

# LIBERTY COUNTY CLERK

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## PROBATE/GUARDIANSHIP FEES FOR LIBERTY COUNTY

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2018

ORIGINAL FILING OF PROBATE OF WILL, ADMINISTRATION, GUARDIANSHIP, MUNIMENT OF TITLE, DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP

### ORIGINAL PROBATE SUIT

Probate Fee Original Action	LGC §118.052(2)(A)(i,ii,iii,iv,v); §118.055	\$ 40.00
Records Management & Preservation	LGC §118.052(3)(G); §118.0645	\$ 5.00
Law Library Fee	LGC §323.023	\$ 35.00
Courthouse Security	LGC §291.008	\$ 5.00
Judicial Fund Fee	GC §51.703	\$ 40.00
Appellate Judicial Fee	GC §22.2101	\$ 5.00
Court Records Preservation Fee	GC §51.708	\$ 10.00
Judicial Support Fee	LGC §133.154	\$ 42.00
Indigent Legal Services	LGC §133.153	\$ 10.00
Supplemental Guardianship Fee	LGC §118.052(2)(E); §118.067	\$ 20.00
Judicial Special Fee	LGC §118.052(2)(A)(vi); §118.064	\$ 5.00
State Electronic Filing Fee	GC §51.851(b)	\$ 30.00
Judicial/Court Training Fee	GC §51.971	\$ 5.00
Sheriff's Posting of Citation	LGC §118.131	\$ 75.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 327.00</b>

### SMALL ESTATE AND FOREIGN WILLS

Probate Fee Original Action	LGC §118.052(2)(A)(iii)	\$ 40.00
Records Management	LGC §118.0645	\$ 5.00
Law Library	LGC §323.023	\$ 35.00
Courthouse Security	LGC §291.008(d)	\$ 5.00
Judicial Fund Fee	GC §51.702	\$ 40.00
Appellate Judicial Fee	GC §22.2101	\$ 5.00
Indigent Legal Services	LGC §133.153(a)(f)	\$ 10.00
Supplemental Guardianship Fee	LGC §118.052(2)(E)	\$ 20.00
Judicial Education Fund	LGC §118.064(a)(b)(1)	\$ 5.00
Court Records Preservation Fee	GC §51.708	\$ 10.00
State Electronic Filing Fee	GC §51.851(b)	\$ 30.00
Judicial/Court Training Fee	GC §51.971	\$ 5.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 210.00</b>

### INVENTORY AND APPRAISEMENT LATE FEE

	LGC §118.052(2)(B)(i); §118.056(d)	\$ 25.00
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<b>WILLS FOR SAFEKEEPING</b>		
Filing Fee	LGC §118.052(3)(E); §118.062	\$ 5.00
Courthouse Security Fee	LGC §291.008(d)	\$ 1.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 6.00</b>
<b>DECLARATION OF HEIRSHIP</b>	LGC §118.052(2)(A)(iv)	<b>\$ 40.00</b>
<b>ADVERSE ACTIONS</b>		
Probate Fee Original Action	LGC §118.052(2)(C); §118.057	\$ 40.00
Records Management	LGC §118.0645	\$ 5.00
Supplemental Guardianship Fee	LGC §118.052(2)(E)	\$ 20.00
State Electronic Filing Fee	GC §51.851(b)	\$ 30.00
Indigent Legal Services	LGC §133.153(a)(f)	\$ 10.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 105.00</b>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS PROBATE FEES</b>		
Annual/Final Report-Guardian of Person	LGC §118.052(2)(B)(vi)	\$ 10.00
Annual/Final Account	LGC §118.052(2)(B)(iv)	\$ 25.00
Letters Testamentary, Letter of Guardianship, Letter of Administration, or Abstract of Judgment	LGC §118.052(3)(D); §118.061	\$ 2.00
Jury Fee	GC §51.604	\$ 40.00
Oath	LGC §118.052(2)(B)(iii)	\$ 2.00
Bonds	LGC §118.052(2)(B)(ii)	\$ 3.00
Claims Against Estate	LGC §118.052(2)(D); §118.058	\$ 10.00
Application for Sale of Property	LGC §118.052(2)(B)(v)	\$ 25.00
Issuing Documents	LGC §118.052(3)(A)	\$ 4.00
Lengthy Delayed Document Fee	LGC §118.052(2)(B)(vii)	\$ 25.00
Judge's signature on orders for which another fee is not prescribed	LGC §118.101(11)	\$ 2.00
Sheriff Posting of Citation		\$ 75.00

## CIVIL FEES FOR LIBERTY COUNTY

EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2017

**ORIGINAL PETITION, OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE, BILL OF REVIEW-CIVIL, FOREIGN JUDGMENT, CONDEMNATION, APPEALS FROM LOWER COURT**

### FILING OF ORIGINAL ACTION

County Clerk Filing Fee	LGC §118.052(1)(A)(ii); §118.053	\$ 40.00
Records Management	LGC §118.0546	\$ 5.00
Law Library	LGC §323.023	\$ 35.00
Courthouse Security	LGC §291.008(d)	\$ 5.00
Judicial Support Fee	GC §51.702	\$ 40.00
Judicial Salary Fund	LGC §133.154(a)	\$ 42.00
Indigent Legal Services	LGC §133.153(a)(f)	\$ 10.00
Court Records Preservation Fee	GC §51.708	\$ 10.00
Appellate Judicial Fee	GC §22.2101	\$ 5.00
State Electronic Filing Fee	GC §51.851(b)	\$ 30.00
Court Reporter	GC §51.601(a)	\$ 15.00
Judicial/Court Training Fee	GC §51.971	\$ 5.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 242.00</b>
Citation Fee per Defendant		\$ 4.00
Service Fee per Defendant		\$ 75.00

### CROSS-ACTION, COUNTERCLAIM, INTERPLEADER, THIRD-PARTY ACTION, ANCILLARY FILING (ACTION WITHIN EXISTING CIVIL SUITS)

County Clerk Filing Fee	LGC §118.052(1)(B); §118.54	\$ 30.00
Records Management	LGC §118.0546	\$ 5.00
Courthouse Security	LGC §291.008(d)	\$ 5.00
Indigent Legal Services	LGC §133.153(a)(f)	\$ 10.00
Court Records Preservation Fee	GC §51.708	\$ 10.00
State Electronic Filing Fee	GC §51.851(b)	\$ 30.00
Judicial/Court Training Fee	GC §51.971	\$ 5.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 95.00</b>
Citation Fee per Defendant		\$ 4.00
Service Fee per Defendant		\$ 75.00

### WRIT OF GARNISHMENT (ORIGINAL SUIT AFTER JUDGMENT)

County Clerk Filing Fee	LGC §118.052(1)(A)(i)	\$ 15.00
Records Management	LGC §118.0546	\$ 5.00
Law Library	LGC §323.023	\$ 35.00
Courthouse Security	LGC §291.008(d)	\$ 5.00
Judicial Support Fee	GC §51.703	\$ 40.00
Judicial Salary Fund	LGC §133.154(a)	\$ 42.00
Indigent Legal Services	LGC §133.153(a)(f)	\$ 10.00
Court Records Preservation Fee	GC §51.708	\$ 10.00
Appellate Judicial Fee	GC §22.2101	\$ 5.00
State Electronic Filing Fee	GC §51.851(b)	\$ 30.00
Court Reporter	GC §51.601(a)	\$ 15.00
Judicial/Court Training Fee	GC §51.971	\$ 5.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 217.00</b>
Citation Fee per Defendant		\$ 4.00
Service Fee per Defendant		\$ 100.00

<b>PETITION FOR NONDISCLOSURE</b>		
County Clerk Filing Fee	LGC §118.052(1)(A)	\$ 40.00
Records Management	LGC §118.0546	\$ 5.00
Petition for Non-Disclosure Fee	GC §411.072(c)	\$ 28.00
Law Library	LGC §323.023	\$ 35.00
Courthouse Security	LGC §291.008(d)	\$ 5.00
Judicial Support Fee	GC §51.702	\$ 40.00
Judicial Salary Fund	LGC §133.154(a)	\$ 42.00
Indigent Legal Services	LGC §133.153(a)(f)	\$ 10.00
Court Records Preservation Fee	GC §51.708	\$ 10.00
Appellate Judicial Fee	GC §22.2101	\$ 5.00
State Electronic Filing Fee	GC §51.851(b)	\$ 30.00
Court Reporter	GC §51.601(a)	\$ 15.00
Judicial/Court Training Fee	GC §51.971	\$ 5.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 270.00</b>
Citation Fee per Defendant		\$ 4.00
Service Fee per Defendant		\$ 75.00
<b>MISCELLANEOUS CIVIL FEES</b>		
Issuance of Writ or Abstract		\$ 5.00
Jury Demand	GC §101.0811(6)	\$ 40.00
Alias Citation		\$ 4.00
Secretary of State Citation		\$ 12.00
Commissioner of Ins. Citation		\$ 16.00
Subpoena		\$ 4.00
Order of Sale		\$ 5.00
Motion for Contempt		\$ 15.00
TRO		\$ 5.00
<b>WRIT OF SEQUESTRATION</b>		
County Clerk Filing Fee	LGC §118.052(1)(A)(i)	\$ 40.00
Records Management	LGC §118.0546	\$ 5.00
Law Library	LGC §323.023	\$ 35.00
Courthouse Security	LGC §291.008(d)	\$ 5.00
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State Electronic Filing Fee	GC §51.851(b)	\$ 30.00
Court Reporter	GC §51.601(a)	\$ 15.00
Judicial/Court Training Fee	GC §51.971	\$ 5.00
Writ of Sequestration		\$ 5.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 247.00</b>
Service Fee per Writ		\$ 150.00

**VITAL STATISTIC FEES FOR LIBERTY COUNTY  
EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2017**

<b>Birth Certificate</b>	TAC §181.22 Research/Copy Fee	\$ 10.00
	TAC §181.22 Texas On-line Fee	\$ 10.00
	HSC §191.0045(e) Certificate Fee	\$ 2.00
	HSC §191.0045(h) Preservation Fee	\$ 1.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 23.00</b>
<b>Death Certificate</b>	TAC §181.22 Research/Copy Fee	\$ 10.00
	TAC §181.22 Texas On-line Fee	\$ 10.00
	HSC §191.0045(h) Preservation Fee	\$ 1.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 21.00</b>
<b>Additional Copy at Time of Request</b>		<b>\$ 4.00</b>
<b>Marriage License</b>	LGC §118.011(a)(7) State Fee	\$ 60.00
	LGC §118.011(b)(2) Records Management	\$ 10.00
	LGC §291.008(d) Courthouse Security	\$ 1.00
	HSC §191.0045 Preservation Fee	\$ 1.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 72.00 cash only</b>
<b>Informal Marriage License</b>	LGC §118.011(a)(8) Recording Fee	\$ 25.00
	LGC §118.011(b)(2) Records Management	\$ 10.00
	LGC §291.008(d) Courthouse Security	\$ 1.00
	HSC §191.0045 Preservation Fee	\$ 1.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 37.00 cash only</b>
<b>Marriage License with Twogether</b>	Omit State Fee for Marriage License	<b>\$ 12.00 cash only</b>
<b>Certified Copy of Marriage License</b>		<b>\$ 7.00</b>

**RECORDING FEES FOR LIBERTY COUNTY**  
**EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2017**

First Page	LGC §118.011	\$ 16.00
Each Additional Page	LGC §118.011	\$ 4.00
Each Additional Name to be Indexed in Excess of 5		\$ .25
State Tax Liens/Releases		\$ 16.00
Federal Tax Liens/Releases		\$ 21.00
Plats, First Page		\$ 46.00
Each Additional Page		\$ 15.00