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**MENDOCINO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE**  
MATTHEW C. KENDALL, Sheriff-Coroner

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**MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** 07/06/2020

**TO:** Sheriff Kendall (via chain of command)

**FROM:** Lt. Mike Dygert

**SUBJECT:** Health Order Enforcement/education

Sheriff, in the first week of June I was asked to determine how many people contacts of health order SIP education-warning enforcement was conducted by the Sheriff's Office personnel since the formation of the Covid 19 task force. As you are aware the task force mainly consisted of three to five sheriff's office personnel (bailiffs and patrol deputies to fill in as necessary) and personnel from Special Investigation Unit (SIU) of 6 investigators.

In reviewing the 214s submitted during the task force I was able to determine that our Sheriff's deputies contacted approx. **618 people** regarding the county's health order SIP to provide education and warnings to those individuals. The majority of those contacts were from three deputies, McBride, Mcnelley and Munoz who handled the lions share of the task force work.

As the county's Health Order changed the task force was disbanded on May 15. Since that time the Health Order SIP changed allowing businesses to open up and more freedom of revelers to travel into our county with the majority visiting the coastal communities. The recent focus on the counties heath order is regarding the face coverings order. Since the first week of June deputies have been directed to educate and provide warning enforcement to people not wearing their facial coverings with 1 deputy being assigned to the Township of Mendocino where we have received complaints by people in that community.

From about June 5<sup>th</sup> to present (07/6/20) deputies assigned to the coast have contacted approx. **57**

people to educate/warn about the updated facial covering health order. Of those 57 people, 1 person was issued a **NOV** for not wearing a facial covering.