

# **BANDERA COUNTY DISTRICT COURT CIVIL COSTS & FEES**

The schedule of court costs and fees for family and civil cases separates the fees in the following categories: filing a new suit, filing a pleading, issuance of citations, notices and writs, and the service of process. To determine the cost, use the following formula:

$$\text{Applicable filing fee} + \text{issuance fee} + \text{service fee} = \text{Total}$$

## **NEW SUIT FILING FEES**

**EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2015**

### **CIVIL:**

TYPE OF SUIT	BASE FEE
All Civil Suits no listed below	\$302.00
Tax Suits	\$232.00
Expunction	\$302.00 plus \$16.00 for per agency to be notified for each notice of hearing and final order (\$8.00 per agency if filed after acquittal)
Occupational License	\$302.00
Severed Cases	\$302.00
Incoming Transfer (other than family)	\$302.00
Petition for Non-disclosure	\$330.00
Foreign Judgment	\$302.00

### **FAMILY:**

TYPE OF SUIT	BASE FEE
Divorce	\$308.00
Divorce w/ notice of judgment	\$308.00
Termination and Adoption	\$293.00 Investigator fee (if any) set by judge
Incoming Family Law Transfer	\$85.00
Name Change / Removal of Disabilities	\$293.00
Parent-Child Relationship and all other Family Cases	\$293.00
Register Foreign Support or Custody Order	\$293.00

### **OTHER FILING FEES:**

**Fee to File Any of the Following in a Civil Case..... \$86.00**

Motion to Transfer, Third Party Petition; Motion for New Trial; Cross-Action; Counter-Claim; Intervention; Interpleader

**To file any of the following in a Family Law Case..... \$81.00**

Third Party Petition; Cross Action; Interpleader; Counter-claim; Intervention; Motion for New Trial

**To file any of the following in a Family Law Case ..... \$15.00**

Motion to Transfer; Motion for License Suspension; Motion to Revoke Stay of Suspension; Motion for Enforcement; Suit for Modification; Motion to Modify; Motion for Contempt; Notice of Appeal for Judicial Writ of Withholding

## ISSUANCE FEES

\$8.00
Citation, Subpoenas, Citation by Publication; Show Cause Notice, T.R.O., Writ of Injunction, Commission Letter Rogatory, Notice of License Suspension; Abstract, Execution, Order of Sale, Writ of Possession Precept, Writ of Attachment, Habeas Corpus (Family Law) (each)
Judicial Writ of Withholding or Order..... \$15.00
Mailing Order for License Suspension (Obligor only)..... \$ 5.00
Citation by Posting includes issuance..... \$ 68.00

## SERVICE FEES:

TYPE OF SERVICE	FEE
Service of any document in County	\$60.00
Service by Certified Mail	\$60.00
ALL WRITS Writ of execution for first 2 hrs. then \$30 per hour per deputy	\$200.00
Service by Secretary of State or Commission of Insurance	\$55.00
(Each Service[ 1 original + 2 copies With petition attached] plus service fee in Travis Co.	\$65.00

## MISCELLANEOUS FEES:

TYPE OF REQUEST	FEE
Jury Demand	\$30.00 - (01/01/2016 - \$40.00)
Bond Approval Fee	\$ 4.00
Notice of Judgment	\$10.00
Court Registry – Administrative Expense ..On funds not earning interest-5% not to exceed ..On funds earning interest.....	\$50.00 10% of interest
Change of name Certificate – in divorce decree	\$10.00
Witness Tender (not to records custodian)(taxed as cost)	\$10.00
Records Search – 1 <sup>st</sup> 10 years	\$5.00 ea. per name and/or document \$1.00 per year for each additional year
Certified Copies	\$1.00 per page
Non-certified copies	\$1.00 for first page and \$.25 per additional Page Per document
Insufficient Check	\$30.00
Fax Filing Fee (pro se filers only)	\$5.00 plus \$.25 per page faxed
E-filing Administrative fee	\$2.00