

# Island County Superior Court and Clerk's Fee Schedule

**Fees must be paid in advance pursuant to RCW 36.18.060**

**\*Fees reflect increase effective July 27, 2025**

<i>Fee</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Reference</i>
<b>Appeal Fees</b>		
*\$280.00	Civil Appeal from Lower Court	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$230.00	Criminal Appeal from Lower Court (Imposed when Affirmed or Dismissed)	RCW 36.18.020(2)(h)
\$290.00	Notice of Appeal to Appellate Court (Make check payable to Island County Clerk)	RCW 2.32.070; RCW 36.18.018(2,4)
\$0.50	Clerk's Papers, per page	RAP 9.7(a); RCW 36.18.016(21)
Actual cost	Transmittal of Record and Exhibits	RAP 9.8; RAP 15.4
*\$290.00	Appeal from Administrative Hearing Decision	RCW 36.18.020(2,5)
<b>Civil Fees</b>		
\$53.00	Anti-harassment Action	RCW 36.18.020(2)(d)
\$20.00	Change of Venue Transfer Fee (Copy fees, if applicable, are in addition)	RCW 36.18.016(19)
*\$290.00	Change of Venue, Civil (Make check payable to the Clerk of the County to which the case is transferred)	RCW 4.12.090-100; <del>RCW 36.18.016(16)</del> RCW 36.18.020 (2,5,6)
*\$290.00	Civil Action	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
*\$290.00	Civil Counterclaim, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$50.00	Emancipation of a Minor	RCW 36.18.014; RCW 13.64.020
\$200.00	Extension of Judgment	RCW 36.18.016(15)
*\$290.00	Foreign Judgment, Civil	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)

\$35.00	Frivolous Claim of Lien	RCW 36.18.012(9); RCW 60.70.060
*\$290.00	Judicial Review	RCW 34.05.514; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$250.00	Jury Demand - 12 Jurors	RCW 36.18.016(3)
\$125.00	Jury Demand - 6 Jurors	RCW 36.18.016(3)
\$20.00	Petition to Strike Restrictive Covenants	RCW 49.60.227; RCW 36.18.012(6)
\$20.00	Registration of Land (Torrens Act)	RCW 65.12.780; RCW 36.18.016(14)
\$20.00	Subpoena (Original and one conformed copy)	
\$250.00	Request for Trial De Novo	RCW 36.18.016(26)
\$20.00	Tax Warrant	RCW 36.18.012(10)
\$20.00	Transcript for District Court in Island County and Abstract of Judgment, or Verdict from any Superior or Federal Court in the State of Washington	RCW 36.18.012(2)
<b><u>Residential Unlawful Detainer</u></b>		
*\$135.00	Default RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)	
*\$247.00	Counterclaim, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim	RCW 36.18.012(4); RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$112.00	Additional Fee Required <b>By Plaintiff</b> for an Order to Show Cause and/or if Answer is Filed	
\$20.00	Writ - (Original and 4 conformed copies)	
\$20.00	Any Writ issued by the Clerk to include Order of Sale on Judicial Foreclosure	RCW 36.18.016(6); RCW 36.18.050
<b><u>Non-Residential Unlawful Detainer</u></b>		
*\$290.00	Non-Residential Unlawful Detainer	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)

<b>Family Law / Adoption</b>		
*\$364.00	Dissolution of Marriage	RCW 36.18.020(2,5); RCW 36.18.016(2)(b); RCW 36.18.016(16)
*\$364.00	Legal Separation / Invalidity	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6); RCW 36.18.016(2)(b); RCW 36.18.016(16)
*\$310.00	Foreign Judgment, Domestic	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) RCW 36.18.016(16)
\$56.00	Modification of Island County Decree; or, Counterclaim, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim	RCW 36.18.016(2); RCW 36.18.016(16)
*\$310.00	Modification of Decree other than Island County	RCW 36.18.020(2,4,5,6); RCW 36.18.016(16)
*\$310.00	Uniform Parentage Act filings	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6); RCW 36.18.016(16)
*\$310.00	Change of Venue, Domestic (Make check payable to the Clerk of the County to which the case is transferred)	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6); RCW 36.18.016(16)
*\$310.00	Adoption Filing	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6); RCW 36.18.016(16)
<b>Probate / Guardianship</b>		
*\$290.00	Guardianship / Conservatorship or Protective Arrangement Filing (There is no fee on cases with assets less than \$3,000 when a Court Order so states.)	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6); RCW 11.88.030(3)
*\$290.00	Minor Guardianship / Conservatorship Filing (There is no fee on cases when the potential guardian is a relative.)	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) RCW 11.130.170(3)
\$5.00	Letters of Administration, Testamentary or Guardianship	RCW 36.18.016(9)
*\$290.00	Notice to Creditors (Non-Probate)	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
*\$290.00	Petition Admitting Rejected Will, or Contesting Will, or Objecting to a Written Agreement or Memorandum	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
*\$290.00	Probate Filing	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
*\$290.00	Counterclaim, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)

<b>*\$290.00</b>	Registration of Trust	RCW 36.18.020(2,5)
\$20.00	Certification of Trust	
\$20.00	TEDRA Non-Judicial Binding Agreement, in an existing case	RCW 36.18.012(8)
<b>*\$290.00</b>	TEDRA Non-Judicial Binding Agreement, filed as a new case	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
<b>*\$290.00</b>	TEDRA Summons and Petition	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
<b>*\$290.00</b>	Counter Petition, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$20.00	Will filing only - No Probate of Decedent's Estate	RCW 36.18.012(7)
\$20.00	Will Repository	RCW 36.18.016(28)
<b>Miscellaneous Fees</b>		
	<b><u>Abstract of Judgment (prepared by Clerk)</u></b>	
\$5.00	For the first page of each document	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$1.00	For each additional page	
\$0.50	Non-certified copies prepared by staff, per page	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$2.00	Administering an Oath - Per Seal on document requiring signature by the Clerk	RCW 36.18.016(5)
	<b><u>Authenticated or Exemplified Copies</u></b>	
\$9.00	For the first page of each document, plus	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$1.00	For each additional page, plus	
\$5.00	If Exemplified Copy of Money Judgment (includes Abstract of Judgment)	
	<b><u>Certified Copies</u></b>	
\$5.00	For the first page of each document	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$1.00	For each additional page	

	<b><u>Supplemental Proceedings (filing motion / order to appear or note for hearing)</u></b>	
\$20.00	Motion for Judicial Subpoena	RCW 36.18.016(7)
\$20.00	Motion for Examination of Judgment Debtor	RCW 36.18.016(7)
\$30.00	Ex Parte Orders	RCW 36.18.016(12)
\$0.25	Forms, per page	RCW 36.18.016(4)

### Fee Exemptions

Category	Description
ABSTRACTS	To Department of Licensing
ADOPTION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-No filing fee if filed under another Petition already pending under Chapter 26.33 RCW</li> <li>-Preplacement report filed prior to petition for adoption</li> <li>-Revocation of Consent pursuant to 26.33.160</li> </ul>
ANTI-HARASSMENT	No charge for forms and brochures
APPEALS TO SUPREME COURT OR COURT OF APPEALS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>By state or municipality</li> <li>By indigent party</li> </ul>
APPEALS, CRIMINAL RALJ	No initial filing fee - See "Criminal" below
CRIMINAL	No fee for filing - costs assessed upon conviction or plea of guilty, upon failure to prosecute RALJ appeal or affirmation of lower court conviction
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	No charge for forms, brochures or obtaining Protection Orders
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EMANCIPATIONS	No charge for <b>one certified copy</b> of Decree to Petitioner.
EMINENT DOMAIN	See Condemnation
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(Judicial Review on Unemployment Compensation)</li> <li>- No fees of any kind chargeable to individuals</li> <li>- No fees for department for any of Clerks services</li> </ul>
FORMS AND	No fee for forms and brochures under the Domestic

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BROCHURES	Violence Act, the Anti-Harassment Act or the Sexual Assault Protection Act
GUARDIANSHIP OR LIMITED GUARDIANSHIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- No fee for filing when assets less than \$3,000.00</li> <li>- No prepayment when filed by AG - may be ordered paid by estate</li> </ul>
GUARDIANSHIP TO ESTATE	Cause Code migration/ no additional fee is charged to transfer the guardianship file to a probate proceeding when migration is ordered
IRRIGATION DISTRICT	No fee for Oath of Comm/Board Member of Joint Irrigation District
IN FORMA PAUPERIS	Waiver of filing fee due to financial hardship
INTERPLEADER/ DISCLAIMER RE DISPUTED PROPERTY/FUNDS	Upon deposit of money into clerk's trust account, no filing fee is required. Filing fee may be assessed by the Court upon resolution of case
MENTAL ILLNESS JURY	No jury fee
PROPERTY	Filing to determine conflicting claims of, see Interpleader
PROSECUTOR (State of WA)	No fees for copies of criminal pleadings
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	See Social & Health Services, Department of (Judicial Review)
RELINQUISHMENT OF A CHILD	No filing fee to a department, agency or prospective adoptive parent under RCW 26.33.080
SERVICE PERSONNEL	No fees for copies of Decrees of Dissolution or other documents affecting the marital status of service personnel of US armed forces (for determining entitlements to family allowances and other benefits)
SEXUAL ASSAULT PROTECTION	No filing fee. No fees for forms or certified copies
SOCIAL & HEALTH SERVICES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Judicial review, no filing fees for individuals</li> <li>- Exempt from filing and copy fees relating to paternity or support</li> </ul>
TERMINATION OF PARENT- CHILD RELATIONSHIP (Case Type 5)	No filing fee

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UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION	See Employment Security
VETERANS	<p>(Marital Status)</p> <p>No fees for copies for family or legal representative of deceased for VA or other governmental agencies when required in connection with any claim pending before Veterans' Bureau or governmental agency administering benefits to war veterans</p>
VETERANS	<p>(Pension, Bounty, Back Pay)</p> <p>No fee for administering oaths, preparing official certificate or perfecting a voucher to procure a pension, bounty or back pay for Honorably Discharged, or spouse, orphan or legal representative</p>
VETERANS	<p>(VA Administration For Benefit Eligibility)</p> <p>No charge for copies to VA, applicant or person acting on applicant's behalf</p>
VULNERABLE ADULT PROTECTION	No filing fee. No fees for forms.