MENDOCINO COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY

NUMBER OF DEFENDANTS SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW

Reports reviewed by **District Attorney David Eyster**Dates Submitted to DA: **October 1, 2016 – October 31, 2016**

	Ukiah Office	Fort Bragg Office
Total Number of Defendant Reports Submitted by Law Enforcement	338	106
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Felony Prosecution ¹	53	14
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For General Misdemeanor Prosecution	95	51
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Traffic-related Misdemeanor Prosecution	48	9
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Infraction Handling in Court ²	3	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Handling as Violation of Probation Only	26	13
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Parole Only	1	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Community Supervision	0	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Combined in an Existing Case Already Pending	11	12
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Not Accepted For Prosecution for Various Reasons, Including Delay	44	5
Number of Defendants referred to Other Jurisdiction	2	0
Number of Defendants referred to Educational Diversion	11	0
Number of Defendants referred for Further Investigation	30	1
Number of Defendants Awaiting Charging Decision , as of December 6, 2016	14	1

¹ **Felony filings for October** include the filing of the following violent or serious felonies: spousal abuse, kidnapping, child endangerment, 2nd degree robbery while armed with a firearm, criminal threat, victim witness intimidation, assault with firearm on person, assault with GBI, discharge firearm in gross negligent manner, arson, 1st degree robbery, assault with a deadly weapon, attempted murder, burglary in the 1st degree, theft of vehicle, assault with a firearm on a peace officer.

² "Reports Reviewed and Approved For Infraction Handling in Court" is defined as cases in which the District Attorney has

² "Reports Reviewed and Approved For Infraction Handling in Court" is defined as cases in which the District Attorney has exercised his statutory discretion and reduced a misdemeanor allegation of wrongdoing to an infraction charge. An infraction is an allegation of wrongdoing for which only a fine may be imposed. Individuals charged with an infraction are <u>not</u> entitled to the public expense of a Public Defender and are not entitled to a jury determination of guilt.