Filing and Service Fees - Effective January 1, 2018

97th District Court Clay County, Texas

CIVIL CASES

No Service ……………………………………………........................................... 252.00

Service on one in county …………………………………………………………... 370.00

Service on one out of county ………………………………………….…………. 260.00

**For each additional defendant served in county add …………… 118.00**

**For each additional defendant served out of county add …….. 8.00**

FAMILY

No Service 242.00

Service in county 360.00

Service out of county 250.00

DIVORCE

No Service ………………………………………………………………………...…. 258.00

Service on one in county ……………………..………………………….……. 376.00

Service on one out of county ….………………………….………………….. 266.00

WITH TRO or Notice in county …………………………………………..….. 484.00

WITH TRO or Notice out of county ……………………………………..…. 274.00

ADOPTION

Estimated fee …………………………………………………………………….. 282.00

For each social study add ………………………………..…..….……….….. 325.00

FOREIGN JUDGMENT SAME AS CIVIL CASE

NONDISCLOSURE ………………………………………………………………… 280.00

EXPUNCTION

Filing Fee 252.00

To serve notice/order on each entity add ………………………………. 15.00

FORECLOSURE - Same as Civil

COUNTERCLAIMS, CROSS-ACTONS, INTERVENTIONS, MODIFICATIONS

 CIVIL

 No Service ………………………………………………………………… 70.00

 For service in county ……………………….………………………… 188.00

 For service out of county ………………………………………….. 78.00

 FAMILY

 No Service ……………………………………………………………….. 65.00

 For service in county ……………………………………………….. 183.00

 For service out of county …………………………………………. 73.00

OTHER FEES

COPY FEE (CERTIFIED COPY PER PAGE) …………………………… 1.00

COPY FEE (NOT CERTIFIED PER PAGE) ………………… …… .50

JURY FEE ……………………………………………………………… …… 40.00

APPROVE BOND ……………………………………………………………….. 4.00

ABSTRACT OF JUDGMENT ..............………………………………………. 8.00

CERTIFIED MAIL (SERVICE BY) ………………………………………… 118.00

CITATION BY POSTING ……………………………………………………… 33.00

CITATION, SUBPOENA, NOTICE, SHOW CAUSE, etc.

Served in county …………………………………………………… ……. 108.00

Served out of county ……………………………………… ……. 8.00

WRITS OF EXECUTION, GARNISHMENT, POSSESSION, ETC.

Served in county ……………………………… …… 203.00

Served out of county …………………………… …… 8.00

An itemized list of fees will be furnished upon request.

COURT COSTS MUST BE PAID AT THE TIME THE CASE IS FILED OR SERVICE IS REQUESTED.

PROCESS TO BE SERVED IN CLAY COUNTY WILL BE DELIVERED TO THE CLAY COUNTY SHERIFF OR CLAY COUNTY CONSTABLE BY THIS OFFICE IF REQUESTED.

PROCESS TO BE SERVED OUTSIDE CLAY COUNTY WILL BE RETURNED TO THE PARTY REQUESTING SERVICE.

ALL COURT SETTINGS MUST BE MADE THROUGH THE COURT COORDINATOR, AMANDA CUNNINGHAM, PO BOX 167 MONTAGUE, TX 76251 PHONE: 940-894-2066

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE DISTRICT CLERK’S OFFICE AT

940-538-4561