

2005 DISTRICT COURT FEES STATUTE CITATIONS

Adoptions (\$105.00)

\$75.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (q) MCA
\$20.00 court reporter fee – 25-1-202 MCA
\$10.00 user surcharge (automation fee) – 3-1-317 MCA

Amendment of Parenting Plan (contested only) (\$120.00)

\$120.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (a) MCA

Appeal from Justice Court to District Court (\$30.00)

\$10.00 transfer fee – 25-1-201 (1) (k) MCA
\$20.00 court reporter fee – 25-1-202 MCA

Appeal to Supreme Court from District Court (\$5.00)

\$5.00 transmission fee – 25-1-201 (1) (j) MCA

Appearances (\$70.00)

\$60.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (b) MCA
\$10.00 user surcharge (automation fee) – 3-1-317 MCA

Authentications/Exemplifications (\$6.00)

\$2.00 per certificate with seal (x3) – 25-1-201 (1) (e) MCA

Certifications (\$2.00)

\$2.00 certificate with seal – 25-1-201 (1) (e) MCA

Civil Commencement of Action (\$120.00)

\$90.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (a) MCA
\$20.00 court reporter fee – 25-1-202 MCA
\$10.00 user surcharge (automation fee) – 3-1-317 MCA

Copies (based on actual number of copies or type of document)

Copy of Decree of Dissolution \$10.00 – 25-1-201 (2) (d) (ii)
Copy of Marriage License \$5.00 – 25-1-201 (2) (d) (ii)
Other copies \$1.00 per page for 1st ten pages, \$.50 per page thereafter – 25-1-201 (1) (d) (i) MCA

Dissolution Commencement of Action (\$200.00)

\$170.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (a) MCA
\$ 20.00 court reporter fee – 25-1-202 MCA
\$ 10.00 user surcharge (automation fee) – 3-1-317 MCA

Executions/Orders of Sale (\$5.00)

\$ 5.00 issuance fee – 25-1-201 (1) (i) MCA

Foreign Capital Depository Judgment (\$2,500.00)

\$2,500.00 filing fee – 25-9-506 (2) MCA

Foreign Judgments (\$90.00)

\$60.00 filing fee – 25-9-506 (1) MCA
\$20.00 court reporter fee – 25-1-202 MCA
\$10.00 user surcharge (automation fee) – 3-1-317 MCA

Foreign Probates (\$85.00)

\$55.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (n) MCA
\$20.00 court reporter fee – 25-1-202 MCA
\$10.00 user surcharge (automation fee) – 3-1-317 MCA

Intervention Complaint (\$80.00)

\$80.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (a) MCA

Judgments (\$45.00)

\$45.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (c) MCA and 25-1-201 (1) (h) MCA

Legal Separation Commencement of Action (\$180.00)

\$150.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (a) MCA
\$ 20.00 court reporter fee – 25-1-202 MCA
\$ 10.00 user surcharge (automation fee) – 3-1-317 MCA

Marriage License / Declaration of Marriage (\$53.00)

\$53.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (o) MCA \$30.00 State General Fund
\$13.00 Domestic Violence – 44-3-310 \$10.00 District Court Fund – 25-1-201 (7)

Notarization/Oath and Jurat (\$1.00)

\$1.00 fee – 25-1-201 (1) (f) MCA

Probate/Guardianship/Conservatorship Commencement of Action (\$100.00)

\$70.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (m) MCA
\$20.00 court reporter fee – 25-1-202 MCA
\$10.00 user surcharge (automation fee) – 3-1-317 MCA

Process Server Registration (\$100.00)

\$100.00 filing fee – 25-1-1103 (1) MCA (renewal 25-1-1103 (2) MCA)

Searches (based on actual number of copies)

\$ 2.00 per name per year 7 years, \$1.00 per name thereafter – 25-1-201 (1) (g) MCA

Substitution of Judge (\$100.00)

\$100.00 filing fee – 25-1-201 (1) (p) MCA
Government agencies **must pay** – 25-10-405 MCA
Government agencies **must not pay** – 3-1-804(3)

Conflicting statutes!

Transcript/Abstract of Judgment (\$4.00 to prepare/ \$45.00 to file from another jurisdiction)

Prepare - ??? – (certification with a seal 25-1-201 (1) (e) MCA and copies 25-1-201 (1) (d) MCA?)
File – 25-1-201 (1) (h) MCA

Venue Change or Transfer of Record (\$10.00 incoming / \$5.00 outgoing)

\$10.00 filing fee for transfer from another district court – 25-1-201 (1) (k) MCA
\$ 5.00 transfer fee to another court (appeal/venue/removal) – 25-1-201- (1) (j) MCA

Waiver of Filing Fees

Indigent persons – 25-10-404 MCA
Governmental entity – 25-10-405 MCA (does pay for copies)