

## Overview of Jail bed Reduction Formula

**Question:** By how much must we reduce the jail population to close County Jails #3&#4 without needing to build a replacement facility?

**Answer:** 83,220 jail bed days (avg daily pop reduction of 228 x 365days)

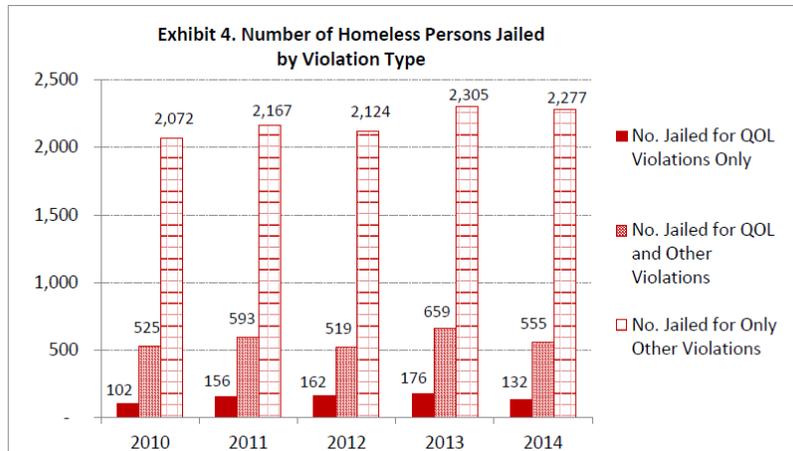
**Explanation:**How did we determine the number of bed days necessary to close County Jails #3 and #4?

	1,238	Beds available if CJ #3,4 and 6 are closed
	<u>-16%</u>	Classification (8.2%) and peaking (7.5%) factors
	1,064	Maximum occupancy (in terms of avg daily population)
	<u>-1,292</u>	2016 avg daily population (January-June)
	228	Need to reduce <i>avg daily population</i> by at least this amount
	<u>x 365</u>	Days in a year
	<b>83,220</b>	<b>Need to reduce <i>bed days</i> by at least this amount</b>
Scenarios	-10,220	If we end federal prisoner contract (28 prisoners per day x 365 days)
	<u>-14,965</u>	If we eliminate treatment bedwait time for collaborative court clients (41 prisoners per day x 365 days)
	58,035	Remaining bed day gap - equivalent to an avg daily pop of 159 (58,035 bed days ÷ 365 days = 159)

## Scenarios for Small Group Discussion

### Scenario #1:

-189 If we divert homeless individuals in jail due to quality of life misdemeanors only  
(In 2014, 132 prisoners spent a total of 189 days in jail)  
see Exhibit 4 below, source: June 1, 2016 Budget & Legislative Analyst Report



Source: Sheriff's Department.

### Scenario #2:

-28,560.5 If we eliminate stays of less than 1 day and reduce by 50% stays of 2-7 days  
(10,451 jail bed days with a length of stay one day or less + (36,219 jail bed days with a length of stay 2-7 days x 50%))  
see table below, source: Sheriff's Department booking data for 2015

Length of stay in jail	# of bookings	% of bookings	# of bed days	% of bed days
1 day or less	7,698	35%	10,451	3%
2-7 days	8,517	39%	36,219	12%
> 7 days	5,559	26%	260,936	85%
<b>Total</b>	<b>21,774</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>307,606</b>	<b>100%</b>

### Scenario #3:

+61 treatment beds If we create new residential treatment beds to eliminate the bed wait for collaborative court clients  
(41 prisoners wait approx two months x 6 two-month cycles in a year x 90 day length of stay in treatment ÷ 365 days)