HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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ON AN AVERAGE NIGHT LAST WEEK, **4,454** 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

MARCH 1, 2020 - MARCH 7, 2020

#1: JUDGE GEORGE POWELL

Judge George Powell

260
PEOPLE DETAINED PER NIGHT BASED ON INABILITY TO PAY

351ST DISTRICT COURT

#2: JUDGE HAZEL JONES

PER NIGHT BASED

ON INABILITY

TO PAY



174TH DISTRICT COURT

#3: JUDGE JASON LUONG



252
PEOPLE DETAINED
PER NIGHT BASED
ON INABILITY
TO PAY

185TH DISTRICT COURT

<u>RANK</u>	<u>COURT</u>	<u>JUDGE</u>	DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE DETAINED PRETRIAL
4.	183rd	CHUCK SILVERMAN	244
5.	339тн	JESSE MCCLURE	230
6.	182nd	DANILO LACAYO	222
7.	338тн	RAMONA FRANKLIN	221
8.	337тн	HERB RITCHIE	214
9.	208тн	GREG GLASS	213
10.	262ND	LORI CHAMBERS GRAY	213
11.	179тн	RANDY ROLL	210
12.	263RD	AMY MARTIN	201
13.	176тн	NIKITA HARMON	194
14.	178тн	KELLI JOHNSON	188
15.	248тн	HILARY UNGER	185
16.	232ND	JOSH HILL	176
17.	177тн	ROBERT JOHNSON	175
18.	230тн	CHRIS MORTON	174
19.	209тн	BRIAN WARREN	167
20.	184тн	ABIGAIL ANASTASIO	159
21.	180тн	DASEAN JONES	153
22.	228тн	FRANK AGUILAR	150

Harris County taxpayers spent over **\$2.3 MILLION** on illegal pretrial detention this week. That's close to twice the \$1.3 million Harris County taxpayers spend every week on public health services, the public library, and pollution control **COMBINED.**