

**Sixth Judicial Circuit Court  
Oakland County, Michigan**

<b>Funding Categories</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>% of Total Circuit Court Budget</b>
<b>General Fund</b> See Attachment A, page 2	Money appropriated to the court from the county's General Fund which is primarily made up of property tax revenue.	58.03
<b>Fees Authorized by Court Rule</b> See Attachment B, page 2	Fees that may be assessed to parties pursuant to the Michigan Court Rules. Fees may be mandatory or discretionary. Reimbursements authorized by the Michigan Court Rules that may be assessed to parties to offset costs incurred to adjudicate cases.	1.50
<b>Fees Authorized by Statute</b> See Attachment C, page 3	Fees that may be assessed to parties pursuant to Michigan law. Fees may be mandatory or discretionary. Reimbursements authorized by statute that may be assessed to parties to offset costs incurred to adjudicate adult and juvenile criminal matters, and to provide care and services to PA 150 (delinquent) and PA 220 (neglect) wards.	8.85
<b>Court approved fees for services</b> See Attachment D, page 9	Fees charged by the court for services it performs. Fees do not generate "profit" but are established to approximate the cost of providing services.	0.32
<b>Federal and State Disbursements</b> See Attachment E, page 11	Federal and state disbursements for child support enforcement and to partially reimburse counties for trial court operational expenses.	30.37
<b>Grants</b> See Attachment F, page 13	Grants provided to the county to assist in funding specialized programs operated by the Circuit Court.	0.93
<b>Total</b>		<b>100.00</b>

Attachment G – County Collections payable to the State

**Attachment A – General Fund**

Funding Source	Description	Authority Michigan Compiled Law (MCL) Citation	Amount	Distribution	% of Total
Oakland County	General Fund appropriations to fund the operations of the Circuit Court.	141.436 (Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act)	Variable	GF/GP funds set aside in line item appropriations against which budgeted expenses of the Circuit Court may be charged	58.03

**Attachment B – Fees Authorized by Court Rule**

Funding Source	Description	Authority MCL Citation	Amount	Distribution	% of Subtotal (1.50%)
Case Evaluation	Mandatory fee assessed to each party for admittance of case to case evaluation.	MCR 2.403(H)(1)	\$75	100% to county (to offset payments to case evaluators for their services)	82.89
Case Evaluation Late Penalty	Mandatory fee assessed to party for failure to timely file and serve case evaluation summaries.	MCR 2.403(I)(2)	\$150	100% to county	17.00
NSF Checks	Costs assessed for reasonable expenses incurred for checks returned due to insufficient funds.	MCR 8.106(e)	Variable	100% to county	0.11
Interpreter Cost	The court may order a party to reimburse the court for all or part of interpretation costs.	MCR 1.111(F)(5)	Variable	100% to county	0.00
Subtotal					100.00

Attachment C – Fees Authorized by Statute

Funding Source	Description	Authority	Amount	Distribution	% of Subtotal (8.85%)
Case Filing Fee	Fee assessed to the party for initiating a case. Includes Civil, Ancillary Conservatorship/ Guardianship, Adoption, Name Change, Emancipation Appeals to Circuit Court.	600.2529(1)(a); 600.1027(1); 600.2529(1)(b)	\$150	\$31 to county; \$119 to state (Civil Filing Fee Fund)	6.49
Electronic Filing	Fee assessed to the party at the time of case initiation.	600.1986(1)(a)	\$25	100% to state (Judicial Electronic Filing Fund)	
Appeals from Circuit Court	Fee assessed to the appellant upon filing of an appeal to the Michigan Court of Appeals or the Michigan Supreme Court.	600.2529(1)(g)	\$25	100% to county	0.11
Jury Demand	Fee assessed to the party who demands a trial by jury.	600.2529(1)(c)	\$85	\$60 to county; \$25 to state (Juror Compensation Reimbursement Fund)	3.34
Motion	Fee assessed to the moving party on the filing of a motion.	600.2529(1)(e)	\$20	\$10 to county; \$10 to state (State Court Fund)	4.52
Writ of Garnishment, Attachment, Execution	Service fee assessed to the applicant or requesting party for each writ of garnishment, attachment or execution.	600.2529(1)(h)	\$15	100% to county	0.84
Fines – Adult	Any fines authorized by statute for a violation determined through conviction or plea.	769.1k(1)(b)(i)	Variable	100% to state (for public libraries)	
Court Costs – Adult	Any costs authorized by statute for a violation determined through conviction or plea.	769.1k(1)(b)(ii) and (iii)	Variable	100% to county	12.85
Case Evaluation Show Cause Judgment	Assessed to persons who do not show good cause for failure to pay case evaluation fees.	600.1701	\$100	100% to county	0.03

Funding Source	Description	Authority	Amount	Distribution	% of Subtotal (8.85%)
Crime Victim Rights - Adult	A mandatory assessment to a person sentenced to probation.	771.3(1)(f)	\$75 if misdemeanor; \$130 if felony	\$13 to county; \$117 to state (Crime Victim Rights Fund)	0.72
Minimum State Costs – Adult	A mandatory cost assessed to a person convicted of an offense if that person was assessed any combination of fines, costs and/or assessments.	769.1j(1); 769.1k(1)(a) and (g)	\$50 if misdemeanor; \$68 if felony	100% to state (Justice System Fund)	
Restitution - Adult	Restitution paid to a victim and/or reimbursement to a governmental unit for its expenses incurred as a result of a violation.	750.543x; 769.1a(2); 769.3; 769.34(6); 771.3(1)(e); 780.766(2)	Variable	100% to victim; Unclaimed or refused restitution must be remitted to the state (Crime Victim Rights Fund)	
DNA Assessment – Adult	Fee assessed to person convicted or found responsible for one or more crimes listed in subsection (1) of MCL 28.176.	28.176(5)	\$60	\$6 to county; \$15 to law enforcement entity that collected DNA sample; \$39 to state (Justice System Fund)	0.07
Late Penalty – Adult	Penalty assessed to a party who fails to pay court-ordered fees or costs within 56 days of due date. Penalty must be equal to 20% of fees and costs owed.	600.4803	Variable	100% to county	2.29
Minimum State Costs – Juvenile	Court-ordered cost assessed to juveniles found responsible for offenses under this statute.	712A.18(1)(b); 712A.18(18); 712A.18m(1)	\$50 if misdemeanor; \$68 if felony	100% to state (Justice System Fund)	
Crime Victim Rights Assessment – Juvenile	Court-ordered assessment to each person found responsible upon conviction or plea.	712A.18(12); 780.905(3)	\$25 if misdemeanor; \$130 if juvenile is tried as an adult	10% to county; 90% to state (Crime Victim Rights Fund)	0.01

Funding Source	Description	Authority	Amount	Distribution	% of Subtotal (8.85%)
Fines - Juvenile	Court-ordered fines for offenses committed.	712A.18(1)(i)	Variable	Violations of state law - 100% to county for libraries; Ordinance violations - 2/3 to county; 1/3 to political subdivision whose ordinance was violated	0.00
Restitution – Juvenile	Restitution paid to a victim and/or reimbursement to a governmental unit for its expenses incurred as a result of a violation.	712A.18(7); 712A.30(2); 712A.30(15); 780.766(15); 780.794(2); 780.794(15)	Variable	100% to victim; Unclaimed or refused restitution must be remitted to the state (Crime Victim Rights Fund)	
Late Penalty – Juvenile	Penalty assessed to a juvenile who fails to pay court-ordered fees or costs within 56 days of the due date. Penalty must be equal to 20% of fees and costs owed.	600.4803	Variable	100% to county	0.00
DNA Assessment – Juvenile	Fee assessed to person convicted or found responsible for one or more crimes listed in subsection (1) of MCL 28.176.	28.176(5)	\$60	\$6 to county; \$15 to law enforcement entity that collected DNA sample; \$39 to state (Justice System Fund)	0.00
Custody and Parenting Time Fee	Fee assessed to party requesting determination or modification of custody or parenting time.	600.2529(1)(d)(i)	\$80	100% to county (Friend of the Court Fund)	5.53
Support Fee	Fee assessed to party requesting determination or modification of child support.	600.2529(1)(d)(ii)	\$40	100% to county (Friend of the Court Fund)	0.94

Funding Source	Description	Authority	Amount	Distribution	% of Subtotal (8.85%)
Juvenile Traffic Fees	Fees assessed by the court for violations of the vehicle code.	712A.2b	\$30 non-contested; \$25 failure to appear; \$90 contested	100% to county	0.08
Friend of the Court Service Fee	Fee assessed to parties for services performed that are not reimbursable under part D of title IV of the social security act.	600.2538(1)	\$3.50 per month for every month that support or maintenance is required to be paid	\$2.25 to county; \$1.00 to state (State Court Fund); \$0.25 to state (Attorney General's Operations Fund)	12.14
Order of Filiation Fee	Fee assessed to a party whenever the court enters an order of filiation declaring paternity and providing for the support of a minor child.	722.717(4)	\$9	100% to county	0.02
Bench Warrant Costs – Support	The court may issue a bench warrant and set a cash performance bond for failure to pay child support. The court may also order the payer to pay costs related to the issuance of the bench warrant.	552.631(1) and (4)	Variable	50% to county (Friend of the Court Fund); 50% to law enforcement agency that executed the bench warrant	1.94
Bench Warrant Costs – Parenting Time	The court may issue a bench warrant and assess costs related to issuance of the warrant if a party fails to comply with a parenting time order.	552.644(5)	Variable	50% to county (Friend of the Court Fund); 50% to law enforcement agency that executed the bench warrant	Included in the percentage above
Contempt Fines – Support	The court may find a payer in contempt for failure to pay child support.	552.633(2)(g)	Not to exceed \$100	100% to county (Friend of the Court Fund)	Included in the percentage above

Funding Source	Description	Authority	Amount	Distribution	% of Subtotal (8.85%)
Contempt Fines – Parenting Time	The court may find a payer in contempt for violating a parenting time order.	552.644(2)(d)	Not to exceed \$100	100% to county (Friend of the Court Fund)	Included in the percentage above
Sanctions	The court may assess a sanction against a party who has been found to have acted in bad faith in a parenting time dispute.	552.644(6)	Up to \$250 for 1 <sup>st</sup> offense; Up to \$500 for 2 <sup>nd</sup> offense; Up to \$1,000 for 3 <sup>rd</sup> and subsequent offenses	100% to county (Friend of the Court Fund)	Included in the percentage above
Marriage Licenses	Fee assessed to a person who applies for a marriage license.	551.103(2)	\$20	100% to county	2.09
Driver License Clearance Fee (Friend of the Court)	Fee assessed for reinstatement of driver license that was suspended due to failure of the party to appear for a Friend of the Court hearing.	257.321c(3)(b)	\$45	\$15 to Secretary of State; \$30 to county (Friend of the Court Fund)	0.08
Costs of Prosecution	The court may require a probationer to pay costs incurred in prosecution.	771.3(2)(c)	Variable – limited to actual expenses incurred	100% to county	0.03
Costs to Compel Appearance	The court may order a defendant to repay costs incurred by the county to compel his/her appearance.	769.1k(2)	Variable – limited to actual expenses incurred	Distribution is dependent upon who bears the costs incurred to compel appearance	0.00
Defense Attorney Fees – Adult	Court-ordered reimbursement for payment of all or part of indigent defense attorney fees.	MCR 6.005(C); 769.1k(1)(b)(iv)	Variable	100% to county	16.78
Reimbursement	Court may order reimbursement of costs incurred by the funding unit related to a criminal offense.	750.543x; 769.1f; 769.1g; 769.1k(1)(b)(vi)	Variable – limited to actual expenses incurred	100% to county	0.00

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Cost of Care and Services – Juvenile placed in out-of-home facility	The court shall order reimbursement for the cost of care and service for out-of-home placements.	712A.18(2)	Variable	25% to county; 75% divided to Child Care Fund formula	23.66
Cost of Services – Juvenile receiving in-home care	The court may order reimbursement for the cost of service for in-home care.	712A.18(3)	Variable	25% to county; 75% divided to Child Care Fund formula	0.00
Defense Attorney Fees – Juvenile	Court-ordered reimbursement for payment of all or part of indigent attorney fees.	712A.18(5); 769.1(8)	Variable	100% to county	4.93
Treatment Court Fee	Fee assessed for participation in the drug treatment court program. Fee must be reasonably related to the cost of administering the program.	600.1070(4)	\$150	100% to county	0.10
Fingerprint Fee – PPO	Fee assessed to each respondent who is found in criminal contempt for a PPO violation.	769.16a(5); 28.273	\$50	100% to county	0.05
Extraditions	The court may order a defendant to reimburse the county for expenses incurred related to the conviction.	771.3(2)(P)	Variable	100% to county	0.02
Bond Forfeitures	The court shall enter a judgment against the surety if good cause is not shown for the defendant's failure to appear.	765.28	Variable	100% to county	0.32
Chemical Dependence Inventory Fee – Juvenile	Assessment to every juvenile/respondent that comes under jurisdiction of the court for a delinquency case.	712.18(m)	\$10	100% to county	0.06
Subtotal					100.00



Attachment D – Court Approved Fees for Services

Funding Source	Description	Authority	Amount	Distribution	% of Subtotal (0.32%)
Adoption In-home Evaluations	Fee assessed to prospective adoptive parents for in-home evaluations.	Bench approval	\$250	100% to county	7.59
Probation Youth Drug Test Assessments	Fee assessed to youth on probation for drug test evaluations.	Bench approval	\$7	100% to county	1.74
Youth Participation in Diversion Programs	Fee assessed to parents for children placed in non-Youth Assistance and court-sanctioned diversion programs.	Bench approval	\$60	100% to county	0.34
Telephonic Court Conferences	Fee assessed to attorneys or parties who receive approval to appear in court by telephonic conference.	Bench approval	\$30	100% to county	6.73
Juvenile Re-entry Probation Program	Fee assessed to participants in the juvenile re-entry probation program.	Bench approval	\$25 per month	100% to county	0.16
Clinical Evaluations	Fee assessed for court-ordered juvenile delinquency and neglect psychological evaluations.	Bench approval	\$400 – juveniles; \$500 - adults	100% to county	15.00
Youth Assistance Referrals	Fee assessed to a participant referred to Youth Assistance diversion program.	Bench approval	\$25	100% to county	3.30
Jail Tours	Fee assessed to juvenile probation and Youth Assistance clients for court-ordered jail tours.	Bench approval	\$25	100% to county	4.30
Video Copying – Friend of the Court	Fee for purchase of recorded hearings on DVD.	Bench approval	\$20	100% to county	5.83

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Juvenile Probation Service Fees	Monthly probation service fees assess to juvenile probationers.	Bench approval	\$35/mo for consent; \$70/mo for standard; \$100/mo for intensive	100% to county	55.00
Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous revenue received by the county.		Variable	100% to county	0.00
<b>Subtotal</b>					<b>100.00</b>

Attachment E - Federal and State Disbursements

Funding Source	Description	Authority	Amount	Distribution	% of Subtotal (30.37%)
Government Benefits for Board and Care	Public assistance payments captured by the county to help offset out-of-home placement costs.	712A.18(1)(e)	Variable	100% to county	1.10
Friend of the Court Cooperative Reimbursement Program	Also known as the federal financial participation program. Federal funds passed to the Michigan Office of Child Support and then on to the Friends of the Court to fund child support enforcement services.	Social Security Act, Title IV, Part D, Sections 451 and 455; 2017 PA 107, Article X, Part 1, Section 103	Variable. 66% of eligible operations are reimbursable. This is an uncapped entitlement program.	The Michigan Office of Child Support reimburses the county for 66% of eligible expenses for child support enforcement	43.42
Friend of the Court Incentive Payments	Child support programs are given performance incentives based on performance in five categories. These federal funds are distributed to the Michigan Office of Child Support and then on to the Friends of the Court.	Social Security Act, Title IV, Part D, Section 458; 2017 PA 107, Article X, Part 1, Section 103 and Part 2, Section 401	Variable, based upon performance	The state retains the first \$12 million of the federal distribution. Counties get up to the next \$14.5 million based on performance. If the federal award exceeds \$26.5 million, the state gets 100% of the excess up to \$15,397,400. If the award is less than \$26.5 million, the loss is shared 50/50 between the state and the counties.	9.25
Drug Case Information Management Fund	Disbursements to counties and municipalities to help defray the costs of managing and reporting drug case activity to the Secretary of State.	257.323d	Variable	Distribution to each local unit of government based upon caseload	0.02

Funding Source	Description	Authority	Amount	Distribution	% of Subtotal (30.37%)
Court Equity Fund	Disbursement from the state to counties and municipalities to offset a portion of the operational expenses of the trial courts.	600.151b	Approximately \$41.8 million - the statutory portion of the state's general fund set aside for distribution.	Distribution to counties and municipalities to partially reimburse for eligible court operational expenditures	24.00
Juror Compensation Reimbursement Fund	Disbursements to counties and municipalities to help offset a portion of the expenses for juror per diems and mileage.	600.151e(6)	Variable	Distribution to each local unit of government partially reimburses for actual juror per diem and mileage costs.	1.07
Child Care Fund Subsidy	State supports the county's Child Care Fund with 50% reimbursement on eligible direct costs.	400.117a; 400.73a; 400.74	Variable	50% of eligible direct costs is reimbursed to counties	10.85
Friend of the Court Cooperative Reimbursement Program State Supplement	Reimbursement from the state to counties for cuts imposed by the Federal Deficit Reduction Act of 2005/6.	2017 PA 107, Article X, Part 1, Section 103	Variable, based on maintenance of effort and state budget	May be used to match Title IV-D federal funding for child support enforcement services. Distribution is made to counties.	4.62
Medical Collections Reimbursement	MDHHS Third Party Liability Division pays MDHHS Office of Child Support 15% of Medical Support collection as an incentive payment for child support collections.	CFR 433.153	Variable, based on collections	100% of the 15% of collections to counties	0.94
Judicial Salaries Reimbursement	Reimbursement for county portion of circuit court judicial salaries.	600.555	Variable – based upon the number of judges	Distribution based upon local funding unit percentage of judicial salaries and the number of judges	4.72
<b>Subtotal</b>					<b>100.00</b>

**Attachment F - Grants**

<b>Funding Source</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Authority</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Distribution</b>	<b>% of Subtotal (0.93%)</b>
Juvenile Probation Officer Grant	State grant given to counties who employ juvenile probation officers.	400.253(3)	Based upon county population and other variables	100% to county	30.86
Treatment Court Grants	Funds awarded to the county to partially offset the operational costs of the Adult and Juvenile Treatment Courts.	600.185	Variable	Grants awarded by SCAO. Distribution to counties and municipalities with certified treatment courts	65.77
Friend of the Court Access and Visitation Grant	Federal funds passed through the SCAO to counties to provide supervised parenting time.	Federal Department of HHS, Administration for Children and Families, Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number 93-597	Varies each year based upon federal appropriation	100% pass through to counties	3.37
<b>Subtotal</b>					<b>100.00</b>

Attachment G  
Oakland County Circuit Court  
Funds Collected Due to the State

	Oct 2016	Nov 2016	Dec 2016	Jan 2017	Feb 2017	March 2017	April 2017	May 2017	June 2017	July 2017	Aug 2017	Sept 2017	Annual Total
Bench Warrant Fees													
Circuit Ct State Court Fund	21,210.00	19,210.00	19,020.00	21,180.00	19,500.00	22,570.00	17,460.00	20,480.00	21,560.00	19,650.00	21,330.00	19,300.00	242,470.00
Circuit Ct Elec Filing System Fee	21,925.00	19,100.00	17,825.00	22,700.00	21,775.00	24,125.00	20,300.00	22,250.00	24,225.00	21,100.00	23,625.00	25,000.00	263,950.00
Civil Filing Fee Fund	113,050.00	96,152.00	89,012.00	113,407.00	106,743.00	122,094.00	112,693.00	113,764.00	117,096.00	110,432.00	115,192.00	126,854.00	1,336,489.00
Misdemeanor Min. State Costs	1,147.25	1,469.60	1,645.25	1,250.25	1,333.50	5,345.28	2,012.25	1,812.78	1,038.00	1,142.72	1,370.50	1,141.96	20,709.34
Felony Min. State Costs	28,637.56	26,522.37	27,698.51	27,333.47	26,657.44	35,246.51	23,089.75	33,859.89	27,149.63	24,585.64	26,810.66	26,457.48	334,048.91
Justice System Fund	1,245.67	1,958.26	2,045.27	2,015.78	2,437.04	3,315.12	2,308.14	2,160.71	2,435.10	1,869.03	2,186.01	2,491.14	26,467.27
Juror Compensation Fund	5,725.00	5,650.00	3,950.00	6,425.00	6,100.00	6,755.00	6,070.00	6,675.00	6,325.00	7,025.00	6,450.00	7,500.00	74,650.00
Circuit Ct Crime Victim Rts (less 10%)	28,980.29	25,347.51	28,937.20	28,351.21	28,955.91	35,234.26	25,281.49	164,486.89	31,446.63	22,485.48	32,835.15	27,819.49	480,161.51
J.V. Crime Victim Rights (less 10%)	330.75	486.18	426.38	391.13	369.45	1,383.55	519.75	545.29	299.70	561.36	414.00	334.48	6,062.02
	222,251.52	195,895.92	190,559.61	223,063.84	213,871.34	256,068.72	209,734.38	366,034.56	231,575.06	208,851.23	230,213.32	236,898.55	2,785,008.05