

HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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Randy Roll – 179th District Court

Detained:

- **79% of Black defendants (117 out of 148)**
- **57% of Hispanic White defendants (25 out of 44)**
- **55% of non-Hispanic White defendants (57 out of 103)**

per night based on inability to pay

Last week, **Judge Randy Roll** detained **79% of Black defendants (117 out of 148 on an average night)**, **57% of Hispanic White defendants (25 out of 44 on an average night)**, and **55% of non-Hispanic White defendants (57 out of 103 on an average night)** in Harris County Jail because they couldn't afford money bail.

Judge Roll'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 **25% best** in Harris County.

Track Judge Roll's Detention Rates

