

**DEFIANCE COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
JUVENILE DIVISION  
REQUIRED DEPOSITS**

**DEPOSITS**

Complaint/Petition for Paternity, Custody, Support	<del>150.00</del> 100.00
Delinquency or Unruly Cases filed by a parent, guardian or other	100.00
Abuse Dependent Neglect cases	100.00
Service by Publication	100.00
GAL Appointment	1250.00
Motions	50.00
Intent to Relocate	20.00
Filing of an Appeal	150.00
Sealing	No charge
Certified copy	1.00
Photocopy	0.10/page

**DEPOSITS AND FILING FEES**

**PROBATE COURT  
DEFIANCE COUNTY, OHIO**

ESTATES

DEPOSITS

Full Administration.....	<del>\$200.00</del>	250.00
Release from Administration.....	<del>175.00</del>	166.00
Summary Release from Administration.....	<del>110.00</del>	141.00
Order Admitting Will for Record Only.....	<del>50.00</del>	81.00
Application to Admit Authenticated copy of Foreign Documents.....	<del>75.00</del>	125.00

GUARDIANSHIPS

Incompetent.....	<del>\$150.00</del>	200.00
Minor (Person and/or Person and Estate).....	<del>400.00</del>	450.00
(Estate only).....	150.00	
Conservatorships.....	<del>125.00</del>	175.00

Miscellaneous filing fees for Guardianships

Accountings.....	12.00
Accountings w/publication (Crescent News).....	27.00
(Crescent News-Hicksville Tribune).....	47.00
Guardian's Report.....	5.00
Statement of Expert Evaluation.....	5.00
Computation of Attorney Fees.....	5.00
Application for Guardian Fees.....	5.00
Application for Authority to Release/Expend Funds..	10.00
Application for Bond.....	5.00
Application for Release or Reduction of Bond.....	5.00

**DEPOSITS AND FILING FEES**

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ADOPTIONS

DEPOSITS

Stepparent.....	<del>\$350.00</del> 400.00
(more than one (1) child each).....	\$175.00
Private/Pre-Placement.....	550.00
Adult.....	<del>175.00</del> 225.00
Foreign.....	<del>350.00</del> 400.00
DCJFS.....	250.00
Petition for Release of Adoption Information.....	100.00

APPLICATION FOR TESTAMENTARY TRUSTEE.....\$100.00

Miscellaneous filing fees for Trusteeships

Accountings.....	\$12.00
Accountings w/publication	
(Crescent News).....	\$27.00
(Hicksville Tribune).....	47.00
Application for Trustee Fees.....	5.00
Application for Counsel Fees in Trusts.....	5.00

Settlement of a Minor's Claim.....~~\$75.00~~ 125.00

Change of Name of an Adult/Minor.....~~125.00~~ 175.00

Complaint for Civil Proceedings.....~~175.00~~ 225.00

Mental Illness.....No Charge

Involuntary Commitment for Drug and Alcohol Abuse.....Cost of Treatment

Correction of Birth.....<sup>150.00</sup>~~\$100.00~~ (includes new birth certificate)

Registration of Birth.....<sup>150.00</sup>~~\$100.00~~ (includes new birth certificate)

**DEPOSITS AND FILING FEES  
(CONT'D)**

<u>Disinterments</u> .....	<del>50.00</del> 100.00
<u>Marriage License</u> .....	<del>\$29.00</del> 40.00
Certified copy of Marriage License.....	3.00

Miscellaneous Filings

Application to Extend Time.....	\$ 5.00
Application for Wrongful Death.....	20.00
Applications and Motions.....	5.00
Report of Newly Discovered Assets.....	7.00
Application for Transfer of Motor Vehicle.....	1.00
Application for Transfer of Real Estate.....	7.00
Amended Filings.....	<del>5.00</del> 1.00
Citations Issued.....	<del>5.00</del> 4.00
Claims against the Estate.....	<del>10.00</del> 0.00
Deposit of Last Will and Testament.....	5.00
Copies.....	\$.10/page
Certified Copy.....	\$1.00 for certification/.10 each page
Authenticated Copy.....	\$1.00/page