MENDOCINO COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY

NUMBER OF DEFENDANTS SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW

Reports reviewed by **District Attorney David Eyster**Dates Submitted to DA: **January 1, 2021 – January 31, 2021**

	Ukiah Office	Fort Bragg Office
Total Number of Defendant Reports Submitted by Law Enforcement	263	64
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Felony Prosecution ¹	38	10
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For General Misdemeanor Prosecution	69	13
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Traffic-related Misdemeanor Prosecution	54	9
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Infraction Handling in Court ²	0	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Petition for Revocation of Community Supervision	12	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Petition for Revocation of Parole	8	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Handling as Violation of Probation Only	11	7
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Parole Only	4	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Community Supervision Only	2	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Combined in an Existing Case Already Pending	13	5
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Not Accepted For Prosecution for Various Reasons, Including Delay	21	8
Number of Defendants referred to Other Jurisdiction	1	0
Number of Defendants referred to Educational Diversion	2	1
Number of Defendants referred for Further Investigation	13	1
Number of Defendants Awaiting Charging Decision , as of 2/23/21	15	10

¹ **Felony filings for January i**nclude the filing of the following violent or serious felonies: murder, assault with a deadly weapon with great bodily injury, 1st degree burglary, 2nd degree robbery, shooting at inhabited dwelling, assault with a firearm, battery with serious bodily injury, assault on a peace officer, continuous sexual abuse of child, arson, criminal threat.

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 <u>not</u> entitled to a jury determination of guilt.