Positive Rabies Alert In North Hall
August 29, 2013

This is to advise that a dog had contact recently with a rabid bat in the Wiley Road area of north Hall County. The bat was shipped to the Georgia Public Health Lab- Virology Section in Decatur. Hall County Animal Control was advised Wednesday that the bat tested positive for rabies. This is the 12th confirmed case of rabies in Hall County in 2013.

Positive alert signs will be posted in the area where the rabid bat was located. If you live in this area or you see an animal acting abnormally in the area, contact Hall County Animal Services at 770-531-6830 or call Hall County Dispatch at 770-536-8812 during non-working hours.

Animal owners are encouraged to vaccinate their domesticated pets for rabies. Vaccines are available at the Hall County Animal Shelter for $10 Tuesday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., at 1688 Barber Road, Gainesville.