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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, check or money order and are payable to *Sheriff of Northampton County*.

Standard Civil Action

- Is the civil action filed in Northampton County and personal service to at least one defendant will be made in Northampton County?
- Is the civil action filed in Northampton County and service to the defendant(s) will be made out of State via certified mail?
- Is the civil action filed outside of Pennsylvania and personal service to the defendant(s) will be made in Northampton County?
- Is the Philadelphia County civil action sent to Northampton County for service, bypassing the Philadelphia Sheriff's Department?

Number of Defendants	Fee
1	\$58.00
2	\$87.00
3	\$116.00
4	\$145.00
5	\$174.00
Each Additional Defendant	add \$29.00
Civil Bench Warrants	same as above

Domestic Civil Action Served Out-of-County

Is the civil action filed in Northampton County and personal service to the defendant(s) will be deputized to another Pennsylvania County?

Number of Defendants	Fee
1	\$48.00
2	\$77.00
3	\$106.00
4	\$135.00
5	\$164.00
Each Additional Defendant	add \$29.00

Foreign Civil Action Served In-County

Is the civil action filed in another Pennsylvania County and personal service to the defendant(s) will be made in Northampton County?

Number of Defendants	Fee
1	\$52.00
2	\$75.00
3	\$98.00
4	\$121.00
5	\$144.00
Each Additional Defendant	add \$23.00

Executions

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

Miscellaneous Instructions

1. An Order for Service is required for each defendant to be served. All copies of process to be served must be marked as "True and Correct" copies of the original documents.
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.