

PROTHONOTARY FEE SCHEDULE

Revised EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2026

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

Sheriff's Deeds and Tax Claim Bureau Deeds\$6.00

ACTIONS:

Commencement of any Action (Law or Equity).....\$142.00

(EXCEPT DIVORCE AND CUSTODY- SEE BELOW)

*fee for additional names (more than 4 litigants)\$2.00 ea

Amended Complaint.....\$25.00

Search Charge-on name change-includes search and certification\$13.25

APPEALS:

From District Justice Judgment, Penn-Dot, Zoning Boards,

Assessments, etc\$142.00

From Board of Viewers, etc. on any existing case\$44.25

From Court of Common Pleas to an Appellate Court.....\$44.25

(Plus, a separate check for Appellate Court)\$91.25

Petition to Strike Appeal.\$13.25

Writ of Certiorari (on Existing Action) Land Use Appeal.\$13.25

Arbitration- see below

ARBITRATIONS:

Praeipice for Appointment of Arbitrators\$21.50

Appeal from Award of Arbitrators.....\$344.25

BUILDING AGREEMENTS:

Filing of any Waiver, Stipulation or Building Agreement.\$14.50

Mechanic's Lien Claim.....\$142.00

CERTIFICATIONS:.....\$6.00 ea

Plus copies per page.....\$.50

County Clerk's Certificate\$7.50

CUSTODY:

Filing Complaint.....\$172.50

Petition for Contempt	\$58.00
Petition for Modification of Custody	\$58.00
Petition for Special Relief of Custody	\$58.00
Petition/Motion to Transfer case/Change of Venue	\$25.00
Praeipe to Appoint Master	\$19.50
Master's Fee	\$600.00

DIVORCE: *

Filing Complaint	\$152.00
*ADD for each additional count.	\$67.00
*ADD for Custody Count	\$97.00
Certified copy of Divorce Decree	\$12.50
Amended Complaint	\$25.00
Election to retake Maiden Name	\$6.75
Petition/Motion to transfer/change of Venue	\$25.00
Property Settlement Agreement	\$15.00
Praeipe to Transmit Record	\$21.75
~ (Includes a Document Preparation Fee of Decrees and Agreement) ~	
Praeipe for Appointment of Master	\$19.50
Master's Fee	\$600.00
DISCONTINUE, Withdraw or Strike	\$7.25
Partial Discontinuance	\$7.25

EXECUTIONS:

Filing any Praeipe for Writ of Execution, including attachment, possession	
Or any other writ of not herein specifically provided for	\$22.75
Amended, Corrected or Reissued Writs/Writ of Possession	\$22.75

JUDGMENTS:*

Judgment Note	\$13.75
Default Judgment.	\$13.25
Transcript of Civil Suit-(District Magistrate Judgment)	\$13.75
Agreement to Revive Judgment	\$13.25
Revival of Judgment by Adverse Proceedings	\$30.75

Certification of Docket Entries & Judgment from another P.A. County	\$13.75
Preparing Certification of Docket Entries & Judgment, Exemplification....	\$15.00
Plus, cost per page.....	\$.50
Exemplified Judgment from another State	\$13.75
Lis Pendens on an existing case.....	\$13.25
Judgment of Non-Pros	\$13.25
Award of Arbitrators	\$13.25
Final Judgment in Quiet Title Action	\$19.75
Amendment of Assignment, Release, Subordination or Satisfaction.....	\$7.25
Petition to Open/Strike Judgment.....	\$7.25
Vacate Judgment	\$7.25
Writ of Wage Attachment.....	\$22.75

LIENS:

Commonwealth, Federal, Municipal or Certified Copy of Lien- within PA	\$13.25
Commonwealth, Federal, Municipal, State or Certified Copy of Lien- Outside of PA.....	\$13.75

MISCELLANEOUS:

Additional name charge-for each name exceeding four (4) names	\$2.00
Computer generated copy of docket entries.....	\$6.00
Computer generated report-per page.....	\$2.25
Copy of Pike County Rules of Court.....	\$6.50
Entry of Appearance	\$6.50
Filing of any account, audit, document, ordinance, paper or report Required by law to be filed or recorded, not otherwise provided for or Included herein.....	\$15.00
Intention to Proceed.....	\$13.25
Listing for Trial and Certificate of Readiness.....	\$7.25
Motion to Transfer Case.....	\$22.75
Private Detective License-new or renewal.....	\$142.00
Separate check to Central Repository for fingerprinting.....	\$17.50

Copies (not docket entries), per page	\$.50
Bond Fee-Individual	\$200.00
Bond Fee-Corporate.....	\$300.00
Badges	\$50.00
Request for Argument.....	\$6.50
Returned check (NSF)	\$35.00
Road Docket Petitions	\$20.50
Reinstatement/Reissuance	\$20.50

PROTECTION FROM ABUSE:

Petition for Weapons Return	\$25.00
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SATISFACTIONS:

Entering satisfaction, release, postponements, assignments, subordinations	
Of all encumbrances or lien, or settlement, discontinuance, ending or	
Termination of any civil action at law or equity	\$7.25

SUBPOENA:

Each	\$3.00
Foreign Subpoena.....	\$18.00

CLERK OF THE COURTS FEE SCHEDULE

Revised EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2025

Administration Fee.....	\$20.00
All proceedings in Summary Matters.....	\$19.50
All proceedings in all misdemeanor and felony cases disposed of at anytime during or after trial.....	\$131.00
All proceedings in all misdemeanor and felony cases disposed of before trial.	\$98.25
PRIOR TO NOVEMBER 12, 2025	
*Appeal - From Summary Conviction before a District Justice	\$55.50
AFTER NOVEMBER 12, 2025	
**Appeal - From Summary Conviction before a District Justice	\$56.50
Appeal - From Court of Common Pleas to an Appellate (Superior) Court.....	\$44.25
PLUS - Separate Check Made Payable to the Appropriate Appellate Court.....	\$91.25
Automation Fee.....	\$5.00
Certifications	\$6.00
Data Processing Fee	\$15.00
Expungement-Adult (Conviction Prior to November 12, 2025)	\$177.00
Expungement-Adult (Conviction After November 12, 2025).....	\$178.00
*Expungement-Juvenile (Petition Only).....	\$25.25
* Juvenile (<u>Upon Court Approval of Petition: Expungement Fee</u>).....	\$137.00
Petition for Constable.....	\$19.50
Petition for Contempt.....	\$57.25
Poundage-for handling of money paid into court:	
Per dollar for the first \$1,000	3%
Per dollar for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof	1%
Issuing Bench Warrants	\$12.50
Judgment and Satisfaction	\$27.00
Report of Bonding Company Bail Bondsperson	\$12.50
Subpoena	\$2.75

Clerk of the Orphans' Court Fee Schedule

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Adoption Proceedings	\$101.00
Petition for Voluntary/Involuntary Termination of Parental Rights	\$35.00
Report of Intention to Adopt/Act 34 of 1992	\$75.00
Appeal	\$62.00
PLUS check payable to Appellate Court	\$91.25
Citation (including proof of service)	\$13.50
Claim Against Estate	\$21.00
Data Processing Fee	\$7.00
Disclaimer (initial filing)	\$55.00
Exemplified Record	\$15.50
Family Settlement Agreement	\$116.00
Fee for Additional Litigants (each name over 4)	\$2.00
Filing Final Accounts and Statements of Distribution	
Of Executor, Administrators	\$63.00
Each Additional page after the first	\$4.00
(Advertising fee billed directly to newspaper)	
Filing any Guardianship Account Electronically	\$17.00
Filed through County office	\$30.00
Marriage License includes 1 Marriage Certificate	\$55.00
Certified Copy of Marriage Certificate	\$15.00
Notice of Election to Take against Estate	\$116.00
Petition to Initiate Case	\$116.00
Petition to Intervene	\$116.00
Petition and Order for Discharge of Executor or Administrator	\$28.00
Petition for Incompetent's Estate	\$116.00
Petition for Minor's Estate Settlement	\$116.00
Releases/Satisfaction	\$7.00
Returned Check (NSF)	\$35.00
Small Estate (\$1<\$50,000)	\$116.00