

**HAWKINS COUNTY CHANCERY COURT**

**Brent Price, Clerk & Master**

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**FILING FEES**

**MUST BE PAID WHEN CASE IS FILED**

**SERVICE OF PROCESS NOT INCLUDED**

Divorce **with** minor children----- \$299.50  
(add service of process fee, if needed)

Divorce **without** minor children----- \$224.50  
(add service of process fee, if needed)

**Category One Cases:** Contracts; Injunctions; Torts; Personal Injury; Property Damage; Malpractice; Wrongful Death; Employment Discrimination; Civil Rights Suits; Tax Disputes; Special Remedies; Property Disputes & cases not otherwise specified ----- \$324.50

**Category Two Cases:** Workers Comp. Cases; appeals from other courts & administrative hearings (**NOT Court of Appeals**); transfers from foreign counties/states; Writs of Mandamus; Condemnation/Inverse Condemnation & Quo Warranto actions ----- \$249.50

**Category Three Cases:** Legitimations; Paternity; Termination of Parental Rights & other domestic relation matters not Otherwise designated; Restoration of Citizenship; Name Changes; Minor settlements; enforcement of foreign judgments & Order of Protection (cost not required in advance on Orders of Protection) ----- \$199.50

**Category Four Cases:** Child Support Enforcement & Modification; Interstate Support Cases; Modification of Parenting Plan; Civil Contempt ----- \$ 75.00

**Adoptions** ----- \$175.75

**Counter-Complaint / Cross-Filings; re-openings (including probate)** ----- \$100.00

**Third Party Complaint**---same fee as was charged to initiate the proceeding less litigation taxes

**Upon filing a new case, a copy of all pleadings to be issued with summons must be provided for each defendant.**

**PROBATE CASES**

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| Opening & closing an estate other than a small estate -----   | \$429.50  |
| (Deduct \$100.00 for Notice to Creditors on probate for Muniment of Title only)   |           |
| Filing a claim against an estate -----  | \$ 11.00  |
| Filing exception to claim against an estate -----   | \$ 42.00  |
| Filing small estate affidavit ( <b>NO Notices, Letters, etc.</b> ) -----  | \$140.50  |
| (Additional \$5.00 when lodging original will)  |           |
| Guardianship & Conservatorship -----  | \$259.50  |
| (Additional \$42.00 per person when service is requested)   |           |
| Filing new request for removal of disabilities of minor, incompetence,<br>legitimation, name changes, correction of birth certificate ----- | \$ 199.50 |
| Filing request under the mental health law -----  | \$ 149.50 |
| Filing any request on an existing case not otherwise provided for -----   | \$ 18.00  |
| Entering any order on an existing case not otherwise provided for -----   | \$ 12.00  |
| Filing will contest-----  | \$ 18.00  |
| Issuing summons, subpoenas, citations, writs and notices other than the<br>Initial process -----  | \$ 6.00   |
| Filing any document not otherwise provided for in probate court -----   | \$ 7.00   |
| Annual/interim settlement/accounting and order approving same -----   | \$ 40.00  |

**POST-JUDGMENT FEES**

This fee is charged per occurrence each time one of the following services is requested: Qualified Domestic Relations Order (**QDRO**), Garnishment or Execution (will be paid by debtor from money collected), Levy, Post-Judgment Interrogatories, Motion to Set Installment Payments, Post-Judgment Orders ----- \$ 25.00

**OTHER MISCELLANEOUS FEES**

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| Summons, Subpoenas, Citations, Notices, Writs, (other than initial process) ---- | \$ 6.00               |
| Continuances-----  | \$ 7.00               |
| Copies ( <b>per page</b> ) -----   | \$ .50                |
| Certification and Seal -----   | \$ 5.00               |
| Certification under the Acts of Congress-----                                    | \$ 10.00              |
| Receiving funds on confirmation of private sales -----                           | \$ 40.00              |
| Pre-Judgment attachment/process to seize property-----                           | \$ 40.00              |
| Mail documents (when required to send by cert./reg. mail) -----                  | actual cost           |
| Fax Filing-----  | \$ 5.00               |
|  | (and \$1.00 per page) |

**Preparing a record on appeal to an Appellate Court (must be paid with  
Notice of Appeal / Appeal Bond) ----- \$300.00**

**EXTRAORDINARY CASES**

Ten (10) or more plaintiffs or ten (10) or more defendants ---- **Cost Bond REQUIRED**,  
Judge may award reasonable costs in excess of the statutory amounts.

**OTHER COSTS**

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| Sheriff/Constable (personal service on non-collection cases) -----                         | \$ 42.00  |
| Sheriff/Constable (on collection cases, i.e. garnishment) -----                            | \$ 22.00  |
| Commissioner of Insurance-----   | \$ 15.00  |
| Secretary of State-----  | \$ 20.00  |
| Order of Publication (check payable to Rogersville Review) -----                           | \$ 200.00 |
| Birth Certificate in Adoptions-----  | \$ 30.00  |
| Chancery Land Sale Notice Rogersville Review (3 weeks, runs once per week) -----           | \$ 200.00 |
| Chancery Court Sale Display Notices Rogersville Review (2 weeks, runs once per week) ----- | \$ 200.00 |
| Returned Check Fee – actual cost plus -----  | \$ 30.00  |

