

MENDOCINO COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY
NUMBER OF DEFENDANTS SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW

Reports reviewed by **District Attorney David Eyster**

Dates Submitted to DA: **October 1, 2013 – October 31, 2013**

	Ukiah Office	Fort Bragg Office
Total Number of Defendant Reports Submitted by Law Enforcement	471	123
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Felony Prosecution ¹	51	10
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For General Misdemeanor Prosecution	101	51
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Traffic-related Misdemeanor Prosecution	68	12
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Infraction Handling in Court ²	18	3
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Handling as Violation of Probation Only	24	11
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Parole Only	2	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Community Supervision	2	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Combined in an Existing Case Already Pending	24	4
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Rejected For Various Reasons, Including Delay	75	18
Number of Defendants referred to Other Jurisdiction	1	0
Number of Defendants referred to Educational Diversion	14	3
Number of Defendants referred for Further Investigation	38	4
Number of Defendants Awaiting Charging Decision , as of November 18, 2013	53	7

¹ **Felony filings for October** include the filing of the following violent or serious felonies: assault with GBI on custodial officer, possession of a firearm by felon, child endangerment, spousal abuse, 1st degree burglary, evading a peace officer, failure to register, elder abuse, criminal threat, 2nd degree robbery, assault with firearm on person w/two prison priors, sexual battery by restraint, sexual abuse on child, assault with a deadly weapon, corporal injury on spouse w/ prior within 7 years, hit and run, possession of a firearm by felon w/ a strike prior, vehicle theft.

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.