

**COUNTY OF
MENDOCINO**

**DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND BUILDING
SERVICES**

CODE ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

Memorandum

Date: January 20, 2009
To: Nash Gonzalez
From: Jim McCleary
Subject: Violation Status
CC: Chris Warrick

In response to your email request of 1/8/09, I am providing a map depicting the five supervisor's districts with the corresponding number of open code enforcement cases. The chart below correlates the approximate population of each district with the number of open cases. The percentage per district is then compared to the overall county.

DISTRICT	No. OPEN CASES	APPROX. POP	% CASES TO POP
1	273	17,672	1.54%
2	183	17,672	1.04%
3	424	17,672	2.40%
4	288	17,672	1.62%
5	402	17,672	2.27%
Total	1,570	88,358	County Average 1.78%

Regarding the priority of cases, our CRW system is not capable of tabulating such data at this time. There are two ways of establishing the distribution of priority 1, 2 & 3 cases; the first would be to physically review all 1,570 case files and record the priority. The second method would be to undertake a random sampling of 10% of all open case files, extrapolating the bell curve generated onto the total population of open cases. Such a sampling would provide a statistically valid margin of error. Please advise how you would like to have us proceed.