

MENDOCINO COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY
NUMBER OF DEFENDANTS SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW
 Reports reviewed by **District Attorney David Eyster**
 Dates Submitted to DA: **February 1, 2017 – February 28, 2017**

	Ukiah Office	Fort Bragg Office
Total Number of Defendant Reports Submitted by Law Enforcement	324	131
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Felony Prosecution ¹	39	21
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For General Misdemeanor Prosecution	96	30
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Traffic-related Misdemeanor Prosecution	57	12
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Infraction Handling in Court ²	2	0
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Handling as Violation of Probation Only	42	15
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	22	9
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Not Accepted For Prosecution for Various Reasons, Including Delay	29	31
Number of Defendants referred to Other Jurisdiction	2	0
Number of Defendants referred to Educational Diversion	4	2
Number of Defendants referred for Further Investigation	12	1
Number of Defendants Awaiting Charging Decision , as of 3/31/17	15	10

¹ **Felony filings for February** include the filing of the following violent or serious felonies: murder, gross vehicle manslaughter, assault with a deadly weapon with great bodily injury, criminal threat, victim/witness intimidation, assault with a deadly weapon, spousal abuse, elder abuse, evading police officer causing injury, vehicle theft, 1st degree burglary.

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.