Tennessee Female Felon Population Update

July 2026

TN Department of Correction

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Population by Facility Type

	Total Felon Population (A+B+C)	Change	Percent Change	TDOC Facilities (A)	Percent of Total	TDOC Backup (B)	Percent of Total	Locally Sentenced (C)	Percent of Total	Local Jail Total (B+C)
FY 2027: Last Day Actual Counts										
July	2,845	3	0.1%	2,092	73.5%	437	15.4%	316	11.1%	753
August										
September										
October										
November										
December										
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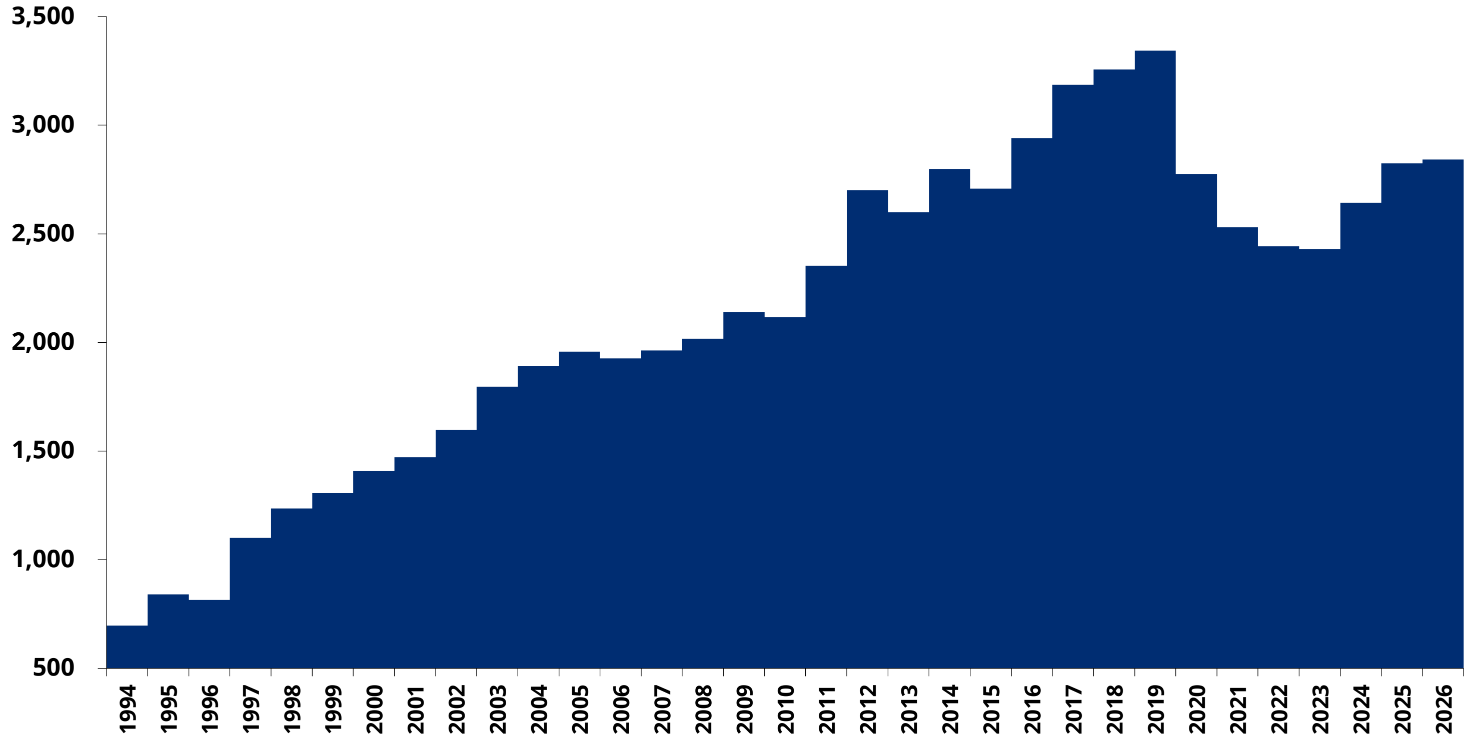
February										
March										
April										
May										
June										
FY Average	**2,845**	**-13**	**-0.5%**	**2,092**	**73.5%**	**437**	**15.4%**	**316**	**11.1%**	**377**
FY 2026: Last Day Actual Counts										
July	2,839	14	0.5%	2,059	72.5%	476	16.8%	304	10.7%	780
August	2,869	30	1.1%	2,062	71.9%	491	17.1%	316	11.0%	807
September	2,850	-19	-0.7%	2,085	73.2%	489	17.2%	276	9.7%	765
October	2,888	38	1.3%	2,077	71.9%	496	17.2%	315	10.9%	811
November	2,908	20	0.7%	2,077	71.4%	505	17.4%	326	11.2%	831
December	2,798	-110	-3.8%	2,092	74.8%	451	16.1%	255	9.1%	706
January	2,857	59	2.1%	2,091	73.2%	473	16.6%	293	10.3%	766
February	2,853	-4	-0.1%	2,078	72.8%	463	16.2%	312	10.9%	775
March	2,849	-4	-0.1%	2,070	72.7%	470	16.5%	309	10.8%	779
April	2,871	22	0.8%	2,079	72.4%	480	16.7%	312	10.9%	792
May	2,875	4	0.1%	2,083	72.5%	478	16.6%	314	10.9%	792
June	2,842	-33	-1.1%	2,091	73.6%	449	15.8%	302	10.6%	751
FY Average	**2,858**	**78**	**3.1%**	**2,079**	**72.7%**	**477**	**16.7%**	**303**	**10.6%**	**780**
Fiscal Year Averages										
2016	2,827	39	1.4%	1,482	52.4%	821	29.0%	524	18.5%	1,345
2017	3,031	204	6.7%	1,761	58.1%	764	25.2%	506	16.7%	1,270
2018	3,257	226	6.9%	1,923	59.0%	834	25.6%	501	15.4%	1,335
2019	3,350	93	2.8%	2,015	60.1%	782	23.3%	553	16.5%	1,335
2020	3,179	-171	-5.4%	1,933	59.0%	800	25.6%	446	15.4%	1,246
2021	2,536	-643	-25.4%	1,747	59.0%	502	25.6%	287	15.4%	789
2022	2,465	-71	-2.9%	1,709	60.1%	441	23.4%	315	16.5%	756
2023	2,434	-31	-1.3%	1,545	60.1%	565	23.4%	324	13.3%	889
2024	2,520	86	3.4%	1,688	60.1%	534	23.4%	298	13.3%	832
2025	2,781	261	10.3%	1,976	71.1%	466	16.7%	339	12.2%	805

Incarcerated Felon Female Population at End of Fiscal Year: 1994 to 2026



Admissions by Type: FY 2027

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TDOC and TDOC Backup

FY 2027	Total Admissions	Percent Change	New Commits	% New Commits	Violators Returned	% Violators Returned	Escapees & Others	% Escapees & Others
July	65	14.0%	33	50.8%	32	49.2%	0	0.0%
August								
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TOTAL	**65**	**-94.4%**	**33**	**50.8%**	**32**	**49.2%**	**0**	**0.0%**

Locally Sentenced

FY 2027	Total Admissions	Percent Change	New Commits	% New Commits	Violators Returned	% Violators Returned	Escapees & Others	% Escapees & Others
July	8	60.0%	6	75.0%	2	25.0%	0	0.0%
August								
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TOTAL	**8**	**-95.4%**	**6**	**75.0%**	**2**	**25.0%**	**0**	**0.0%**

System Total

FY 2027	Total Admissions	Percent Change	New Commits	% New Commits	Violators Returned	% Violators Returned	Escapees & Others	% Escapees & Others
July	73	17.7%	39	53.4%	34	46.6%	0	0.0%
August								
September								
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June								
TOTAL	**73**	**-94.5%**	**39**	**53.4%**	**34**	**46.6%**	**0**	**0.0%**

Admissions by Type: FY 2026

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TDOC and TDOC Backup

FY 2026	Total Admissions	Percent Change	New Commits	% New Commits	Violators Returned	% Violators Returned	Escapees & Others	% Escapees & Others
July	123	15.0%	77	62.6%	46	37.4%	0	0.0%
August	145	17.9%	93	64.1%	52	35.9%	0	0.0%
September	140	-3.4%	91	65.0%	49	35.0%	0	0.0%
October	85	-39.3%	54	63.5%	30	35.3%	1	1.2%
November	110	29.4%	71	64.5%	39	35.5%	0	0.0%
December	85	-22.7%	50	58.8%	33	38.8%	2	2.4%
January	76	-10.6%	47	61.8%	28	36.8%	1	1.3%
February	98	28.9%	56	57.1%	40	40.8%	2	2.0%
March	82	-16.3%	47	57.3%	33	40.2%	2	2.4%
April	90	9.8%	51	56.7%	39	43.3%	0	0.0%
May	73	-18.9%	36	49.3%	36	49.3%	1	1.4%
June	57	-21.9%	30	52.6%	26	45.6%	1	1.8%
TOTAL	**1,164**	**-16.6%**	**703**	**60.4%**	**451**	**38.7%**	**10**	**0.9%**

Locally Sentenced

FY 2026	Total Admissions	Percent Change	New Commits	% New Commits	Violators Returned	% Violators Returned	Escapees & Others	% Escapees & Others
July	23	130.0%	16	69.6%	7	30.4%	0	0.0%
August	22	-4.3%	16	72.7%	6	27.3%	0	0.0%
September	16	-27.3%	13	81.3%	3	18.8%	0	0.0%
October	22	37.5%	16	72.7%	6	27.3%	0	0.0%
November	10	-54.5%	6	60.0%	4	40.0%	0	0.0%
December	14	40.0%	9	64.3%	5	35.7%	0	0.0%
January	14	0.0%	11	78.6%	3	21.4%	0	0.0%
February	16	14.3%	9	56.3%	7	43.8%	0	0.0%
March	11	-31.3%	6	54.5%	5	45.5%	0	0.0%
April	14	27.3%	9	64.3%	5	35.7%	0	0.0%
May	7	-50.0%	4	57.1%	3	42.9%	0	0.0%
June	5	-28.6%	3	60.0%	2	40.0%	0	0.0%
TOTAL	**174**	**5.5%**	**118**	**67.8%**	**56**	**32.2%**	**0**	**0.0%**

System Total

FY 2026	Total Admissions	Percent Change	New Commits	% New Commits	Violators Returned	% Violators Returned	Escapees & Others	% Escapees & Others
July	146	24.8%	93	63.7%	53	36.3%	0	0.0%
August	167	14.4%	109	65.3%	58	34.7%	0	0.0%
September	156	-6.6%	104	66.7%	52	33.3%	0	0.0%
October	107	-31.4%	70	65.4%	36	33.6%	1	0.9%
November	120	12.1%	77	64.2%	43	35.8%	0	0.0%
December	99	-17.5%	59	59.6%	38	38.4%	2	2.0%
January	90	-9.1%	58	64.4%	31	34.4%	1	1.1%
February	114	26.7%	65	57.0%	47	41.2%	2	1.8%
March	93	-18.4%	53	57.0%	38	40.9%	2	2.2%
April	104	11.8%	60	57.7%	44	42.3%	0	0.0%
May	80	-23.1%	40	50.0%	39	48.8%	1	1.3%
June	62	-22.5%	33	53.2%	28	45.2%	1	1.6%
TOTAL	**1,338**	**-14.3%**	**821**	**61.4%**	**507**	**37.9%**	**10**	**0.7%**

Admissions by Type: FY 2016 to FY 2025

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TDOC and TDOC Backup

	Total Admissions	Percent Change	New Commits	% New Commits	Violators Returned	% Violators Returned	Escapees & Others	% Escapees & Others
FY 2016	1,793	-4.8%	997	55.6%	786	43.8%	10	0.6%
FY 2017	1,861	3.8%	1,089	58.5%	766	41.2%	6	0.3%
FY 2018	1,862	0.1%	1,098	59.0%	756	40.6%	8	0.4%
FY 2019	1,878	0.9%	1,065	56.7%	806	42.9%	7	0.4%
FY 2020	1,689	-10.1%	955	56.5%	725	42.9%	9	0.5%
FY 2021	1,258	-25.5%	729	57.9%	520	41.3%	9	0.7%
FY 2022	1,470	16.9%	856	58.2%	602	41.0%	12	0.8%
FY 2023	1,459	-0.7%	880	60.3%	570	39.1%	9	0.6%
FY 2024	1,437	-1.5%	866	60.3%	564	39.2%	7	0.5%
FY 2025	1,396	-2.9%	834	59.7%	556	39.8%	6	0.4%

Locally Sentenced

	Total Admissions	Percent Change	New Commits	% New Commits	Violators Returned	% Violators Returned	Escapees & Others	% Escapees & Others
FY 2016	284	5.6%	187	65.8%	94	33.1%	3	1.1%
FY 2017	222	-21.8%	143	64.4%	78	35.1%	1	0.5%
FY 2018	208	-6.3%	119	57.2%	89	42.8%	0	0.0%
FY 2019	186	-10.6%	123	66.1%	62	33.3%	1	0.5%
FY 2020	101	-45.7%	68	67.3%	32	31.7%	1	1.0%
FY 2021	91	-9.9%	50	54.9%	41	45.1%	0	0.0%
FY 2022	124	36.3%	82	66.1%	41	33.1%	1	0.8%
FY 2023	95	-23.4%	64	67.4%	31	32.6%	0	0.0%
FY 2024	92	-3.2%	60	65.2%	31	33.7%	1	1.1%
FY 2025	165	79.3%	121	73.3%	44	26.7%	0	0.0%

System Total

	Total Admissions	Percent Change	New Commits	% New Commits	Violators Returned	% Violators Returned	Escapees & Others	% Escapees & Others
FY 2016	2,077	-3.5%	1,184	57.0%	880	42.4%	13	0.6%
FY 2017	2,083	0.3%	1,232	59.1%	844	40.5%	7	0.3%
FY 2018	2,070	-0.6%	1,217	58.8%	845	40.8%	8	0.4%
FY 2019	2,064	-0.3%	1,188	57.6%	868	42.1%	8	0.4%
FY 2020	1,790	-13.3%	1,023	57.2%	757	42.3%	10	0.6%
FY 2021	1,349	-24.6%	779	57.7%	561	41.6%	9	0.7%
FY 2022	1,594	18.2%	938	58.8%	643	40.3%	13	0.8%
FY 2023	1,554	-2.5%	944	60.7%	601	38.7%	9	0.6%
FY 2024	1,529	-1.6%	926	60.6%	595	38.9%	8	0.5%
FY 2025	1,561	2.1%	955	61.2%	600	38.4%	6	0.4%

Releases by Type: FY 2027

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TDOC

FY 2027	Total Releases	Percent Change	Parole	% Parole	Prob. & Comm Corr	% Prob. & Comm Corr.	Expiration & Others	% Expirat. & Others
July	57	-1.7%	33	57.9%	8	14.0%	16	28.1%
August								
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March								
April								
May								
June								
TOTAL	**57**	**-91.6%**	**33**	**57.9%**	**8**	**14.1%**	**16**	**28.1%**

TDOC Backup

FY 2027	Total Releases	Percent Change	Parole	% Parole	Prob. & Comm Corr	% Prob. & Comm Corr.	Expiration & Others	% Expirat. & Others
July	75	-5.1%	2	2.7%	51	68.0%	22	29.3%
August								
September								
October								
November								
December								
January								
February								
March								
April								
May								
June								
TOTAL	**75**	**-70.7%**	**2**	**2.7%**	**51**	**68.1%**	**22**	**29.3%**

Locally Sentenced

FY 2027	Total Releases	Percent Change	Parole	% Parole	Prob. & Comm Corr	% Prob. & Comm Corr.	Expiration & Others	% Expirat. & Others
July	48	14.3%	3	6.3%	32	66.8%	13	27.1%
August								
September								
October								
November								
December								
January								
February								
March								
April								
May								
June								
TOTAL	**48**	**-93.1%**	**3**	**6.3%**	**32**	**66.8%**	**13**	**27.1%**

System Total

FY 2027	Total Releases	Percent Change	Parole	% Parole	Prob. & Comm Corr	% Prob. & Comm Corr.	Expiration & Others	% Expirat. & Others
July	180	0.6%	38	21.1%	91	50.6%	51	28.3%
August								
September								
October								
November								
December								
January								
February								
March								
April								
May								
June								
TOTAL	**180**	**-92.4%**	**38**	**21.1%**	**91**	**50.6%**	**51**	**28.3%**

Releases by Type: FY 2026

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FY 2026	Total Releases	Percent Change	Parole	% Parole	Prob. & Comm Corr	% Prob. & Comm Corr.	Expiration & Others	% Expirat. & Others
TDOC								
July	55	-3.5%	41	74.5%	4	7.3%	10	18.2%
August	50	-9.1%	26	52.0%	8	16.0%	16	32.0%
September	47	-6.0%	25	53.2%	5	10.6%	17	36.2%
October	72	53.2%	41	56.9%	13	18.1%	18	25.0%
November	53	-26.4%	28	52.8%	8	15.1%	17	32.1%
December	70	32.1%	44	62.9%	12	17.1%	14	20.0%
January	42	-40.0%	21	50.0%	9	21.4%	12	28.6%
February	56	33.3%	30	53.6%	8	14.3%	18	32.1%
March	72	28.6%	35	48.6%	13	18.1%	24	33.3%
April	50	-30.6%	26	52.0%	10	20.0%	14	28.0%
May	50	0.0%	22	44.0%	6	12.0%	22	44.0%
June	58	16.0%	31	53.4%	12	20.7%	15	25.9%
TOTAL	**675**	**8.3%**	**370**	**54.8%**	**108**	**16.1%**	**197**	**29.2%**

FY 2026	Total Releases	Percent Change	Parole	% Parole	Prob. & Comm Corr	% Prob. & Comm Corr.	Expiration & Others	% Expirat. & Others
TDOC Backup								
July	101	13.5%	13	12.9%	56	55.4%	32	31.7%
August	64	-36.6%	4	6.3%	39	60.9%	21	32.8%
September	89	39.1%	9	10.1%	52	58.4%	28	31.5%
October	87	-2.2%	5	5.7%	49	56.3%	33	37.9%
November	72	-17.2%	11	15.3%	36	50.0%	25	34.7%
December	83	15.3%	12	14.5%	42	50.6%	29	34.9%
January	78	-6.0%	7	9.0%	46	59.0%	25	32.1%
February	71	-9.0%	5	7.0%	44	62.0%	22	31.0%
March	106	49.3%	7	6.6%	52	49.1%	47	44.3%
April	80	-24.5%	5	6.3%	55	68.8%	20	25.0%
May	79	-1.3%	7	8.9%	38	48.1%	34	43.0%
June	79	0.0%	6	7.6%	47	59.5%	26	32.9%
TOTAL	**989**	**6.2%**	**91**	**9.2%**	**556**	**56.3%**	**342**	**34.6%**

FY 2026	Total Releases	Percent Change	Parole	% Parole	Prob. & Comm Corr	% Prob. & Comm Corr.	Expiration & Others	% Expirat. & Others
Locally Sentenced								
July	75	-5.1%	1	1.3%	37	49.4%	37	49.3%
August	57	-24.0%	1	1.8%	22	38.6%	34	59.6%
September	65	14.0%	1	1.5%	35	53.8%	29	44.6%
October	56	-13.8%	0	0.0%	28	50.0%	28	50.0%
November	54	-3.6%	7	13.0%	20	37.0%	27	50.0%
December	69	27.8%	3	4.3%	26	37.7%	40	58.0%
January	54	-21.7%	2	3.7%	26	48.1%	26	48.1%
February	53	-1.9%	1	1.9%	32	60.4%	20	37.7%
March	64	20.8%	0	0.0%	33	51.6%	31	48.4%
April	61	-4.7%	3	4.9%	33	54.1%	25	41.0%
May	50	-18.0%	1	2.0%	31	62.0%	18	36.0%
June	42	-16.0%	0	0.0%	26	61.9%	16	38.1%
TOTAL	**700**	**-4.4%**	**20**	**2.9%**	**349**	**50.0%**	**331**	**47.3%**

FY 2026	Total Releases	Percent Change	Parole	% Parole	Prob. & Comm Corr	% Prob. & Comm Corr.	Expiration & Others	% Expirat. & Others
System Total								
July	231	2.7%	55	23.8%	97	42.0%	79	34.2%
August	171	-26.0%	31	18.1%	69	40.4%	71	41.5%
September	201	17.5%	35	17.4%	92	45.8%	74	36.8%
October	215	7.0%	46	21.4%	90	41.9%	79	36.7%
November	179	-16.7%	46	25.7%	64	35.8%	69	38.5%
December	222	24.0%	59	26.6%	80	36.0%	83	37.4%
January	174	-21.6%	30	17.2%	81	46.6%	63	36.2%
February	180	3.4%	36	20.0%	84	46.7%	60	33.3%
March	242	34.4%	42	17.4%	98	40.5%	102	42.1%
April	191	-21.1%	34	17.8%	98	51.3%	59	30.9%
May	179	-6.3%	30	16.8%	75	41.9%	74	41.3%
June	179	0.0%	37	20.7%	85	47.5%	57	31.8%
TOTAL	**2,364**	**3.4%**	**481**	**20.3%**	**1,013**	**42.9%**	**870**	**36.8%**

Releases by Type: FY 2016 to FY 2025

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	Total Releases	Percent Change	Parole	% Parole	Prob. & Comm Corr	% Prob. & Comm Corr.	Expiration & Others	% Expirat. & Others
TDOC								
FY 2016	624	-3.6%	283	45.4%	101	16.2%	240	38.5%
FY 2017	543	-13.0%	198	36.5%	99	18.2%	246	45.3%
FY 2018	683	25.8%	286	41.9%	83	12.2%	314	46.0%
FY 2019	696	1.9%	266	38.2%	71	10.2%	359	51.6%
FY 2020	864	24.1%	468	54.2%	70	8.1%	326	37.7%
FY 2021	791	-8.4%	450	41.5%	84	10.6%	257	32.5%
FY 2022	910	15.0%	523	57.5%	87	9.6%	300	33.0%
FY 2023	659	-27.6%	384	58.3%	39	5.9%	236	35.8%
FY 2024	517	-21.5%	304	58.8%	41	7.9%	172	33.3%
FY 2025	623	20.5%	359	57.6%	81	13.0%	183	29.4%
TDOC Backup								
FY 2016	1,468	-8.0%	222	15.1%	820	55.9%	426	29.0%
FY 2017	1,521	3.6%	147	9.7%	935	61.5%	439	28.9%
FY 2018	1,170	-23.1%	129	11.0%	999	85.4%	42	3.6%
FY 2019	1,523	30.2%	102	6.7%	1,007	66.1%	414	27.2%
FY 2020	1,636	7.4%	216	13.2%	972	59.4%	448	27.4%
FY 2021	1,035	-36.7%	190	18.4%	553	53.4%	292	26.7%
FY 2022	1,007	-2.7%	89	8.8%	701	69.6%	217	21.5%
FY 2023	1,074	6.7%	90	8.4%	711	66.2%	273	25.4%
FY 2024	1,132	5.4%	120	10.6%	728	64.3%	284	31.3%
FY 2025	931	-17.8%	104	11.2%	477	51.2%	350	37.6%
Locally Sentenced								
FY 2016	256	-8.2%	36	14.1%	131	51.2%	89	34.8%
FY 2017	262	2.3%	19	7.3%	137	52.3%	106	40.5%
FY 2018	210	-19.8%	29	13.8%	116	55.2%	65	31.0%
FY 2019	174	-17.1%	8	4.6%	94	54.0%	72	41.4%
FY 2020	146	-16.1%	22	15.1%	64	43.8%	60	41.1%
FY 2021	104	-28.8%	17	16.3%	42	40.4%	45	43.3%
FY 2022	95	-8.7%	10	10.5%	53	55.8%	32	33.7%
FY 2023	82	-13.7%	11	13.4%	39	47.6%	32	39.0%
FY 2024	78	-4.9%	11	14.1%	36	46.2%	31	39.7%
FY 2025	732	5.8%	13	1.8%	357	48.8%	362	49.5%
System Total								
FY 2016	2,348	-6.9%	541	23.0%	1,052	44.8%	755	32.2%
FY 2017	2,326	-0.9%	364	15.6%	1,171	50.3%	791	34.0%
FY 2018	2,063	-11.3%	444	21.5%	1,198	58.1%	421	20.4%
FY 2019	2,393	16.0%	376	15.7%	1,172	49.0%	845	35.3%
FY 2020	2,646	10.6%	706	26.7%	1,106	41.8%	834	31.5%
FY 2021	1,930	-27.1%	657	34.0%	679	35.2%	594	30.8%
FY 2022	2,012	4.2%	622	30.9%	841	41.8%	549	27.3%
FY 2023	1,815	-9.8%	485	26.7%	789	43.5%	541	29.8%
FY 2024	1,727	-4.8%	435	25.2%	805	46.6%	487	28.2%
FY 2025	2,286	-2.3%	476	20.8%	915	40.0%	895	39.2%

Parole Hearing Outcomes and Rates

	Total Hearings	Parole Granted	Percent Granted	Parole Denied	Percent Denied	Parole Deny/Waiver	Percent Deny/Waiver	Parole Continued	Percent Continued	Parole Cont/Waiver	Percent Cont/Waiver
FY 2027											
July	112	36	32.1%	73	65.2%	0	0.0%	3	2.7%	0	0.0%
August											
September											
October											
November											
December											
January											
February											
March											
April											
May											
June											
TOTAL	**112**	**36**	**32.1%**	**73**	**65.2%**	**0**	**0.0%**	**3**	**2.7%**	**0**	**0.0%**
FY 2026											
July	117	36	30.8%	69	59.0%	5	4.3%	3	2.6%	4	3.4%
August	95	39	41.1%	48	50.5%	1	1.1%	4	4.2%	3	3.2%
September	117	35	29.9%	66	56.4%	4	3.4%	7	6.0%	5	4.3%
October	116	43	37.1%	58	50.0%	3	2.6%	10	8.6%	2	1.7%
November	117	45	38.5%	57	48.7%	3	2.6%	7	6.0%	5	4.3%
December	110	33	30.0%	67	60.9%	2	1.8%	5	4.5%	3	2.7%
January	119	42	35.3%	70	58.8%	2	1.7%	2	1.7%	3	2.5%
February	105	40	38.1%	52	49.5%	2	1.9%	9	8.6%	2	1.9%
March	94	36	38.3%	47	50.0%	5	5.3%	6	6.4%	0	0.0%
April	105	31	29.5%	66	62.9%	1	1.0%	5	4.8%	2	1.9%
May	109	28	25.7%	73	67.0%	4	3.7%	4	3.7%	0	0.0%
June	129	31	24.8%	88	68.2%	2	1.6%	2	1.6%	5	3.9%
TOTAL	**1,333**	**440**	**33.0%**	**761**	**57.1%**	**34**	**2.6%**	**64**	**4.8%**	**34**	**2.6%**
Fiscal Year Averages											
FY 2016	1,588	571	36.0%	786	49.5%	85	5.4%	95	6.0%	51	3.2%
FY 2017	1,653	401	24.3%	1,023	61.9%	94	5.7%	93	5.6%	42	2.5%
FY 2018	1,658	402	24.2%	1,024	61.8%	95	5.7%	94	5.7%	43	2.6%
FY 2019	1,864	578	31.0%	976	52.4%	127	6.8%	114	6.1%	69	3.7%
FY 2020	2,003	980	48.9%	682	34.0%	44	2.2%	155	7.7%	142	7.1%
FY 2021	1,588	694	43.7%	627	39.5%	58	3.7%	151	9.5%	58	3.7%
FY 2022	1,505	625	41.5%	615	40.9%	51	3.4%	142	9.4%	72	4.8%
FY 2023	1,415	520	36.7%	678	47.9%	50	3.5%	105	7.4%	62	4.4%
FY 2024	1,471	446	30.3%	809	55.0%	56	3.8%	106	7.2%	54	3.7%
FY 2025	1,488	530	35.6%	765	51.4%	40	2.7%	95	6.4%	58	3.9%

Definitions

Incarcerated Population

TDOC
Convicted felons sentenced to and serving at a TDOC facility.

TDOC Backup
TDOC backup includes any incarcerated felon who is sentenced to TDOC but who is in a county/local jail. Reasons vary. Most in TDOC Backup are awaiting transfer to a TDOC facility. Those with sentences of less than one year may serve the entire sentence locally. Some counties contract with TDOC to keep Backup offenders in local jails up to two years. Tennessee's largest counties keep felons in Backup for up to six years. Some stay longer than these guidelines suggest at the request of the local Sherriff's office, usually because they are doing valuable community service work in the county. In addition, offenders already in TDOC facilities may temporarily transfer to a county jail for court appearances.

Locally Sentenced
Convicted felons sentenced to serve their time in a local jail. As felony offenders, these persons are under TDOC jurisdiction.

Admissions

New Commits
Any person convicted of a felony and sentenced to TDOC, but who is not on probation or parole. This may include persons who had prior incarcerations.

Violators Returned:
Offenders under community supervision or serving in community corrections who are re-incarcerated because they violated conditions of their parole, probation or community corrections release.

Releases

Parole
Felons originally sentenced to an incarceration period and released to serve the remainder of their sentence under supervision.

Probation
Usually non-violent felons sentenced to serve part or all of their time in their communities under state supervision.

Community Corrections
Created by the General Assembly in 1985 under Tenn. Code Ann. Section 40-36-101 et seq., Tennessee’s Community Corrections Act allows sentencing of non-violent felony offenders to community-based alternatives to incarceration, reserving confinement for violent offenders. Community Corrections offers local courts increased sentencing options and establishes community-based alternatives to incarceration that provide a treatment-centered pathway and community-based supervision for offenders.

Parole Hearing Outcomes

Denial/Waiver and Continue/Waiver
Offenders have the right to request that their parole hearings be waived and set at a later date. "Continue/Waiver" grants that request and resets the parole hearing date. "Denial/Waiver" declines to reset the hearing date and denies parole as the hearing outcome.