

**FY 2001 PROFILE- 15TH CIRCUIT**  
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|--------------------|---------------|-------|----------|----------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>CIVIL</b>       |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
| General Civil      | Lafayette     | 123   | 161      | 103            | 1.31         | -13.4%                                |
|                    | Saline        | 68    | 86       | 104            | 1.26         | -10.5%                                |
|                    | Circuit Total | 191   | 247      | 207            | 1.29         | -12.4%                                |
| Domestic Relations | Lafayette     | 509   | 537      | 228            | 1.06         | -10.1%                                |
|                    | Saline        | 390   | 416      | 337            | 1.07         | 0.5%                                  |
|                    | Circuit Total | 899   | 953      | 565            | 1.06         | -5.8%                                 |
| Chapter 517        | Lafayette     | 476   | 448      | 133            | 0.94         | 7.4%                                  |
|                    | Saline        | 518   | 541      | 140            | 1.04         | 18.0%                                 |
|                    | Circuit Total | 994   | 989      | 273            | 0.99         | 12.7%                                 |
| Small Claims       | Lafayette     | 90    | 87       | 21             | 0.97         | 47.5%                                 |
|                    | Saline        | 117   | 104      | 70             | 0.89         | -4.1%                                 |
|                    | Circuit Total | 207   | 191      | 91             | 0.92         | 13.1%                                 |
| Civil Total        |               | 2291  | 2380     | 1136           | 1.04         | 2.4%                                  |
| <b>PROBATE</b>     |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
|                    | Lafayette     | 115   | 97       | 302            | 0.84         | 19.8%                                 |
|                    | Saline        | 87    | 46       | 313            | 0.53         | 38.1%                                 |
|                    | Circuit Total | 202   | 143      | 615            | 0.71         | 27.0%                                 |
| <b>JUVENILE</b>    |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
|                    | Lafayette     | 81    | 69       | 40             | 0.85         | -3.6%                                 |
|                    | Saline        | 172   | 229      | 138            | 1.33         | -23.2%                                |
|                    | Circuit Total | 253   | 298      | 178            | 1.18         | -17.9%                                |

\* Probate includes decedent's estates, incapacitated/disabled estates, minors' estates, mental health petitions, and probable cause petitions.

**JURY STATISTICS**

|           | Trial Begun, No Verdict |          | Verdict Returned |          | Total Jury Days |          |
|-----------|-------------------------|----------|------------------|----------|-----------------|----------|
|           | Civil                   | Criminal | Civil            | Criminal | Civil           | Criminal |
| Lafayette | 0                       | 3        | 2                | 4        | 4               | 10       |
| Saline    | 0                       | 1        | 2                | 1        | 5               | 4        |

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| <b>CRIMINAL</b>      |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
| Felony               |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
|                      | Lafayette     | 347   | 296      | 221            | 0.85         | 6.4%                                  |
|                      | Saline        | 254   | 239      | 219            | 0.94         | -4.5%                                 |
|                      | Circuit Total | 601   | 535      | 440            | 0.89         | 1.5%                                  |
| Felony Preliminaries |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
|                      | Lafayette     | 228   | 223      | 180            | 0.98         | -8.4%                                 |
|                      | Saline        | 185   | 194      | 113            | 1.05         | 42.3%                                 |
|                      | Circuit Total | 413   | 417      | 293            | 1.01         | 9.0%                                  |
| Misdemeanors         |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
|                      | Lafayette     | 1019  | 1002     | 805            | 0.98         | 11.1%                                 |
|                      | Saline        | 527   | 657      | 416            | 1.25         | -14.9%                                |
|                      | Circuit Total | 1546  | 1659     | 1221           | 1.07         | 0.7%                                  |
| Traffic              |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
|                      | Lafayette     | 9727  | 10245    | 7242           | 1.05         | -22.4%                                |
|                      | Saline        | 2677  | 2858     | 1278           | 1.07         | -21.7%                                |
|                      | Circuit Total | 12404 | 13103    | 8520           | 1.06         | -22.3%                                |
| Ordinance            |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
|                      | Lafayette     | 80    | 78       | 32             | 0.98         | -20.8%                                |
|                      | Saline        | 0     | 0        | 1              | 0.00         | 0.0%                                  |
|                      | Circuit Total | 80    | 78       | 33             | 0.98         | -20.8%                                |
| Municipal Cert./TDN  |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
|                      | Lafayette     | 9     | 10       | 6              | 1.11         | 125.0%                                |
|                      | Saline        | 3     | 6        | 6              | 2.00         | 0.0%                                  |
|                      | Circuit Total | 12    | 16       | 12             | 1.33         | 200.0%                                |
| Criminal Total       |               | 15056 | 15808    | 10519          | 1.05         | -18.9%                                |
| <b>GRAND TOTALS</b>  |               |       |          |                |              |                                       |
|                      | Lafayette     | 12804 | 13253    | 9313           | 1.04         | -17.6%                                |
|                      | Saline        | 4998  | 5376     | 3135           | 1.08         | -13.0%                                |
|                      | TOTAL         | 17802 | 18629    | 12448          | 1.05         | -16.3%                                |