

**Joint Order Adopting Fee Schedule for Indigent Defense Court-Appointed Attorneys  
For the District Courts of Williamson County, Texas**

Effective October 1, 2017, court-appointed defense attorney fees are as follows:

**Non-Trial Felony Case Disposition and Motions to Adjudicate or Revoke Probation**

State Jail & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Degree ("B" List cases)	\$600.00 per case
2 <sup>nd</sup> Degree & 1 <sup>st</sup> Degree ("A" List cases)	\$750 per case
<i>Additional cases for same Defendant:</i>	
Out of same arrest/transaction	\$250.00 per additional case
Out of new arrest/transaction	Regular rate as listed above
Cases with Spanish Speaking Defendant	\$150.00 additional per case
Mental Health Cases	\$150.00 additional per case
Capital Murder Cases	\$125.00 - \$150.00 per hour

**Trials/Hearings**

Full day	\$1,200.00
½ day	\$ 600.00

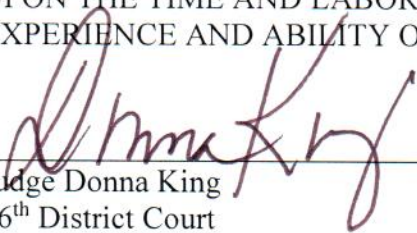
**Discretionary Adjustment**


For non-standard cases, an hourly fee may be paid \$75.00 - \$125.00 per hour.

**Felony Appeals**

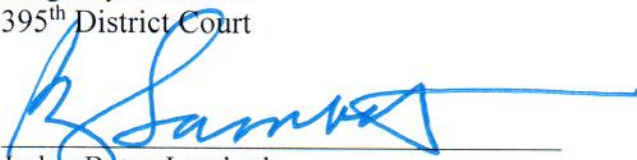
Appeals from trial or other contested matter \$125.00 per hour

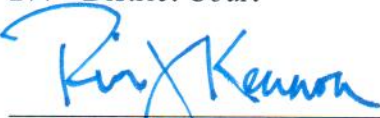
THE COURT MAY APPROVE ADDITIONAL EXPENDITURES UPON GOOD CAUSE SHOWN AND RESERVES THE DISCRETION TO DEVIATE UPWARD OR DOWNWARD IN AWARDING AN ATTORNEY FEE (WHETHER BY THE HOUR OR BY THE TOTAL AWARDED FEE) DEPENDING UPON THE TIME AND LABOR REQUIRED, THE COMPLEXITY OF THE CASE, AND THE EXPERIENCE AND ABILITY OF THE APPOINTED COUNSEL.

  
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Judge Donna King  
26<sup>th</sup> District Court

  
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Judge Ryan Larson  
395<sup>th</sup> District Court

  
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Judge Stacey Mathews  
277<sup>th</sup> District Court

  
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Judge Betsy Lambeth  
425<sup>th</sup> District Court

  
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Judge Rick Kennon  
368<sup>th</sup> District Court