



# ANNOUNCEMENT:

## FILING FEE INCREASE ON MAY 15

**Effective May 15, 2013**, the base Court Automated Service Fee will increase by \$10. The fee is currently \$20 and will increase to \$30 on initial complaints and answers or responses in civil, family, probate, and tax cases, as well as juvenile emancipation filings. The increase was requested by Superior Court and approved by the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors.

In its request, the Superior Court cited “increasing caseloads, case complexity, ongoing mandated court integration efforts and resulting staff workloads [that] have created tremendous demands on the Court’s resources.” The additional fee will allow Maricopa County to continue providing high-quality services to litigants and the legal community, other government agencies, and those who interact with the justice system in Maricopa County.

For a listing of the fees, you may visit our website at [www.clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov](http://www.clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov) and select “Filing Fees.”



**Clerk of the Superior Court's Office**