



Vigo County, IN Jail & Criminal Justice - Assessment & Action Planning

“Assess, Analyze, Actualize”

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Community Forum Participant Input

Thank you for participating in this community forum. Your input is important to this project and we appreciate your opinions.

***“What is important to you?”* Incarcerating people in the Vigo County Jail can create many outcomes. Please list important outcomes you believe should come from incarcerating people in the Vigo County Jail (examples: safety and security of staff and inmates, efficient and responsible use of public resources, many others).**

Incarceration Outcomes important to me:

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FINAL QUESTION: Have you, a loved one, of friend ever been incarcerated? (circle) YES NO

Assessment and Action Planning Foundational Assumptions

- 1. Fairness**
- 2. Inclusion and collaboration in decision-making**
- 3. Efficient and Effective**
- 4. Optimize application of evidence-based best practices**
- 5. Consistency and continuity of inmate care, custody, criminal justice processes and outcomes**
- 6. Timeliness in provision of justice and public safety**

Assessment and Action Planning Foundational Assumptions, cont.

- 7. Positive public perceptions, stakeholder and community involvement and support**
- 8. Respect for all**
- 9. Sustainable provision of constitutional levels of inmate care and custody**
- 10. Safe and secure jail environments**
- 11. Cost-effective and sustainable system reforms**
- 12. Flexibility**
- 13. Ongoing institutional and system review processes**

Project Purpose(s)

Assist Vigo County, identify and chose best options for resolving extant issues involving:

- 1. Criminal Justice System efficiencies and outcomes**
- 2. Community corrections, probation and parole practices and outcomes**
- 3. Jail population management and crowding practices and outcomes**
- 4. Jail facility structure and operational conditions of confinement**
- 5. Constitutional care and custody of persons confined at the Vigo County Jail**

Assist Vigo County resolve federal class-action claims and litigation pertaining to Case 2:16-cv-00397-JMS-MJD.

Methodology

- **Onsite Information & Data Collection**
- **Interviews with Local Officials, Stakeholders, Community**
- **Assess & Evaluate Jail & Criminal Justice System Practices**
- **Evaluate Jail Structures & Operations**
- **Analysis of Jail Population Trends**
- **Data Analysis**
- **Research & Evidence Based Best Practices**
- **Sustainable Action Planning**

Two Questions?

- 1. Does the Vigo County Jail have bed capacity to incarcerate the current & forecasted inmate population?**
- 2. Can the Vigo County Jail ensure sustainable provision of constitutional care & custody in inmates?**

**Vigo County Jail DOES NOT have bed capacity to
incarcerate the current & forecasted inmate
population?**

125,000+ Jail Records Examined

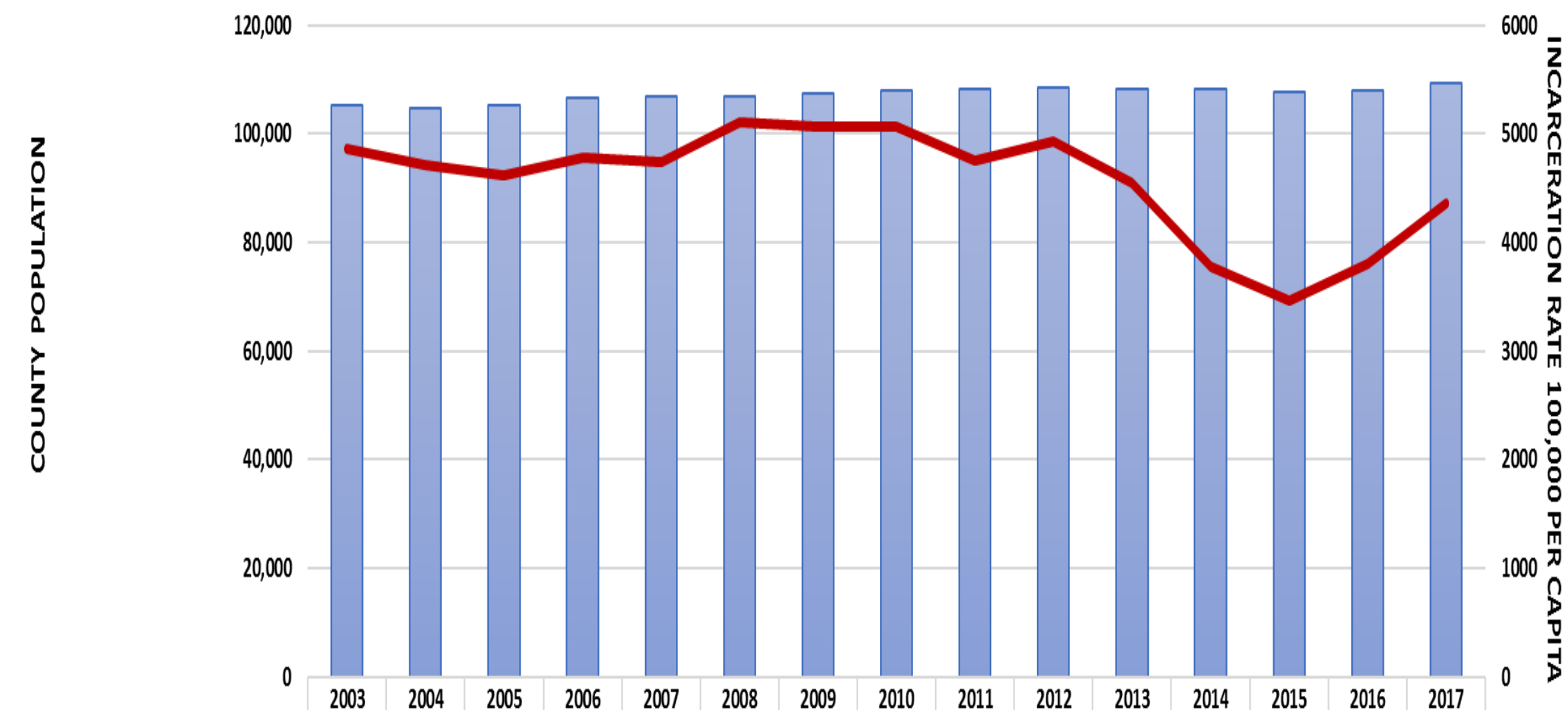
73,352 Admissions

28,458 Unique Admissions

Classification Capacity – 228

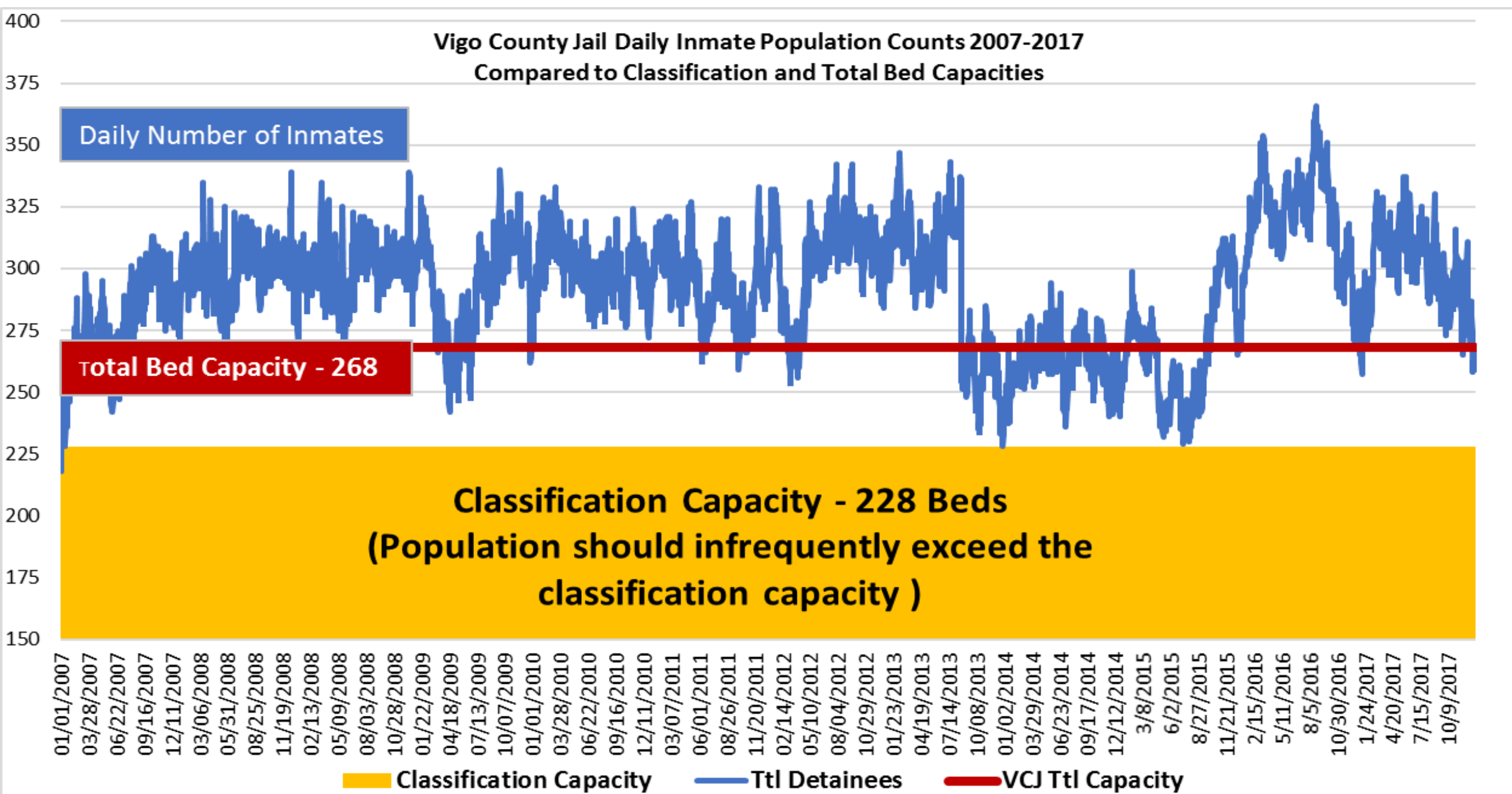
Total Capacity - 268

VIGO COUNTY POPULATION & INCARCERATION RATE 100,000 PER CAPITA

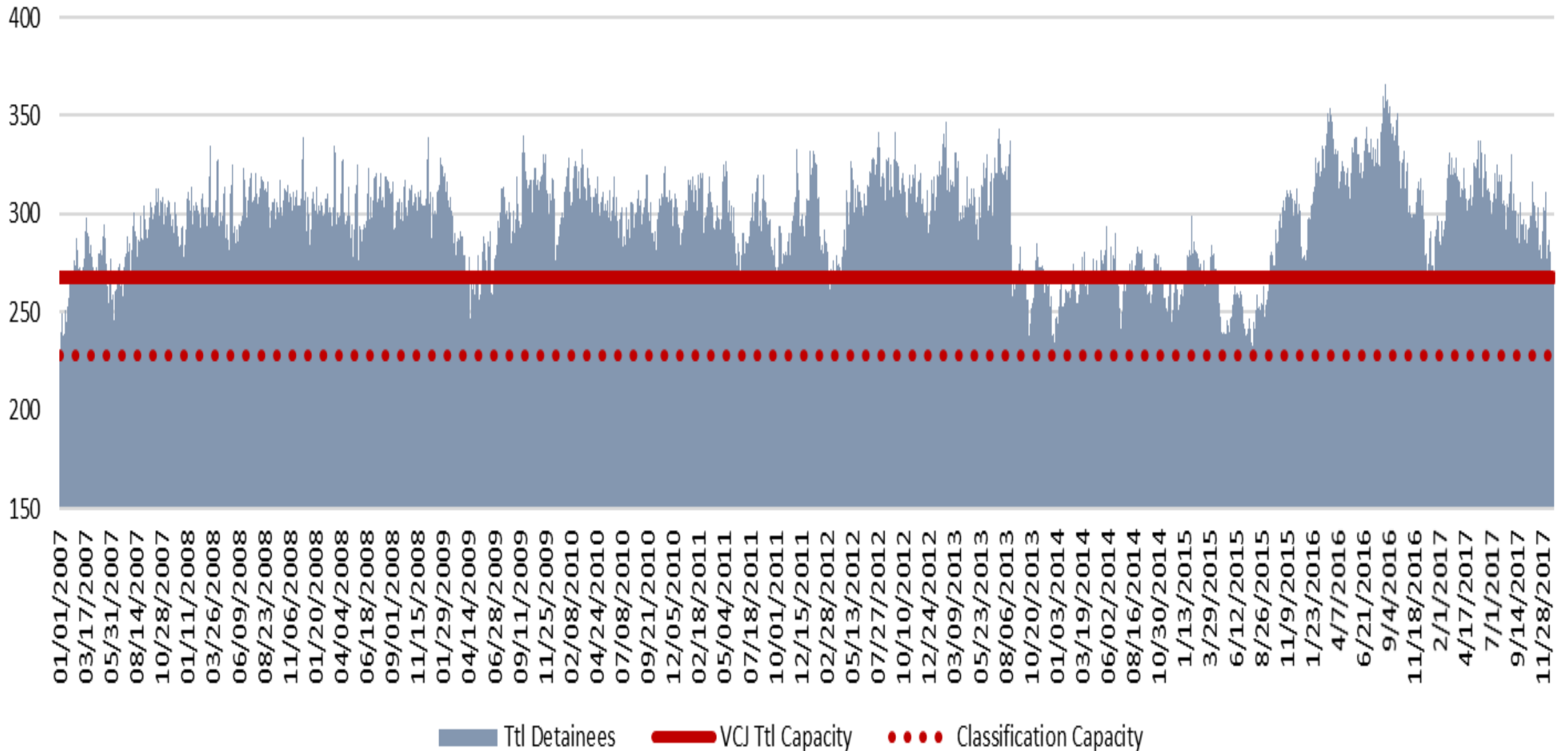


County Population	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Incarceration Rate Per 100000 pop	105,356	104,662	105,245	106,509	106,885	106,972	107,429	107,880	108,321	108,589	108,356	108,175	107,708	107,931	109,201
	4864	4714	4620	4786	4734	5100	5071	5067	4759	4935	4545	3776	3457	3796	4361

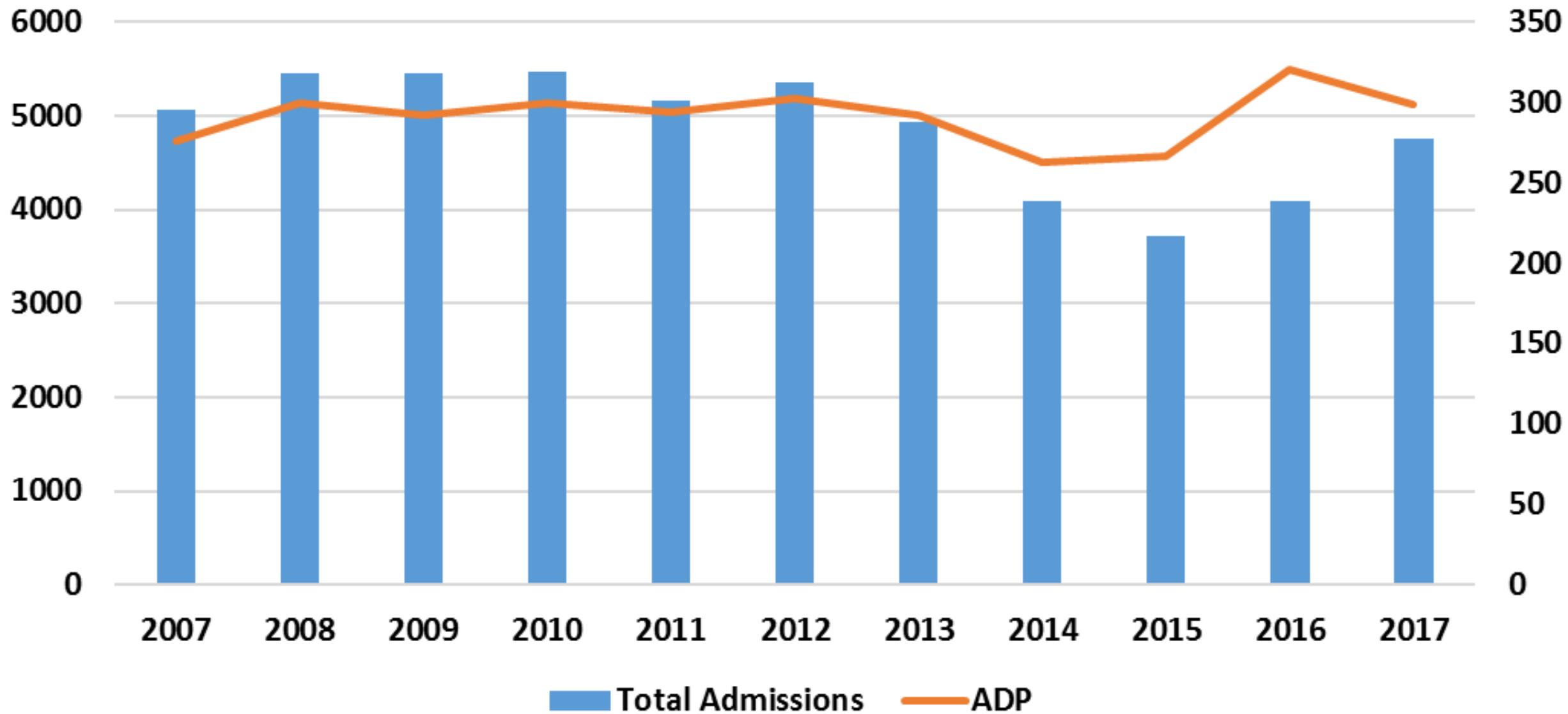
Vigo County Jail Daily Inmate Population Counts 2007-2017 Compared to Classification and Total Bed Capacities



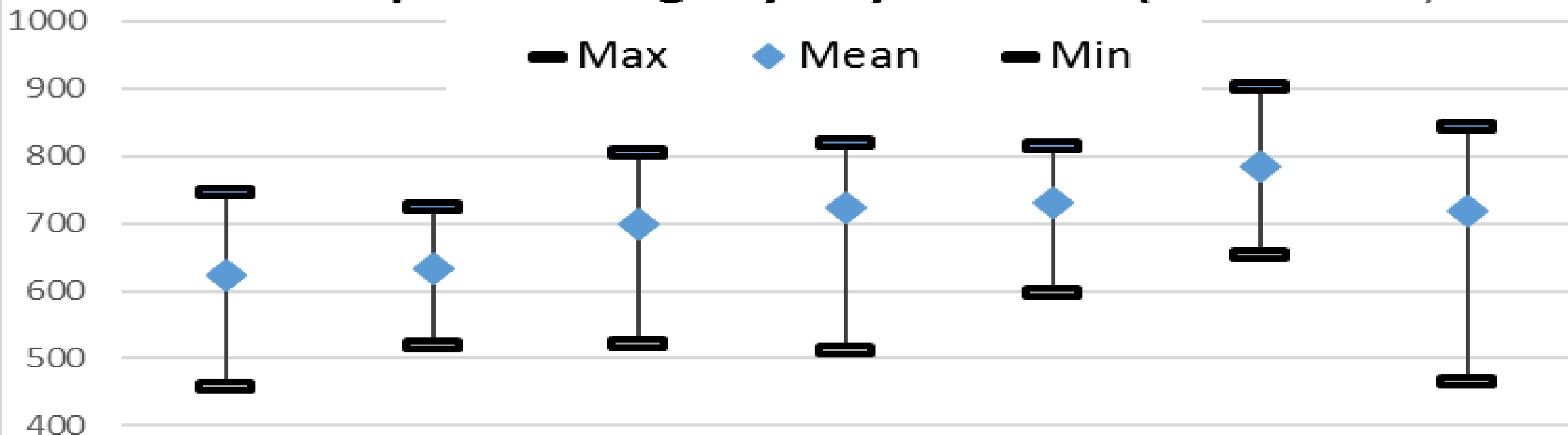
Vigo County Jail Over Crowding 2007-2017



Vigo County Annual Jail Admissions & ADP 2007-2017



Unique Bookings by Day of Week (2003-2017)

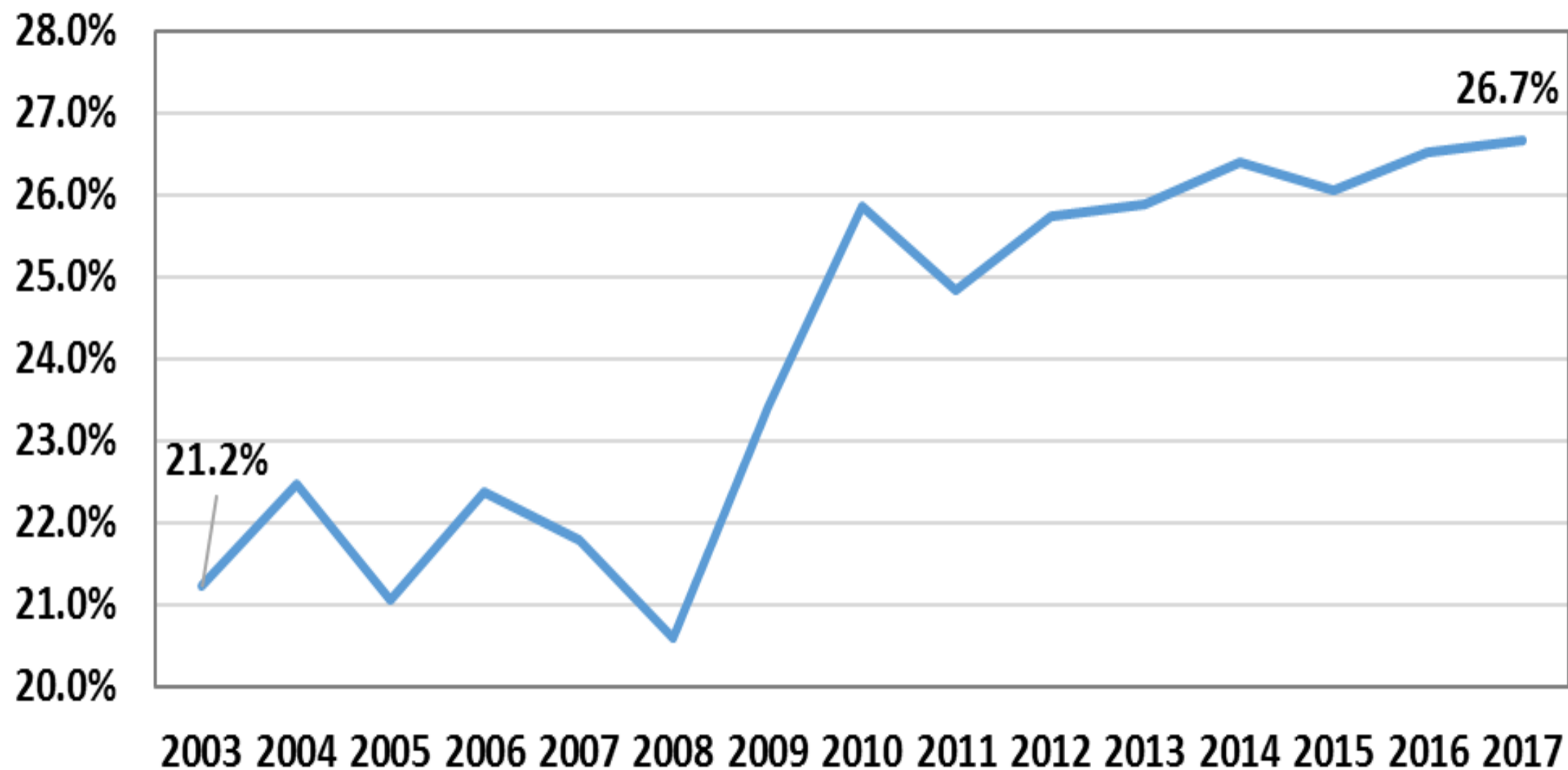


Day	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
Max	746	723	803	819	815	902	844
Mean	622	633	700	723	732	784	720
Min	458	517	521	511	597	653	465
SD	94.4	67.2	78.3	80.5	68.5	72.4	111.9

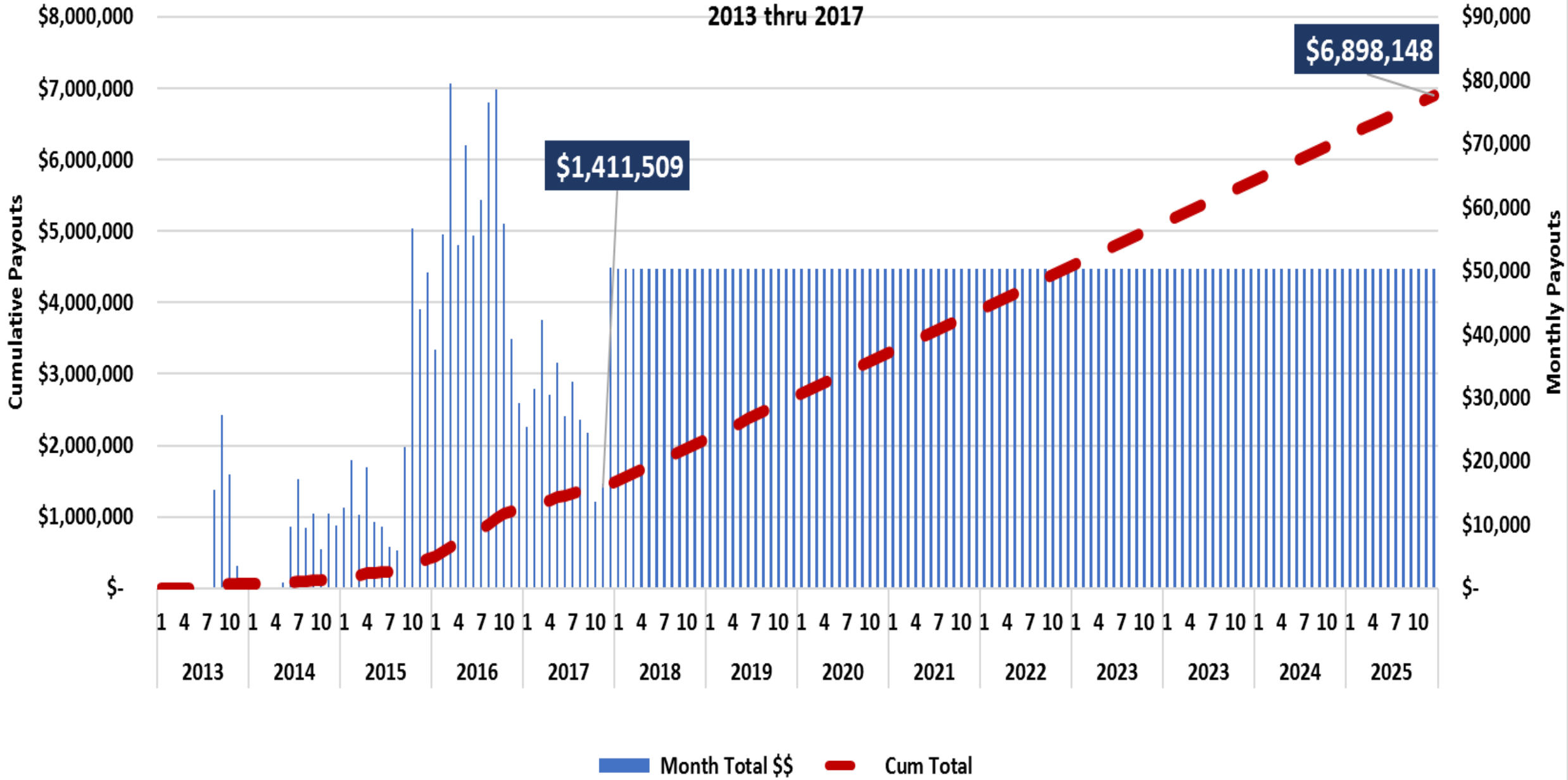
Admission Length of Stay

Year	2002	2006	2010	2012	2015	2016	2017	Total
Less than 1 day	44.2%	56.2%	59.5%	54.0%	43.9%	44.4%	44.3%	52.3%
1 days	49.0%	60.3%	62.9%	58.7%	48.8%	48.8%	49.0%	56.6%
2 days	55.9%	66.1%	68.2%	64.1%	54.4%	54.8%	57.1%	62.8%
3 days	60.7%	70.1%	72.2%	68.2%	58.9%	59.2%	63.3%	67.4%
4 days	62.8%	72.6%	74.7%	70.9%	62.6%	62.3%	66.7%	70.1%
5 days	64.1%	74.0%	76.2%	72.8%	64.5%	64.4%	69.4%	71.9%
6 days	66.1%	75.4%	77.9%	74.5%	66.9%	66.4%	72.0%	73.8%
7 days	67.3%	76.9%	79.1%	76.0%	68.5%	67.8%	73.8%	75.2%
8 days	68.5%	77.8%	80.1%	76.8%	69.8%	69.0%	75.1%	76.2%
9 days	69.0%	78.8%	80.9%	77.4%	70.6%	70.1%	76.0%	77.0%
10 days	69.3%	79.1%	81.2%	77.6%	71.3%	70.6%	76.2%	77.4%

Percent of Admissions Female by Year



Vigo County Jail Monthly / Cumulative Inmate Bed Contracting / NonConfinement Payouts 2013 thru 2017



Vigo County Jail CANNOT ensure sustainable provision of constitutional care & custody in inmates?

Environmental Conditions

Protection from Harm

Classification

Medical

Mental Health

