

**MENDOCINO COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY**  
**NUMBER OF DEFENDANTS SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW**

Reports reviewed by **District Attorney David Eyster**

Dates Submitted to DA: **April 1, 2014 – April 31, 2014**

	<b>Ukiah Office</b>	<b>Fort Bragg Office</b>
<b>Total</b> Number of Defendant Reports Submitted by Law Enforcement	<b>453</b>	<b>112</b>
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For <b>Felony</b> Prosecution <sup>1</sup>	<b>55</b>	<b>13</b>
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For <b>General Misdemeanor</b> Prosecution	<b>114</b>	<b>43</b>
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For <b>Traffic-related Misdemeanor</b> Prosecution	<b>74</b>	<b>21</b>
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For <b>Infraction</b> Handling in Court <sup>2</sup>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Handling as <b>Violation of Probation Only</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>16</b>
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for <b>Violation of Parole Only</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for <b>Violation of Community Supervision</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Number of Defendants Reviewed and <b>Combined</b> in an Existing Case Already Pending	<b>19</b>	<b>3</b>
Number of Defendants Reviewed and <b>Rejected</b> For Various Reasons, Including Delay	<b>57</b>	<b>8</b>
Number of Defendants referred to <b>Other Jurisdiction</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>
Number of Defendants referred to <b>Educational Diversion</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>
Number of Defendants referred for <b>Further Investigation</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1</b>
Number of Defendants <b>Awaiting Charging Decision</b> , as of May 15, 2014	<b>28</b>	<b>4</b>

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<sup>1</sup> **Felony filings for April** include the filing of the following violent or serious felonies: elder abuse, criminal threat, vehicle manslaughter with gross negligence, spousal abuse, fail to register with strike prior, 1<sup>st</sup> degree burglary, battery with serious bodily injury, evading a peace officer, carjacking, attempted murder, assault with a deadly weapon, escape from prison with two strike priors.

<sup>2</sup> “**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.