## **MENDOCINO COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY**

## NUMBER OF DEFENDANTS SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW

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

	Ukiah Office	Fort Bragg Office
Total Number of Defendant Reports Submitted by Law Enforcement	411	104
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For <b>Felony</b> Prosecution <sup>1</sup>	61	17
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For General Misdemeanor Prosecution	109	22
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For <b>Traffic-related Misdemeanor</b> Prosecution	72	17
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For <b>Infraction</b> Handling in Court <sup>2</sup>	3	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Handling as <b>Violation of Probation</b> Only	36	8
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Parole Only	2	1
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Community Supervision	3	1
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Combined in an Existing Case Already Pending	31	5
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Not Accepted For Prosecution for Various Reasons, Including Delay	46	21
Number of Defendants referred to <b>Other Jurisdiction</b>	7	0
Number of Defendants referred to <b>Educational Diversion</b>	11	0
Number of Defendants referred for <b>Further Investigation</b>	14	6
Number of Defendants <b>Awaiting Charging Decision</b> , as of 1/31/17	16	6

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> **Felony filings for December** include the filing of the following violent or serious felonies: 1<sup>st</sup> degree burglary, false imprisonment, attempted murder, victim/witness intimidation, elder abuse, child abuse, criminal threat, discharging firearm in a gross negligent manner, assault with a deadly weapon with GBI, assault with a deadly weapon.

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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 not entitled to the public expense of a Public Defender and are not entitled to a jury determination of guilt.