



Blake Implementation at AOC

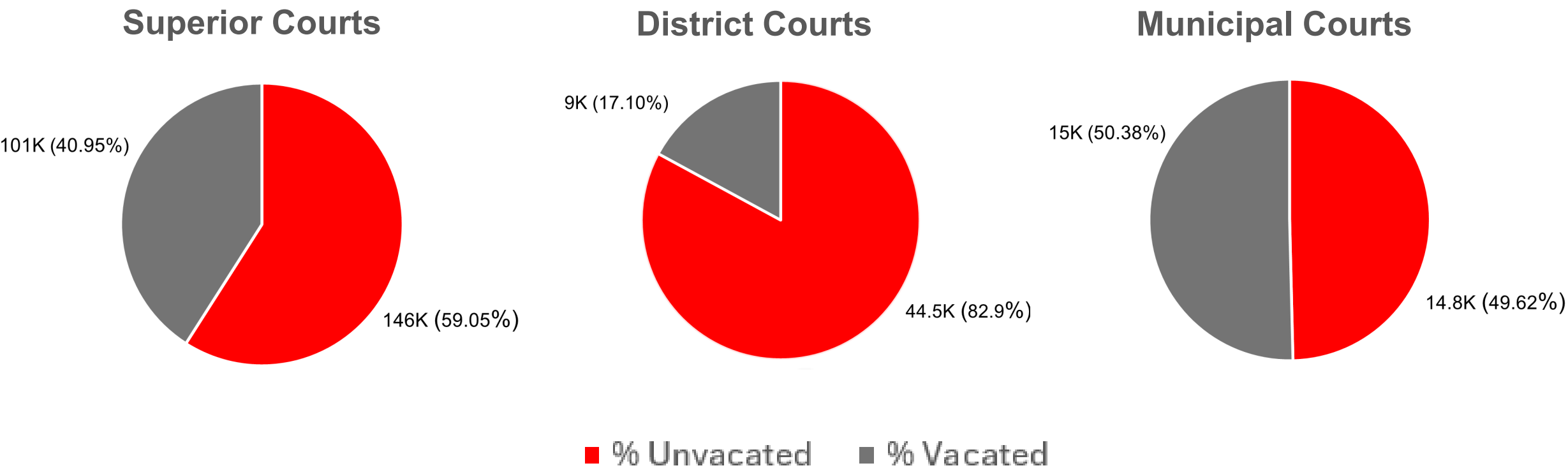
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BLAKE REFUND BUREAU

Blake Work Is Not Completed

- Significant focus was put on resentencing, which is now complete.
- Most courts are waiting for individuals with *Blake* cases to come forward on their own. After four years, the influx of new *Blake* motions has slowed to a trickle, leading some courts to mistakenly believe the work is mostly done.
 - Most of the remaining people are likely unrepresented and have not heard of *Blake*. Or if they have, they do not know what they should do to obtain relief.

Statewide Blake Court Data from Washington State Patrol as of December 2025



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By the Numbers

- The courts have uploaded a total of 98,722 cases to the Refund Bureau.
- As of November 19, 2025 the Refund Bureau has paid out \$6,128.019.57 to 5,582 applicants.
- There is still \$30,295,599.13 to claim by individuals.
- We have received over 7,000 applications since that time.
- This includes online and paper applications.

BLAKE ADMINISTRATIVE VACATE UNIT

The Power of BAVU

- Prior to BAVU's assistance to courts, impacted individuals may have not learned about qualifying relief through direct mailings and communications from courts.
- Since launch in Feb 2025, BAVU has assisted in the vacation of approximately 8,459 cases, via direct mailing collaborations on behalf of the courts. This approach has been by far the most efficient and successful process.