

# HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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## Nikita Harmon – 176<sup>th</sup> District Court

Detained:

- **76% of Black defendants (121 out of 159)**
- **68% of Hispanic White defendants (39 out of 57)**
- **59% of non-Hispanic White defendants (58 out of 98)**

per night based on inability to pay

Last week, **Judge Nikita Harmon** detained **76% of Black defendants (121 out of 159 on an average night)**, **68% of Hispanic White defendants (39 out of 57 on an average night)**, and **59% of non-Hispanic White defendants (58 out of 98 on an average night)** in Harris County Jail because they couldn't afford money bail.

Judge Harmon's **racial difference in pretrial detention rates for Black and Non-Hispanic White defendants** is among the **50% best** in Harris County. Her **racial difference in pretrial detention rates for Hispanic and Non-Hispanic White defendants** is among the **50% worst** in Harris County.

### Track Judge Harmon's Detention Rates

