

2026 Register of Wills' Bill of Costs

Affidavit Other than service	15.00
Appeal from Register includes Bond fee and certification of record to Orphans' court	100.00
Automation Fee	15.75
Caveat Filing and entering	50.00
Certification and Seal	25.00
Claim Common or Real Estate	30.00
Family Exemption Personalty, without advertising	30.00

Certification of Records furnished by requestor	
Letters Testamentary or Letters of Administration	20.00
Will	20.00
Any other record	20.00

Miscellaneous	
Citation per Respondent	75.00
Election to take under or against will	30.00
Commission out of state appointment for this office	60.00
Taking oath for another office appointment for another office	35.00
Exemplification of Record Filing in office and filing out of office	75.00
Inheritance Tax Return (ITR) filing of original or supplemental	25.00
Register of Wills Hearing	500.00 Paid at scheduling
Subpoena	15.00
Photocopies	1.00/ page
Return Check Fee	\$35.00
Inventory Filing and recording (no page limit)	25.00
Tax Certificate For payment or preparation outside Lancaster County	20.00

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Letters: Testamentary, C.T.A., or Administration	
Probate Fee \$0 - \$25,000	100.00
\$25,000.01 - \$50,000.00	175.00
Over \$50,000.01 - \$100,000.00	250.00
Over \$100,000.00 each additional \$100,000.00 or fraction thereof	150.00
Recording of Will	3.00/pg beyond the first
Recording of Codicil	25.00
Bond or Bond Waiver for non-resident personal representative/ no bond clause	25.00
Letters D.B.N.	35.00
Letters D.B.N.C.T.A.	35.00
JCP as per Sec. 3733(a.1) of the Judicial Code, 42 Pa.C.S.#3733(a.1) as amended known as JCS/ATJ	41.25
Revoke and Reissue of Letters Letters after probate	75.00
Renunciation	15.00
Short Certificate	10.00

In cases not specifically provided for, the Register shall make the same charge as that imposed for services of a substantially similar nature.

Effective January 1, 2026