



Fee Change Reminder

The state legislature's 2008-2009 fiscal year budget includes a base increase to Superior Court fees of approximately 44 percent. In addition, there are fees established in statute and as authorized by the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors. A listing of the fees effective Friday, September 26, 2008 is available on the Clerk's website at <http://www.clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov/fees.asp>.

Complex Civil Litigation Reminder

The contract for eFiling in complex civil cases through third-party vendor, LexisNexis expires September 8, 2008. All participating parties and attorneys will need to transition to an alternative eFiling system. Wiznet.com is the only vendor that will accept eFilings under the Clerk's qualification process on September 8, 2008. The Clerk's eFiling Online website will also be available for complex civil litigation cases after September 8.

Users will notice differences between the existing platform for eFiling in complex civil cases and the style and services of either Wiznet or the Clerk's eFiling Online system. The Clerk's Office recommends reviewing eFiling providers' available services and features. Access to images of the documents filed in complex civil cases after September 8 will be through the Clerk's ECR Online system (see below).

Accessing the ECR Online

Remote access to scanned and eFiled images is available to attorneys and parties in individual cases through the Electronic Court Record Online (ECR): <https://ecr.clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov/login.aspx>. Tips for using the ECR:

- After appearing in a case, allow a few days for the document to be processed and for the system to associate you with the case. Multiple attempts to add a case to the attorney's viewing list or logging in as other attorneys in the firm and trying to add the case to another attorney's list generates "case not accessible" emails that review clerks have to research. To quickly know if you are associated with a case or if a Motion to Withdraw has been granted, check the minute entries or case information available on the clerk and court's public websites.
- As a reminder, the ECR contains images of documents that have been scanned or eFiled. Cases filed before 2002 will only have the images of subsequent documents filed after January 1, 2005.

NOTE: the ECR and eFiling are two different websites. Driver's license information is only required once to register in the ECR Online and is not required to eFile a document.