016: 20
Dog:	260	1	Rodent/Rabbit:	18	0	2015: 31
Cat:	165	0	Other Domestic:	9	0	2014: 27
Bat:	187	2	Other Wild:	18	0	2013: 39
Skunk:	8	3	Exotic:	1	0	2012: 28
Fox:	3	0	Unknown:	1	0	2011: 29
Cow:	14	0	Total:	737	6	2010: 63
Horse:	11	0	Counties On Alert:			2009: 65
Ferret:	0	0				2008: 64
Raccoon:	45	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a			2007: 38
	positive result on a domestic animal or when threshold levels for wild animals have been exceeded.					2006: 66

^{*}Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2018

