

FEE SCHEDULE
Effective Date January 1, 2024
Falls County Clerk
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Property records from September 23, 1970 to current can be searched online by going to www.texaslandrecords.com		
Real Property Recording		
Recording Fee (first page)	LGC §118.011	\$ 5.00
Records Management	LGC §118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
Records Archive	LGC §118.011(f)	\$ 10.00
	TOTAL (first page only)	\$ 25.00
Each additional page or part on which there are visible marks of any kind	LGC §118.011(a)(1) (each page after)	\$ 4.00
Each additional name to be indexed in excess of five (5)	LGC §118.011(a)(2)	\$.25
Texas Property Code 11.003, effective Jan. 1, 1982: Requires that each grantee's mailing address be in or attached to any document conveying real property executed after December 31, 1981. <i>If address of each grantee is not included, the payment of a penalty filing fee equal to the greater of (1) twice the statutory filing fee for the filing of such document with the County Clerk or (2) \$25.00 will be required. This fee is in addition to regular filing fees.</i> LGC 191.007(c)(h): Provides double the filing fee for that page if there is not a clearly identifying heading, similar to the headings on most printed forms, must be placed at the top of the first page to identify the type or kind of legal paper. LGC 191.007(e)(h): Provides double the filing fee for that page if names are not legibly typed or printed immediately under each signature. LGC 191.007 (3): Printed in type no smaller than 8 point type. Property Code 12.001(b) & 12.011: Must have live signature and proper acknowledgement.		
Federal Tax Lien/Release of Lien		
Recording Fee	TX Property Code § 14.005	\$ 10.00
Record Management	LGC § 118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
Record Archive	LGC § 118.011(f)	\$ 10.00
	TOTAL	\$ 30.00
State Tax Lien/Release of Lien		
Recording Fee	LGC §118.025(c)	\$ 5.00
Record Management	LGC § 118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
	TOTAL	\$ 15.00
PLATS/ MAPS		
Recording Fee	LGC § 118.011(c)	\$ 25.00
Record Management	LGC § 118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
Record Archive	LGC § 118.011(f)	\$ 10.00
	TOTAL	\$ 45.00
Plat with extra pages	fee per extra page	\$ 40.00
COPIES		
Copies (Per Page)	LGC § 118.011(a)(4) & LGC §118.0145	\$ 1.00
CERTIFIED COPIES		
Copies (Per Page)	LGC § 118.011(a)(4) & LGC §118.0145	\$ 1.00
Certification (Per Document)	LGC § 118.011(a)(3) & LGC §118.0145	\$ 5.00
POSTING Trustee/Foreclosure Sales/Public Notices		
Recording Fee	TX Property Code § 51.002(f)	\$ 2.00
	TOTAL	\$ 2.00
CATTLE BRAND APPLICATION/RELEASE OF OWNERSHIP		
Recording Fee (one brand/one location/one animal type)	LGC § 118.020(a)(9) & TX Ag Code § 144.110	\$ 5.00
Record Management	LGC § 118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
Record Archive	LGC § 118.011(f)	\$ 10.00
	TOTAL	\$ 25.00
Each Additional Brand /Location/Animal type		\$ 5.00
BEER LICENSE (CERTIFICATION)	LGC § 118.011(a)(3)	\$ 5.00

MILITARY DISCHARGE (DD214)		
FILING	LGC § 192.002(b)	No Charge
CERTIFIED COPY	GC § 603.003(a)	No Charge
BIRTH CERTIFICATES		
<i>Falls County Only</i>		
Applications available on the county website: www.co.falls.tx.us		
Search/Certificate/County Clerk Fee	LGC § 118.015(a), TAC § 181.22, HSC § 191.0045	\$ 20.20
Vital Statistics Fee	HSC § 191.0045	\$ 1.80
	TOTAL	\$ 22.00
DEATH CERTIFICATES		
<i>Falls County Only</i>		
Applications available on the county website: www.co.falls.tx.us		
Search/Certificate/County Clerk Fee	LGC § 118.015(a), TAC § 181.22(b)(s), HSC § 191.0045	\$ 20.00
	TOTAL	\$ 20.00
Each Additional Copy	<i>Ordered at the same time</i>	
County Clerk Fee	HSC § 191.0045	\$ 3.00
	TOTAL	\$ 3.00
INFORMAL MARRIAGE LICENSE		
License Fee	LGC § 118.011(a)(8)	\$ 25.00
Records Management	LGC § 118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
Records Archive Fee	LGC § 118.011(f)	\$ 10.00
	TOTAL	\$ 45.00
MARRIAGE LICENSE <i>without</i> Texas Premarital Education Certificate		
License Fee	LGC § 118.011(a)(7)	\$ 60.00
Records Management	LGC § 118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
Records Archive Fee	LGC § 118.011(f)	\$ 10.00
72 hour waiting period from date of application <i>before</i> the license can be used.		
	TOTAL	\$ 80.00
MARRIAGE LICENSE <i>with</i> Texas Premarital Education Certificate		
License Fee	LGC § 118.011(a)(7)	\$ <i>waived</i>
Records Management	LGC § 118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
Records Archive Fee	LGC § 118.011(f)	\$ 10.00
72 hour waiting period is <i>waived</i>.		
	TOTAL	\$ 20.00
CERTIFIED COPY of MARRIAGE LICENSE:		
Search/Certificate/County Clerk Fee	TAC § 181.22(h)(s), HSC § 191.0045	\$ 10.00
ASSUMED NAME CERTIFICATE		
Recording Fee (includes index of 2 names) (indexing of Business & 1 Owner Name)	TX Business & Commerce Code § 71.155(a)(1)(2)	\$ 3.00
Record Management	LGC § 118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
Record Archive	LGC § 118.011(f)	\$ 10.00
	TOTAL	\$ 23.00
* Effective 9/1/2019 – Corporations, LLC, LP will only be filed in the Secretary of State per Bus & Comm Code 71.103*		
ASSUMED NAME ABANDONMENT		
Recording Fee (index of Business & 1 Owner Name)	TX Business & Commerce Code § 71.155	\$ 3.00
Record Management	LGC § 118.011(b)(2)	\$ 10.00
Record Archive	LGC § 118.011(f)	\$ 10.00
	TOTAL	\$ 23.00

COURT COSTS AND FINES FOR COUNTY AND COUTY COURTS AT LAW

Civil Cases over \$20,000 go to District Court

CIVIL COURT FEE SCHEDULE (WITH S.B. 41 CHANGES):

Civil Suit (Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 22) \$350

State Consolidated Fees LGC 133.151 \$137

Electronic Filing System Fee \$30

Indigent Legal Services Fee \$20

Support of Judiciary Fee \$82

Judicial/Court Personnel Training \$5

Local Consolidated Fees LGC 135.101 \$213

Alternative Dispute Resolution \$15

Appellate Judicial System Fund \$5

Clerk of the Court Fee \$50

Court Reporter Fee \$25

Courthouse Security Fee \$20

Law Library Fee \$35

Records Management \$30

County Jury Fund \$10

Court Facility Fee \$20

Language Access Fund \$3

*Each personal Citation required would be \$100 for service by Sheriff, or \$25 if served by certified mail by Clerk.

Petition for Writ of Garnishment \$350

(Civil Prac. & Rem. Code Title 3 Chapter 63)

State Consolidated Fees LGC 133.151 \$137

Electronic Filing System Fee \$30

Indigent Legal Services Fee \$20

Support of Judiciary Fee \$82

Judicial/Court Personnel Training \$5

Local Consolidated Fees LGC 135.101 \$213

Alternative Dispute Resolution \$15

Appellate Judicial System Fund \$5

Clerk of the Court Fee \$50

Court Reporter Fee \$25

Courthouse Security Fee \$20

Law Library Fee \$35

Records Management \$30

County Jury Fund \$10

Court Facility Fee \$20

Language Access Fund \$3

Application for Occupational License (Transportation Code 521.242) \$350

State Consolidated Fees LGC 133.151 \$137

Electronic Filing System Fee \$30

Indigent Legal Services Fee \$20

Support of Judiciary Fee \$82

Judicial/Court Personnel Training \$5

Local Consolidated Fees LGC 135.101 \$213

Alternative Dispute Resolution \$15

Appellate Judicial System Fund \$5

Clerk of the Court Fee \$50

Court Reporter Fee \$25

Courthouse Security Fee \$20

Law Library Fee \$35

Records Management \$30

County Jury Fund \$10

Court Facility Fee \$20

Language Access Fund \$3

*\$10 per year fee for DPS for License (up to 2 years) must be a separate money order

Petition for Non-Disclosure (Government Code 411.081) \$350

State Consolidated Fees LGC 133.151 \$137

Electronic Filing System Fee \$30

Indigent Legal Services Fee \$20

Support of Judiciary Fee \$82

Judicial/Court Personnel Training \$5

Local Consolidated Fees LGC 135.101 \$213

Alternative Dispute Resolution \$15

Appellate Judicial System Fund \$5

Clerk of the Court Fee \$50

Court Reporter Fee \$25

Courthouse Security Fee \$20

Law Library Fee \$35

Records Management \$30

County Jury Fund \$10

Court Facility Fee \$20

Language Access Fund \$3

Counter-Claim/Cross Action (Texas Rules of Civil Proc. Rule 97) \$80

State Consolidated Fees LGC 133.151 \$45

Electronic Filing System Fee \$30

Indigent Legal Services Fee \$10

Judicial/Court Personnel Training \$5

Local Consolidated Fees LGC 135.101 \$35

Clerk of the Court Fee \$15

Records Management \$20

Third Party Petition (Texas Rules of Civil Proc. Rule 38)		\$80
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151	\$45
Electronic Filing System Fee	\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee	\$10	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training	\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.101	\$35
Clerk of the Court Fee	\$15	
Records Management	\$20	
 Action Other than Original		 \$80
(Texas Rules of Civil Proc. Rules 60, 43, 329b, and 86)		
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151	\$45
Electronic Filing System Fee	\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee	\$10	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training	\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.101	\$35
Clerk of the Court Fee	\$15	
Records Management	\$20	
 Appeal from J.P. Court		 \$350
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151	\$137
Electronic Filing System Fee	\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee	\$20	
Support of Judiciary Fee	\$82	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training	\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.101	\$213
Alternative Dispute Resolution	\$15	
Appellate Judicial System Fund	\$5	
Clerk of the Court Fee	\$50	
Court Reporter Fee	\$25	
Courthouse Security Fee	\$20	
Law Library Fee	\$35	
Records Management	\$30	
County Jury Fund	\$10	
Court Facility Fee	\$20	
Language Access Fund	\$3	
 Garnishment After Judgment	\$15	

PROBATE COURT FEES (WITH S.B. 41 CHANGES):**Application for Probate of Will & Issuance of Letters Testamentary
(Texas Estates Code 256) \$418**

State Consolidated Fees LGC 133.151 \$137

Electronic Filing System Fee \$30

Indigent Legal Services Fee \$20

Support of Judiciary Fee \$82

Judicial/Court Personnel Training \$5

Local Consolidated Fees LGC 135.102 \$223

Alternative Dispute Resolution \$15

Appellate Judicial System Fund \$5

Clerk of the Court \$40

Court Reporter Fee \$25

Courthouse Security Fee \$20

Law Library Fee \$35

Records Management \$15

County Jury Fee \$10

Court Facility Fee \$20

Language Access Fee \$3

Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee \$30

Judicial Education Fee \$5

Sheriff Posting Fee LGC 118.131 \$50

Citation Issued LGC 118.059 \$4

County Judge Order Fee LGC 118.101 \$4

**Application for Probate of Will as Muniment of Title
(Texas Estates Code 257) \$418**

State Consolidated Fees LGC 133.151 \$137

Electronic Filing System Fee \$30

Indigent Legal Services Fee \$20

Support of Judiciary Fee \$82

Judicial/Court Personnel Training \$5

Local Consolidated Fees LGC 135.102 \$223

Alternative Dispute Resolution \$15

Appellate Judicial System Fund \$5

Clerk of the Court \$40

Court Reporter Fee \$25

Courthouse Security Fee \$20

Law Library Fee \$35

Records Management \$15

County Jury Fee \$10

Court Facility Fee \$20

Language Access Fee \$3

Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee \$30

Judicial Education Fee \$5

Sheriff Posting Fee LGC 118.131 \$50

Citation Issued LGC 118.059 \$4

County Judge Order Fee LGC 118.101 \$4

Small Estates Affidavit (Texas Estates Code 205)		\$364
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151	\$137
Electronic Filing System Fee	\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee	\$20	
Support of Judiciary Fee	\$82	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training	\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.102	\$223
Alternative Dispute Resolution	\$15	
Appellate Judicial System Fund	\$5	
Clerk of the Court	\$40	
Court Reporter Fee	\$25	
Courthouse Security Fee	\$20	
Law Library Fee	\$35	
Records Management	\$15	
County Jury Fee	\$10	
Court Facility Fee	\$20	
Language Access Fee	\$3	
Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee	\$30	
Judicial Education Fee	\$5	
County Judge Order Fee	LGC 118.101	\$4
Application for Letters of Dependent/Independent Administration (Texas Estate Code 202 and 301)		\$418
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151	\$137
Electronic Filing System Fee	\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee	\$20	
Support of Judiciary Fee	\$82	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training	\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.102	\$223
Alternative Dispute Resolution	\$15	
Appellate Judicial System Fund	\$5	
Clerk of the Court	\$40	
Court Reporter Fee	\$25	
Courthouse Security Fee	\$20	
Law Library Fee	\$35	
Records Management	\$15	
County Jury Fee	\$10	
Court Facility Fee	\$20	
Language Access Fee	\$3	
Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee	\$30	
Judicial Education Fee	\$5	
Sheriff Posting Fee	LGC 118.131	\$50
Citation Issued	LGC 118.059	\$4
County Judge Order Fee	LGC 118.101	\$4

All Guardianships:		\$418
(Texas Estates Code 1101, 1251, 1351)		
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151	\$137
Electronic Filing System Fee	\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee	\$20	
Support of Judiciary Fee	\$82	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training	\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.102	\$223
Alternative Dispute Resolution	\$15	
Appellate Judicial System Fund	\$5	
Clerk of the Court	\$40	
Court Reporter Fee	\$25	
Courthouse Security Fee	\$20	
Law Library Fee	\$35	
Records Management	\$15	
County Jury Fee	\$10	
Court Facility Fee	\$20	
Language Access Fee	\$3	
Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee	\$30	
Judicial Education Fee	\$5	
Sheriff Posting Fee	LGC 118.131	\$50
Citation Issued	LGC 118.059	\$4
County Judge Order Fee	LGC 118.101	\$4
Application to Open Safety Deposit Box (Estates Code 1355)		\$364
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151	\$137
Electronic Filing System Fee	\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee	\$20	
Support of Judiciary Fee	\$82	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training	\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.102	\$223
Alternative Dispute Resolution	\$15	
Appellate Judicial System Fund	\$5	
Clerk of the Court	\$40	
Court Reporter Fee	\$25	
Courthouse Security Fee	\$20	
Law Library Fee	\$35	
Records Management	\$15	
County Jury Fee	\$10	
Court Facility Fee	\$20	
Language Access Fee	\$3	
Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee	\$30	
Judicial Education Fee	\$5	
County Judge Order Fee	LGC 118.101	\$4

Cross Actions, Cross Applications (Estates Code, Chapter 55)			\$124
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151		\$45
Electronic Filing System Fee		\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee		\$10	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training		\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.102		\$75
Clerk of the Court		\$40	
Records Management		\$5	
Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee		\$30	
County Judge Order Fee	LGC 118.101		\$4
Motion to Show Cause-Produce Will (Estates Code 252.202)			\$124
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151		\$45
Electronic Filing System Fee		\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee		\$10	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training		\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.102		\$75
Clerk of the Court		\$40	
Records Management		\$5	
Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee		\$30	
County Judge Order Fee	LGC 118.101		\$4
Application to Convert Temporary Administration to Permanent (Estates Code 256 & 301)			\$124
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151		\$45
Electronic Filing System Fee		\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee		\$10	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training		\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.102		\$75
Clerk of the Court		\$40	
Records Management		\$5	
Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee		\$30	
County Judge Order Fee	LGC 118.101		\$4
Application to Convert Temporary Guardianship to Permanent (Estates Code 1101)			\$124
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151		\$45
Electronic Filing System Fee		\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee		\$10	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training		\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.102		\$75
Clerk of the Court		\$40	
Records Management		\$5	
Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee		\$30	
County Judge Order Fee	LGC 118.101		\$4

Application for Sale of Property (Estates Code 356 & 1158)		\$124
State Consolidated Fees	LGC 133.151	\$45
Electronic Filing System Fee	\$30	
Indigent Legal Services Fee	\$10	
Judicial/Court Personnel Training	\$5	
Local Consolidated Fees	LGC 135.102	\$75
Clerk of the Court	\$40	
Records Management	\$5	
Court-Initiated Guardianship Fee	\$30	
County Judge Order Fee	LGC 118.101	\$4
Inventory (Estates Code 309 & 1154)		\$29
Clerk	\$25	
County Judge Order Fee	\$4	
File Annual Report of the Person and/or Estate		\$16
Clerk	\$10	
County Judge Order Fee	\$4	
Issuance of One Letter	\$2	
Final Annual Account		\$29
Clerk	\$25	
County Judge Order Fee	\$4	
Letters Testamentary or Letters of Appointment (Estates Code 306.004 & 1106.001)		\$2 each
Deposit of Will for Safekeeping (Estates Code 252.001)		\$5
Beer License Application		\$10