



# MUNICIPAL COURT UPDATE:

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## *MAGISTRATION PROCESS*

CRIMINAL JUSTICE, PUBLIC SAFETY AND SERVICES COMMITTEE

May 22, 2019



# A Brief History

1974: City of San Antonio begins providing magistration services for all arrests in Bexar County at the Bexar County jail.

Nov. 2007: State District Court Magistrates created – magistration of Class A and B misdemeanors and felonies transferred to Bexar County. ILA establishes County contribution to  $\frac{1}{2}$  of detention costs.

1989: City transfers magistration and detention services to 401 S. Frio facility.

1989 – 2007: City provides magistration and detention services for all arrests in Bexar County with no cost contribution from the County.



# PRESENT DAY

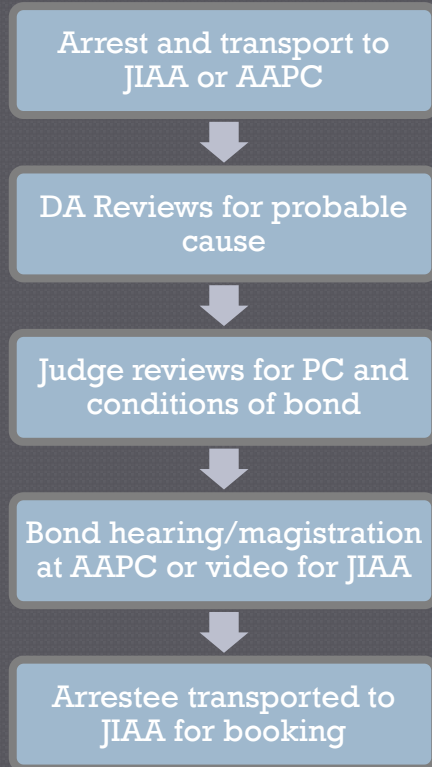
April 30, 2019: Bexar County Commissioners vote to contract with City to provide 24/7 magistration services on new on-site arrests for all agencies within Bexar County.

May 1, 2019: 24/7 magistration at both the JIAA and AAPC by City Magistrates commences.

May 2, 2019: Council approves Agenda item #19-3822 Misc. Interlocal Agreement – Ordinance amending the Interlocal Agreement with Bexar County relating to the provision of government services.



# Magistration Process & Services



# Magistration

*CLASS TYPE	TOTAL MAGISTRATED CHARGES
Capital felony	5
1 <sup>st</sup> degree felony	716
2 <sup>nd</sup> degree felony	991
3 <sup>rd</sup> degree felony	2,469
State jail felony	3,089
Class A misdemeanor	4,537
Class B misdemeanor	6,211
<b>CLASS C MISDEMEANOR (FINE ONLY)</b>	<b>TOTAL MAGISTRATED CHARGES</b>
Arrest warrants	2,277
Capias pro fine warrants	1,826
PI	1,127
Non-traffic	2,425
New traffic	540

\*Data only captures activity at the City facility from December 1, 2018 – May 16, 2019.



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## *QUESTIONS?*

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