

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WASHINGTON

COMMISSIONERS COURT
OF
WASHINGTON COUNTY


**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S AND CONSTABLES' FEES OF
WASHINGTON COUNTY, TEXAS
EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2025**

On this the 1 day of October, 2024, upon motion made by Commissioner Hanath, seconded by Commissioner Bullock, the court unanimously approved the following fee schedule for Washington County, Texas, for services by the office of the Sheriff and Constables, effective January 1, 2025, until further Order of the Court, to wit:

CITATION – JUSTICE COURT.....	\$ 85.00
BAILIFF FEE-JUSTICE COURT (1 TIME FEE CHARGED FOR EACH CIVIL CASE) FOR COSTS IN PROVIDING A BAILIFF AS A JUDICIAL SUPPORT SERVICE.....	\$ 20.00
CIVIL PROCESS COPY FEE (EXCEEDING 10 PAGES).....	\$ 1.00 (per page)
CITATION – PUBLICATION.....	\$ 85.00
CITATION SCIRE FACIAS.....	\$ 85.00
FORCIBLE DETAINERS.....	\$ 85.00
NOTICE OF PUBLICATIONS.....	\$ 85.00
ORDERS OF SALE.....	\$ 200.00
SALE CANCELLED OR STRUCK OFF.....	\$ 300.00
RESTRAINING ORDERS.....	\$ 85.00
PRECEPTS.....	\$ 85.00
SUBPOENAS.....	\$ 85.00
SUMMONS.....	\$ 85.00
PROTECTIVE ORDER.....	\$ 85.00
SHOW CAUSE ORDER.....	\$ 85.00
EXECUTING BILL OF SALE.....	\$ 85.00
SERVICE OF PROCESS NOT PROVIDED FOR.....	\$ 85.00
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE SALE.....	\$ 30.00
POSTING NOTICE REQUIRED BY LAW.....	\$ 35.00
EXECUTING DEED.....	\$ 15.00
JURY FEE.....	\$ 10.00
WRIT OF ATTACHMENT.....	\$185.00
WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS.....	\$185.00
WRIT OF EXECUTION.....	\$185.00
WRIT OF SEQUESTRATION.....	\$185.00
WRIT OF GARNISHMENT.....	\$185.00
WRIT OF RESTITUTION.....	\$185.00
DISTRESS WARRANT.....	\$185.00
WRIT OF POSSESSION.....	\$185.00
WRIT OF RETRIEVAL.....	\$205.00
ANY AND ALL OTHER WRITS.....	\$185.00

- An additional fee of thirty (\$30.00) dollars per hour/per officer will be charged to the plaintiff on civil action exceeding on hour on all writs.
- Pursuant to Local Government Code Section 118.131 and Attorney General Opinion JM-1046 (1989), the expenses for providing the services incident to unsuccessful service of process are equal to or exceed the expenses of actual service and the fee is thus set at the same cost charged for actual service.
- Constable's Commission due based on percentage of monies collected on Writs of Executions or Orders of Sale: 10% up to and including \$10,000.00 and 6% for amounts over \$10,000.00. Tax sales held are not subject to any additional commission. The percentage based on amount collected, not the amount of the judgement.
- When the money is collected by the officer without sale, one-half (1/2) of the above rates shall be allowed.
- It is further ordered that notice be given as required by Section 118.131 Local Government Code and that notices be posted as prescribed by Section 81.007 Local Government Code.

Adopted in open court on October 1, 2024


John Durrenberger, County Judge


Don Koester, Commissioner, Pct. 1


Candice Bullock, Commissioner, Pct. 2


Kirk Hanath, Commissioner, Pct. 3

Not Present
Dustin Majewski, Commissioner, Pct. 4