

LIGHTS OUT CLEVELAND THE BAT VERSION



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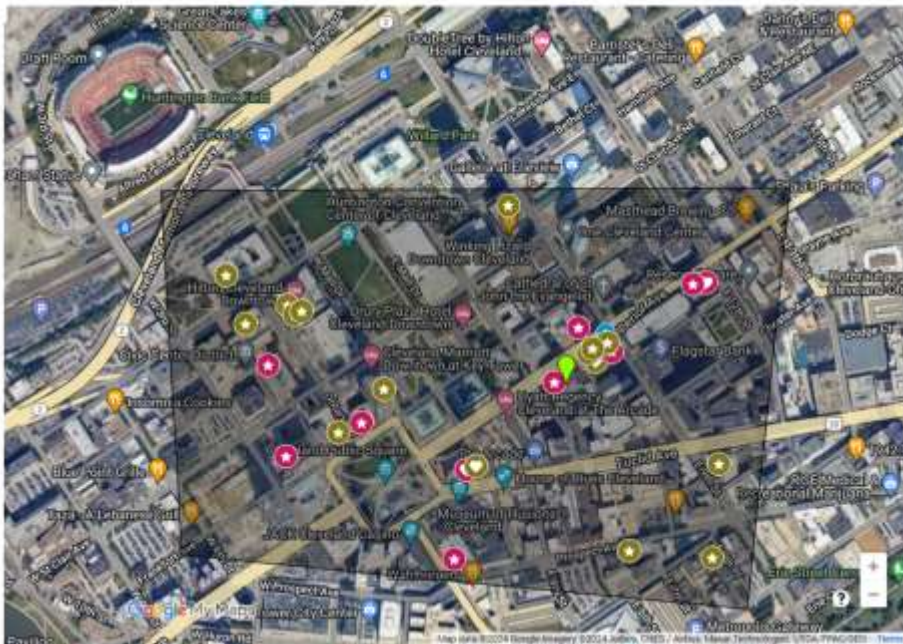
Lights Out Cleveland

Spring March 15th – June 1st

Fall August 15th – October 31

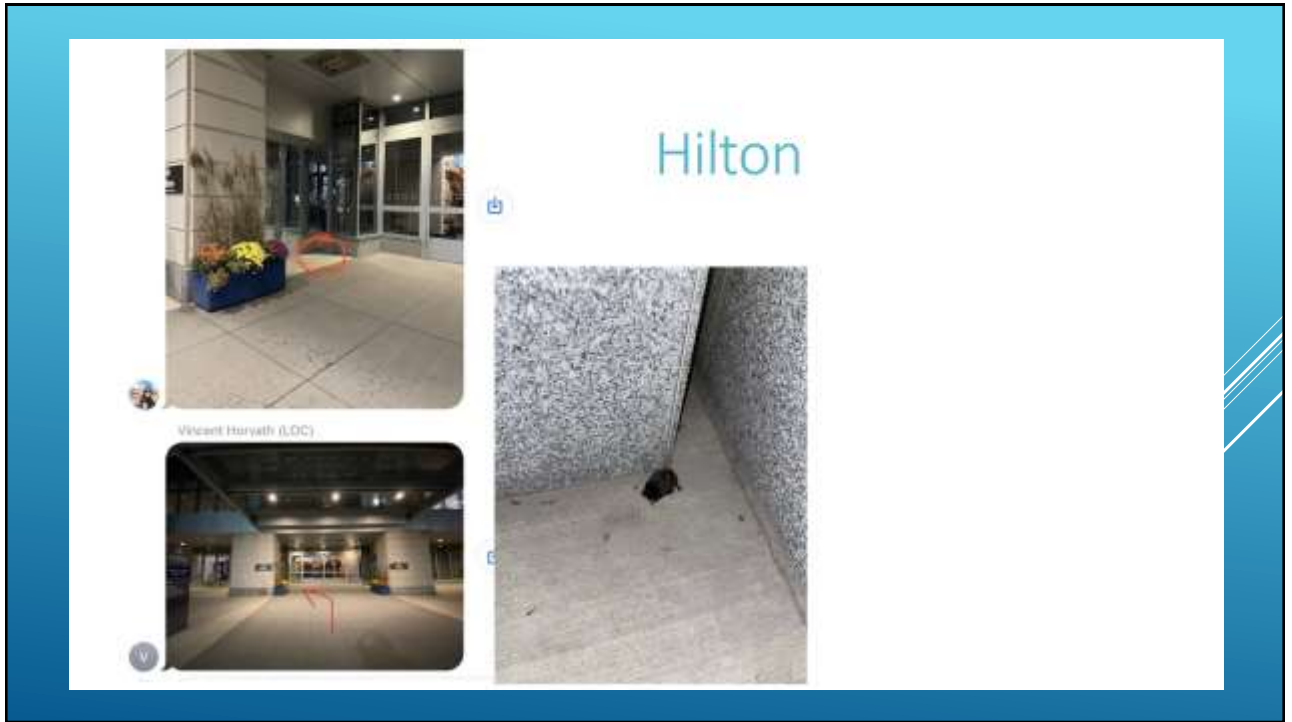
Started Fall of 2017

- ▶ LOC volunteers notify RVS staff from Lake Metroparks Wildlife Center
- ▶ Send text with photo and map location
- ▶ Only pick up bats that are within reach of people, dangerous location and on the ground.
- ▶ Collect and transport in double paper bags with fleece.



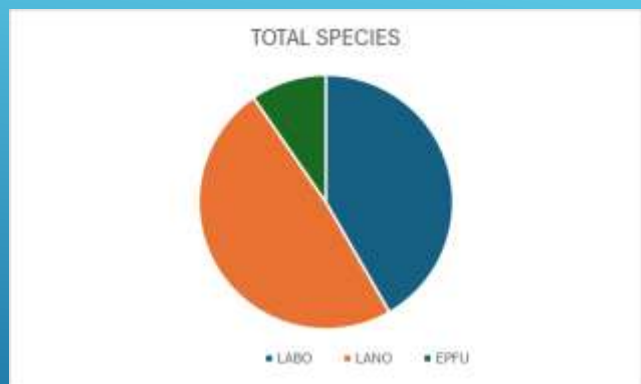
Jack Casino Parking Garage





SPECIES TOTALS

SPECIES	TOTAL
LABO	95
LANO	111
EPFU	22
TOTAL	228



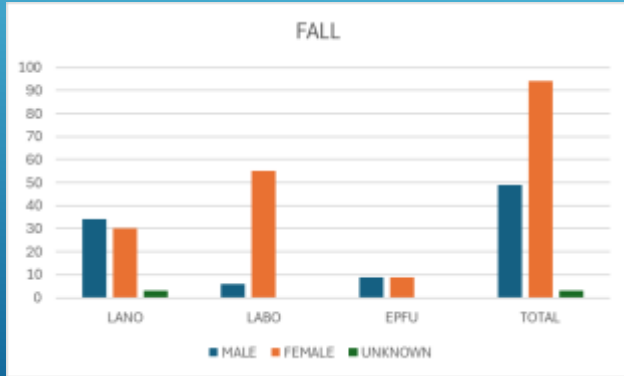
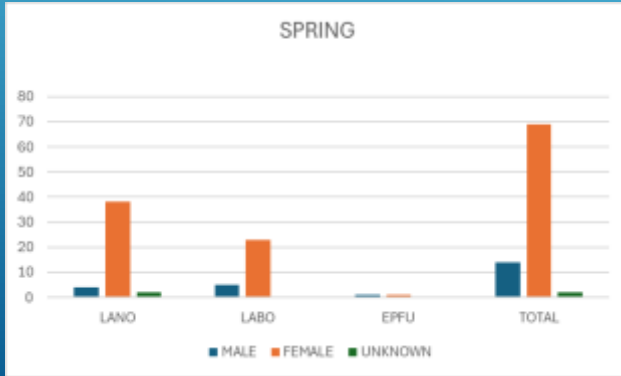
TOTAL BATS ACCEPTED FROM LOC

Total Spring 2018-2024

Did not collect bats 2020
 FEMALE: 69
 MALE: 14
 Every 5 F there is 1M

Total Fall 2017-2024

Did not collect bats 2020
 FEMALE: 83
 MALE: 40
 Every 2 F there is 1M



Year	Total
2017	22
2018	37
2019	33
2020	0
2021	29
2022	27
2023	36
2024	41



Full examination



Examination:

- Weighed
- Sexed
- Measurements Taken
- Aged
- Photographed
- Record exact location found
- Health Check

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Presentation title

Lots of supportive care!



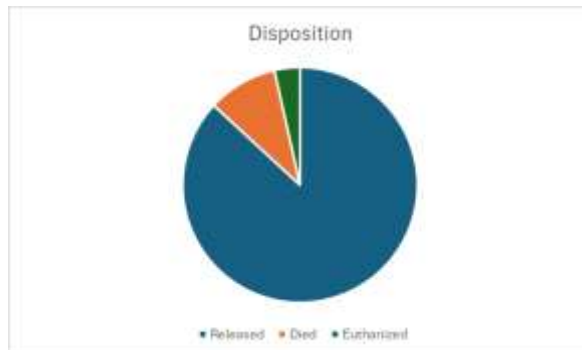
Daily:

- Re-evaluated
- Fluids if needed
- Food/Hand fed
- Medications:
 - Head trauma
 - Punctures
 - Parasites
 - Injuries
- Wound Treatment
- Physical Therapy
- Incubator
- Brush their teeth
- Brush their fur
- Hibernate them

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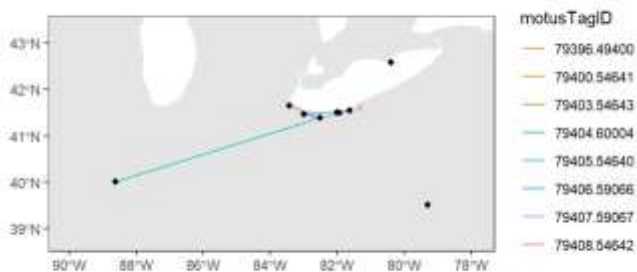
Released	198
Died	22
Euthanize	8
% Released	87%



Tagged 8 bats, LANO and LABO in 2024.

Tim Krynak, acquired 15 more tags for 2025 season through a grant.

Motus Tower Data





A **BIG THANK YOU**
to LOC volunteers
and local partners
that all work
together to save as
many birds and
bats as possible.



THANK
YOU!