

HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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Randy Roll – 179th District Court

Detained:

- **79% of Black defendants (128 out of 162)**
- **59% of Hispanic White defendants (29 out of 49)**
- **52% of non-Hispanic White defendants (61 out of 115)**

per night based on inability to pay

Last week, **Judge Randy Roll** detained **79% of Black defendants (128 out of 162 on an average night)**, **59% of Hispanic White defendants (29 out of 49 on an average night)**, and **52% of non-Hispanic White defendants (61 out of 115 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 **50% best** in Harris County.

Track Judge Roll's Detention Rates

