## **COURT COSTS**

## For conviction of offenses committed on or after September 1, 2015

| OFFENSE/DESCRIPTION  | State<br>CF | State<br>JSF | State<br>IDF | State<br>JRF | State<br>TPDF | State<br>STF | Local<br>TFC | Local<br>CS | Total                |
|--|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|----------------------|
| Municipal Ordinance  |             |              |              |              |               |              |              |             |                      |
| Parking (authorized by Section 542.202 or Chapter 682,<br>Transportation Code) | N/A         | N/A          | N/A          | N/A          | N/A           | N/A          | N/A          | *1          | *1                   |
| Pedestrian   | N/A         | N/A          | N/A          | N/A          | N/A           | N/A          | N/A          | N/A         | N/A                  |
| Other city ordinances not categorized above                                    | 40.00       | 6.00         | 2.00         | 4.00         | 2.00          | N/A          | N/A          | N/A         | 54.00                |
| State Law  |             |              |              |              |               |              |              |             |                      |
| ➤ Transportation Code, Rules of the Road (Chapters 541-600)                    |             |              |              |              |               |              |              |             |                      |
| Parking and Pedestrian (in school crossing zone)                               | N/A         | N/A          | N/A          | N/A          | N/A           | 30.00        | 3.00         | 25.00       | 58.00                |
| Parking and Pedestrian (outside school crossing zone)                          | N/A         | N/A          | N/A          | N/A          | N/A           | 30.00        | 3.00         | N/A         | 33.00                |
| <ul> <li>Passing a School Bus (Section 545.066)</li> </ul>                     | 40.00       | 6.00         | 2.00         | 4.00         | 2.00          | 30.00        | 3.00         | 25.00       | 112.10*2             |
| Other Rules of the Road offense in a school crossing zone                      | 40.00       | 6.00         | 2.00         | 4.00         | 2.00          | 30.00        | 3.00         | 25.00       | 112.00 <sup>*2</sup> |
| Other Rules of the Road offense outside a school crossing zone                 | 40.00       | 6.00         | 2.00         | 4.00         | 2.00          | 30.00        | 3.00         | N/A         | 87.00 <sup>*2</sup>  |
| ➤ Parking and Pedestrian Offense (not under the Rules of the Road)             | N/A         | N/A          | N/A          | N/A          | N/A           | N/A          | N/A          | N/A         | N/A                  |
| ➤ Education Code   |             |              |              |              |               |              |              |             |                      |
| Parent Contributing to Nonattendance (Section 25.093)                          | 40.00       | 6.00         | 2.00         | 4.00         | 2.00          | N/A          | N/A          | 20.00       | 74.00                |
| ➤ All other fine-only misdemeanors not mentioned above                         | 40.00       | 6.00         | 2.00         | 4.00         | 2.00          | N/A          | N/A          | N/A         | 54.00*2              |

For the purpose of assessing, imposing, and collecting most court costs and fees, a person is considered to have been convicted if, pursuant to Section 133.101 of the Local Government Code or the specific statute authorizing the court cost, either: a judgment, sentence or both are imposed on the person; or the person receives a DSC, deferred disposition, or some other deferral (see Articles 45.051-45.053 of the Code of Criminal Procedure). In contrast, this expanded definition of conviction does not appear in the statute establishing the Juror Reimbursement Fee.

## \*1 Additional Child Safety Fund costs:

- \$2-\$5 court cost for cities with population greater than 850,000 that have adopted appropriate ordinance, regulation, or order (mandatory).
- Up to \$5 court cost for cities with population less than 850,000 that have adopted appropriate ordinance, regulation, or order (optional).
- \*2 MVF: Add 10¢ court cost on all moving violations. Moving violations are found in Title 37, Section 15.89(b) of the Texas Administrative Code. Note that some moving violations are in codes other than the Transportation Code. Because passing a school bus is a moving violation, the 10¢ has already been calculated into the total.