

**FILING FEES (ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE)\***

**NEW CIVIL/FAMILY SUITS**

<b>All New Civil/Family Suits .....</b>	<b>\$350.00</b>
<i>LGC §§ 133.151 and 135.101</i>	
<b>New/Transferred-In Civil/Family Suit.....</b>	<b>\$350.00</b>
<i>LGC §§ 133.151 and 135.101; TRCP Rule 89</i>	
<b>SAPCR Transferred into Ector County .....</b>	<b>\$ 80.00</b>
<i>LGC §§ 110.005</i>	
<b>Petition for Protective Order .....</b>	<b>\$366.00</b>
<i>FC § 81.003; All Fees Paid by Respondent; \$350 + \$16</i>	
<b>Suit for Writ of Habeas Corpus (Child).....</b>	<b>\$350.00</b>
<i>FC § 157.371; LGC §§ 133.151 and 135.101</i>	
<b>Expunction: Additional \$3/Agency for Notices; CCP Art. 102.006</b>	

**OTHER CIVIL/FAMILY ACTIONS**

<b>Subsequent Actions; LGC §§133.151 &amp; 135.101 .....</b>	<b>\$ 80.00</b>
<i>Counter-Claim, Cross Action, Intervention, Contempt Action, Interpleader, Motion for New Trial, Motion to Reinstate, Third-Party Action, or Appeal (from lower court)</i>	

**FAMILY MOTIONS**

<b>Actions in Motions; FC §§ 110.002, 110.005, 81.003.....</b>	<b>\$ 80.00</b>
<i>Modification, Enforcement, Judicial Writ of Withholding, License Suspension, Contempt, Revoke or Stay License Suspension; and Motion Writ of Habeas Corpus (Child) – FC § 157.371(b)</i>	

*\* All fees and costs are set by Texas State Statute and are not a guarantee that you will prevail (win) in your lawsuit. The Court Costs and Fees are for clerical services performed at the time the amounts are charged. The District Clerk cannot refund any fees, regardless of the outcome of your lawsuit.*

**COSTS FOR SERVICES (ALL COSTS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE)\***

**DISTRICT CLERK**

<b>District Clerk Issuances .....</b>	<b>\$ 8.00</b>
<i>Citation, Subpoena, Order of Sale, Abstract of Judgment, and All Civil Writs – Including: Writs of Execution, Injunction, Temp. Injunction, Temp. Restraining Order, Garnishment, Attachment, Sequestration, Letters Rogatory, Precept to Serve, and Re-issuance of any of the above. GC § 51.318(b)</i>	
<b>Filing Bond/Clerk’s Approval Fee .....</b>	<b>\$ 5.00</b>
<i>GC § 51.318, 51.319</i>	
<b>Name Change Certificate GC §51.318(b)(3)(7) ...</b>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>
<b>Certificate of No Appeal (SR-42; SR-88) .....</b>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>
<i>GC § 51.318(b)(3) and (7); \$5 ea. to Search &amp; Certify Plus, applicable copy charges for attached judgment.</i>	
<b>Employer’s Order (Wage Withhold).....</b>	<b>\$ 15.00</b>
<i>FC § 110.004</i>	
<b>Prepare Clerk’s Record on Appeal .....</b>	<b>\$ 1.00/pg.</b>
<i>GC § 51.318(b)(5)</i>	
<b>Prepare Clerk’s Record on Transfer Out.....</b>	<b>\$ 0.10/pg.</b>
<i>GC § 51.318(b)(9) plus \$5 for Index and Certification</i>	
<b>Civil or Criminal Records Searches .....</b>	<b>\$ 5.00/ea.</b>
<i>GC § 51.318(b)(3)</i>	

**COPIES OF RECORDS; GC § 51.318**

<b>Paper Copies .....</b>	<b>\$ 1.00/pg.</b>
<b>Digital/Electronic Copies - Each Document: .....</b>	<b>\$ 0.10/pg.</b>
<i>Minimum Copy Fees: \$1.00 per document</i>	
<b>Copies Certified by Clerk, Additional Fee ....</b>	<b>\$ 5.00/ea.</b>
<b>Exemplified Copies, Additional Fee.....</b>	<b>\$ 5.00/ea.</b>

**ECTOR COUNTY SHERIFF FEES**

<b>Trustee Sale – Posting.....</b>	<b>\$ 30.00</b>
<b>Process Service .....</b>	<b>\$100.00</b>
<i>Personal Service, Citation, Citation by Posting/Publication, Forcible Detainer, Notice of Hearing, Precept to Serve, Restraining Order, Subpoena, Summons, Writ of Garnishment, Writ of Habeas Corpus, Writ of Mandamus, Injunction</i>	
<b>Special Process Service.....</b>	<b>\$200.00</b>
<i>Citation with Order/Notice of Hearing, Writ of Attachment, Writ of Possession, Writ of Sequestration, All Other Writs; and \$200, plus Commission for: Writ of Execution, Order of Sale</i>	

**OTHER PROCESS SERVICE**

<b>Service by Certified Mail (by Dist. Clerk).....</b>	<b>\$100.00</b>
<b>Service by Posting to State’s Public Information Internet Website (by Dist. Clerk).....</b>	<b>\$100.00</b>

**ADDITIONAL, EXTERNAL FEES IN SUITS FOR ADOPTION**

<b>Birth Certificate (each adopted child) .....</b>	<b>\$ 47.00</b>
<i>Payable to: TX Dept. of Vital Statistics</i>	
<b>Central Adoption Registry .....</b>	<b>\$ 15.00</b>
<i>Payable to: TX Dept. of Vital Statistics</i>	
<b>Home Study (Required) .....</b>	<b>(see note)</b>
<i>NOTE: Amount charged by and payable to the Court Appointed Home Investigator.</i>	

*Any Postage Charged at Current, Actual USPS Rates*