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DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS March 2017

<u>Positive Animal</u> <u>Animal</u> Bat	<u>County</u> <u>County</u> Boone (1), Jackson (1)
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Total Rabies Cases to Date: 2
Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 2
Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 133*
Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 2
Percent Positive This Month: 1.48%
Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 333*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies By Year
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	
Dog:	131	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	4	0	2015: 31
Cat:	79	0	Other Domestic:	1	0	2014: 27
Bat:	80	2	Other Wild:	2	0	2013: 39
Skunk:	4	0	Exotic:	0	0	2012: 28
Fox:	2	0	Unknown:	0	0	2011: 29
Cow:	3	0	Total:	333	2	2010: 63
Horse:	3	0	Counties On Alert: Cass			2009: 65
Ferret:	0	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a positive result on a domestic animal or when threshold levels for wild animals have been exceeded.			2008: 64
Raccoon:	24	0				2007: 38
						2006: 66

*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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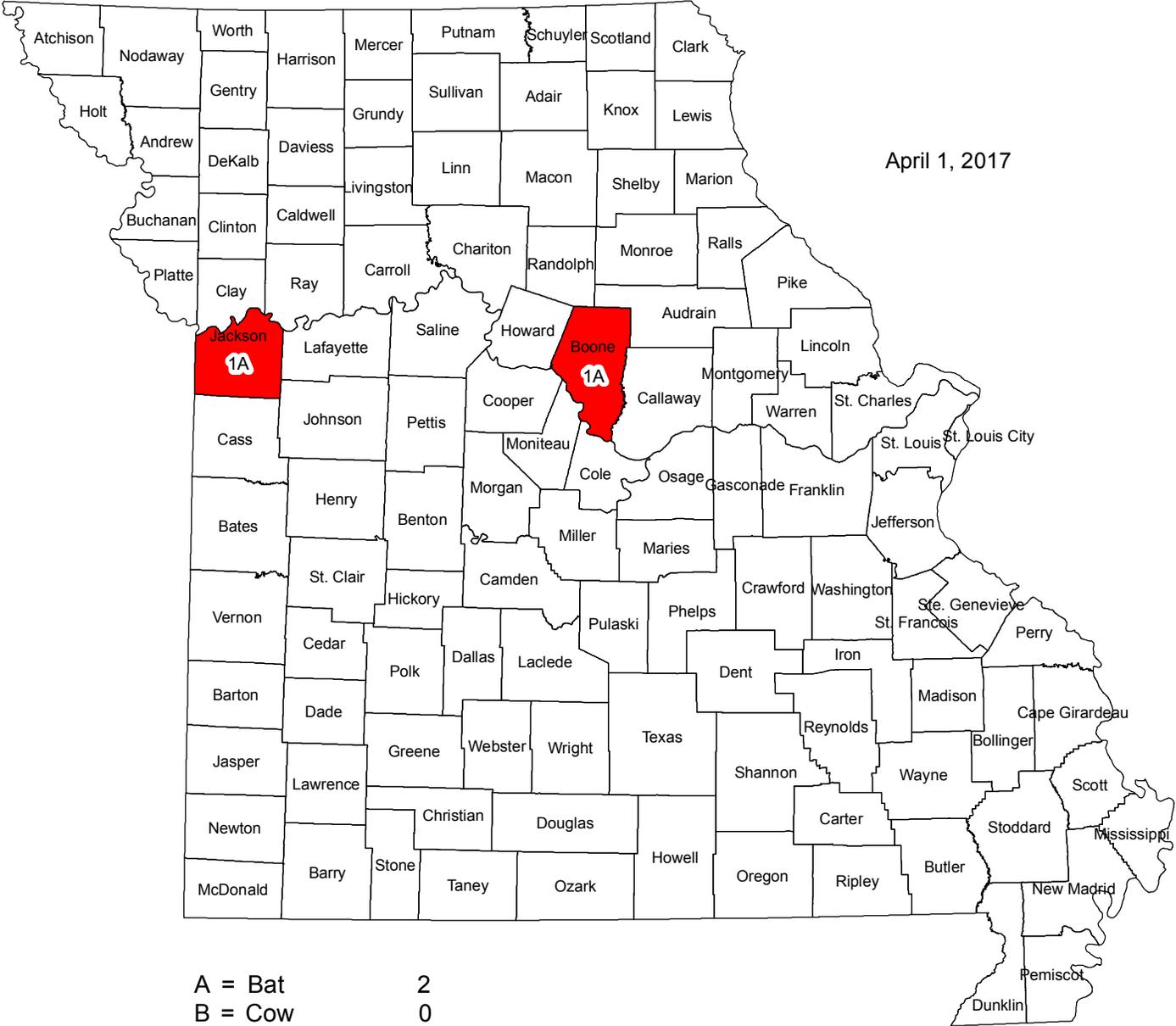
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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2017

April 1, 2017



A = Bat	2
B = Cow	0
C = Cat	0
D = Dog	0
F = Fox	0
H = Horse	0
R = Raccoon	0
S = Skunk	0

Total	2

Counties with Animal Rabies