

Effective November 12, 2025

**COLUMBIA COUNTY
PROTHONOTARY FEE BILL**

APPEALS	
Appeal from the Court of Common Pleas to an Appellate Court	\$50.00
(Fee to Higher Court - \$91.25)	
Appeal from District Justice Office/Tax Assessment/Zoning etc.	\$150.25
Appeal from Arbitration	\$320.00 - \$770.00
ARBITRATION (Praecipe listing case)	\$25.00
ACKNOWLEDGMENTS/DEED NOTARIZATIONS	\$10.00
BUILDING AGREEMENTS, WAIVERS, STIPULATIONS	\$20.00
CERTIFICATION: First page	\$5.00
Additional pages	\$1.00
Exemplification of Record	\$20.00
COMMENCEMENT OF NEW ACTIONS (unless otherwise specified)	\$150.25
CONTEMPT/MODIFICATIONS/ENFORCEMENT PETITION (Hrg/Order)	\$20.00
Custody Modification/Contempt packet	\$5.00
CUSTODY COMPLAINTS/VISITATION	\$150.25
Custody packet	\$10.00
DIVORCE ACTIONS (one count)	\$150.25
Divorce Complaint with Custody	\$210.50
Each Additional Count	\$50.25
Additional Custody count	\$60.25
Decree in Divorce (includes \$25 administrative review fee)	\$50.00
Decree in Divorce (including at the time of Divorce Hearing)	\$50.00
RESUME PRIOR SURNAME (\$5.00 for each certified copy)	\$15.00
DECREES, FINAL JUDGMENTS, NON PROS, DEFAULT JUDGMENTS	\$25.00
JUDGMENTS	
Entry of any judgment by agreement, Complaint in confession	\$25.00
Transcript of Judgment from District Justice Office	\$25.00
Revival of Judgment by Agreement	\$25.00
Revival of Adverse Proceedings (Writ of Revival)	\$25.00
Petition to Open/Strike Judgment	\$44.75
Motion for Summary Judgment	\$25.00
JUDICIAL SALE APPEALS	\$20.00
LIENS (Municipal, Mechanics, Federal or Commonwealth)	\$20.00
IN RE: MISCELLANEOUS PETITIONS/MOTIONS (New case)	\$95.25
REGISTRATION OF NOTARY SIGNATURE	\$5.00
SATISFACTIONS/DISCONTINUANCES/ASSIGNMENTS/RELEASES	\$15.00
SUBPOENAS	\$5.00
WRIT OF EXECUTION/POSSESSION/SEIZURE/SCIRE FACIAS	\$50.00
PRAECIPE FOR WRIT OF SUMMONS	\$150.25
REINSTATEMENT/REISSUE	\$15.00

ORPHAN'S COURT FEE BILL	
PETITIONS/CLAIMS AGAINST ESTATES/SETTLEMENT OF SM EST	\$90.00
(Does not require hrg/order of court)	
PETITIONS/CITATIONS/INCAPACITATED PETITIONS ETC	\$109.75
(New case, Requires hrg/order of court)	
PETITIONS/FILINGS/CITATIONS (after initial filing requiring hrg/order)	\$20.00
ADOPTIONS/TERMINATIONS/RELINQUISHMENTS (New case)	\$136.75
Termination or adoption on existing case	\$20.00
CERTIFICATIONS	\$5.00
MARRIAGE LICENSE	\$50.00
FIRST & FINAL ACCOUNTS:	
First page	\$70.00
Each additional page	\$2.00
Discharge	\$10.00
CRIMINAL COURT FEE BILL	
MISCELLANEOUS CRIMINAL FILINGS (New case filing)	\$60.00
(Includes new Constables/Bondsman/Private Detective License Appl.)	
Private Detective License fees: 2-yr. \$200/Business \$300	
Application for Renewal of Private Detective License	\$20.00
Renewal of Bondsman	\$20.00
PETITIONS	\$20.00
Petition for Expungment/Limited Access	\$132.00
Petition for Expungment/Limited Access/New Common Pleas Case	\$172.00
RULE 586 PETITIONS/APPROVALS	\$94.75
SEARCHES	\$20.00
SUBPOENAS	\$5.00
SUMMARY APPEALS	\$40.00
CERTIFIED COPY \$5.00	
ALL COPY FEES SHALL BE \$.50 PER PAGE	
Jury Questionnaire Copies \$30	
Insufficient Check Charge \$50.00	