



# HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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ON AN AVERAGE NIGHT LAST WEEK, **5,656** 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

AUGUST 8, 2021 - AUGUST 14, 2021\*

#1: JUDGE RAMONA FRANKLIN	#2: JUDGE HAZEL JONES	#3: JUDGE NIKITA HARMON
 <p><b>454</b> PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY</p> <p>338TH DISTRICT COURT</p>	 <p><b>348</b> PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY</p> <p>174TH DISTRICT COURT</p>	 <p><b>317</b> PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY</p> <p>176TH DISTRICT COURT</p>

RANK	COURT	JUDGE	DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE DETAINED PRETRIAL
4.	262ND	LORI CHAMBERS GRAY	302
5.	183RD	CHUCK SILVERMAN	285
6.	177TH	ROBERT JOHNSON	285
7.	185TH	JASON LUONG	270
8.	248TH	HILARY UNGER	259
9.	209TH	BRIAN E. WARREN	254
10.	182ND	DANILO LACAYO	244
11.	178TH	KELLI JOHNSON	243
12.	337TH	COLLEEN GAIDO	239
13.	232ND	JOSH HILL	237
14.	180TH	DASEAN JONES	221
15.	263RD	AMY MARTIN	220
16.	208TH	GREG GLASS	217
17.	230TH	CHRIS MORTON	213
18.	184TH	ABIGAIL ANASTASIO	207
19.	179TH	ANA MARTINEZ	202
20.	228TH	FRANK AGUILAR	196
21.	339TH	TE'IVA J. BELL	193
22.	351ST	NATALIA "NATA" CORNELIO	158
-	RIC	BROCK THOMAS	92

Harris County taxpayers spent over **\$2.95 MILLION** on illegal pretrial detention this week. That's over TWICE 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 AUGUST 13, 2021. CALCULATIONS INVOLVING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY SPENT ON PRETRIAL DETENTION INCLUDE PROJECTED COSTS FOR AUGUST 13.