

MENDOCINO COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY
NUMBER OF DEFENDANTS SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW
 Reports reviewed by **District Attorney David Eyster**
 Dates Submitted to DA: **November 1, 2012 – November 30, 2012**

	Ukiah Office	Fort Bragg Office
Total Number of Defendant Reports Submitted by Law Enforcement	420	94
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Felony Prosecution ¹	73	13
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For General Misdemeanor Prosecution	66	22
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Traffic-related Misdemeanor Prosecution	56	4
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Infraction Handling in Court ²	8	1
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved For Handling as Violation of Probation Only	18	7
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Approved for Violation of Parole Only	7	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	12	4
Number of Defendants Reviewed and Rejected For Various Reasons, Including Delay	75	19
Number of Defendants referred to Other Jurisdiction	0	4
Number of Defendants referred to Educational Diversion	8	0
Number of Defendants referred for Further Investigation	84	2
Number of Defendants Awaiting Charging Decision , as of December 13, 2012	12	18

¹ **Felony filings for November** include the filing of the following violent or serious felonies: assault with firearm on peace officer, elder abuse, kidnapping, robbery, battery with serious bodily injury, first degree burglary, evading a peace officer causing injury, spousal abuse, possession of firearm by a felon, gross vehicular manslaughter, arrangement of meeting with minor for lewd and lascivious acts.

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.