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# SCHEDULE OF FEES FOR COMPENSATION OF APPOINTED COUNSEL (As Amended November 1, 2023)

#### I. FIXED RATES

## A. PLEAS

First degree felony: \$1,500

Second degree felony: \$1,100

Third degree felony: \$700

State jail felony: \$700

Additional cases: \$250 (per case)

Including withdrawal/substitution of counsel, warrant/unapprehended >6 months, acquittal expunction, writs, examining trials, MH writs, pre-trial diversion, insanity, MH cases with annual hearings, or civil protective order arising from family violence case.

## **B. TRIALS**

Pre-Trial preparation: \$1,000

Trial, per half day: \$500

C. APPEALS

Appeal from trial: \$3,500

Other appeal: \$2,000

# D. DISCRETIONARY ADJUSTMENT

Per case adjustment, not to exceed: \$4,000

An attorney who requests a discretionary adjustment to a fixed-rate fee must attach supporting documentation or a written statement in support of the request that provides the reason for the request and what additional time and tasks were spent on the case. A request submitted without documentation will not be approved for payment.

## II. HOURLY RATES

Appointed counsel will be compensated at an hourly rate for reasonable services rendered in the cases described below. Compensable services include time spent in court, and reasonable and necessary time spent out of court.

A request for compensation based on an hourly rate must be supported by documentation detailing each legal service provided, the date and location of the service, and the time spent performing the service. Time must be billed in 0.1-hour (six-minute) increments. Receipts must be included for any expenses claimed.

## A. CRIMINAL

Death penalty: \$150 per hour
Capital, non-death penalty: \$100 per hour

## **B. FAMILY**

Payment will be denied for any services rendered more than 90 days before the date the compensation request is submitted.

Enforcement/Contempt: \$100 per hour

CPS: \$100 per hour

Paralegal fees for legal work \$50 per hour

Attorney travel: \$50 per hour

Roundtrip travel exceeding 50 miles may be reimbursed at IRS rates (currently \$.655 per mile). Travel to and from the courthouse and Children's Advocacy Center are not eligible for payment.

#### C. JUVENILE

Juvenile: \$75-\$100 per hour