

HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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ON AN AVERAGE NIGHT LAST WEEK, **4,882** 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

NOVEMBER 29, 2020 - DECEMBER 5, 2020

#1: JUDGE RAMONA FRANKLIN



285

PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY

338TH DISTRICT COURT

#2: JUDGE NIKITA HARMON



261

PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY

176TH DISTRICT COURT

#3: JUDGE HERB RITCHIE



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PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY

337TH DISTRICT COURT

RANK	COURT	JUDGE	DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE DETAINED PRETRIAL
4.	174TH	HAZEL JONES	252
5.	351ST	GEORGE POWELL	250
6.	183RD	CHUCK SILVERMAN	243
7.	209TH	BRIAN WARREN	238
8.	339TH	JESSE MCCLURE	235
9.	177TH	ROBERT JOHNSON	228
10.	248TH	HILARY UNGER	228
11.	185TH	JASON LUONG	227
12.	179TH	RANDY ROLL	217
13.	182ND	DANILO LACAYO	215
14.	180TH	DASEAN JONES	210
15.	208TH	GREG GLASS	207
16.	262ND	LORI CHAMBERS GRAY	205
17.	263RD	AMY MARTIN	199
18.	232ND	JOSH HILL	198
19.	178TH	KELLI JOHNSON	193
20.	230TH	CHRIS MORTON	186
21.	184TH	ABIGAIL ANASTASIO	183
22.	228TH	FRANK AGUILAR	164

Harris County taxpayers spent over **\$2.5 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.**