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Sheriff-Coroner



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## **County of Mendocino Office Of The Sheriff-Coroner**

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December 4, 2018

Senate Bill 54 (SB54), the California Values Act, became law on January 1, 2018. The Sheriff's Office currently complies with all state and federal laws. We comply with the Trust Act, Truth Act and the California Values Act. Our policy statement is as follows:

*The Mendocino County Sheriff's Office will equally enforce the laws and serve the public without regard to immigration status. No person shall be held solely on the basis of their immigration status, unless a judicial warrant is issued by a magistrate ordering such a hold. The immigration status of a person, and the lack of immigration documentation, should have no bearing on the manner in which Sheriff's Office personnel execute their duties.*

Pursuant to California Government Code 7283.1, the governing body of any county or city law enforcement is required to hold a community forum to provide the public information about I.C.E. access and actions regarding incarcerated individuals from the previous year. During that forum, the local law enforcement agency may provide the governing body with data it maintains regarding the number and demographic characteristics of individuals to whom the agency has provided ICE access.

Of the 4700 bookings the Sheriff's Office received during 2017, the jail received 31 requests from the Department of Homeland Security to detain arrestees. Of those 31 requests:

- 15 were arrested by ICE,
- 4 were still in custody,
- 7 were released to other agencies and
- 2 requests were withdrawn.

Gender and ages as follows:

- 2 Males                      18 to 24
- 11 Males                    25 to 30
- 11 Males/1 female 31 to 34
- 3 Males                     35 to 40
- 3 Males                     41 to 49

It is the Sheriff's Office plans to come before the Board of Supervisor each year to give corresponding statistics of the actions of Department of Homeland Security.