

# OAKLAND COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

## CRIMINAL COURT APPOINTED ATTORNEY FEE SCHEDULE

**We Do Not Pay For: Adjourned Court Dates or Pretrials**

### **DISTRICT COURT DISPOSITIONS**

Includes preliminary exam conference, preliminary exam, motions, plea, and sentences held at District Court

Felony with less than life maximum sentence (plea and sentence)	<b>\$350</b>
Dismissal in District Court	<b>\$255</b>
Infectious diseases hearing	<b>\$175</b>
Trial day in District Court or extra preliminary exam (per day)	<b>\$180</b>
Retained out without notice (the green notice signed by the D.C. clerk is REQUIRED for payment)	<b>\$90</b>
District Court bench warrant	<b>\$90</b>

### **CIRCUIT COURT DISPOSITIONS**

Includes District Court preliminary exam conference and preliminary exam, motions, plea at District Court or Circuit Court, sentence and compensation for fees associated with preparing 2 copies of discovery materials

Jail Arraignments (flat rate depending on day: \$650-Weekday, \$700-Weekend, \$750-Holiday)	<b>\$650-\$750</b>
In-Person Bench Warrant Arraignments (flat rate for all arraignments)	<b>\$200</b>
Initial Client Interview	<b>\$100</b>
Felony with less than life maximum sentence, preliminary exam WAIVED at District Court	<b>\$650</b>
Felony with less than life maximum sentence, preliminary exam HELD at District Court	<b>\$745</b>
Habitual 4 <sup>th</sup> sentence enhancement	<b>\$900</b>
Murder 1 cases or drug cases of Possession of 1000 grams or more (up to 3 Motions are allowed on FC cases)	<b>\$1380</b> <b>\$150/ea</b>
All other capital cases where the case number ends in FC (up to 3 Motions are allowed on FC cases)	<b>\$1205</b> <b>\$150/ea</b>
<b>Trial day/hearing in Circuit Ct where TESTIMONY is TAKEN for less than life charge (per day)</b>	<b>\$540</b>
<b>Trial day/hearing in Circuit Ct where TESTIMONY is TAKEN for less than life HAB IV (per day)</b>	<b>\$700</b>
<b>Trial day/hearing in Circuit Ct where TESTIMONY is TAKEN for FC cases (per day)</b>	<b>\$1000</b>
Retained out without notice	<b>\$90</b>
Review hearings (when defense counsel is required to attend)	<b>\$90</b>
Delayed sentence appearance	<b>\$90</b>
Motion hearing (one/case except FC)	<b>\$150</b>
Attendance at Presentence Interview w/ probation officer ( <b>must attend full interview</b> )	<b>\$90</b>

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**JAIL VISITS - DISTRICT CT/CIRCUIT CT w/Original proof of visit (Per Visit)** **\$75**

**For cases with less than life charges (incl. Hab IV w/less than life):** Up to three (3) visits per defendant

**For cases with life max charges (Hab IV/FH):** Up to six (6) visits per defendant

**For cases that end in FC:** Up to twelve (12) visits per defendant

**For cases that are Violation of Probation (VOP):** One (1) visit per defendant

**OTHER FEES**

Violation of Probation (original appointed attorney only)	<b>\$115</b>
VOP – Trial/Hearing with testimony (per day)	<b>\$205</b>
VOP – Jail visit (one visit)	<b>\$75</b>
VOP – Bench warrant	<b>\$90</b>
VOP – Retained out (after client representation on the record)	<b>\$90</b>
VOP – Review (when defense counsel is required to attend)	<b>\$90</b>
Polygraph	<b>\$115</b>
Line-Up	<b>\$90</b>
Remand to District Court	<b>\$210</b>
Show Cause for Failure to Pay Court Costs	<b>\$115</b>
Vehicle Forfeiture Proceedings – Preparation of Forms and Response Only	<b>\$115</b>
Vehicle Forfeiture Proceedings – Trial/Hearing with testimony (per day)	<b>\$205</b>
Medical Probation Hearing (one jail visit allowed)	<b>\$205</b>

**CIRCUIT COURT APPEALS**

Necessary expenses will be reimbursed only if receipts are submitted. Printing/copying will be reimbursed at \$.10 per page. Only MAACS forms are to be submitted for payment.

Appeals for a conviction from a Plea (Level I – Less than Life)	<b>\$50 per hr. up to \$750 max</b>
Appeals for a conviction from a Plea (Level II – All Others)	<b>\$75 per hr. up to \$1125 max</b>
Appeals for a conviction from a Trial (Level II)	<b>\$75 per hr. up to \$3375 max</b>

Travel will be reimbursed at a rate of \$25 per hour plus mileage, at the standard State of Michigan rate, and will not count toward the presumptive maximum fee. Proof of prison visit is **REQUIRED**.

**MULTIPLE CASES (at trial level)**

Attorneys handling more than one case for a defendant will be paid the full amount for the first case and one half (1/2) for each consecutive case. Allowance will be made if separate court appearances are necessary.

**EXTRAORDINARY FEE POLICY**

***Trial Level Cases*** - Extraordinary fees will NOT be paid on Non-Capital cases. For Capital cases, no more than 1.5x the regular fee may be requested as extraordinary fees. The Chief Judge will review any requests that do not meet this policy.

***Appeal Level Cases*** - All requests for extraordinary fees on an appeal will go before a three-judge panel.

**ADVISORY COUNSEL APPOINTMENTS** - Attorneys appointed as advisory counsel on a case will be paid at the regular Criminal Fee Schedule rates.