

WALDO COUNTY PROBATE COURT

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FILING FEES

* Surcharge (<i>Effective 9/19/05</i>) on Petitions, Applications & Complaints (<i>except C/N</i>)	\$ 10.00
For filing a will without probate.....	No Charge
* For filing a will to be probated and without an appointment.....	\$ 15.00
* \$ 10,000 and under.....	\$ 20.00
* \$ 10,001 to \$ 20,000.....	\$ 40.00
* \$ 20,001 to \$ 30,000.....	\$ 60.00
* \$ 30,001 to \$ 40,000.....	\$ 75.00
* \$ 40,001 to \$ 50,000.....	\$ 95.00
* \$ 50,001 to \$ 75,000.....	\$ 125.00
* \$ 75,001 to \$ 100,000.....	\$ 190.00
* \$ 100,001 to \$ 150,000.....	\$ 250.00
* \$ 150,001 to \$ 200,000.....	\$ 325.00
* \$ 200,001 to \$ 250,000.....	\$ 375.00
* \$ 250,001 to \$ 300,000.....	\$ 450.00
* \$ 300,001 to \$ 400,000.....	\$ 500.00
* \$ 400,001 to \$ 500,000.....	\$ 575.00
* \$ 500,001 to \$ 750,000.....	\$ 625.00
* \$ 750,001 to \$ 1,000,000.....	\$ 700.00
* \$ 1,000,001 to \$ 1,500,000.....	\$ 750.00
* \$ 1,500,001 to \$ 2,000,000.....	\$ 875.00
* More than \$2,000,000.....	\$ 950.00
* and continuing in steps of \$100 for every increase in value of \$500,000 or part thereof above \$2,500,000.	
* For all other subsequent informal appointments.....	\$ 25.00
* For filing any other formal proceeding.....	\$ 25.00
* Petition for Appointment of Temporary Guardian.....	\$ 25.00
* Petition for Appointment of Conservator.....	\$ 50.00
* Petition for Appointment of Guardian.....	\$ 50.00
* Joined Petitions: Appointment of Guardian and Conservator.....	\$ 75.00
* Petition for Termination of Guardian.....	\$ 25.00
* Petition for Termination of Conservator.....	\$ 25.00
* Joined Petition: Termination of Guardian and Conservator.....	\$ 50.00
Notice of Domiciliary Foreign Conservator	\$ 25.00
* Petition for Adoption	\$ 65.00
* Petition for Termination of Parental Rights.....	\$ 65.00
* Petition to Recognize a Foreign Adoption.....	\$ 55.00
Consent of Non- Petitioning Parent	\$ 25.00
Petition for Change of Name	\$ 40.00
Removal to Superior Court, excluding entry fee.....	\$ 100.00
Superior Court, entry fee.....	\$175.00
Notice of Appeal to the Law Court, excluding entry fee	\$ 100.00
Supreme Judicial Court, entry fee.....	\$175.00
Demand for Notice	\$ 25.00
Claim Against Estate	\$ 25.00
* Petition to Resolve Disputed Claim – Also Petition for Allowance.....	\$ 25.00
* Petition for Elective Share.....	\$ 120.00
* Petition for Interim Order.....	\$ 25.00
* Petition/Complaint in a civil proceeding.....	\$ 120.00

PROBATE NOTICES:

Notice to Creditors	
Republican Journal.....	\$ 50.00
Notice by Publication	
Republican Journal.....	\$ 50.00
Special Publications (determined by individual notice).....	\$
Notices furnished by the Register (N-109) (N-110).....	\$ 2.00 (each)
Notices furnished by the Register (N101)(N-102) (N-103) (N-104)(A-10)(A-15).....	\$ 5.00 (each)
(Note: Personal service (by sheriff or a deputy in the sheriff's county, or constable or other person authorized by law, or by some person specifically appointed by the court, is \$2.00)	
Issuance of Summons (N-101) or Subpoena	\$ 5.00 (each)

FORMS

One to four page forms (purchased and/or self-generated – Rule 84).....	\$ 1.00
Five pages or more forms (purchased and/or self-generated – Rule 84).....	\$ 2.00

OTHER FEES:

Statutory Will form	\$ 5.00
Certification /Attestation of copies (Rule 54A).....	\$ 5.00
Certificates of Appointment	\$ 5.00
Certificates of Name Change.....	\$ 5.00
Certificates of Adoption.....	\$ 5.00
Double certificate.....	\$ 10.00
Issuance of Abstracts.....	\$ 15.00
Copies of probate documents (each page).....	\$ 1.00
Authentication/Exemplification certificates.....	\$ 15.00
Certificates of No Estate.....	\$ 5.00
Writs and Renewal of Writs.....	\$ 25.00

RECORDING FEES IN THE REGISTRY OF DEEDS

A **separate** check made payable to (name) County Registry of Deeds is required.

Certificate and Abstract (First page \$19.00, second and third pages \$2.00 each, surcharge \$3.00).....	\$ 26.00
<i>(Each name over four names are additional \$1.00 per name)</i>	
N-116 Notice of Appointment of Domiciliary Foreign P. R. (One page, \$19.00, surcharge \$3.00).....	\$ 22.00
Petition for Elective Share.....	\$ 18.00

NOTE: ABOVE FEES ARE BASED ON TITLE 18-A M.R.S.A. §§ 1-511, 1-601, 1-607,1-701, 2-514(b), 9-301 AND MAINE RULES OF PROBATE PROCEDURE, RULES 54A and 84.

NOTIFICATIONS TO VITAL RECORDS:

A **separate** check made payable to Treasurer, State of Maine is required.

VS-9 Certificate of Adoption (for persons born in the State of Maine).....	\$ 60.00
VS-9 Certificate of Adoption (for persons born outside the State of Maine).....	\$ 60.00
VS-9A Foreign Born Adoption.....	\$ 60.00
VS-14 Notification of Legal Change of Name (for persons born in Maine).....	\$ 60.00
Opening adoptions through Vital Records.....	\$ 25.00