

# 2022 Meeting Schedule for the South - Central Mountains Regional Task Force (SCMRTF) Ag Sub-Committee

Meeting time: 12:00pm

Meeting location: Marzoni's Brick Oven and Brewing Co.  
1830 E Pleasant Valley Boulevard  
Altoona, 16602  
(join us in the Penn State room)

## **2022 Meeting Schedule:**

March 18, 2022

\*\*May 6, 2022 Task Force Symposium

May 20, 2022

July 15, 2022

September 16, 2022

November 18, 2022

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# PROTECT YOUR BACKYARD FLOCK FROM AVIAN INFLUENZA

Avian influenza is a disease carried by migratory birds such as geese and ducks. Poultry are very susceptible to this disease and will die or become very sick upon contact with the virus.

## HOW TO DETECT AVIAN INFLUENZA

- Unexplained sudden death
- Swelling of head
- Purple discoloration of comb and wattles
- Sudden drop of feed and water consumption
- Lethargy, depression

## HOW THE DISEASE IS TRANSMITTED

- Contact with fecal material from wild birds
- Contact with infected birds
- Contact with contaminated equipment
- Contact with contaminated boots and clothing

## HOW TO PROTECT YOUR FLOCK

- Wear dedicated footwear and clothing to work with your birds
- Wash your hands before and after working with birds
- Keep poultry inside their coop to avoid contact with wild birds
- Clean and disinfect equipment in contact with birds
- Remove birdhouses and feeders used by wild birds
- Limit visitors to your premises

Report unexplained illness or death in your flock to the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture at 717-772-2852.



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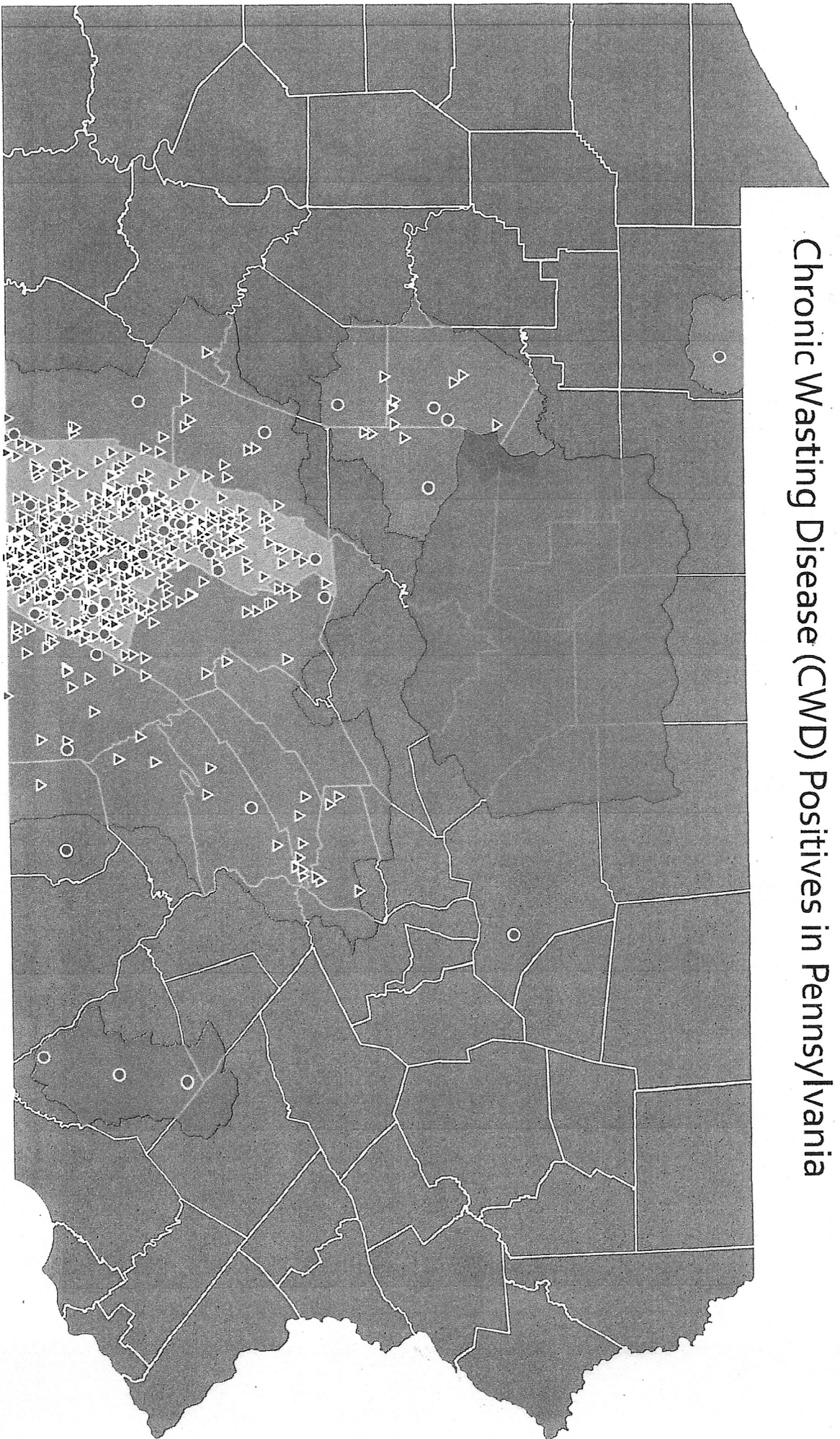
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# Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Positives in Pennsylvania



- CWD Captive Positives
- ▲ CWD Wild Positives
- Core Captive Management Zone
- Elk Management Area
- ▨ CWD Disease Management Area (DMA)


  
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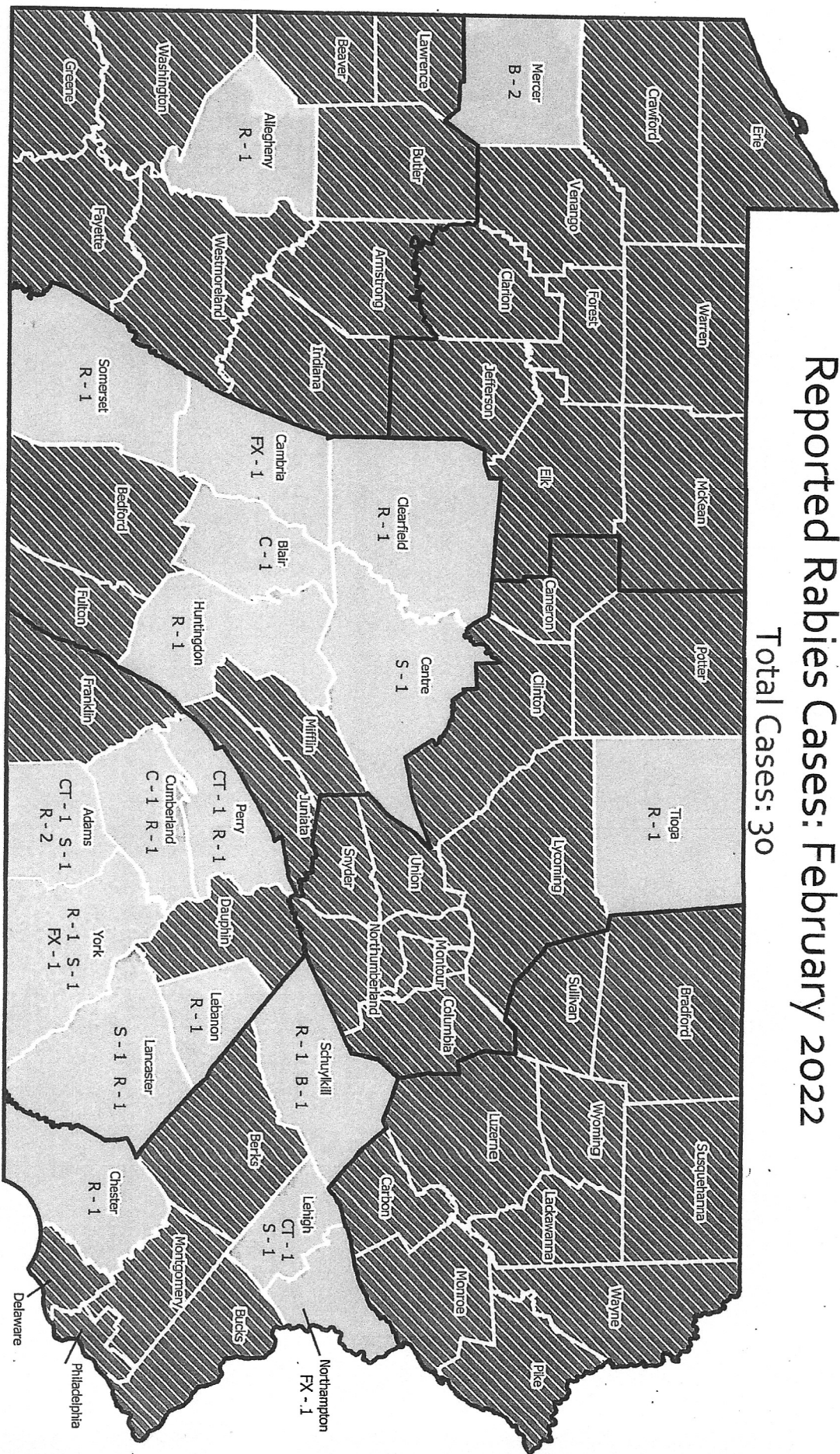
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Wild Positives	
County	#
Blair	115
Bedford	478
Fulton	267
<b>Total in CCMZ</b>	<b>860</b>
<b>Total in PA</b>	<b>959</b>

\* Captive positive premises had CWD detected in one or more deer

# Reported Rabies Cases: February 2022

Total Cases: 30



Abv	Animal	Total	Abv	Animal	Total	Region	Total
D	Dog	0	CO	Coyote	0	Region 1	2
CT	Cat	3	GH	G-Hog	0	Region 2	1
C	Cattle	2	BV	Beaver	0	Region 3	0
B	Bat	3	G	Goat	0	Region 4	1
WT	Deer	0	H	Horse	0	Region 5	6
S	Skunk	5	BC	Bobcat	0	Region 6	14
FX	Fox	3	O	Sheep	0	Region 7	6
R	Raccoon	14	P	Opossum	0	Total	30



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Map Date:  
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Total Cases to Date

