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2014 DA Annual Report Executive Summary

District Attorney Risa Vetri Ferman is pleased to release the District Attorney's 2014 Annual Report to share with the public the significant matters and accomplishments made by the DA's Office during the 2014 calendar year.

In addition to numerical data which serves to promote transparency and accountability, the 2014 Report will include a newsletter, highlighting the work of a select group of Office initiatives and programs. The report features key points of the past year, ranging from the outstanding work done by District Attorney Ferman's newly implemented Violent Crime Unit, to the valuable service provided to victims by K9 "Turks" the DA's Office Comfort Dog.

District Attorney Ferman is proud to report an overall conviction rate of 98.1 percent during 2014. During her seventh year as the County's top prosecutor, she continued to meet her strategic goals designed to protect the citizens of Montgomery County. While continuing her commitment to the well-being of the community's most vulnerable citizens – children and the elderly, 2014 marked a focus on best practices within the DA's Office and law enforcement to ensure investigative and prosecutorial integrity.

[MONTGOMERY COUNTY OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY 2014 ANNUAL REPORT \(click here\)](#)

Approved for release:

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