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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT/PRESS RELEASE

The Youngstown City Health District has received notification from the USDA of a rabies positive raccoon in the City of Youngstown. The raccoon was located near Volney Rogers field, close to the intersection of Glenwood Ave and E Glacier Dr. This is the first rabies detection of 2024 in Mahoning County.

Rabies is a preventable, potentially deadly, viral disease most often transmitted through bites and scratches from unvaccinated pets, strays, and wildlife. It is advised to avoid approaching wildlife to prevent the spread of rabies and other diseases.