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Plague and black-footed ferrets; biologists fight for black-footed ferrets; video contest to legalize ferrets

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Plague Threatens Endangered Black-Footed Ferrets

Plague has reached the Conata Basin in South Dakota and threatens the population of reintroduced black-footed ferrets, an endangered species, The Rapid City Journal reports. [Read the article>>](#)

Biologists Fight To Save Black-Footed Ferrets From Plague

Biologist Travis Livieri answers questions about plague, how it might affect black-footed ferrets, what's being done to eradicate it and how people can help. [Visit the website>>](#)

Ferret Legalization Video Contest

From now until July 4, 2008, people who upload a video to YouTube that has a link to legalizeferrets.org and shows ferrets as loving members of the family can be part of a contest with a \$500 prize. [Visit the website>>](#)