### **FEE SCHEDULE**

Compensation for time in the representation of indigent defendants shall be as follows:

#### **DISTRICT COURT**

### **FELONY & NON-FELONY CASES**

- 1. Reasonable and necessary attorney fees will be determined by the Court on a case-by-case basis. Accordingly, attorney fees will be compensated at a rate between \$75.00-\$90.00 per hour for out of court time, and between \$100.00-\$125.00 per hour for in Court time. The base rate for felony criminal plea is \$650.00 unless the attorney receives prior approval from the Court.
- 2. Professional Staff fees shall be compensated at the rate of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per hour.
- 3. Special Prosecutor will go by same fee schedule as stated in #1.

## **Capital Case Compensation**

In a capital case in which the State seeks the death penalty, the rate for the lead attorney's services (first chair) shall be double the hourly rate provided above for non-capital felony attorney's fees. Total compensation for pre-trial, trial, and post-trial services (excluding appeal) in a capital (death sought) jury trial shall not exceed FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$40,000.00) without Court Approval.

Any co-counsel (second or third chair) appointed by the Court shall be paid at the same rate as for non-capital felony cases under this order. Total compensation for pre-trial, trial, and post-trial services (excluding appeal) in a capital (death sought) jury trial shall not exceed TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$20,000.00) without Court approval.

# MISDEMEANOR COURT

- 1. Plea \$300.00 Flat rate per case.
- 2. Jury Trial \$700.00 Flat rate per case.
- 3. Special Prosecutor \$300.00 Flat rate per case
- 4. Special Prosecutor \$700.00 Flat rate per Jury case