

HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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Jesse McClure, III – 339th District Court

Detained:

- **78% of Black defendants (135 out of 173)**
- **62% of Hispanic White defendants (30 out of 48)**
- **58% of non-Hispanic White defendants (66 out of 114)**

per night based on inability to pay

Last week, **Judge Jesse McClure, III** detained **78% of Black defendants (135 out of 173 on an average night)**, **62% of Hispanic White defendants (30 out of 48 on an average night)**, and **58% of non-Hispanic White defendants (66 out of 114 on an average night)** in Harris County Jail because they couldn't afford money bail.

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

Track Judge McClure's Detention Rates

