



Superior Court Filing Fees - For Maricopa County Effective August 9, 2017

Note: This chart reflects the current State 'base' fees authorized by A.R.S. § 12-284, Arizona Code of Judicial Administration Section 3-404 and Supreme Court Administrative Order 2017-44 plus additional fees determined by Statute, Supreme Court Administrative Order or Board of Supervisor's Resolution. The county Board of Supervisors may add local fees per A.R.S. 11-251.08.

The Clerk of the Superior Court's Office accepts credit cards (Visa/Mastercard/American Express) for payment of Filing Fees and Most Services.

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<u>FEES / JUVENILE</u>	
SERVICE	TOTAL
Adoption Suspense - Deposit	\$60.00
Petition for Emancipation (A.R.S. § 12-284(J))	\$176.00
Answer to Petition for Emancipation (§ 12-284(J))	\$222.00
Petition or Application for Adoption (§ 8-127)	\$0.00
Contested Adoption (§ 8-127)	\$0.00
Petition or Application for Adoption on a Child who is a Current Ward of the Court in the Care, Legal Decision-Making and Control of DES (§ 8-127)	\$0.00
Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor (§12-313A4)	\$271.00
Opposing Petition of Guardianship of a Minor (§12-313C)	\$271.00
Any Person Opposing Contested Petition if No Prior Fee Paid (§12-313C)	\$200.00
Guardianship - Post Judgment	\$85.00
Fingerprint Fee (Inc.postage & handling) (§ 41-1750 J)	\$29.00

FEES / CIVIL

SERVICE	TOTAL
Complaint or Petition	\$322.00
Complex Litigation Court Fee (BOS resolution dated 6/4/03)	\$500.00
Answer or Initial Appearance	\$239.00
Counter Claim	\$224.00
Stipulation - MCDOT / County Attorney	\$224.00
Petition for Stay or Special Action	\$322.00
Petition for Change of Name	\$322.00
Notice Pending Forfeiture	\$322.00
Filing Registrar's Orders (A.R.S. § 32-1166.06)	\$0.00
Filing Intervenor	\$322.00
Foreign Judgment	\$322.00
Tribal Judgment	\$322.00
Garnishee's Contesting Garnishment	\$239.00
Answer of Garnishee - Defendant	\$0.00
Change of Venue (In)	\$322.00
Civil Transmittal Fee (Out)	\$28.00
Order to Show Cause - To appear and do one or more of the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Request Affirmative or Counter Relief; 2. Attacks Process of Proceedings; 3. Takes Other Affirmative Action" 	\$224.00
Notice of Appeal Filing Fee (except under A.R.S. § 12-2107)	\$94.00
"Cross-Appeal Filing Fee by Appellee (except under A.R.S. §§ 12-2107, 12-1809 & 13-3602)"	\$94.00
Judgment Debtor Fee	\$28.00
Transfer Judgment	\$43.00
Tax Court Case	\$307.00
Tax Court Case Answer	\$224.00
Civil Traffic Appeal	\$158.00
Small Claims Tax Appeal	\$153.00
IV-D Judicial Review	\$322.00
Election Contest - New Complaint	\$322.00
Provisional Remedy	\$322.00
Injunction Against Harassment	\$0.00
Appeal of Injunction Against Harassment	\$0.00
Petition for Workplace Injunction	\$322.00
Defendant Request - Hearing for Workplace Injunction	\$239.00
Issuance of Civil Subpoena	\$28.00
Plaintiff/Appellant (Special Action / Admin Review)	\$322.00
Answer to Above Appeals	\$224.00
Employer Sanction Complaint (A.R.S. § 23-212)	\$0.00

FEES / TAX

SERVICE	TOTAL
Small claims tax case	\$153.00
Small claims tax case answer fee	\$153.00
Tax court case	\$307.00
Tax court case answer fee	\$224.00

FEES / FAMILY COURT

SERVICE	TOTAL
Petition for Dissolution of Marriage with Child(ren)	\$341.00
Petition for Dissolution of Marriage without Child(ren)	\$341.00
Change of Venue to this County (except under A.R.S. § 25-502(G))	\$307.00
Answer - Change of Venue	\$200.00
Response / Answer to Dissolution - with Child(ren)	\$270.00
Response / Answer to Dissolution - without Child(ren)	\$270.00
Petition for Legal Separation	\$341.00
Legal Separation - Response or Initial Appearance	\$270.00
Petition for Annulment	\$341.00
Answer / Response to Petition for Annulment	\$270.00
Reciprocal (When both parties agree) Initial	\$0.00
Reciprocal (When both parties agree) Response	\$0.00
Reciprocal (When both parties agree) Initial - Answer	\$200.00
Reciprocal (When both parties agree) Response - Answer	\$200.00
Miscellaneous Complaint	\$271.00
Answer - Miscellaneous Complaint	\$200.00
Family Court Transmittal Fee (Out)	\$28.00
Family Court Transfer (In)	\$271.00
Motion for County Transfer	\$28.00
Order of Protection	\$0.00
Answer - Order of Protection	\$0.00
Appeal - Order of Protection	\$0.00
Legal Decision-Making / Paternity Matters	\$271.00
Answer - Legal Decision-Making / Paternity Matters	\$200.00
Answer - Interstate Wage Assignment	\$200.00
Intervenor Fee Paid	\$307.00
Wage Assignment - No notice	\$85.00
Wage Assignment - Hearing	\$85.00
Wage Assignment - Stop or Modify	\$85.00
Wage Assignment - Stop or Modify Hearing	\$85.00
Simplified Child Support Modification	\$85.00
Simplified Child Support Modification Hearing	\$85.00
Expedited Motion for Support Enforcement	\$85.00
Expedited Motion for Parenting Time Enforcement	\$85.00
Expedited Judgment on Arrearages	\$85.00
Expedited Judgment on Arrearages Hearing	\$85.00
Request for Judgment on Arrearages	\$85.00
Hearing - Judgment on Arrearages	\$85.00
Establish Support - Post Decree	\$85.00
Establish Legal Decision Making / Parenting Time - Post Decree	\$85.00
Order to Show Cause on one of the following: 1. Child Support Modification 2. Spousal Maint Modification 3. Legal Decision-Making Modification 4. Parenting Time Modification	\$85.00

Order to Show Cause - Contempt of Court on one of the following: 1. Child Support 2. Spousal Support 3. Parenting Time 4. Medical Payments 5. Contempt / Other Post Decree 6. Other Post Decree	\$85.00
Stipulation to Modify one of the following: 1. Legal Decision-Making 2. Child Support 3. Parenting Time 4. Child Legal Decision-Making / Post Decree 5. Modify Other 6. Stop / Modify Order of Assignment (Owing) 7. Modify Child Support - Simplified	\$85.00
Expedited Services - Cross Petition	\$85.00
Foreign Judgment	\$307.00
Answer - Foreign Judgment	\$200.00
Foreign Judgment for Legal Decision-Making; Paternity; Voluntary Paternity; Establish Support / Legal Decision-Making	\$271.00
Answer - Foreign Judgment for Legal Decision-Making; Paternity; Voluntary Paternity; Establish Support / Legal Decision-Making	\$200.00
Answer - Register Foreign Support	\$200.00
Establish Support - New	\$271.00
Answer - Establish Support	\$200.00
Answer - Habeas Corpus	\$0.00
Paternity / Maternity	\$336.00
Paternity / Maternity - Answer	\$265.00
Voluntary Paternity	\$336.00
Voluntary Paternity - Answer	\$265.00
Grandparents Rights - New Petition	\$271.00
Grandparents Rights - Post Decree	\$85.00
Answer - Grandparents Rights	\$200.00
New Complaint - UIFSA	\$0.00
Answer - UIFSA	\$200.00
UIFSA - Stop / Modify Wage Assignment	\$271.00
UIFSA Enforcement - New Complaint	\$0.00
Child Issue Education Program (AO 2008-104)	\$550.00
In Loco Parentis - New	\$271.00
In Loco Parentis - Post	\$85.00
Registry of Legal Decision-Making	\$271.00
Establish Additional Enforcement - Other (In accordance with A.R.S. § 25-502)	\$271.00
Request for Hearing	\$200.00
Post-adjudication of Additional Enforcement - Other (In accordance with A.R.S. § 25-502)	\$85.00
Request for Hearing - Post-adjudication of Additional Enforcement - Other (A.R.S. § 25-502)	\$85.00
Post Decree Mediation Fee (A.R.S. § 11-258.01)	\$100.00
Parenting Conference Fee (A.R.S. § 11-258.01)	\$200.00
Family Court Services No Show Fee (A.R.S. § 11-258.01)	\$100.00
Parental Conflict Resolution Class Fee (A.R.S. § 11-258.01)	\$50.00
Payment History Report	\$28.00
Modification Calculation	\$28.00
Interstate Wage Assignment	\$0.00
Stipulation Stop / Modify Order of Assignment	\$0.00
Arrearage Calculation	\$63.00

FEES / MISCELLANEOUS

SERVICE	TOTAL
Copies/Photographic copies per page (other than photographic of papers & records on appeal); civil & criminal case with privately retained counsel; or documents from record	\$0.50
Electronic Replication per case (when documents are placed on a CD/DVD upon request or determined by size)	\$28.00
CD/DVD	\$1.00
Certification under One Document Certification	\$28.00
Exemplification per Certification (2 seals @ \$28 ea)	\$56.00
Authentication per Certification (3 seals @ \$28 ea)	\$84.00
Certification of Official Capacity of Justice of the Peace	\$28.00
Certificate of Clerk to Any Matter in Clerk's Record Not Specifically Provided	\$28.00
Certificate of Correctness of Copy of Record	\$28.00
Filing transcript and docketing judgment from any court	\$43.00
Demand for notice, filing paper, or performing any act for which a specific fee is not provided by statute	\$28.00
Seal a Court File	\$28.00
Re-open a Court File	\$28.00
Stop Payment on a Check	\$15.00
Research Reel of Film or Alpha Index per year (plus \$0.50 per page fee for copies)	\$28.00
Filing a Process Server Application	\$177.00
Research in Locating Document (per year/source researched)	\$28.00
Power of Attorney	\$28.00
Retrieve Bank Records	\$28.00
Issuance of Any Writ	\$28.00
Marriage License Covenant Marriage License	\$78.00
Covenant Conversion Fee	\$28.00
Certified Copy of Marriage License or Application (plus \$0.50 per page fee)	\$28.00
Postage and Handling and Fax Fee	\$7.00
Miscellaneous Service	\$28.00
Envelope Purchase	\$0.50
Jury Summons - Failure to Appear (A.R.S. § 21-223 / Admin Order 03-060)	\$500.00
Mediation - Failure to Appear (A.R.S. § 11-258.01)	\$200.00

FEEES / PROBATE, CONSERVATORSHIP, GUARDIANSHIP & FIDUCIARY

SERVICE	TOTAL
Court controlled trust accounts; charge for each individual action performed (Trust handling fee)	\$28.00
Probate - Informal / Affidavits	\$271.00
Probate - Response / Appearance	\$271.00
Probate - Guardianship / Conservatorship	\$271.00
Probate - Other	\$271.00
Probate - Answer	\$200.00
Post-judgment activities in probate cases	\$85.00
Probate Investigation (A.R.S. § 14-5314)	\$400.00
Probate Accounting Fee (A.R.S. § 14-5414)	\$300.00
Guardian Card Fee	\$28.00
Certified Letters of Appointment	\$28.00
Demands for Notice	\$28.00
Mental Health - New Petitions	\$0.00
Probate Sanction	\$0.00
Adult Adoption Petition	\$140.00
Adult Adoption Investigation	\$140.00

FEEES / TRANSFER FROM JUSTICE COURTS

SERVICE	TOTAL
Appellant (except under A.R.S. §§12-1809 & 13-3602)	\$307.00
Appellee (except under A.R.S. §§ 12-1809 & 13-3602)	\$224.00
Ownership of real property becomes issue (Plaintiff / Appellant)	\$239.00
Ownership of real property becomes an issue (Defendant)	\$239.00
Jurisdiction exceeded appellee (within 20 days of filing)	\$222.00



PASSPORT FEES

Note: Effective April 2, 2018, the passport acceptance fee (execution fee) will increase from \$25 to \$35 per application.

Passport Book - The fee for an applicant 16 years or older is \$110.00 payable to the U.S. Department of State and \$35.00 payable to the Clerk of Superior Court. These fees are paid separately. The passport book may be used for all international travel by air, land, and sea to and from the U.S.	\$145.00
Passport Book - The fee for a minor (under 16 years old) is \$80.00 payable to the U.S. Department of State and \$35.00 payable to the Clerk of Superior Court. These fees are paid separately.	\$115.00
Passport Card - The fee for an applicant 16 years or older is \$30.00 payable to the U.S. Department of State and \$35.00 payable to the Clerk of the Superior Court. These fees are paid separately. The passport card may only be used if travel by land and sea from the U.S. to Canada, Mexico, the Caribbean and Bermuda.	\$65.00
Passport Card - The fee for a minor (under 16 years old) is \$15.00 payable to the U.S. Department of State and \$35.00 payable to the Clerk of the Superior Court. These fees are paid separately.	\$50.00
Passport Book and Passport Card - The fee for an applicant 16 years or older is \$140.00 payable to the U.S. Department of State and \$35.00 payable to the Clerk of Superior Court. These fees are paid separately.	\$175.00
Passport Book and Passport Card - The fee for a minor (under 16 years old) is \$95.00 payable to the U.S. Department of State and \$35.00 payable to the Clerk of Superior Court. These fees are paid separately.	\$130.00
Expedited Service - One way, overnight return delivery and expedited service is an additional \$75.89 per application to the U.S. Department of State.	\$75.89