

**DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS
PROBATE FEES**

Effective September 1, 2024

PROBATE / GUARDIANSHIP / MENTAL HEALTH / FOREIGN WILLS / SMALL ESTATES

FEE GROUP: PGMH22

BASIC COST ALLOCATIONS – LGC 135.102

APPELLATE JUDICIAL SYSTEM FUND	GC 22.229	\$5.00
COURT FACILITY FEE FUND	LGC 135.152	\$20.00
CLERK OF THE COURT ACCOUNT	LGC 135.153	\$40.00
CLERKS RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND PRESERVATION FUND	LGC 135.154	\$15.00
COURT REPORTER SERVICE FUND		\$25.00
COUNTY LAW LIBRARY FUND	LGC 323.023 (a)	\$35.00
COURTHOUSE SECURITY FUND	LGC 291.008	\$20.00
LANGUAGE ACCESS FUND	LGC 135.155	\$3.00
COUNTY JURY FUND	LGC 135.156	\$10.00
COUNTY DISPUTE RESOLUTION FUND	LGC 135.157	\$15.00
COURT-INITIATED GUARDIANSHIP FUND	LGC 135.158	\$20.00
JUDICIAL EDUCATION AND SUPPORT FUND	LGC 135.159	\$5.00
PUBLIC PROBATE ADMINISTRATOR FUND	LGC 135.160	\$10.00
	LOCAL CONSOLIDATED	\$223.00
	STATE CONSOLIDATED	\$137.00
ADDITIONAL FEES	TOTAL COST	\$360.00
SHERIFF – POSTING CITATION	LGC 118.131	\$75.00
CITATION – ISSUANCE	LGC. 118.052(3)(a)	\$8.00
COUNTY JUDGE SIGNATURE	LGC 118.101 (11)	\$2.00
ADMINISTERING OATH	LGC 118.052 (2)(B)(iii)	\$2.00

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ACTIONS WITHIN EXISTING PROBATE / GUARDIANSHIP CASE

FEE GROUP: AECVPR22 – LGC 135.102

CLERK OF THE COURT ACCOUNT	LGC 135.153	\$40.00
CLERKS RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND PRESERVATION ACCOUNT	LGC 135.154	\$5.00
COURT INITIATED GUARDIANSHIP FUND	LGC 135.158	\$20.00
PUBLIC PROBATE ADMINISTRATOR FUND	LGC 135.160	\$10.00
<i>*Fee does not include Judge's Signature.</i>	LOCAL CONSOLIDATED	\$75.00*
	STATE CONSOLIDATED	\$45.00
	TOTAL COST	\$120.00

MISCELLANEOUS PROBATE FEES

ANNUAL / FINAL REPORT OF GUARDIAN OF PERSON	LGC 118.052(2)(B)(vi)	\$10.00*
ANNUAL / FINAL ACCOUNT OF ESTATE	LGC 118.052 (2)(B)(iv)	\$25.00*
APPLICATION FOR SALE OF REAL/ PERSONAL PROPERTY	LGC 118.052(2)(B)(v)	\$25.00*
CLAIM AGAINST ESTATE (HB2182 Effective 9/1/15)	LGC 118.052(2)(D); 118.058	\$10.00*
INVENTORY AND APPRAISEMENT 90 days after the personal rep. qualifies or after extension deadline	LGC 118.052(2)(B)(i)	\$25.00*
JUDGE'S SIGNATURE	LGC 118.101 (11)	\$2.00
ADMINISTERING OATH	LGC 118.052 (2)(B)(iii)	\$2.00
DOCUMENTS EXCEEDING 25 PAGES after Inventory or 120 days after the date of the initial filing of the action, whichever occurs first	LGC 118.052(2)(B)(vii)	\$25.00
APPROVING AND RECORDING BOND	LGC 118.052(2)(B)(ii)	\$5.00
ISSUANCE	LGC 118.052(3)(A)	\$8.00
LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION, GUARDIANSHIP, OR TESTAMENTARY	LGC 118.052(3)(D)	\$2.00
RECORDS SEARCH (PER NAME)	LGC 118.052(3)(G) LGC 118.070	\$5.00
SAFEKEEPING OF WILLS	Filing Fee \$5 LGC 118.052(3)(E) Records Management \$5 LGC 118.052 (3)(G)	\$10.00
SERVICE OF PROCESS – CERTIFIED MAIL	LGC 118.052 (3)(F)	\$75.00
SERVICE OF PROCESS – PUBLICATION (plus publication costs)		\$75.00