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**DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN
LABORATORY EXAMS
12/04/22 – 12/31/22**

Positive Animal County

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 26
Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 19
Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 144*
Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 0
Percent Positive This Month: 0%
Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 2,113*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies By Year
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	
Dog:	650	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	36	0	2021: 19
Cat:	396	2	Other Domestic:	22	0	2020: 16
Bat:	861	19	Other Wild:	20	0	2019: 24
Skunk:	9	5	Exotic:	1	0	2018: 20
Fox:	3	0	Unknown:	0	0	2017: 20
Cow:	0	0	Total:	2,113	26	2016: 25
Horse:	10	0	Counties On Alert: None			2015: 31
Ferret:	2	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.			2014: 27
Raccoon:	103	0				2013: 39
						2012: 28
						2011: 29

*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

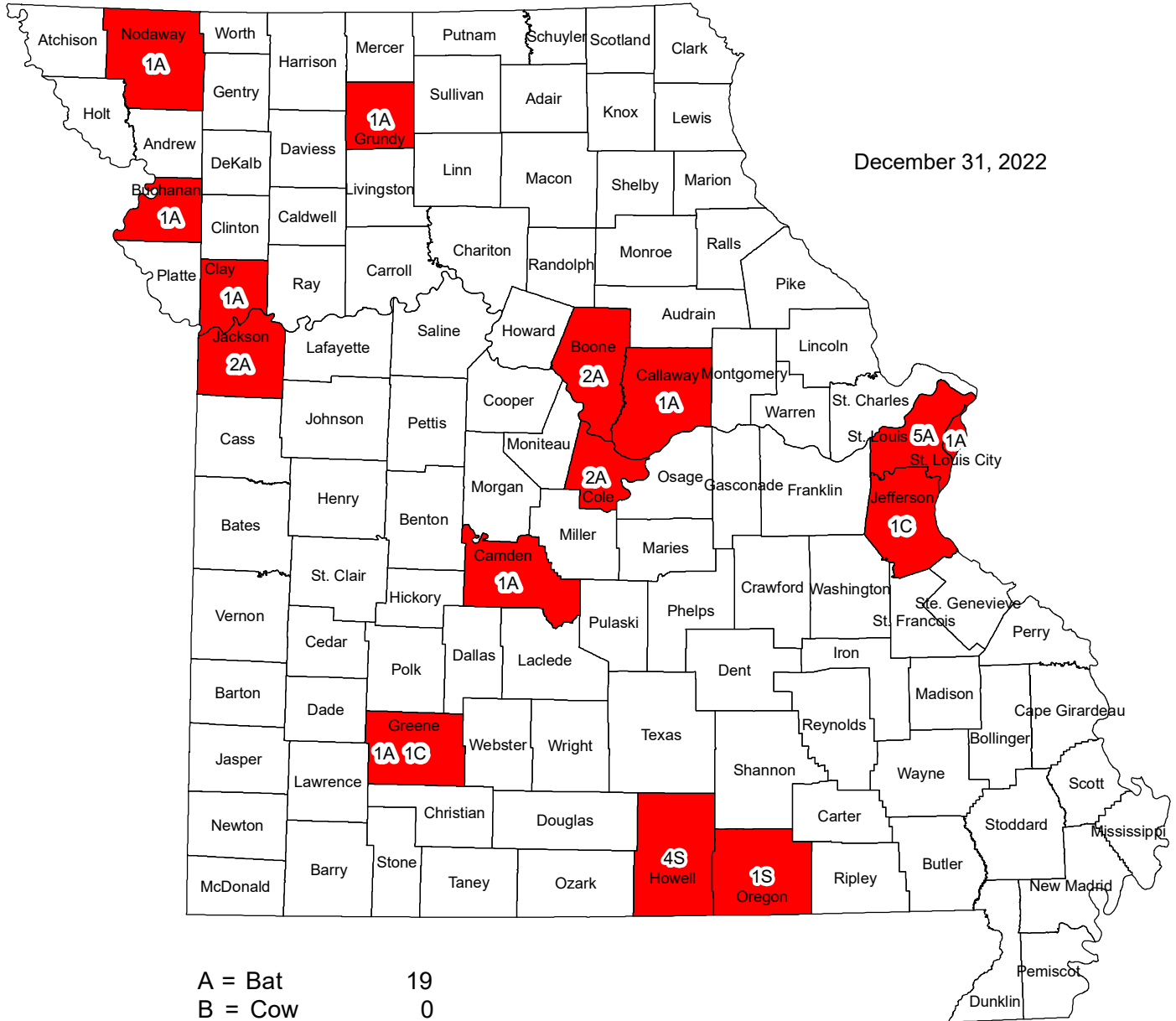
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AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY / AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER: Services provided on a nondiscriminatory basis.

Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2022



A = Bat	19
B = Cow	0
C = Cat	2
D = Dog	0
F = Fox	0
H = Horse	0
R = Raccoon	0
S = Skunk	5

Total	26

Counties with Animal Rabies