

# HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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

Detained:

- **75% of Black defendants (134 out of 179)**
- **68% of Hispanic White defendants (42 out of 62)**
- **58% of non-Hispanic White defendants (72 out of 124)**

per night based on inability to pay

Last week, **Judge Nikita Harmon** detained **75% of Black defendants (134 out of 179 on an average night)**, **68% of Hispanic White defendants (42 out of 62 on an average night)**, and **58% of non-Hispanic White defendants (72 out of 124 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

