

# WASHINGTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS County Courthouse

# MEETING OF THE WASHINGTON COUNTY QUORUM COURT JAIL/LAW ENFORCEMENT/COURTS COMMITTEE

Monday, August 09, 2021
Immediately following Personnel Meeting
Washington County Quorum Court Room

Patrick Deakins - Vice-Chair Lisa Ecke Willie Leming

Lance Johnson - Chair

Eva Madison Shannon Marti Bill Ussery

#### AGENDA

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME

#### 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

At the beginning of each meeting, the agenda shall be approved. Any JP may request an item be added or removed from the agenda subject to approval of the Committee.

#### **REPORTS**

#### 3. JUVENILE DETENTION

Monthly Statistics Report (3.1 – 3.6)

#### 4. SHERIFF'S OFFICE

- Enforcement Activity Report (4.1)
- Detention Activity Report (4.2 4.3)
- Population Report (4.4 4.7)
- Pre-Trial vs Total Bed Count (4.8)

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

- 5. DISCUSSION ON STRATEGIC COVID MITIGATION AND JAIL BED ALLOCATION
- 6. REPORT ON CAP COMMUNITY ALTERNATIVE PROGRAM
- 7. CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COMMITTEE UPDATE

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- 8. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$125,000 FROM UNAPPROPRIATED RESERVES IN THE GENERAL FUND (1000) TO THE OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LINE ITEM (3009) IN THE BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS BUDGET (10000108) FOR 2021 Item 21-O-092 (8.1)
- 9. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$250,000 FROM THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUND (3046) TO THE ENGINEERING/ARCHITECTURE LINE ITEM (3004) IN THE BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS BUDGET (10000108) FOR 2021 Item 21-O-093 (9.1)
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#### 11. PUBLIC COMMENT

Twelve-minute comment period with a three-minute limit for each individual to comment on items on the agenda.

12. ADJOURNMENT

Washington County Juvenile Detention Center 885 Clydesdale Fayetteville, AR 72701 N. Denyse Collins, Director 444-1670, ext.3

Joseph Wood Washington County Judge

# Memo

To: Judge Joseph Wood

From: Denyse Collins, Director

**CC:** Brian Lester, Patricia Burnett, Norma Frisby, Kendrick Sexton

**Date:** August 2, 2021

Re: Juvenile Detention Monthly Statistics Report, July 2021

Please find attached the following statistical reporting for the Washington County Juvenile Detention Center for the month of July 2021:

- Daily population count
- Detention comparisons for 2020 and 2021
- Totals and averages
- Average daily population for June: 10.97
- Number of transports: 12

# Washington County Juvenile Detention Center Daily Population Count for July 2021

The information contained within this report was developed using the center's daily population count forms, which were designed to provide the Juvenile Court staff with daily population information.

July 2021

| 01         | 02         | 03         | 04         | 05         | 06         | 07         |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Population |
| 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 5          | 8          |
| 08         | 09         | 10         | 11         | 12         | 13         | 14         |
| Population |
| 10         | 10         | 13         | 13         | 14         | 14         | 14         |
| 15         | 16         | 17         | 18         | 19         | 20         | 21         |
| Population |
| 13         | 12         | 13         | 13         | 13         | 12         | 12         |
| 22         | 23         | 24         | 25         | 26         | 27         | 28         |
| Population |
| 13         | 12         | 11         | 11         | 11         | 11         | 12         |
| 29         | 30         | 31         |            |            |            |            |
| Population | Population | Population |            |            |            |            |
| 12         | 11         | 12         |            |            |            |            |
|            |            |            |            | Day of the | Daily      |            |
|            |            |            |            |            | Population |            |
|            |            |            |            | Month      | Population |            |

<sup>\*\*</sup>July 01st-04th was closed. Residents were brought back to the facility during the day of July 05th.

## Washington County Juvenile Detention Center Detention Data Comparisons

The following information is a comparison of detention data elements for the month of July for 2020 and 2021.

| Statistical Information                        | 2020  | 2021  |
|--|-------|-------|
| Average number of intakes per day              | 0.65  | 0.90  |
| Number of intakes (total for period)           | 20    | 28    |
| Number of days of detention (total for period) | 128   | 173   |
| Average age                                    | 15.55 | 15.89 |
| Average length of stay                         | 6.40  | 6.18  |

| <b>Top Five Offenses Used for Detention</b> |              |                                      |              |  |
|---|--------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|--|
| 2020 2021                                   |              |                                      |              |  |
| Offense                                     | # of Intakes | Offense                              | # of Intakes |  |
| Criminal Trespass<br>(Misdemeanor)          | 4            | Aggravated Assault (Felony)          | 5            |  |
| Probation Violation (Felony)                | 4            | Probation Violation<br>(Felony)      | 4            |  |
| Criminal Mischief (Misdemeanor)             | 3            | Probation Violation<br>(Misdemeanor) | 3            |  |
| Probation Violation (Misdemeanor)           | 2            | Battery-3<br>(Misdemeanor)           | 3            |  |
| Theft by Receiving (Felony)                 | 2            | DYS-Not Specified                    | 2            |  |

# **Washington County Juvenile Detention Center**

## **Totals and Averages**

This report covers 31 days 7/1/2021 **to** 7/31/2021

The Avg. Daily Intake is 0.90

Intakes28Days of Detention173Average Age15.89Average Stay6.18

#### Totals and Averages by County and Percentage of Facility Use

**Start Date** 7/1/2021 **End Date** 7/31/2021

This report covers 31 days

| County                     | # Intakes | # Detention<br>Days | Average<br>Stay | Av. Daily<br>Intake | Percentage of Total<br>Days |
|----------------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| * <not specified=""></not> | 1         | 2                   | 2.00            | 0.03                | 1.16 %                      |
| Faulkner                   | 2         | 23                  | 11.50           | 0.06                | 13.29 %                     |
| Franklin                   | 1         | 2                   | 2.00            | 0.03                | 1.16 %                      |
| Pope                       | 1         | 5                   | 5.00            | 0.03                | 2.89 %                      |
| Washington                 | 23        | 136                 | 5.91            | 0.74                | 78.61 %                     |
| *                          | 28        | 173                 | 6.18            | 0.90                | 97.11 %                     |

### **Totals and Averages by Court**

| Court    | # of Intakes | # of Days | Avg. Stay |
|----------|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| Juvenile | 27           | 166       | 6.15      |

<sup>\*</sup>Primary residence in the state of Texas and database provided inaccurate information. Current information is correct

# **Washington County Juvenile Detention Center**

## **Totals and Averages**

This report covers 31 days 7/1/2020 **to** 7/31/2020

The Avg. Daily Intake is 0.65

Intakes20Days of Detention128Average Age15.55Average Stay6.40

### **Totals and Averages by County and Percentage of Facility Use**

**Start Date** 7/1/2020 **End Date** 7/31/2020

This report covers 31 days

| County     | # Intakes | # Detention<br>Days | Average<br>Stay | Av. Daily<br>Intake | Percentage of Total<br>Days |
|------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Madison    | 1         | 4                   | 4.00            | 0.03                | 3.13 %                      |
| Washington | 19        | 124                 | 6.53            | 0.61                | 96.88 %                     |
|            | 20        | 128                 | 6.40            | 0.65                | 100.00 %                    |

### **Totals and Averages by Court**

| Court    | # of Intakes | # of Days | Avg. Stay |
|----------|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| Juvenile | 20           | 128       | 6.40      |

## **Washington County Juvenile Detention Center**

The following information shows the average daily population over the past six months, February 2021 to July 2021.

| Average Daily Population |                  |               |               |          |              |              |
|--------------------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|----------|--------------|--------------|
|                          | February<br>2021 | March<br>2021 | April<br>2021 | May 2021 | June<br>2021 | July<br>2021 |
| *Total admits            | 46               | 40            | 37            | 42       | 32           | 35           |
| Total days               | 337              | 504           | 473           | 351      | 413          | 340          |
| Average daily population | 12.04            | 16.26         | 15.77         | 11.32    | 13.77        | 10.97        |

<sup>\*</sup>Total admits include intakes and residents currently detained at the month's end.

| July 2021         |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Currently Holding | (Last day of month)                                      |  |  |  |
| 2                 | Sentenced  |  |  |  |
| 1                 | Adult charged youth currently holding                    |  |  |  |
| 0                 | FINS   |  |  |  |
| 0                 | DYS  |  |  |  |
| 1                 | Early release to treatment or other appropriate facility |  |  |  |
| 0                 | CSTP   |  |  |  |
| 2                 | Sent to acute placement (during month)                   |  |  |  |

| Transports |   |  |  |
|------------|---|--|--|
| 12         | Total Transports  |  |  |
| 7          | Local   |  |  |
| 5          | Out of town transports  |  |  |
| 2/0/0 (2)  | Law Enforcement/Other agency transported/Parent or legal guardian |  |  |
| 10         | JDC transports  |  |  |

# **Washington County Sheriff's Office**

Activity Report

|                    | <u>July</u> |        | <u>Januar</u> | y-July |
|--------------------|-------------|--------|---------------|--------|
|                    | 2021        | 2020   | 2021          | 2020   |
| Patrol             |             |        |               |        |
| Calls for Service: | 2,055       | 1,842  | 14,026        | 13,122 |
| Animal Calls:      | 112         | 112    | 718           | 717    |
| Civil Process      |             |        |               |        |
| Papers Entered:    | 210         | 216    | 1,748         | 1,691  |
| No Charge:         | 144         | 130    | 1,248         | 1,143  |
| Papers Served:     | 239         | 208    | 1,770         | 1,725  |
| Service Attempts:  | 273         | 263    | 2,042         | 1,996  |
| Warrants           |             |        |               |        |
| Warrants Entered:  | 645         | 440    | 4,145         | 2,813  |
| Warrants Served:   | 553         | 345    | 4,251         | 2,955  |
| Training           |             |        |               |        |
| Hours Trained:     | 4,305       | 3,140  | 27,891        | 23,728 |
| Communications     |             |        |               |        |
| Regular Calls:     | 13,550      | 14,356 | 93,770        | 94,125 |
| 911 Calls:         | 731         | 710    | 4,551         | 4,529  |

# **Washington County Detention Center**

Activity Report

|                         | July                     |        | <u>Januar</u> | <u>ry-July</u> |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------|---------------|----------------|
|                         | (2021)                   | 2020   | 2021          | 2020           |
| Detention               |                          |        |               |                |
| Intakes:                | 857                      | 600    | 5,024         | 5,333          |
| Sent To Prison:         | 16                       | 1      | 291           | 301            |
| Daily Average:          | 645                      | 430    | 553           | 521            |
| Daily Average: (Female) | 107                      | 68     | 84            | 96             |
| <b>Detention Boar</b>   | rd Days                  |        |               |                |
| State Prisoners:        | 2,548                    | 2,648  | 19,678        | 14,746         |
|                         | X \$32/day = \$81,536    | 5      |               |                |
| Federal Prisoners:      | 1,712                    | 2,004  | 12,470        | 14,638         |
|                         | X \$80/day = \$ 136,90   |        |               |                |
| Madison County:         | 917                      | 262    | 3,722         | 3,785          |
| County Commits:         | X \$73.81/day = \$67,684 | 197    | 2,300         | 5,062          |
| Pre-Trial:              | 12,040                   | 6,219  | 67,532        |                |
|                         |                          | ·      | •             | 60,856         |
| All Detainees:          | 19,370                   | 12,901 | 116,885       | 110,503        |
| Outside Worke           | ers                      |        |               |                |
| Community Service       |                          | 0      | 2             | 180            |
| Transport               |                          |        |               |                |
| Transport Miles:        | 33,013                   | 10,191 | 193,364       | 160,087        |
| In County:              | 1,076                    | 467    | 5,787         | 4,961          |
| Out of County:          | 132                      | 8      | 652           | 664            |

# **Washington County Detention Center**

Activity Report

|                                   | July                       |        | <u>January-July</u> |         |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------|---------------------|---------|--|--|--|
|                                   | 2019                       | 2018   | 2019                | 2018    |  |  |  |
| Detention                         |                            |        |                     |         |  |  |  |
| Intakes:                          | 1,161                      | 1,168  | 7,718               | 7,521   |  |  |  |
| Sent To Prison:                   | 26                         | 28     | 185                 | 215     |  |  |  |
| Daily Average:                    | 715                        | 638    | 684                 | 623     |  |  |  |
| Daily Average: (Female)           | 145                        | 136    | 134                 | 121     |  |  |  |
| <b>Detention Boar</b>             | rd Days                    |        |                     |         |  |  |  |
| State Prisoners:                  | 4,350                      | 3,148  | 26,322              | 26,668  |  |  |  |
|                                   | X \$32/day = \$139,        |        |                     |         |  |  |  |
| Federal Prisoners:                | 2,253 $X $80/day = $ 180,$ | 1,946  | 15,260              | 11,216  |  |  |  |
| Madison County:                   | 680                        | 660    | 4,781               | 4,228   |  |  |  |
| _                                 | X \$73.81/day = \$ 50,1    |        |                     |         |  |  |  |
| County Commits:                   | 382                        | 461    | 2,643               | 2,861   |  |  |  |
| Pre-Trial:                        | 11,889                     | 11,122 | 81,807              | 74,895  |  |  |  |
| All Detainees:                    | 21,461                     | 19,149 | 144,434             | 131,662 |  |  |  |
| Outside Workers                   |                            |        |                     |         |  |  |  |
| Community Service                 | e: <b>92</b>               | 74     | 689                 | 655     |  |  |  |
| <b>Transport</b> Transport Miles: | 39,380                     | 27,501 | 245,830             | 213,685 |  |  |  |
| In County:                        | 979                        | 966    | 7,002               | 7,147   |  |  |  |
| Out of County:                    | 161                        | 128    | 1,165               | 1,011   |  |  |  |



#### Washington County Sheriff's Office

Washington County Detention Center Daily Counts for 8/2/2021 As of 8:34 AM

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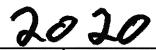
High Count: 646 102 Female Count: Intakes: 4 Booked In: 9 Released: 5 Year To Date Bookings: 5047 Sent To Prison: 0 State Prisoners: 103 Federal Prisoners: 53 Pre-Trial: 395 County Commit: 12 Work Release - Males: 85 Work Release - Females: 21 Pre-Booked: 2

Restricted Bookings:

Community Service:

| Class                             | м   | F  | Total |
|-----------------------------------|-----|----|-------|
| 309 INMATE                        | 19  | 17 | 36    |
| ACT 570 COMMIT                    | 1   | 0  | 1     |
| ADC PAROLE VIOLATED               | 12  | 1  | 13    |
| ADC PAROLE VIOLATED 90 DAY        | 45  | 5  | 50    |
| BACK FOR COURT                    | 5   | 1  | 6     |
| BODY ATTACHMENT                   | 2   | 0  | 2     |
| CIRCUIT COURT COMMIT              | 1   | 0  | 1     |
| DISTRICT COURT COMMIT             | 9   | 0  | 9     |
| FELONY PRETRIAL                   | 188 | 35 | 223   |
| FELONY PRETRIAL PC-PREARRAIGNMENT | 64  | 15 | 79    |
| MADISON COUNTY CONTRACT HOLD      | 31  | 5  | 36    |
| MISD PRE TRIAL                    | 9   | 1  | 10    |
| NEW COMMITMENT TO ACC             | 10  | 2  | 12    |
| NEW COMMITMENT TO ADC             | 22  | 5  | 27    |
| OTHER AGENCY HOLD                 | 4   | 0  | 4     |
| OUT COUNT                         | 2   | 0  | 2     |
| PROBATION VIOLATION               | 33  | 1  | 34    |
| US MARSHAL                        | 44  | 9  | 53    |
| WHITE WARRANT                     | 40  | 3  | 43    |

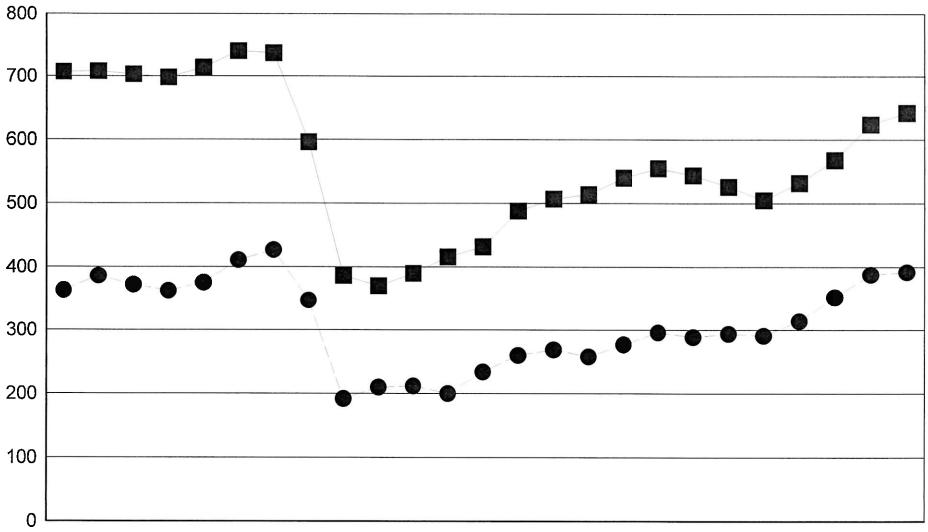
| Month     | Bookings | Released<br>Sheriff's<br>Order | Released<br>OR | Total | Released<br>Without<br>Bond |
|-----------|----------|--------------------------------|----------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| January   | 595      | 117                            | 113            | 230   | 39%                         |
| Feburary  | 491      | 96                             | 79             | 175   | 36%                         |
| March     | 783      | 181                            | 106            | 287   | 37%                         |
| April     | 701      | 137                            | 87             | 224   | 32%                         |
| May       | 754      | 113                            | 104            | 217   | 29%                         |
| June      | 848      | 137                            | 136            | 273   | 32%                         |
| July      | 857      | 148                            | 111            | 259   | 30%                         |
| August    |          | -                              |                | 0     | 0%                          |
| September |          |                                |                | 0     | 0%                          |
| October   |          |                                |                | 0     | 0%                          |
| November  |          |                                |                | 0     | 0%                          |
| December  |          |                                |                | 0     | 0%                          |
| Total     | 5,029    | 929                            | 736            | 1,665 | 33%                         |



| Month     | Bookings | Released<br>Sheriff's<br>Order | Released<br>OR | Total | Released<br>Without<br>Bond |
|-----------|----------|--------------------------------|----------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| January   | 1132     | 182                            | 75             | 257   | 23%                         |
| Feburary  | 1086     | 189                            | 101            | 290   | 27%                         |
| March     | 842      | 188                            | 243            | 431   | 51%                         |
| April     | 472      | 107                            | 93             | 200   | 42%                         |
| May       | 654      | 131                            | 104            | 235   | 36%                         |
| June      | 566      | 120                            | 80             | 200   | 35%                         |
| July      | 601      | 94                             | 106            | 200   | 33%                         |
| August    | 740      | 135                            | 126            | 261   | 35%                         |
| September | 671      | 112                            | 116            | 228   | 34%                         |
| October   | 601      | 129                            | 157            | 286   | 48%                         |
| November  | 561      | 101                            | 116            | 217   | 39%                         |
| December  | 602      | 100                            | 137            | 237   | 39%                         |
| Total     | 8,528    | 1,588                          | 1,454          | 3,042 | 36%                         |



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|-----------|----------|--------------------------------|----------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| January   | 1092     | 118                            | 62             | 180   | 16%                         |
| Feburary  | 950      | 134                            | 37             | 171   | 18%                         |
| March     | 1116     | 171                            | 45             | 216   | 19%                         |
| April     | 1160     | 140                            | 66             | 206   | 18%                         |
| May       | 1152     | 151                            | 86             | 237   | 21%                         |
| June      | 1091     | 152                            | 89             | 241   | 22%                         |
| July      | 1163     | 155                            | 110            | 265   | 23%                         |
| August    | 1181     | 255                            | 76             | 331   | 28%                         |
| September | 1111     | 218                            | 70             | 288   | 26%                         |
| October   | 990      | 102                            | 54             | 156   | 16%                         |
| November  | 915      | 105                            | 53             | 158   | 17%                         |
| December  | 1002     | 151                            | 62             | 213   | 21%                         |
| Total     | 12,923   | 1,852                          | 810            | 2,662 | 21%                         |



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Item 21-O-092

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