

Skagit County Clerk's Fee Schedule – Effective June 11, 2026

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No Refunds

Fee	Description	Reference
APPEAL FEES		
\$290.00	Appeal from Administrative Hearing Decision	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$280.00	Civil Appeal from Lower Court	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$200.00	Criminal Appeal from Lower Court (Imposed when Affirmed or Failed to Prosecute)	RCW 36.18.020(2)(h)
\$280.00	Criminal Appeal from Lower Court (Filed by any party except the defendant)	RCW 36.18.020(2b,5b,6)
\$290.00	Notice of Appeal to Appellate Court (Make check payable to Skagit County Clerk)	RCW 2.32.070 ; RCW 36.18.018(2,4)
\$0.50	Clerk's Papers, per page	RAP 9.7(a) ; RCW 36.18.016(21)
Actual Cost	Transmittal of Record and Exhibits	RAP 9.8 ; RAP 15.4
CIVIL FEES		
\$53.00	Anti-harassment Action	RCW 36.18.020(2)(d)
\$290.00	Bail Bondsman Justification	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$20.00	Change of Venue Transfer Fee (Copy fees, if applicable, are in addition)	RCW 36.18.016(19)
\$290.00	Change of Venue: Civil (make check / money order payable to the clerk of county to which case is transferred)	RCW 4.12.090-100 ; RCW 36.18.016(16) ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5)
\$290.00	Civil Action	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$250.00	Civil Arbitration Fee (in addition to filing fee)	RCW 36.18.016(25) ; SCC 4.98
\$290.00 \$310.00	Civil Counterclaim, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim Counter Petition in a Domestic Relations Action	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) RCW 36.18.016(16)
\$290.00	Deeds of Trust, Surplus Funds	RCW 61.24.080(3) ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$290.00	Diking, Drainage, Sewerage District – Petition for Review	RCW 85.15.110 ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$290.00	Election-Affidavit of Elector Contesting Election of Person	RCW 29A.68.011 ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$50.00	Emancipation of a Minor	RCW 36.18.014 ; RCW 13.64.020
\$200.00	Extension of Judgment	RCW 36.18.016(15)
\$290.00	Firearms-Petition to Restore Right to Possess Firearms	RCW 9.41.047 ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$290.00	Foreign Judgment - Civil	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 36.18.016(16)
\$290.00 \$20.00	Foreign Subpoena (issuance fee additional) Issuance Fee	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 36.18.012(3) ; RCW 36.18.050

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\$35.00	Frivolous Claim of Lien	RCW 36.18.012(9) ; RCW 60.70.060
\$290.00	Judicial Review	RCW 34.05.514 ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$250.00 \$125.00	Jury Demand - 12 Jurors 6 Jurors	RCW 36.18.016(3)
\$290.00	Land Use Petition	RCW 36.70C.040 ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$290.00	Legal Newspaper Designation, Petition for	RCW 65.16.040 ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$50.00	Minor Work Permit – Filing Petition and Order	RCW 26.28.060 ; RCW 28A.225.080 ; RCW 36.18.050
\$2.00	Property Taxes-Certification of Delinquency, Application for Judgment	RCW 84.64.120 ; RCW 84.64.040
\$20.00	Petition to Strike Restrictive Covenants	RCW 49.60.227 ; RCW 36.18.012(6)
\$20.00	Registration of Land (Torrens Act)	RCW 65.12.780 ; RCW 36.18.016(14)
\$400.00	Request for Trial De Novo	RCW 36.18.016(26)
\$290.00	Sealed Name Change	RCW 4.24.130
\$20.00	Supplemental Proceedings (filing motion / order to appear or note for hearing)	RCW 36.18.016(7)
\$20.00	Tax Warrant	RCW 36.18.012(10)
\$20.00	Transcript or abstract of judgment or verdict from a United States court held in this state, or from the superior court of another county or from a district court in the county of issuance	RCW 36.18.012(2)
\$135.00 \$247.00 \$112.00	<u>Residential Unlawful Detainer</u> Default Counterclaim, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim Add'l Fee Required by Plaintiff for Order to Show Cause and/or if Answer Filed	RCW 36.18.012(4) ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$290.00	Non-Residential (Commercial) Unlawful Detainer	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$25.00	Water Rights Filing Fee	RCW 36.18.016(17) ; RCW 90.03.180
\$290.00	Filing of Certified Copy of Admin Order re: Water System Requirements	RCW 70.119A.040 ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$20.00 \$20.00	Writ - (Original and one conformed copy –The conformed copy is filed with the Clerk – (Add'l copies \$2.00 each) Any Writ issued by the Clerk to include Order of Sale on Judicial Foreclosure	RCW 36.18.016(5) RCW 36.18.016(6) ; RCW 36.18.050
FAMILY LAW FEES		
\$310.00	Adoption Filing	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 36.18.016(16)
\$20.00	Change of Venue Transfer Fee (Copy fees, if applicable, are in addition)	RCW 36.18.016(19)

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\$310.00	Change of Venue: Domestic (make check / money order payable to the clerk of county to which case is transferred)	RCW 4.12.090-100 ; RCW 36.18.016(16) ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$310.00	Counter Petition in a Domestic Relations Action	RCW 36.18.016(16) ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$364.00	Dissolution of Marriage, Domestic Partnership, Legal Separation, Invalidity of Marriage	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 36.18.016(2)(b) ; RCW 36.18.016(16)
\$364.00	Committed Intimate Relationship	RCW 36.18.020(2,5)
\$310.00	Foreign Judgment, Domestic	RCW 36.18.016(16) ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$50.00	Minor to Marry – Filing Petition and Order	RCW 36.18.050
\$56.00	Modification of Skagit County Decree; or Counterclaim, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim	RCW 36.18.016(2) ; RCW 36.18.016(16)
\$310.00	Modification of Decree other than Skagit County	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 36.18.016(16)
\$310.00	Registration of Out of State Decree/Order	RCW 26.27 ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$56.00	Relocation-Objection to or Notice of - Existing Case (Modification)	RCW 26.09.410-560 ; RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$310.00	Filing with out-of-county decrees	
\$310.00	Uniform Parentage Act filings	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 26.26A
\$310.00	Wage Assignment for Paternity and Child Support Enforcement	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 36.18.016(16)
No Fee	Domestic Violence Protection Order	RCW 7.105.105(9)(a)
No Fee	Vulnerable Adults Protection Order	RCW 7.105.105(9)(a)
No Fee	Extreme Risk Protection Order	RCW 7.105.105(9)(a)
No Fee	Sexual Assault Protection Order	RCW 7.105.105(9)(a)
	CRIMINAL FEES (May be imposed upon conviction or guilty plea)	
\$200.00	Filing Fee	RCW 10.01.160 ; RCW 10.01.170
\$500.00 \$250.00	<u>Crime Victim Penalty Assessment</u> – Felony or Gross Misdemeanor (adult) Misdemeanor (adult)	RCW 7.68.035
Variable	Other costs as imposed by the Court	RCW 10.01.160 ; RCW 10.01.170
	PROBATE / GUARDIANSHIP / CONSERVATORSHIP	
\$20.00	Appointment of Special Representative	RCW 11.96A.160 ; RCW 36.18.050

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Fee	Description	Reference
\$310.00	Guardianship (Adult), Conservatorship, Protective Arrangement Filing (There is no fee on cases with assets less than \$3,000.)	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 11.130.170
\$310.00	Minor Guardianship / Minor Conservatorship Filing (There is no fee when the potential guardian is a relative.)	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 11.130.170
\$5.00	Letters of Administration, Testamentary or Guardianship, Form K	RCW 36.18.016(9)
\$290.00	Notice to Creditors (Non-Probate)	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$290.00	Petition Admitting Rejected Will, or Contesting Will, or Objecting to a Written Agreement or Memorandum	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$290.00	Probate Filing	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$290.00	Escheat Probate Proceedings	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
	- Filing Claim	RCW 11.08.300
\$2.00	Filing Dept. of Revenue Affidavit	
\$290.00	Counter Petition, Cross-Claim or Third-Party Claim (Probate / Guardianship)	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$290.00	Registration of Trust	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6) ; RCW 36.18.050
\$20.00	Certification of Trust	RCW 36.18.012(3) ; RCW 36.18.050
\$20.00	TEDRA Non-Judicial Binding Agreement, in an existing case	RCW 36.18.012(8)
\$290.00	Filed as new case	RCW 36.18.020(2,5,6)
\$20.00	- Will Only Filing - No Probate of Decedent's Estate	RCW 36.18.012(7)
\$20.00	Will Repository	RCW 36.18.016(28)
	MISCELLANEOUS FEES	
\$2.00	Administering an Oath - Per Seal on document requiring signature by the Clerk	RCW 36.18.016(5)
\$20.00	Oaths and Affirmations – Filing	RCW 5.28 ; RCW 36.18.012(3) ;
\$2.00	Approving Bonds, other than Civil or Probate	RCW 36.18.016(8)
\$30.00	Ex Parte Orders (For a single submission of 1 to 5 Orders per case)	RCW 36.18.016(12)
5% of earned interest	Investment Service Fee: Court ordered investment of Trust Funds of \$2,000 or more	RCW 36.48.090
\$10.00	Trust Account Service Fees: Disbursement of funds (ie Settlements, Tender, Bonds, Garnishments, Judgments, Interpleader)	
\$20.00	Non-Judicial Filing (Filing any paper not related to or part of any proceeding)	RCW 36.18.012(3)
\$20.00	Issuance of Notice, Bench Warrant, Subpoena or Summons in non-criminal case, (Original and one conformed copy)	RCW 36.18.050
\$35.00	NSF Payment Service Charge, Per item	RCW 36.18.016(24)

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Fee	Description	Reference
\$30.00	Search Records, Per hour (1-hour minimum)	RCW 36.18.016(11)
\$9.00 \$1.00 \$2.00	Authenticated or Exemplified Copies For the first page of each document, plus For each additional page For each additional seal affixed on conformed copy	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$5.00 \$1.00	<u>Certified Copies, Faxed Copies, Abstracts of Judgment</u> For the first page of each document For each additional page	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$0.50	Non-certified copies of records - per page	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$0.50	Self-Service copies on public lobby copier – per page	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$20.00	Additional charge for copies made on Compact Disk	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$25.00	Video - Copy (of previously recorded Courtroom Proceedings)	RCW 36.18.016(13)
\$25.00	Audio/Video recordings – per court date	RCW 36.18.016(13)
\$5.00	Exhibit photos – per exhibit	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$25	Digital exhibit copies – per exhibit	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$5	Copies on electronic storage medium – per medium	RCW 36.18.016(4)
\$1 \$2	Postage for mailing Handling fee	RCW 36.18.016(4)

When the clerk is required to perform services for which no fees or compensation are specifically listed, he/she shall be allowed fees similar to those allowed for similar services by statute ([RCW 36.18.050](#)).