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This Fee Schedule has been enacted by the Sheriff's Department and the County of Northampton in order to expedite the processing of civil actions. These fees must be paid in advance by cash, certified or business check, or money order and are payable to *Sheriff of Northampton County*.

Effective January 1, 2023.

Standard Civil Action (includes Civil Bench Warrants)

Action filed in Northampton County and personal service will be made in Northampton County; OR action filed in Northampton County and service will be made out of State via certified mail; OR action filed outside of Pennsylvania and personal service will be made in Northampton County; OR Philadelphia County action sent directly to Northampton County for service, bypassing Philadelphia Sheriff.

Number of Defendants	Fee
1	\$68.00
2	\$107.00
3	\$146.00
4	\$185.00
Each Additional Defendant	add \$39.00

Domestic Civil Action Served Out-of-County

Action filed in Northampton County and service will be deputized to another Pennsylvania County.

Number of Defendants	Fee
1	\$58.00
2	\$97.00
3	\$136.00
4	\$175.00
Each Additional Defendant	add \$39.00

Foreign Civil Action Served In-County

Action filed in another Pennsylvania County and personal service will be made in Northampton County.

Number of Defendants	Fee
1	\$52.00
2	\$75.00
3	\$98.00
4	\$121.00
Each Additional Defendant	add \$23.00

Executions

Type	Advance
Personal Property, Possession	\$250.00
Accelerated Possession	\$500.00
Real Estate	\$2,500.00

Escort Fees

Post-sale retrieval of personal property sold at Sheriff's Sale.

2-Deputy Minimum	Hourly Rate Per Deputy
Normal Business Hours	\$50.00
After Hours / Weekends	\$75.00
Holidays	\$100.00

Miscellaneous Instructions

1. An Order for Service is required for each defendant to be served. The OFS may be obtained at www.northamptoncounty.org.
2. Some Sheriff's Departments require use of their own service forms. Check with the respective County.
3. Any other fees not outlined on this Schedule are in accordance with the Sheriff's Fee Act.