

# HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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ON AN AVERAGE NIGHT LAST WEEK, **3,922** 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

APRIL 5, 2020 - APRIL 11, 2020

<b>#1: JUDGE GEORGE POWELL</b>	<b>#2: JUDGE CHUCK SILVERMAN</b>	<b>#3: JUDGE RAMONA FRANKLIN</b>
 <p><b>228</b> PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY</p> <p>Judge George Powell 351ST DISTRICT COURT</p>	 <p><b>223</b> PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY</p> <p>183RD DISTRICT COURT</p>	 <p><b>213</b> PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY</p> <p>338TH DISTRICT COURT</p>

<u>RANK</u>	<u>COURT</u>	<u>JUDGE</u>	<u>DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE DETAINED PRETRIAL</u>
4.	174TH	HAZEL JONES	212
5.	179TH	RANDY ROLL	210
6.	185TH	JASON LUONG	206
7.	339TH	JESSE MCCLURE	206
8.	337TH	HERB RITCHIE	197
9.	176TH	NIKITA HARMON	191
10.	178TH	KELLI JOHNSON	184
11.	262ND	LORI CHAMBERS GRAY	183
12.	208TH	GREG GLASS	175
13.	263RD	AMY MARTIN	169
14.	182ND	DANILO LACAYO	167
15.	209TH	BRIAN WARREN	159
16.	230TH	CHRIS MORTON	159
17.	248TH	HILARY UNGER	154
18.	177TH	ROBERT JOHNSON	153
19.	232ND	JOSH HILL	151
20.	180TH	DASEAN JONES	138
21.	184TH	ABIGAIL ANASTASIO	137
22.	228TH	FRANK AGUILAR	107

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**.