MENDOCINO COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY

NUMBER OF DEFENDANTS SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW

Reports reviewed by **District Attorney David Eyster**Dates Submitted to DA: **November 1, 2013 – November 30, 2013**

	Ukiah Office	Fort Bragg Office
Total Number of Defendant Reports Submitted by Law Enforcement	333	96
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Felony Prosecution ¹	48	11
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For General Misdemeanor Prosecution	76	33
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Traffic-related Misdemeanor Prosecution	48	19
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Infraction Handling in Court ²	8	2
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Handling as Violation of Probation Only	19	8
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Parole Only	1	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Community Supervision	1	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Combined in an Existing Case Already Pending	14	5
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Rejected For Various Reasons, Including Delay	28	10
Number of Defendants referred to Other Jurisdiction	2	0
Number of Defendants referred to Educational Diversion	6	1
Number of Defendants referred for Further Investigation	7	0
Number of Defendants Awaiting Charging Decision , as of December 18, 2013	75	7

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¹ **Felony filings for November** include the filing of the following violent or serious felonies: assault with a deadly weapon, child abuse, criminal threat, 1st degree burglary, possession of shot gun, pornographic materials to child, evading a peace officer with prison prior, attempted murder, 2nd degree robbery, assault with GBI, possession of a firearm by felon, escape with 2 prison priors, hit and run, assault with firearm on person, false imprisonment.

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.