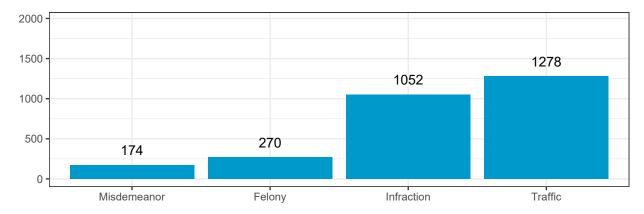
## 2022 Polk County Debt-Based Driver's License Suspension Fact Sheet

In January 2022 Polk County, NC had 4925 recorded cases with a guilty or responsible verdict and a court mandated fee. Of these, 43.7% of cases were in compliance and 56.3% of cases were in failure to comply (FTC) status. **The majority of FTC cases were traffic violations.** 



## **Defendant Statistics and Demographics**

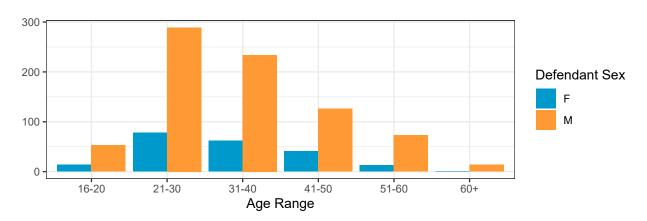
• 180 people had 2 or more traffic cases in FTC status.

County	Total Number of Traffic Violation Cases with a FTC	Total Number of People with a Traffic Violation FTC			
Polk County	1247	1001			

• The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were White people (69%). With White men having the most traffic violation cases in FTC status.

Defendant Race	М	F
Native American	1	1
Asian	2	0
Unknown	3	0
Other	13	0
Hispanic	55	6
Black	187	44
White	530	158

• The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were 21-30 years old (37%).<sup>2</sup>

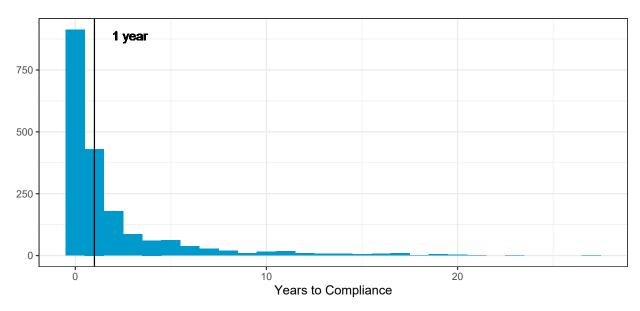


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This estimate includes cases with guilty to lesser (GL), guilty (GU), prayer for judgement (PJ), responsible to lesser (RL), and responsible (RS) verdicts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>While the age was not provided in the original data, it was calculated from the defendant's birthday and disposition date.

## **Length in FTC Status**

• 61.7% of cases were in compliance after 1 year of receiving FTC status.



Years to Compliance	White	Black	Hispanic	Other	Asian	Native Ameri- can	Unknown	Total % of Cases
0-1	826	276	45	16	8	1	0	61.7
1-2	181	68	7	1	0	1	1	13.6
2-3	89	33	2	2	0	0	0	6.6
3-4	39	24	1	1	0	2	0	3.5
4-5	33	22	0	0	0	1	0	2.9
5-10	87	43	0	0	0	0	0	6.8
10-15	40	13	1	0	0	0	0	2.8
15-20	16	12	2	0	0	0	0	1.6
20+	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0.3

• For all traffic cases in Polk County in FTC status in January 2022, the average length in FTC was 14 years.

Years in FTC	White	Black	Hispanic	Native Ameri- can	Asian	Other	Unknown	Total % of Cases
0-1	38	14	3	1	0	0	0	4.5
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1-5	170	55	11	0	2	1	1	19.1
5-10	161	43	16	1	0	0	1	17.7
10-15	98	27	14	0	0	0	0	11.1
15-20	122	42	17	0	0	0	0	14.4
20-30	232	94	16	0	0	16	1	28.6
30+	31	26	0	0	0	3	0	4.8