

HAYS COUNTY DISTRICT CLERK FILING FEES

Effective 1/1/22

CIVIL SUITS:	
FILING FEES-all new Civil cases	Civil
Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$50.00
Law Library Fee	\$35.00
Records Preservation/ Management Fee	\$30.00
General Court Reporter Fee	\$25.00
Courthouse Security Fund	\$20.00
Court Facility Fund	\$20.00
Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) Fee	\$15.00
County Jury Fund	\$10.00
Appellate Judicial System Fee (District 3)	\$5.00
Language Access Fund	\$3.00
Local Consolidated Fee	\$213.00
State Consolidated Fee	\$137.00
TOTAL BASE FEE	\$350.00

EXPUNCTION

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
Notices (charge per agency)	\$13.40
Notices Electronic/Hand Delivery (per agency)	\$ 3.00

No fee assessed on a petition filed within 30 days of an acquittal

ESSENTIAL NEEDS DRIVERS LICENSE (Occupational)

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
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PETITION FOR NON-DISCLOSURE

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
Criminal Order (Automatic)	\$28.00

TAX SUITS

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
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Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
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FRAUDULENT LIEN

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
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FAMILY SUITS:	
FILING FEES-all new Family cases	Family
Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$50.00
Law Library Fee	\$35.00
Records Preservation Fee Records	\$30.00
General Court Reporter Fee	\$25.00
Courthouse Security Fund	\$20.00
Court Facility Fund	\$20.00
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County Jury Fund	\$10.00
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DIVORCE/ ANNULMENT/ VOID MARRIAGE

Base Filing Fee (with/ without children)	\$350.00
Certificate of name change	\$10.00

PARENT CHILD RELATIONSHIP (SAPCR'S)

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
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ADOPTIONS & TERMINATIONS

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
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PROTECTIVE ORDERS-Paid by respondent

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
Issuance Fee	\$16.00

CPS CASE- No fees charged to state agency

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
Report to BVS	\$1.00

UIFSA/ NAME CHANGE/ REMOVAL OF DISABILITIES

Base Filing Fee	\$350.00
Certificate of name change	\$10.00

FILING FEES FOR ANCILLARY ACTIONS/ MOTIONS CIVIL, TAX & FAMILY	State Filing Fee	LOCAL FEE- \$35		TOTAL
		Clerk	Rec Mgmt.	
L GC-Subchapter C Sec. 135.101(b)	\$45.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$80.00
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Motion for Contempt	\$45.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$80.00
Motion to Modify	\$45.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$80.00
Intervention	\$45.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$80.00
3rd Party Petition	\$45.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$80.00
Counterclaim	\$45.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$80.00
Motion for New Trial	\$45.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$80.00
Cross-Action	\$45.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$80.00

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FOREIGN JUDGEMENT

Base Civil Fee	\$350.00	Base Family Fee	\$350.00
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CASES TRANSFERRED TO HAYS COUNTY

Base Civil Fee	\$350.00	Base Family Fee	\$350.00
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Actions within existing SAPCR

Motion for contempt, enforcement, modification, license suspension, writ of withholding and motion to transfer Out of County (transfer of venue)	FC 110.002	\$15.00
Motion to transfer into county	FC 110.005	\$45.00

CIVIL CITATION FOR FORECLOSURE

Citation by certified mail (issuance fee)	\$8.00	Citation by certified mail (Dist. Clerk svc fee)	\$75.00
<i>Note: Cannot charge 2nd \$8 per statute, have to issue, but can only charge for c-mail issuance</i>			
Total issuance & service fees for 1 party/ Foreclosure			\$83.00

ISSUANCE FEES

All Issuance of any document or process- Abstract Judgment, Capias, Citation, Notice, Precept, Subpoena, TRO, Writs, Order of Sale, Tax Warrant \$8.00

SERVICE FEES

Certified Mail Service (by District Clerk)	\$75.00	Service by Secretary of State	\$55.00
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MISCELLANEOUS FEES:

Search fee- any file or record to find a cause number or existence of an instrument or record	GC 51.318(B)(5)	\$5.00
Filing and Approving Bonds		\$5.00
Preparation of clerks on appeal	GC 51.318 (B)(6)	\$1.00
Certified copy on paper (each page)	GC 51.318 (B)(7)	\$1.00
Non-certified copy on paper (each page)	GC 51.318 (B)(8)(A)	\$1.00
Non-certified document converted to electronic	GC 51.318 (B)(8)(B)	\$1.00
Non-certified electronic document (for each page up to 10 is \$1.00 plus \$0.10 for each additional page)	GC 51.318 (B)(8)(C)	\$1.00
Order of Writ of Withholding (Wage Withholding Order)		\$15.00

Court Registry- Administrative Fees

On funds not earning interest	LGC 117.055	5% up to \$50
On funds earning interest	LGC 117.054	10% of interest accrued

Hays County Constable Service Fee

Temp Rest. Order, Show Cause, Injunction, Writ of Garnishment	\$150.00
Citations	\$ 75.00
All Other Writs	\$250.00