



## Downtown Austin Community Court (DACC)

### DACC Geographic Service Area (GSA) Options Data

#### **Option #1: DACC to Maintain Adjudication of Prop B/Statewide Camping Ban Violations Citywide; Expand Adjudication of Current Charge Codes (all other Class C misdemeanors) Citywide**

##### **Like Charge Codes at DACC, AMC**

The table below shows the total number of cases adjudicated at DACC from 2017-2019 in Row 1. In Row 2 (labeled AMC), those same cases cited outside of DACC's GSA for the same three-year period are shown. Option #1 reflects an expansion of all current DACC cases city-wide.

Court	2017	2018	2019
DACC	6,026	2,842	2,020
AMC	6,336	4,649	3,160

DACC's average number of total adjudicated cases for the three-year period is 3,629.

**Average (maximum) number of cases currently adjudicated at AMC that would come to DACC in Option #1: 4,715**

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#### **Option #1.5: DACC to Maintain Adjudication of Prop B/Statewide Camping Ban Violations Citywide; Expand Adjudication of Current Charge Codes (other Class C misdemeanors) to Other Parts of Austin on a Needs-Based Timeline**

A needs-based timeline discussed at the staff level would include the initial expansion of DACC's Top 10 cases. The table below represents the case increase to DACC if DACC absorbed the Top 10 cases cited outside of the current GSA (now going to AMC).

##### **DACC Top 10 Cases Adjudicated at AMC from 2017-2019**

Court	2017	2018	2019
AMC	4,953	3,940	2,853

**Average (maximum) number of Top 10 cases that would come to DACC instead of AMC in Option #1.5: 3,915**

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#### **Option #2: DACC to Maintain Current Charge Codes in Existing Geographic Service Area and Citywide Prop B/State Camping Ban Violations, Expand to Include Any Charge Codes for Individuals Experiencing Homelessness Citywide**

The chart below shows total people experiencing homelessness with cases adjudicated at AMC from 2017-2019.

<b>Court</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>
AMC	4,029	2,685	2,248

**Average (maximum) number of additional cases for people experiencing homelessness that would come to DACC in Option #2: 2,987.**

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**Option #3: DACC to Drop Current Charge Codes, Adjudicate Only Citywide Proposition B/State Camping Ban Violations, and Any Charge Codes for Individuals Experiencing Homelessness Citywide**

The tables below show the number of cases that would come to DACC, if DACC adjudicated only cases for the Proposition B/Statewide Camping Ban violations and other citations given only to people experiencing homelessness (PEH).

<b>Court</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>
DACC PEH/ Camping Ban Cases	4,366	2,006	994
AMC PEH/ Camping Ban Cases	4,112	2,714	2,261
<b>Total PEH/Camping Ban Cases</b>	<b>8,478</b>	<b>4,720</b>	<b>3,255</b>

<b>Court</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>
DACC Current Total Cases	6,026	2,842	2,020

Additional Cases to DACC per year for Option #3:

<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>
2,452	1,878	1,235

**Average (maximum) number of additional cases from 2017-2019 that would come to DACC from AMC for Option #3: 1,855**