



**Katherine M. Keefe**  
 McHenry County Clerk of the Circuit Court

# FEE SCHEDULE

Effective August 1, 2024

## ADOPTION (AD)

NEW CASE FILING	Filing Fee
AD – Adoption	\$89.00
APPEARANCE	
Appearance	No Fee
OTHER	
Change of Venue – Adoption	\$89.00
Copies/Certification	No Fee
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint*	\$89.00
<small>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance must be filed first</small>	
Motion to Vacate	No Fee
Petition to Intervene	\$89.00
Certificate of Adoption ( <i>check payable to IL Dept of Public Health</i> )	
• Completion of birth record for IL born child (includes 1 certified copy)	\$15.00
• Additional certified copies of new birth certificate	\$ 2.00 each
• To submit <i>Records of Foreign Birth</i> for foreign born children	\$ 5.00

## ARBITRATION (AR)

NEW CASE FILING	
AR– \$10,000.01 up to \$15,000.00	\$264.00
AR – \$15,000.01 up to \$50,000.00	\$314.00
APPEARANCE	
Appearance	\$189.00
JURY DEMAND	
Jury Demand	\$ 212.50
OTHER	
Change of Venue – Arbitration - \$10,000.01 up to \$15,000.00	\$264.00
Change of Venue – Arbitration - \$15,000.01 up to \$50,000.00	\$314.00
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint - \$10,000.01 up to \$15,000.00*	\$75.00
<small>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</small>	
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint - \$15,000.01 up to \$50,000.00*	\$125.00
<small>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</small>	
Petition to Intervene – \$10,000.01 up to \$15,000.00	\$264.00
Petition to Intervene – \$15,000.01 up to \$50,000.00	\$314.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 50.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 75.00
Petition to Vacate Dismissal-Want of Prosecution	No Fee
Rejection of Award and Request for Trial – \$30,000.00 or less (Supreme Court Rule 93)	\$ 200.00
Rejection of Award and Request for Trial – \$30,000.01 or more (Supreme Court Rule 93)	\$ 500.00

## CHANCERY (CH)

NEW CASE FILING	Filing Fee
CH – Construction of Inter Vivos Trust	\$314.00
CH – Construction of Testamentary Trust ( <i>only filed as CH if no existing Probate case</i> )	\$314.00

CH – Contract Actions	\$314.00
CH – Detinue	\$314.00
CH – Equitable Lien	\$314.00
CH – Exhume a Body	\$314.00
CH – Foreclosure of Security Interest in Personal Property	\$314.00
CH – Injunction (except in Tax & Dissolution cases)	\$314.00
CH – Interpleader	\$314.00
CH – Mechanic’s Lien Foreclosure	\$314.00
CH – Partition	\$314.00
CH – Partnership Dissolution	\$314.00
CH – Quiet Title	\$314.00
CH – Rescission of Contract	\$314.00
CH – Restraining Order	\$314.00
CH – Specific Performance	\$314.00
CH – Structured Settlement, Original Action to Assign	\$314.00
CH – Trust Administration	\$314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	\$189.00
<b>JURY DEMAND</b>	
Jury Demand	\$ 212.50
<b>OTHER</b>	
Change of Venue – Chancery	\$314.00
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint*	\$125.00
<i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	
Petition to Intervene	\$314.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 50.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 75.00
Petition to Vacate Dismissal for Want of Prosecution	No Fee

## DISSOLUTION (DC / DN)

NEW CASE FILING	Filing Fee
<b>DISSOLUTION WITH CHILDREN (DC)</b>	
DC – Dissolution of Marriage – with children	\$314.00
DC – Dissolution of Civil Union – with children	\$314.00
DC – Invalidity – with children	\$314.00
DC – Legal Separation – with children	\$314.00
<b>DISSOLUTION NO CHILDREN (DN)</b>	
DN – Dissolution of Marriage – no children	\$314.00
DN – Dissolution of Civil Union – no children	\$314.00
DN – Invalidity – no children	\$314.00
DN – Legal Separation – no children	\$314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	\$189.00
<b>OTHER</b>	
Change of Venue – Dissolution (with or without children)	\$314.00
Child Support and Maintenance Annual Service Fee 705 ILCS 105/27.1A(BB)(4)	\$ 36.00
Child Support History Reports	\$ 6.00

Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint* <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$125.00
Parenting Class Registration Fee ( <i>paid directly to McHenry County College</i> )	\$ 90.00
Parenting Class Rescheduling Fee ( <i>paid directly to McHenry County College</i> )	\$ 25.00
Petition to Intervene	\$314.00
Petition to modify, terminate, or enforce a judgment or order for child or spousal support, or to modify, suspend, or terminate an order for withholding, if filed 30 days or less after entry of the judgment	No Fee
Petition to modify, terminate, or enforce a judgment or order for child or spousal support, or to modify, suspend, or terminate an order for withholding, if filed 31 days or more after entry of the judgment	No Fee
Petition to Vacate Dismissal for Want of Prosecution	No Fee
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – any other type of final order 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 50.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – any other type of final order 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 75.00

## EMINENT DOMAIN (ED)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
ED – Eminent Domain	\$314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	\$189.00
<b>OTHER</b>	
Change of Venue – Eminent Domain	\$314.00
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint* <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$125.00
Jury Demand	\$212.50
Petition to Intervene	\$314.00

## EVICITION – (EV)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
EV – Ejectment	\$ 264.00
EV – Eviction – Commercial	\$ 264.00
EV – Eviction – Commercial - Possession Only	\$ 89.00
EV – Eviction – Residential	\$ 264.00
EV – Eviction – Residential – Possession Only	\$ 89.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance – Eviction - Possession Only	\$109.00
Appearance – all other EV	\$189.00
<b>JURY DEMAND</b>	
Jury Demand – 6-person jury	\$212.50
<b>OTHER</b>	
Change of Venue – Eviction – Possession Only	\$89.00
Change of Venue – All Other EV	\$264.00
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint* - Eviction - Possession Only <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	No Fee
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint* - All Other EV <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$75.00

Petition to Vacate/Petition to Modify – Eviction 30 days or less after Final Judgment	No Fee
Petition to Vacate/Petition to Modify – Eviction 31 days or more after Final Judgment	\$75.00
Petition to Vacate Dismissal for Want of Prosecution	No Fee
Petition to Intervene – Eviction Possession Only	\$89.00
Petition to Intervene – All Other EV	\$264.00

## FAMILY (FA)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
FA – Delayed Record of Birth	\$314.00
FA – Notice to Putative Father/Adoption Act	\$314.00
FA – Notice to Putative Father/Juvenile Court Act	\$314.00
FA – Parentage (voluntary petitions filed pursuant to 750 ILCS 46/309)	No Fee
FA – Petition for Confidential Intermediary	No Fee
FA – Petition for Custody	\$314.00
FA – Petition for Order to Issue Marriage License/Civil Union (Adult)	\$314.00
FA – Petition for Parental Responsibility (Child Support)	\$314.00
FA – Petition for Parental Responsibility (Visitation)	\$314.00
FA – Petition for Visitation of Child(ren)	\$314.00
FA – Petition for Visitation of Frail/Elderly Adult	\$314.00
FA – Petition to Request Support	\$314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	\$189.00
<b>OTHER</b>	
Change of Venue – Family	\$314.00
Child Support and Maintenance Annual Service Fee 705 ILCS 105/27.1A(BB)(4)	\$ 36.00
Child Support History Reports	\$ 6.00
Counterclaim, Third Party Complaint or Cross Complaint*	\$125.00
<i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	
Notice to Putative Father Mailings	\$ 19.58
• Restricted (\$2 Mailing Fee + \$17.58 postage)	
Parenting Class Registration Fee ( <i>paid directly to McHenry County College</i> )	\$ 90.00
Parenting Class Rescheduling Fee ( <i>paid directly to McHenry County College</i> )	\$ 25.00
Petition to Intervene	\$314.00
Petition to modify, terminate, or enforce a judgment or order for child or spousal support, or to modify, suspend, or terminate an order for withholding, if filed 30 days or less after entry of the judgment	No Fee
Petition to modify, terminate, or enforce a judgment or order for child or spousal support, or to modify, suspend, or terminate an order for withholding, if filed 31 days or more after entry of the judgment	No Fee
Petition to Vacate Dismissal for Want of Prosecution	No Fee
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – any other type of final order 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 50.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – any other type of final order 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 75.00

## FORECLOSURE (FC)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
FC – Foreclosure – Commercial	\$ 314.00
FC – Foreclosure – Residential	\$ 314.00
FC – Foreclosure – Residential / Termination of Lease	\$ 314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	\$189.00
<b>JURY DEMAND</b>	
Jury Demand	\$ 212.50
<b>OTHER</b>	
Change of Venue – Foreclosure	\$314.00
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint* <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$125.00
Petition to Intervene	\$314.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 50.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 75.00
Petition to Vacate Dismissal for Want of Prosecution	No Fee
Petition to Vacate Judgment of Foreclosure BEFORE Sale Approved	No Fee

## GOVERNMENTAL CORPORATION (GC) **\*\*replaces MC**

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
GC – Drainage Assessment (Except Tax Collection)	\$ 314.00
GC – Foreclosure of Lien for Special Assessment	\$ 314.00
GC – Other Routine Matters of Governmental Corporations	\$ 314.00
GC – Petition for Creation of Drainage District	\$ 314.00
GC – Petition of Annexation for Election	\$ 314.00
GC – Petition to Change Form of Government	\$ 314.00
GC – Petition to Disconnect from Fire District	\$ 314.00
GC – Petition to Dissolve Government Corporation	\$ 314.00
GC – Petition to Organize Municipal Corporation	\$ 314.00
GC – Retailer’s Occupation Tax	\$ 314.00
GC – Special Assessment (To Change or Restrain Collection)	\$ 314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	\$189.00

## GUARDIANSHIP (GR)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
GR - Guardianship of Minor	\$264.00
GR - Guardianship of Person with Disability	\$264.00
GR - Guardianship of Estate of a Living Person	\$264.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance ( <b>**except for those listed below</b> )	\$189.00
Appearance <b>**for purpose of consent, Executor, Administrator, Administrator to Collect, Guardian, Guardian Ad Litem or Special Administrator</b>	No Fee

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Fee</b>
Change of Venue – Guardianship	\$264.00
Counterclaim, Third Party Complaint, Cross Complaint or Petition to Intervene* <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$75.00
Guardian – Each Accounting (other than final)	\$ 25.00
Guardian – Final Accounting	No Fee
Guardian – Annual Report Filing	No Fee
Jury Demand	\$ 137.50
Letters of Office (each)	\$ 2.00
Petition to Intervene	\$264.00

## JUVENILE (JV)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
JV – Emancipation of Minor	No Fee
JV – Petition for Issuance of Marriage License/Civil Union Certificate	No Fee
JV – Petition Under Parental Notification of Abortion Act	No Fee
JV – Sexting	No Fee
JV – Truancy	No Fee
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	No Fee
<b>OTHER</b>	
Change of Venue	No Fee
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint* <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	No Fee
Petition to Intervene	No Fee

## LAW MAGISTRATE – under \$50,000.00 in damages (LM)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>\$10,000.01 to \$15,000.00</b>	<b>\$15,000.01 to \$50,000.00</b>
LM – Contract – Money Damages	\$264.00	\$314.00
LM – Tort – Money Damages	\$264.00	\$314.00
	<b>Up to \$15,000.00</b>	<b>\$15,000.01 to \$50,000.00</b>
LM – Arbitration and Award	\$264.00	\$314.00
LM – Civil Remedies for Nonconsensual Dissemination of Private Sexual Images	\$264.00	\$314.00
LM – Confession of Judgment	\$264.00	\$314.00
LM – Distress for Rent	\$264.00	\$314.00
LM – Recover Support/Contribution	\$264.00	\$314.00
LM – Replevin	\$264.00	\$314.00
LM – Statutory Action by State/Political Subdivision	\$264.00	\$314.00
LM – Trover	\$264.00	\$314.00
LM – Wrongful Death	\$264.00	\$314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>		
Appearance	\$189.00	\$189.00
<b>JURY DEMAND</b>		
Jury Demand – 6 person jury	\$ 212.50	\$ 212.50
<b>OTHER</b>		
Change of Venue - LM	\$264.00	\$314.00

Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint* <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$75.00	\$125.00
Petition to Vacate/Petition to Modify – Eviction/Forcible 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order	No Fee	No Fee
Petition to Vacate/Petition to Modify – all other LM 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
Petition to Vacate/Petition to Modify – Eviction/Forcible 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
Petition to Vacate/Petition to Modify – all other LM 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
Petition to Vacate Dismissal for Want of Prosecution	No Fee	No Fee
Petition to Intervene	\$264.00	\$314.00

## LAW – over \$50,000.00 in damages (LA)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
LA – Arbitration and Award	\$314.00
LA – Civil Remedies for Nonconsensual Dissemination of Private Sexual Images	\$314.00
LA – Confession of Judgment (over \$50,000)	\$314.00
LA – Contract – Money Damages (over \$50,000)	\$314.00
LA – Distress for Rent	\$314.00
LA – Recover Support/Contribution (over \$50,000)	\$314.00
LA – Replevin (over \$50,000)	\$314.00
LA – Statutory Action (state/political subdivision) (over \$50,000)	\$314.00
LA – Tort – Money Damages (over \$50,000)	\$314.00
LA – Trover	\$314.00
LA – Wrongful Death (over \$50,000)	\$314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	\$189.00
<b>JURY DEMAND</b>	
Jury Demand	\$ 212.50
<b>OTHER</b>	
Change of Venue – Law over \$50,000	\$314.00
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$125.00
Petition to Intervene	\$314.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify – 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 50.00
Petition to Vacate or Petition to Modify - 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 75.00
Petition to Vacate Dismissal for Want of Prosecution	No Fee

## MENTAL HEALTH (MH)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
MH – Petition for Discharge	No Fee
MH – Petition for Hospitalization	No Fee
MH – Petition for Restoration	No Fee
MH – Petition to Administer Treatment	No Fee
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	No Fee

## MISCELLANEOUS REMEDY (MR)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
MR – Abatement of Nuisance	\$314.00
MR – Administrative Review of Unemployment	No Fee
MR – Appointment of Receiver	\$314.00
MR – Building Code Violation	\$314.00
MR – Burnt Records	\$314.00
MR – Certiorari	\$314.00
MR – Change of Name	\$314.00
MR – Confirmation of Election Judge	\$314.00
MR – Consumer Fraud / Deceptive Business Practice	\$314.00
MR – Contagious Disease	\$314.00
MR – Corporation Dissolution	\$314.00
MR – Declaratory Judgment	\$314.00
MR – Demolition	\$314.00
MR – Election Contest	\$314.00
MR – Escheat	\$314.00
MR – Fictitious Vital Record	\$314.00
MR – Lost Goods or Money (Estray)	No Fee
MR – Mandamus	\$314.00
MR – Ne Exeat (Original Action)	\$314.00
MR – Petition for Discovery or to Depose	\$314.00
MR – Petition to Destroy Evidence	\$314.00
MR – Prohibition	\$314.00
MR – Quo Warranto	\$314.00
MR – Review of Administrative Proceedings (other than Tax Commission)	\$314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	\$189.00
<b>OTHER</b>	
Certified Mailing - Administrative Review/Unemployment	No Fee
Certified Mailing ( <i>Mailing Fee \$10.00 + Certified Mailing/non-restricted \$9.68 = \$19.68</i> )	\$19.68 per mailing
Certification of Name Change Order after entry	\$ 6.00
Change of Venue – Miscellaneous Remedy	\$314.00
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint*	\$125.00
<i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	
Petition to Intervene	\$314.00

## MISCELLANEOUS CRIMINAL (MX)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
MX – Administrative Subpoena – Issue Foreign Subpoena (735 ILCS 35/1-9.5)	\$314.00
MX – Application for Order – Eavesdropping	\$314.00
MX – Application for Order – Electronic Criminal Surveillance	\$314.00
MX – Appointment of Special Prosecutor	\$314.00
MX – Attachment (Original Action)	\$314.00
MX – Certificate of Innocence	\$314.00
MX – Extradition	\$314.00



MX – Forfeiture of Seized Property	\$314.00
MX – Grand Jury Investigator	\$314.00
MX – Habeas Corpus (Civil or Criminal)	\$314.00
MX – Interstate Probationer Transfer (Adult)	\$314.00
MX – Intrastate Probationer Transfer (Adult)	\$314.00
MX – Intrastate Probationer Transfer (Juvenile)	\$314.00
MX – Peace Bond Complaint (Fugitive from Justice)	\$314.00
MX – Petition to Expunge (For arrest without charge - no Criminal Case)	\$215.00
MX – Petition to Seal (No Criminal Case exists)	\$215.00
MX – Petition to Secure Testimony for Out-of-State Witness	\$314.00
MX – Rendition	\$314.00
MX – Search Warrant	\$314.00
MX – Sexually Violent Person Commitment Proceedings	\$314.00
MX – Statewide Grand Jury Proceedings	\$314.00
MX – Statutory Summary Suspension (when no DT case is filed)	No Fee
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance, including Forfeiture of Seized Property	\$189.00
<b>OTHER</b>	
Certified Mailing ( <i>Mailing Fee \$10.00 + Certified Mailing/non-restricted \$9.68 = \$19.68</i> )	\$19.68 per mailing
Change of Venue – Miscellaneous Criminal	\$314.00
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint* <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$125.00
Petition to Intervene	\$314.00

## ORDER OF PROTECTION (OP)

<b>NEW CASE FILING (Emergency, Interim or Plenary)</b>		<b>Filing Fee</b>
OP – Civil No Contact Order		No Fee
OP – Firearms Restraining Order		No Fee
OP – Order of Protection		No Fee
OP – Stalking No Contact Order		No Fee
<b>APPEARANCE</b>		
Appearance		No Fee
Change of Venue – Order of Protection		No Fee
<i>No fees shall be charged to the parties of the case in any Order of Protection, including but not limited to: filing, modifying, withdrawing, certifying or photocopying petitions for Orders of Protection, or for issuing alias summons, or for any related filing service, certifying, modifying, vacating, or photocopying any Orders of Protection.</i>		

## PROBATE (PR)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b>		<b>Filing Fee</b>
Administration of Decedent’s Estate		\$364.00
Missing Person		\$364.00
Wrongful Death/Collection of Judgment		\$264.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>		<b>Fee</b>
Appearance (**except for those listed below)		\$189.00
Appearance **for purpose of consent, Executor, Administrator, Administrator to Collect, Guardian, Guardian Ad Litem or Special Administrator		No Fee
<b>OTHER</b>		<b>Fee</b>
Change of Venue – Probate		\$264.00

Counterclaim, Third Party Complaint, Cross Complaint or Petition to Intervene* <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$75.00
Decedent – Each Accounting (other than final)	\$ 25.00
Decedent – Final Accounting	No Fee
Estate Claim – \$0.00 to \$149.99	No Fee
Estate Claim – \$150.00 to \$499.99	\$25.00
Estate Claim – \$500.00 to \$9,999.00	\$40.00
Estate Claim – \$10,000.00 or more	\$60.00
Filing a claim, petition, or supplemental proceeding based upon action seeking equitable relief	\$60.00
Jury Demand	\$ 137.50
Letters of Office (each)	\$ 2.00
Letters issued without Administration of Estate (each)	\$ 2.00
Petition to Intervene	\$264.00
Petition to Reopen Estate – 30 days or less after final Judgment Order	No Fee
Petition to Reopen Estate – 30 days or less – plus Reissue Letters	\$ 2.00
Petition to Reopen Estate – 31 days or more after final Judgment Order	\$ 75.00
Petition to Reopen Estate – 31 days or more – plus Reissue Letters	\$ 77.00
Probate Petition for Citation	No Fee
Transfer Will ( <i>Transfer Fee \$40.00 + Certified Mailing/ non-restricted \$19.68</i> )	\$ 59.68

## SMALL CLAIMS (SC) up to \$10,000.00

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> <i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Up to \$2,500.00</b>	<b>\$2,500.01 to \$10,000.00</b>
Small Claims – Contract	\$89.00	\$264.00
Small Claims – Tort – Money Damages	\$89.00	\$264.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>		
Appearance	\$109.00	\$189.00
<b>JURY DEMAND</b>		
Jury Demand – 6 person jury	\$ 12.50	\$ 12.50
Jury Demand – 12 person jury	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00
<i>Supreme Court Rule 285. Jury Demands A small claim shall be tried by the court unless a jury demand is filed by the plaintiff at the time the action is commenced or by the defendant not later than the date he is required to appear. There shall be 6 jurors unless either party demands 12. A party demanding a jury shall pay a fee of \$12.50 unless he demands a jury of 12, in which case he shall pay a fee of \$25, or, if another party has previously paid a fee for a jury of 6, \$12.50.</i>		
<b>OTHER</b>		
No New Case Filing fee required if filed by government agency, but Certified Mailing Fees still apply, less \$10.00 Mailing Fee = \$17.58		
Change of Venue – Small Claims	\$89.00	\$264.00
Certified Mailing Fee – For service of Summons by Circuit Clerk <i>*fee charged per defendant</i>	\$27.58	\$27.58
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee-Appearance Fee MUST be paid first</i>	No Fee	\$75.00
Petition to Intervene	\$89.00	\$264.00
Petition to Vacate/Petition to Modify - 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order	No Fee	No Fee
Petition to Vacate/Petition to Modify - 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
Petition to Vacate Dismissal for Want of Prosecution	No Fee	No Fee

## TAX (TX)

<b>NEW CASE FILING</b> *No fee required if filed by a government agency	<b>Filing Fee</b>
TX – Annual Tax Sale	No Fee
TX – Drainage Assessment	\$314.00
TX – Petition for Tax Deed	\$314.00
TX – Sale in Error	\$314.00
TX – Scavenger Tax Sale	\$314.00
TX – Tax Commission (Review of Decision)	\$314.00
TX – Tax Foreclosure	\$314.00
TX – Tax Injunction	\$314.00
TX – Tax Refund/Objection (taxes have been paid)	\$314.00
TX – Tax Objections (taxes have been sold)	\$314.00
<b>APPEARANCE</b>	
Appearance	\$189.00
<b>OTHER</b>	
Certified Mailing – Non-restricted (\$10 mailing fee + \$9.68 postage)	\$19.68 per envelope mailed
Change of Venue – Tax	\$314.00
Counterclaim, Third Party or Cross Complaint* <i>*Same as New Case Filing Fee, less Appearance Fee – Appearance MUST be filed first</i>	\$125.00
Petition to Intervene	\$314.00

## WILL (WI) \*\*Wills CANNOT be filed electronically

<b>WILL FILING</b>	<b>Filing Fee</b>
WI – Filing a Will (not including copy and certification fees)	No Fee
<b>OTHER</b>	
Transfer Will Transfer Fee \$40.00 + Certified Mailing / non-restricted \$19.68	\$59.68
<i>(755 ILCS 5/6-1) Duty to file will - altering, destroying or secreting.) (a) Immediately upon the death of the testator any person who has the testator's will in his possession shall file it with the clerk of the court of the proper county and upon failure or refusal to do so, the court on its motion or on the petition of any interested person may issue an attachment and compel the production of the will, subject to the provisions of Section 5.15 of the Secretary of State Act.</i>	

## MISCELLANEOUS FEES

### APPEALS

<i>*No fee required if filed by a government agency</i>	<b>Fee</b>
Filing Fee - Notice of Appeal – All Case Types	\$50.00
Preparation Fee for Appeal – under 100 pages	No Additional Fee
Preparation Fee for Appeal – 101 - 200 pages	\$50.00 Additional Fee
Preparation Fee for Appeal – over 200 pages	\$ 0.25 per page Additional Fee
Preparation Fee for Supplemental Records	\$ 0.25 per page Additional Fee
Additional fees for the preparation of court transcripts ( <i>Reports of Proceedings</i> ) are payable directly to Court Reporters. Contact Court Reporters through Court Administration at (815) 334-4385	

## CITATION TO DISCOVER ASSETS, GARNISHMENT, WAGE DEDUCTIONS & ALIAS SUMMONS

Judgment amount based on the original amount listed in the Order	Judgment up to \$1,000.00	Judgment from \$1,000.01 to \$5,000.00	Judgment over \$5,000.00
Citation	\$ 15.00	\$ 30.00	\$ 50.00
Garnishment	\$ 15.00	\$ 30.00	\$ 50.00
Wage Deduction	\$ 15.00	\$ 30.00	\$ 50.00
<b>Fee</b>			
Issue Alias Summons		\$ 5.00	
Issue Alias Citation		\$ 5.00	
Issue Alias Wage Deduction Summons		\$ 5.00	
Issue Alias Garnishment Summons		\$ 5.00	

## COPIES, CERTIFICATIONS, MAILINGS & MISC.

	Fee
<b>Copies</b>	
First Page	\$ 2.00
Pages 2 – 20	\$ 0.50 each
Pages 21 and after	\$ 0.25 each
<b>Certified or Exemplified Copies</b>	
Document Certification *in addition to fee for copies	\$ 6.00 extra per stamp/seal
Document Exemplification *in addition to fee for copies	\$ 6.00 extra per stamp/seal
Certification of first Judgment Order on date judgment is entered - Small Claims & Forcible Entry & Detainer ONLY	No Fee
Certification of Name Change Order on date judgment is entered	\$ 6.00
Certification of Expungement Order	\$ 4.00
<b>Certified Mailing</b>	
Restricted (\$10 Mailing Fee + \$17.58 postage) <i>**No Restricted Certified mailing addressed to business</i>	\$ 27.58
Non-Restricted (\$10 Mailing Fee + \$9.68 postage)	\$ 19.68
Restricted Certified Mailing for Government Agency <i>**No Restricted Certified mailing addressed to business</i>	\$ 17.58
Non-Restricted Certified Mailing for Government Agency	\$ 9.68
<b>Transfers</b>	
Transfer Fee (outgoing) *preparation & certification of record on change of venue to another jurisdiction	\$ 40.00 plus postage
Transfer Fee (incoming) Same <i>New Case Filing Fee</i> as if you were filing a new case	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	
Mailing Fee <i>*Payable when the Clerk is required to mail</i>	\$ 10.00 plus postage
Child Support History Reports	\$ 6.00
Returned Check Fee (check returned for any reason)	\$ 25.00
Record Search	\$ 6.00 per year/per party/per division
Statement of Charge and Disposition (Criminal/Traffic) – Certified	\$ 8.00
Statement of Charge and Disposition (Criminal/Traffic) – Not Certified	\$ 2.00
Court Docket Sheet	\$ 6.00
Credit Card Fee (authorized under 705 ILCS 105/27.3b)	Assessed by credit card vendor
Publications	Assessed by publishing vendor

## COUNTER CLAIM, THIRD PARTY COMPLAINT, CROSS COMPLAINT OR PETITION TO INTERVENE

Same as *New Case Filing Fee* would be (as if you had to file a new, separate action for relief sought), less amount of the *Appearance Fee*. Filing fee will be based on the prayer amount in the **new** complaint. *Appearance Fee* MUST be paid first.

## EXPUNGEMENTS

	<b>Filing Fee</b>
Petition to Expunge	\$ 215.00
Petitions to Expunge Arrest Record/No Criminal Case Filed (new MX case filing)	\$ 215.00
Petitions to Expunge Juvenile	\$ No Fee
Petitions to Seal	\$ 215.00
<i>Expungement Filing Fees include \$60 Petition Filing Fee, Copy Fees, Mailing Notice Fee, Postage &amp; \$60 Fee for IL State Police</i>	
<i>**If Petition to Expunge or Seal is denied, \$60 fee for IL State Police will be refunded to the filing party.</i>	

## JURY DEMAND \*\*Document filing fee, payable upon filing of Jury Demand, Jury Trial will not be scheduled without payment of fee

	<b>Filing Fee</b>
Arbitration (AR)	\$ 212.50
Chancery (CH)	\$ 212.50
Civil Law Violation (CL)	\$ 212.50
Eminent Domain	\$ 212.50
Law over \$50,000 (LA)	\$ 212.50
Law Medium (LM)	\$ 212.50
Miscellaneous Remedy (MR)	\$ 212.50
Municipal Corporation (MC)	\$ 212.50
Probate (PR)	\$ 137.50
Small Claims (SC) (6 person)	\$ 12.50
Small Claims (SC) (12 person)	\$ 25.00
Tax (TX)	\$ 212.50

## MOTION TO VACATE/MODIFY JUDGMENT

<b>Civil</b>	<b>Fee</b>
Motion to Vacate Judgment or Final Order, 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order entered (except Small Claims, Eviction/Forcible, Child Support or Maintenance & Petition to Reopen Estate )	\$ 50.00
Motion to Vacate Judgment or Final Order, 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order entered	\$ 75.00
Motion to Vacate Dismissal for Want of Prosecution	No Fee
Motion to Vacate or Petition to Modify – Child Support or Maintenance	No Fee
Motion to Vacate or Petition to Modify – Small Claims - 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order entered	No Fee
Motion to Vacate or Petition to Modify – Small Claims - 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order entered	\$ 75.00
Motion to Vacate or Petition to Modify – Eviction/Forcible Entry & Detainer - 30 days or less after Final Judgment or Order entered	No Fee
Motion to Vacate or Petition to Modify – Eviction/Forcible Entry & Detainer - 31 days or more after Final Judgment or Order entered	\$ 75.00
Motion to Vacate Judgment or Petition to Modify – Orders of Protection	No Fee

Motion to Vacate Judgment or Petition to Modify – Adoption	No Fee
<b>Criminal/Traffic</b>	
Motion to Vacate or Amend Final Orders	\$ 40.00
Motion to Vacate Bond Forfeiture	\$ 40.00
Motion to Vacate ExParte Judgment	\$ 40.00
Motion to Vacate Judgment on Forfeiture	\$ 40.00
Motion to Vacate <i>Failure to Appear</i> or <i>Failure to Comply</i> notices sent to Secretary of State	\$ 40.00

## REJECTION OF AWARD

	<b>Filing Fee</b>
Notice of Rejection of Award – Award \$30,000 or less, and request for trial	\$ 200.00
Notice of Rejection of Award – Award \$30,000.01 or more, and request for trial	\$ 500.00