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ASF epidemiological situation in Latvia – 2017 (update)

PAFF meeting,
Brussels, 13.07.2017.



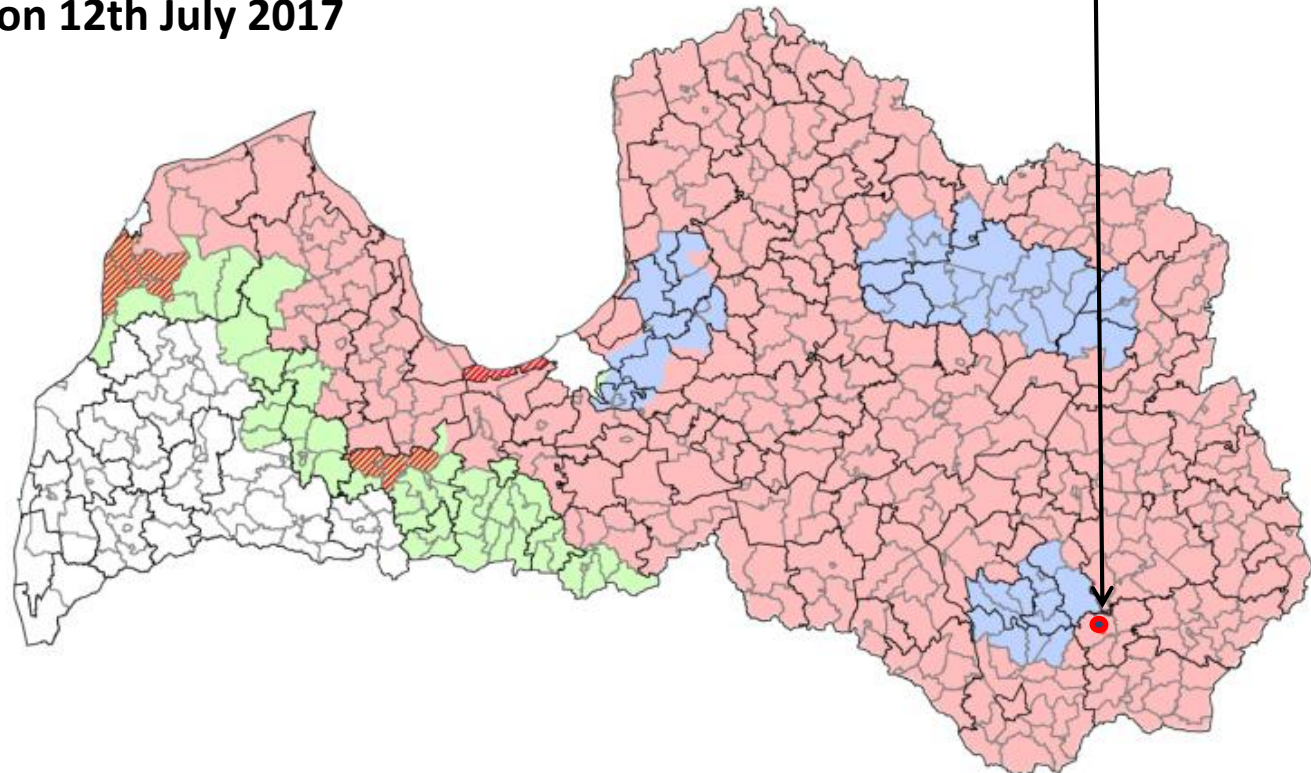
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Suspicion notified by veterinarian – 11th July

Small backyard farm with 3 pigs (10 month old fatteners)
1 pig with clinical signs (fever, haemorrhages on the skin)

Confirmation – afternoon 12th July 2017





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Outbreak confirmed in farm in the *Aglonas parish, Aglonas county*. Territory already defined as Part 2 by the Decision 2014/709/EU

All measures according to Council Directive 2002/60/EC have been implemented.

Stamping out and primary disinfection carried out on 12.07.2017.



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Preliminary results of the epidemiological investigation

Small backyard farm:

2 cows (in the summer time kept outside on the grazing area)

3 pigs (fatteners 10 month old)

7 chickens

Animal owner died 2 month ago. Widow doesn't used to take a care of animals and planned to slaughter pigs in July.

Low biosecurity:

- no disinfection barrier at the entrance;
- no exchange outfit and shoes in the farm;
- feeding of «green» grass etc.

Hypothesis: indirect contact with wild boar – most likely

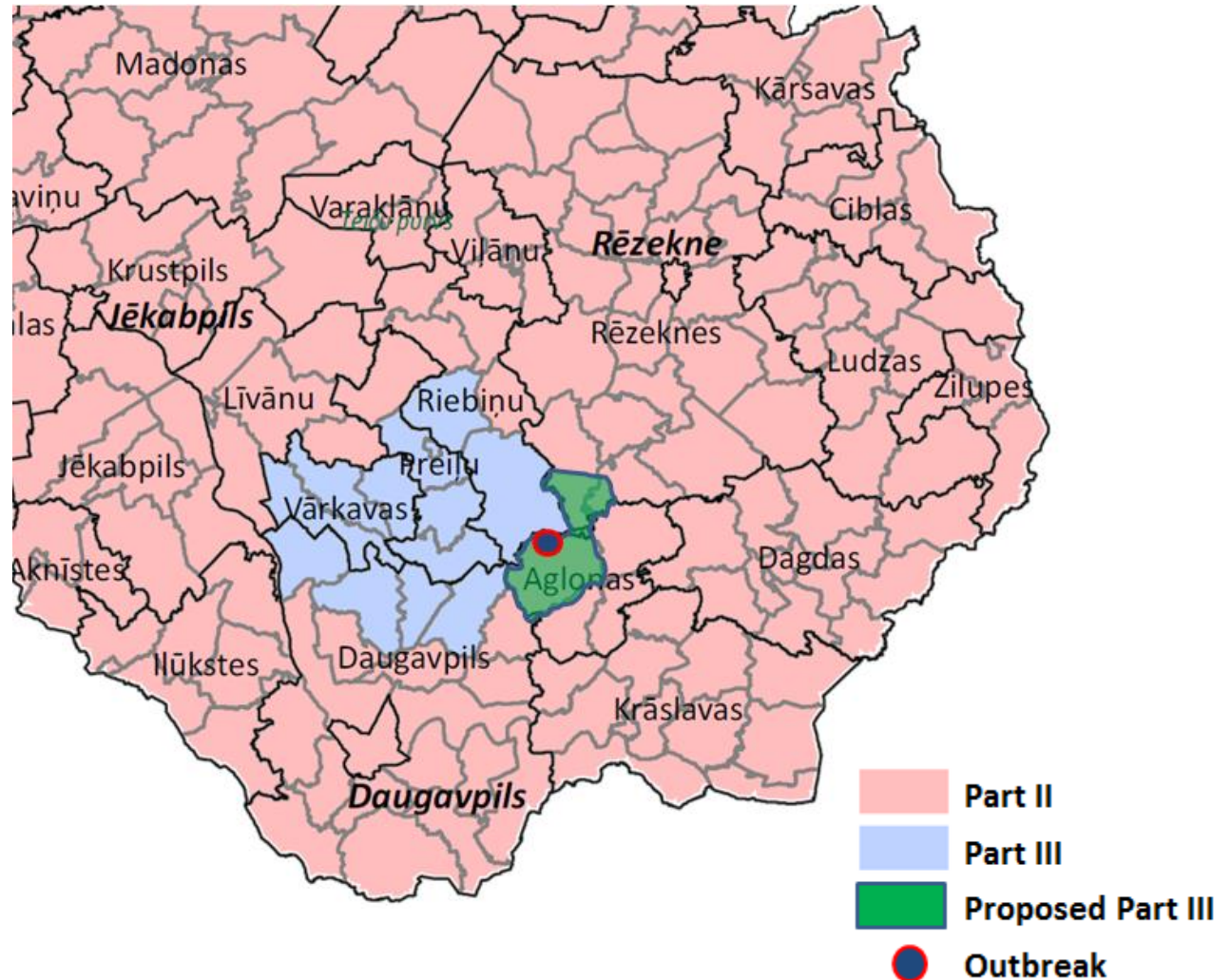
Clinical inspection of animal holdings located in protection and surveillance zones will be started today (13.07.2017.)

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Proposed Part III





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Thank you for your attention!