

**AN ORDER OF THE BELL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT
ESTABLISHING FEES FOR SERVICES BY THE SHERIFF AND CONSTABLES**

WHEREAS, Local Government Code Section 118.131 requires the Commissioners' Court to set reasonable fees for official services by the County's Sheriff and Constables; and

WHEREAS, other fees are required by statute to be set by the Commissioners' Court;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF BELL COUNTY, TEXAS, that the following fees be established for the services of the County's Sheriff and Constables, and the other fees are established as required by statute:

I. SHERIFF AND CONSTABLES' FEES

A. Execution of Notices:

1.	Subpoenas	70.00
2.	Summons	70.00
3.	Writ of Attachment	150.00
4.	Writ of Sequestration	150.00
5.	Writ of Garnishment	150.00
6.	Orders of Sale	150.00
7.	Writ of Possession***	150.00
8.	Forcible Entry & Detainer **	100.00
9.	Writ of Execution	250.00
10.	Writ of Re-Entry	150.00
11.	All Other Writs	150.00

B. Service of Process Fees:

1.	Small Claims Citation	70.00
2.	Justice Court Citation	70.00
3.	All Other Courts' Citation	70.00

C. Other Service Fees:

1.	Distress Warrant	100.00
2.	Injunction	100.00
3.	Notice of Publication	60.00
4.	Temporary Restraining Order	100.00
5.	Writ of Habeas Corpus	150.00
6.	Writ of Restitution	150.00
7.	Show Cause Order	70.00
8.	Arrest Warrant*	50.00
9.	Mental Commitment	75.00
10.	Commitment*	5.00
11.	Tax Warrant	100.00
12.	All Other Service of Process	70.00

* Statutorily set by Code of Criminal Procedure, Article 102.011


** \$100 First Listed Defendant, \$25 Each Additional On Same Cause Number

***\$150 First 2 Hours, \$35 Per Hour, Per Deputy After Initial 2 Hours

II. OTHER FEES


- A. County Law Library Fund Fee 20.00
- B. Courthouse Security Fee 5.00
- C. Alternative Dispute Resolution Fee 10.00
- D. Trust Fund Accounting & Administrative Expense Fee:
 - Accounts earning interest 10% of interest
 - Accounts not earning interest 5% of withdrawal not to exceed 50.00

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2019



JON H. BURROWS
Bell County Judge

ATTEST:



Shelley Coston
Bell County Clerk

Date: September 17, 2018