

PIERCE COUNTY CLERK FEE SCHEDULE

*** EFFECTIVE JULY 26, 2009 ***

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Title	Service Provided	Fee	RCW/PCCO
Abstract of Judgment	Filing	20.00	36.18.012(2)
Abstract of Judgment	Preparation – First Page	5.00	36.18.016(4)
	Each Additional Page	1.00	
Arbitration Request	Filing	220.00	38.18.016(24) PCCO 2002-104
Arbitration Request for Trial de Novo	Filing	250.00	36.18.016(25) PCCO 99-123
Anti-harassment Petition/Unlawful Harassment Petition	Forms and Filing	53.00	10.14.040, 36.18.020(2)(d) Chapter 117 2002
Bail Bondsmen Justification	Filing	200.00	LCrR 3.2(p)
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
		230.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
Civil Filing	Filing	200.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
		230.00	
Counter Claim, Cross Claim or Third-Party Claim	Filing	200.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
		230.00	
Common Law Lien	Petition to Invalidate Lien	35.00	60.70.060 36.18.012(9)
Deeds of Trust, Surplus Funds	Filing	200.00	61.24.080(3),
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
		230.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
Election—Affidavit of Elector Contesting Election of Person	Filing	200.00	29.65.020
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	28A305.070
		230.00	36.18.020(2)(a) 36.18.020(4)(b)
Emancipation of a Minor	Filing	50.00	36.18.014 13.64.020
Extension of Judgment	Filing	200.00	36.18.016(14)
Frivolous Claim Statute	Filing of Application for Order	35.00	60.04.081(3) 36.18.016(17)
Foreign Judgment or Decree	Filing	200.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
		230.00	
Jury Demand	12 Member Jury	250.00	36.18.016(3)
	6 Member Jury	125.00	
Land Use Petition	Filing	200.00	36.70C0.040
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
		230.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
Legal Newspaper (effective 06-11-41)	Petition and Order	200.00	65.16.040,
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
		230.00	36.18.020(4)(b)

Property Taxes, Certification of Delinquency, Application For Judgment	Each Contestant at Time of Filing Appeal	2.00	84.64.120 84.64.040
Protection of Vulnerable Adults	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	74.34.110 36.18.020(4)(b) 36.18.020(2)(a)
Prepare Change of Venue	Preparing	20.00	36.18.016(18)
Registration of Land Titles (Torrens Act)	Application for Registration	20.00	65.12.780 36.18.016(13)
Restrictive Covenant	Petition to Strike Discriminatory Provision re real property	20.00	49.60.227, 36.18.012(6)
Supplemental Proceedings	Examination of Judgment Debtor	20.00	36.18.016(7)
Restore Firearm-petition to restore rights	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	9.41.047 36.18.020(4)(b) 36.18.020(2)(A)
Tax Warrant - Dept of Revenue - Special Fuels Tax - All other Departments	Filing	20.00	36.18.012(10) 82.38.235 36.18.050
Transcript of Judgment	Filing	20.00	36.18.012(2)
Unlawful Detainer	1. Original Filing Judicial Surcharge* 2. Upon Filing of any Order other than Default Order and Default Judgment (or When Answer Filed) balance is due of	45.00 30.00 75.00 112.00 <hr/> 187.00	36.18.020(2)(a) 36.18.020(4)(b) 36.18.012(4)
Unlawful Detainer – Counterclaim, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	157.00 30.00 187.00	36.18.012(5) 36.18.020(4)(b)
Warrant for unpaid taxes for overpayment of benefits by any agency of State of Wash.	Filing	20.00	36.18.012(10) 82.38.235
Water Rights Statement	Filing	25.00	90.03.180 36.18.016(16)
Water System Requirements (Enforcement Of)	Filing of Certified Copy of Administrative Order Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	70.119A.040(6) 36.18.020(2)(a) 36.18.020(4)(b)
Writs – Attachment - Garnishment - Execution on Real Property - Restitution	Each Filing	20.00	36.18.016(6) 36.18.016(6) 36.18.050 36.18.050

*** Judicial Surcharge Effective 7/1/2009 - 7/1/2011**

Domestic

Title	Service Provided	Fee	RCW/PCCO
Domestic Relations (Dissolution, Legal Separation, Invalidity,)	Filing	200.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
	Victim Assessment Fee	30.00	36.18.016(2)(b)
	Court Facilitator Surcharge	20.00	26.12.240
		280.00	PCCO 2008-81
3 rd Party Custody	Filing	200.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
	Court Facilitator Surcharge	20.00	26.12.240
		250.00	PCCO 2008-81
Family Court Facilitator	Fee for Services (User Fee)	10.00	26.12.240 36.18.016(15) PCCO 2004-110
Modification of Decree/Order, Counterclaim, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim	Filing in Existing Case	36.00	36.18.016(2)(a)
	Court Facilitator Surcharge	20.00	26.12.240
		56.00	PCCO 2008-81
Modification of Decree/Order	Agreed Modification Existing Case	36.00	36.18.016(2)(a)
	Court Facilitator Surcharge	20.00	26.12.240
		56.00	PCCO 2008-81
Modification of Decree - of all other Counties/States	New Filing	200.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
	Court Facilitator Surcharge	20.00	AGLO dated 9-9-87
		250.00	26.12.240
			PCCO 2008-81
Out of State Custody Decree	Filing to enforce or modify	200.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
	Court Facilitator Surcharge	20.00	26.27.150(1)
		250.00	26.12.240
			PCCO 2008-81
Objection to Relocation	Filing in Existing Case	36.00	26.09.260
			26.09.410-.560
		20.00	36.18.050
	Court Facilitator Surcharge	56.00	26.12.240 PCCO 2008-81
Wage Assignment, Spousal Maintenance or Child Support	Filing of Original Action	200.00	26.18.070,
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
	Court Facilitator Surcharge	20.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
		250.00	26.12.240
			PCCO 2008-81

* **Judicial Surcharge Effective 7/1/2009 - 7/1/2011**

Probate/Adoption/Paternity

Title	Service Provided	Fee	RCW/PCCO
Adoption	Filing	200.00	36.18.020(2)(a)
	Judicial Surcharge*	30.00	36.18.020(4)(b)
	Court Facilitator Surcharge	20.00	26.12.240
		250.00	PCCO 2008-81

Appointment of Special Representative	Filing	2.00	11.96.170, 36.18.050
Certificate of Qualification	Issuance (Form K)	5.00	36.18.016(9)
Certified Copy of Letters (Administration, Testamentary, Guardianship)	Certified Copy/Issue Letters	5.00	36.18.016(9)
Disclaimer of Interest (no probate commenced)	Filing –repealed see exceptions	None	11.86.031(4) 36.18.016(13)
Escheat - Probate Proceedings	Filing Claim Judicial Surcharge* Filing Revenue Dept. Affidavit	200.00 30.00 2.00 232.00	36.18.020(2)(f) 36.18.020(4)(b) 11.08.300
Estate (Probate)	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	36.18.020(2)(f) 36.18.020(4)(b) 11.12
Guardianship	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	36.18.020(2)(f) 36.18.020(4)(b)
Non-Judicial Resolution	Petition, Agreement or Memorandum	20.00	11.96A.220, 36.18.012(8)
Non-Probate Notice to Creditors	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	11.42.010(3)(a) 36.18.020(2)(f)
Notice to Creditors-When Probate is filed in county other than where decedent resided	Filing	20.00	11.40.020(2) 36.18.050
Paternity	Filing Judicial Surcharge* Court Facilitator Surcharge	200.00 30.00 20.00 250.00	36.18.020(2)(a) 36.18.020(4)(b) 26.12.240 PCCO 2008-81
Paternity Modification	Filing Court Facilitator Surcharge	36.00 20.00 56.00	36.18.016 26.12.240 PCCO 2008-81
Petition Objecting to Non-Judicial Resolution	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	36.18.020(2)(g) 36.18.020(4)(b)
Petition Contesting Will	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	36.18.020(2)(g) 36.18.020(4)(b)
Petition To Admit Rejected Will	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	36.18.020(2)(g) 36.18.020(4)(b)
Small Estate	Filing	20.00	11.62.010 36.18..050
Termination of Parent-Child Relationship	Filing Judicial Surcharge* Court Facilitator Surcharge	200.00 30.00 20.00 250.00	36.18.020(2)(a) 36.18.020(4)(b) 26.12.240 PCCO 2008-81
Will Only (after death - no probate contemplated)	Filing	20.00	36.18.012(7) 36.18.016(26)
Will Repository	Filing	20.00	36.18.016(26)
Adoption Certified Copy Fee	Certified copy	17.00	Vital Records Fee
Adoption Registration Fee	Seal the file	15.00	Vital Records Fee

Appeals

Title	Service Provided	Fee	RCW/PCCO
Appeals From Administrative Hearing Decision	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	34.05.514, 36.18.020(2)(c) 36.18.020(4)(b)
Civil Appeal From Court of Limited Jurisdiction-Civil case	Filing (to be paid at lower court) Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 20.00 220.00	36.18.020(2)(b) 36.18.020(4)(a)
Civil Appeal From Court of Limited Jurisdiction-Criminal Case	Filing (imposed when affirmed or dismissed) (to be paid at lower court)	200.00	36.18.020(2)(h)
Clerk's Papers	Designation Reproduction	.50 per page	36.18.016(20) RAP 9.7(a), 15.4(e)
Notice of Appeal to Appellate Court	Filing (payable to Pierce County Clerk- RAP 5.1(b) Judicial Surcharge*	250.00 30.00 280.00	36.18.018(2) 2.32.070 36.18.020(4)(b)
Petition For Review of a Court of Appeals Decision Terminating Review	Filing	200.00	2.32.070
Transmittal of Record/ Exhibits		Actual Costs	RAP 9.8;15.4(e)
Upon Conviction or Plea of Guilty, Failure to Prosecute Appeal, or Upon Affirmance of a Conviction by a Court of Limited Jurisdiction	Filing	200.00	36.18.020(2)(h)

MISCELLANEOUS

Title	Service Provided	Fee	RCW/PCCO
Approving Bonds, in other than civil or probate		2.00	36.18.016(8)
Authenticated or Exemplified Certificate	Certificate \$2.00 per seal (in addition to certified copy fees for documents attached to certificate of 5.00 for 1 st page and 1.00 per page thereafter)	4.00	36.18.016(4)
Certified Copies (with seal)	First page Per page thereafter	5.00 1.00	36.18.016(4)
Non certified copies		.50 per page	36.18.016(4)
Electronic Copies-E-mail		.25 per page	36.18.016(4)
Copies on CD		20.00/ea + .25 per page	36.18.016(4)
Bench Warrants, Notices, Summons, Subpoenas, Certificates of Deposition for Out of State Depositions	Issuance	20.00	36.18.050

Change of Venue	Filing fee (payable to clerk of county to which case is transferred) Preparation (Paid to Pierce County Clerk)	Varies 20.00	4.12.090, .100 36.18.020(2)(a) CR 82(d)
Diking, Drainage and Sewerage Improvement District	Petition for Review	200.00	85.15.110 36.18.020(2)(a)
Electronic File Access	View document images	Varies	PCCO 2004-68
Executing Certificates,	Execution	2.00 per seal	36.18.016(5)
Ex Parte	Presentation of Order	40.00	36.18.016(12) PCCO 2004-109
Extension of Judgment	Filing	200.00	6.17.020(3); 9.94A; 10.46.190 36.18.016(14)
Fax Fees	Receiving faxed documents 1 st page Thereafter per page	5.00 1.00	36.18.016(19)
Fees In Special Cases	Where no fee is provided for - fees similar and equal to those allowed for services of the same kind	Variable	36.18.050
Filing of Papers Not Related to Litigation and No Other Amount Specified	Filing	20.00	36.18.012(3)
Investment Service Fee - if Written Request Received for Service	Service Fee for Interest Investments	5% of Interest Earned	36.48.090 36.18.016(22)
Oaths and Affirmations	Filing	None	5.28
Petition to Restore Right to Possess Firearms	Filing Judicial Surcharge*	200.00 30.00 230.00	9.41.047 36.18.020(2)(a) 36.18.020(4)(b)
Reports & Copies Produced at the Local Level as Permitted by 2.68.020 and Supreme Court Policy	Copies and Reports	Variable	36.18.016(21)
Searching Records and Issuing a Written Report/Special Services		30.00	36.18.016(11)
Cost of non-statutory services rendered by clerk by authority of local ordinance or policy must be charged		Actual cost	36.18.016(23)
Notice of debt due crime victims		Actual cost	7.68.120(2) 36.18.020(e)
NSF / Dishonored Check Fee		20.00 per check	County Policy 36.18.016(23)
Witness Fees	Per dieum Mileage	10.00 .55	IRS Policy
Copies of Reports		Variable	36.18.016(21)

Fees to be charged to all cities, other counties, other states, unless specifically stated by statute.

Fees to be charged to all state agencies unless there is a specific statutory authority (98 Wn2d 606).

No statutory authority to NOT charge federal agencies except U.S. Immigration and V.A.

Fees to be paid in advance except for state and county (36.18.060). (Clerk's Office can voucher State and cities).

Civil filing fees need to be paid by County.