

**Grimes County District Clerk
Civil Fees
Effective 09/20/2021**

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
Initial Civil Fees		
Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$50.00	GC 51.317(b) (1)
State Consolidated Fee	\$50.00	LGC 133.151 (a)(1)
Judicial Support Fee	\$42.00	LGC 133.154
Law Library Fee	\$35.00	LGC 323.023 (c)
Civil E-Filing Fee	\$30.00	GC 51.851 (b)
Court Reporter Fee	\$15.00	GC 51.601
Court Records Preservation Fund (digital)	\$10.00	GC 51.708
Indigent Legal Service Fee	\$10.00	LGC 133.152 (a)(2)
District Court Records Archive Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.305 (b)
Courthouse Security System Fee	\$5.00	LGC 291.008
Appellate Judicial System Fee	\$5.00	GC 22.2021
Records Management Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.317 (1) and (2)
Judicial & Court Personnel Training Fee	\$5.00	GC 51.971
Initial Civil Fees – Total	\$277.00	

Additional Plaintiffs (11-25) - \$75.00, (26-100)-\$100.00, (101-500)-\$125.00, (501-1000)-\$150.00, (1001+)-\$200.00

Actions within and Existing Civil Suit

Cross-action, counterclaim, intervention, motion for contempt, motion for new trial, motion to set aside judgment, motion nunc pro tunc, interpleader, motion to reinstate, motion to transfer or third-party petition.

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$15.00	GC 51.317(b) (2)
Civil E-Filing Fee	\$30.00	GC 51.851 (b)
Indigent Legal Service Fee	\$10.00	LGC 133.152 (a)(2)
District Court Records Archive Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.305 (b)
Records Management Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.317 (1) and (2)
Judicial & Court Personnel Training Fee	\$5.00	GC 51.971
Actions within an Existing Civil Suit – Total		\$80.00

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Other Family Fees

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(Name Change, Protective Order, Register Foreign Judgment, Removal of Disabilities of Minor)

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
<u>Initial Family Fees</u>		
Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$50.00	GC 51.317(b) (1)
State Consolidated Fee	\$50.00	LGC 133.151 (a)(1)
Judicial Support Fee	\$42.00	LGC 133.154
Law Library Fee	\$35.00	LGC 323.023 (c)
Civil E-Filing Fee	\$30.00	GC 51.851 (b)
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Records Management Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.317 (1) and (2)
Judicial & Court Personnel Training Fee	\$5.00	GC 51.971
Initial Family Fees – Total	\$277.00	

Actions within an Existing Other Family Suit

Cross-action, counterclaim, intervention, interpleader, 3rd party petition, motion for new trial and motion for contempt NON SAPCR.

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Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$15.00	GC 51.317(b) (2)
Civil E-Filing Fee	\$30.00	GC 51.851 (b)
Indigent Legal Service Fee	\$5.00	LGC 133.152 (a)(2)
District Court Records Archive Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.305 (b)
Records Management Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.317 (1) and (2)
Judicial & Court Personnel Training Fee	\$5.00	GC 51.971
Actions within and Existing Other Family Law – Total		\$70.00

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SAPCR Fees

Effective 09/20/2021

(Adoption/Termination, Child Support, Custody or Visitation, Grandparent Access, Other Parent-Child, Parentage/Paternity, and Termination of Parental Rights)

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
<u>Suits Affecting the Parent Child Relationship</u>		
Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$50.00	GC 51.317(b) (1)
State Consolidated Fee	\$50.00	LGC 133.151 (a)(1)
Judicial Support Fee	\$42.00	LGC 133.154
Law Library Fee	\$35.00	LGC 323.023 (c)
Civil E-Filing Fee	\$30.00	GC 51.851 (b)
Court Reporter Fee	\$15.00	GC 51.601
Court Records Preservation Fund (digital)	\$10.00	GC 51.708
Indigent Legal Service Fee	\$5.00	LGC 133.152 (a)(1)
District Court Records Archive Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.305 (b)
Courthouse Security System Fee	\$5.00	LGC 291.008
Appellate Judicial System Fee	\$5.00	GC 22.2021
Records Management Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.317 (1) and (2)
Judicial & Court Personnel Training Fee	\$5.00	GC 51.971
Initial SAPCR – Total	\$267.00	

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
<u>Actions within Existing SAPCR</u>		
Motion for contempt, to enforce, modify and new trial	\$15.00	FC 110.002
Motion to Transfer	\$45.00	FC 110.005

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
<u>Cross-actions, Counterclaims, Interpleader and Interventions</u>		
Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$15.00	GC 51.317(b) (2)
Civil E-Filing Fee	\$30.00	GC 51.851 (b)
Indigent Legal Service Fee	\$5.00	LGC 133.152 (a)(2)
District Court Records Archive Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.305 (b)
Records Management Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.317 (1) and (2)
Judicial & Court Personnel Training Fee	\$5.00	GC 51.971
Actions within Existing SAPCR – Total		\$70.00

**Grimes County District Clerk
Divorce Fees
Effective 09/20/2021**

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
<u>Initial Divorce Fees</u>		
Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$50.00	GC 51.317(b) (1)
State Consolidated Fee	\$50.00	LGC 133.151 (a)(1)
Judicial Support Fee	\$42.00	LGC 133.154
Law Library Fee	\$35.00	LGC 323.023 (c)
Civil E-Filing Fee	\$30.00	GC 51.851 (b)
Court Reporter Fee	\$15.00	GC 51.601
Court Records Preservation Fund (digital)	\$10.00	GC 51.708
Indigent Legal Service Fee	\$5.00	LGC 133.152 (a)(1)
District Court Records Archive Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.305 (b)
Courthouse Security System Fee	\$5.00	LGC 291.008
Appellate Judicial System Fee	\$5.00	GC 22.2021
Records Management Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.317 (1) and (2)
Judicial & Court Personnel Training Fee	\$5.00	GC 51.971
Family Protection Fee	\$15.00	GC 51.961 (b)
Bureau of Vital Statistics Fee	\$1.00	
Initial Divorce – Total	\$283.00	

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
<u>Actions within Existing Divorce (w/child)</u>		
Motion for contempt, to enforce, modify and new trial	\$15.00	FC 110.002
Motion to Transfer	\$45.00	FC 110.005

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
<u>Cross-actions, Counterclaims, Interpleader and Interventions</u>		
Clerk's Basic Filing Fee	\$15.00	GC 51.317(b) (2)
Civil E-Filing Fee	\$30.00	GC 51.851 (b)
Indigent Legal Service Fee	\$5.00	LGC 133.152 (a)(2)
District Court Records Archive Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.305 (b)
Records Management Fee	\$10.00	GC 51.317 (1) and (2)
Judicial & Court Personnel Training Fee	\$5.00	GC 51.971
Actions withing Existing Divorce (w/ Child) – Total	\$70.00	

**Grimes County District Clerk
Miscellaneous Fees
Effective 09/20/2021**

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
<u>Other Civil and Family Law</u>		
Citation per defendant	\$8.00	GC 51.318 (b)(2)
Certified Mail per defendant	\$100.00	GC 51.319 (2)
Issuance TRO	\$8.00	
Abstract of Judgment	\$8.00	GC 51.318 (b)(5)
Writ of Execution	\$8.00	GC 51.318 (b)(2)
Subpoena	\$8.00	GC 51.318 (b)(1)
Jury Request	\$40.00	GC 51.604
Bond Fee	\$4.00	GC 51.318(b)(6)
Administrative Writ of Income Withholding	\$15.00	FC 158.503
Wage withholding application, order and termination	\$15.00	
Protective Order pd. By Respondent	\$16.00	FC 81.003(a)
Probate Transfer from County Court	\$45.00	
Fraudulent Lien Suit (only fee charged in case)	\$15.00	CP&RC 12.005

Fee Description	Amount	Statute
<u>Miscellaneous Fees</u>		
Court Registry Administration Expense Fund non-interest bearing per withdrawal	5% not to exceed \$50.00	LGC 117.055
Court Registry Administration Expense Fund on interest bearing	10% of interest accrued	LGC 117.054
Administrative fee on Cash Bail Bonds	\$50.00	
Records search	\$5.00	GC 51.318(b)(3)
Paper copies per page	\$1.00	GC 51.318(b)(8)
Certification of Documents	\$1.00	GC 51.318 (b)(7)
Insufficient Check	\$30.00	
Clerk's transcript fee for appeals	\$1.00	Per page

**Grimes County District Clerk
Specific Case Type Fees
Effective 09/20/2021**

Fee Description	Amount	
Expunction	\$277.00	Plus \$12.00 per agency served by cmrr for notice of hearing and final order
Tax suits filed by Appraisal District	\$222.00	
Protective Order Fees assessed against respondent	\$267.00	Plus \$16.00 FC 81.003
Non Disclosures	\$277.00	Plus \$28.00 State filing fee