

## Grayson County District Court Fee Schedule

### Felony Court-Appointed Attorneys Fees

Hourly payments will be decided by judge's approval at the rate of **\$70 to \$100** per hour for preparation time and trial, appeals, and contested hearings and trials.

#### HOURLY RATES:

\*Attach a detailed explanation of services performed including the date performed, the time spent on each activity, and a designation of in-court or out-of-court time.

|                               | OUT-OF-COURT              | IN-COURT                  |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>State Jail Felonies</b>    | <b>\$70</b>               | <b>\$80</b>               |
| <b>Third Degree Felonies</b>  | <b>\$80</b>               | <b>\$90</b>               |
| <b>Second Degree Felonies</b> | <b>\$90</b>               | <b>\$100</b>              |
| <b>First Degree Felonies</b>  | <b>\$100</b>              | <b>\$100</b>              |
| <b>Capital Cases</b>          | <b>Judge's Discretion</b> | <b>Judge's Discretion</b> |
| <b>Appeals</b>                | <b>\$90</b>               | <b>\$90</b>               |

#### MTA/MTR RATES:

|                                  |                   |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Contested Hearing</b>         | <b>\$350</b>      |
| <b>Agreed Plea of True</b>       | <b>\$300</b>      |
| <b>Dismissal or Modification</b> | <b>\$250</b>      |
| <b>*additional case(s)</b>       | <b>+\$50/case</b> |

#### FIXED FLAT FEE RATES (397th only):

\*Counsel may apply, in writing before a case is resolved, to have unusual cases handled on an hourly basis. Such a request is at the sole discretion of the court. If granted, pay will be between \$70 and \$100 per hour.

| Pre-Trial Dispositions:                   | MINIMUM      | MAXIMUM      |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| <b>Routine Guilty or Open Plea FS</b>     | <b>\$475</b> |              |
| <b>Routine Guilty or Open Plea F3</b>     | <b>\$525</b> |              |
| <b>Routine Guilty or Open Plea F2</b>     | <b>\$650</b> |              |
| <b>Routine Guilty or Open Plea F1</b>     | <b>\$750</b> |              |
| <b>Additional Case(s)</b>                 | <b>\$100</b> | <b>\$400</b> |
| <b>Additional Count(s)</b>                | <b>\$50</b>  | <b>\$200</b> |
| <b>Dismissal of Filed Case</b>            |              | <b>\$300</b> |
| <b>Indictment Quashed</b>                 |              | <b>\$250</b> |
| <b>Case Rejection Prior to Indictment</b> |              | <b>\$250</b> |

#### TRIALS (397<sup>th</sup> only):

\*Payment for out-of-court pre-trial services, including trial prep: \$75/hour, not to exceed 15 hours.

|  | HALF DAY     | WHOLE DAY      |
|--|--------------|----------------|
| <b>FS / F3 Felonies</b>  | <b>\$500</b> | <b>\$800</b>   |
| <b>F2 / F1 Felonies</b>  | <b>\$600</b> | <b>\$1,000</b> |
| <b>Payment for out-of-court pretrial services, including trial prep: \$75/hr., not to exceed 15 hours.</b> |              |                |

**APPEALS (397<sup>th</sup> only):**

| <b>To Court of Appeals:</b>                                     | <b>MINIMUM</b> | <b>MAXIMUM</b> |
|---|----------------|----------------|
| <b>FS / F3 Felonies</b>   | <b>\$2,000</b> | <b>\$2,500</b> |
| <b>F2 / F1 Felonies</b>   | <b>\$2,500</b> | <b>\$3,000</b> |
| <b>Oral Argument, Court of Appeals</b>                          |                | <b>\$500</b>   |
| <b>Oral Argument, Court of Criminal Appeals</b>                 |                | <b>\$800</b>   |
| <b>Petition for Discovery Review</b>                            |                | <b>\$300</b>   |
| <b>Reasonable additional appeal expenses: Judges Discretion</b> |                |                |

**JUVENILE (397<sup>th</sup> only):**

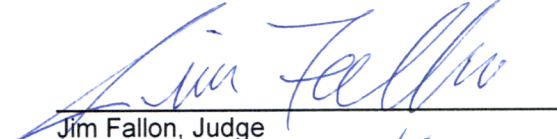
| <b>Contested Hearings:</b>            |                        |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>Initial Detention</b>              | <b>\$200</b>           |
| <b>Additional Detention</b>           | <b>\$100</b>           |
| <b>Adjudication / Disposition:</b>    |                        |
| <b>Plea of True</b>                   | <b>\$250</b>           |
| <b>Contested to Court/Bench Trial</b> | <b>\$300</b>           |
| <b>Jury Trial</b>                     | <b>See adult rates</b> |

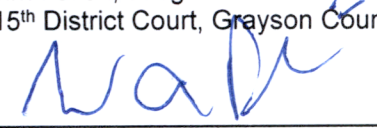
In the interest of justice, for just cause, or in exceptional cases, the Court in its discretion may approve fees that differ from this schedule.

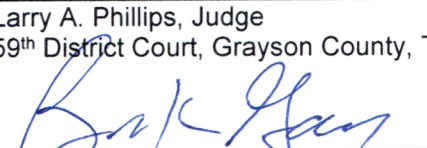
These rules and guidelines are adopted in compliance with the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure and may be amended at the discretion of the Courts.

The District Judges adopted the hourly rates set forth above, and Ordered that the fee schedule be amended accordingly effective September 1, 2022.

The 397<sup>th</sup> District Judge adopted the fixed fees as set forth above, and Ordered that the fee schedule be amended accordingly effective September 1, 2022.

  
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Jim Fallon, Judge  
15<sup>th</sup> District Court, Grayson County, Texas

  
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Larry A. Phillips, Judge  
59<sup>th</sup> District Court, Grayson County, Texas

  
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Brian K. Gary, Judge  
397<sup>th</sup> District Court, Grayson County, Texas

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