

HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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ON AN AVERAGE NIGHT LAST WEEK, **4,108** PEOPLE WERE LOCKED IN A CAGE AT THE HARRIS COUNTY JAIL BECAUSE THEY COULDN'T AFFORD MONEY BAIL, EVEN THOUGH IT IS ILLEGAL TO JAIL PEOPLE SOLELY BECAUSE THEY ARE POOR. THIS REPORT USES JAIL POPULATION DATA PROVIDED BY HARRIS COUNTY TO COMPARE THE PRETRIAL DETENTION NUMBERS OF HARRIS COUNTY'S FELONY JUDGES.

DISTRICT COURTS BY HIGHEST PRETRIAL DETENTION POPULATION

JULY 5, 2020 - JULY 11, 2020*

#1: JUDGE RAMONA FRANKLIN



245

PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY

338TH DISTRICT COURT

#2: JUDGE GEORGE POWELL



222

PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY

351ST DISTRICT COURT

#3: JUDGE RANDY ROLL



219

PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY

179TH DISTRICT COURT

<u>RANK</u>	<u>COURT</u>	<u>JUDGE</u>	<u>DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE DETAINED PRETRIAL</u>
4.	337TH	HERB RITCHIE	214
5.	176TH	NIKITA HARMON	213
6.	339TH	JESSE MCCLURE	207
7.	174TH	HAZEL JONES	204
8.	185TH	JASON LUONG	198
9.	178TH	KELLI JOHNSON	195
10.	177TH	ROBERT JOHNSON	192
11.	182ND	DANILO LACAYO	187
12.	208TH	GREG GLASS	186
13.	262ND	LORI CHAMBERS GRAY	186
14.	183RD	CHUCK SILVERMAN	181
15.	263RD	AMY MARTIN	179
16.	248TH	HILARY UNGER	177
17.	230TH	CHRIS MORTON	172
18.	209TH	BRIAN WARREN	169
19.	232ND	JOSH HILL	160
20.	184TH	ABIGAIL ANASTASIO	146
21.	180TH	DASEAN JONES	142
22.	228TH	FRANK AGUILAR	114

Harris County taxpayers spent over **\$2 MILLION** on illegal pretrial detention this week. That's over 150% of the \$1.3 million Harris County taxpayers spend every week on public health services, the public library, and pollution control **COMBINED**.

*THE COUNTY DID NOT PROVIDE DATA FOR JULY 7, 2020. CALCULATIONS INVOLVING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY SPENT ON PRETRIAL DETENTION INCLUDE PROJECTED COSTS FOR JULY 7.