## HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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ON AN AVERAGE NIGHT LAST WEEK, **5,245** 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 4, 2021 - APRIL 10, 2021

### #1: JUDGE RAMONA FRANKLIN

344

PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY

338TH DISTRICT COURT

# **#2: JUDGE HAZEL JONES**

PER NIGHT BASED

ON INABILITY

TO PAY



174TH DISTRICT COURT

### **#3: JUDGE NIKITA HARMON**



284
PEOPLE DETAINED
PER NIGHT BASED
ON INABILITY
TO PAY

176TH DISTRICT COURT

| RANK | COURT | JUDGE              | DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE DETAINED PRETRIAL |
|------|-------|--------------------|--|
| 4.   | 177тн | ROBERT JOHNSON     | 278  |
| 5.   | 183rd | CHUCK SILVERMAN    | 266  |
| 6.   | 337тн | COLLEEN GAIDO      | 252  |
| 7.   | 182nd | DANILO LACAYO      | 250  |
| 8.   | 262ND | LORI CHAMBERS GRAY | 250  |
| 9.   | 248тн | HILARY UNGER       | 238  |
| 10.  | 185тн | JASON LUONG        | 234  |
| 11.  | 209тн | BRIAN WARREN       | 230  |
| 12.  | 208тн | GREG GLASS         | 227  |
| 13.  | 178тн | KELLI JOHNSON      | 226  |
| 14.  | 184тн | ABIGAIL ANASTASIO  | 219  |
| 15.  | 180тн | DASEAN JONES       | 215  |
| 16.  | 339тн | TE'IVA J. BELL     | 209  |
| 17.  | 263RD | AMY MARTIN         | 204  |
| 18.  | 230тн | CHRIS MORTON       | 200  |
| 19.  | 232ND | JOSH HILL          | 192  |
| 20.  | 179тн | ANA MARTINEZ       | 189  |
| 21.  | 228тн | FRANK AGUILAR      | 181  |
| 22.  | 351sт | NATALIA CORNELIO   | 165  |
| -    | -RIC- | BROCK THOMAS       | 76   |

Harris County taxpayers spent over \$2.7 MILLION on illegal pretrial detention this week.

That's more than **TWICE** the \$1.3 million Harris County taxpayers spend every week on public

health services, the public library, and pollution control COMBINED.