

## **COURT COSTS AND FEES CHART**

The chart below shows court costs in effect as of January 1, 2025<sup>1</sup> and applies to all costs assessed or collected on or after that date, except where otherwise noted. Changes are indicated in **blue**.

| SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS COSTS  |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| G.S. 7A-306, unless otherwise specified  | AMOUNT                |
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| SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS (except foreclosures). G.S. 7A-306.                        | 100.00                |
| General Court of Justice Fee. G.S. 7A-306(a)(2).                               | 106.00                |
| Facilities Fee. G.S. 7A-306(a)(1).   | 10.00                 |
| Telecommunications and Data Connectivity Fee. G.S. 7A-306(a)(1a).              | 4.00                  |
| Non-Foreclosure Total  | 120.00                |
|  | (+% of FMV)           |
| Additional GCJF for proceedings involving land, except boundary disputes.      | +0.30/100.00          |
| G.S. 7A-306(a)(2).   | FMV of land           |
| Maximum additional fee is \$200.00   |                       |
|  | involved <sup>2</sup> |
| Plus \$30.00 service fee for each item of civil process served by the sheriff. |                       |
| G.S. 7A-311(a)(1).   | +30.00                |
| FORECLOSURE UNDER POWER OF SALE.   |                       |
| General Court of Justice Fee. G.S. 7A-308(a)(1).3                              | 300.00                |
| Facilities Fee.  | None                  |
| Telecommunications and Data Connectivity Fee.                                  | None                  |
| FORECLOSURE TOTAL  | 300.00                |
|  | (+% of sale price)    |
| Plus \$30.00 service fee for each item of civil process served by the sheriff. |                       |
| G.S. 7A-311(a)(1).   | +30.00                |
| Additional GCJF assessed from sale. G.S. 7A-308(a)(1)                          |                       |
| Minimum additional fee: \$10.00. Maximum additional fee: \$500.00.             | +0.45/100.00 of final |
|  | sale price            |

| OTHER SPECIAL PROCEEDING FEES                  | AMOUNT |
|--|--------|
| Motion/Notice of Hearing fee. G.S. 7A-306(g).4 | 20.00  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> During the 2024 short session, no changes were made to special proceedings court costs and fees. All special proceedings costs that were in effect in 2024 remain the same.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Fair market value is determined by: (i) sale price if there is a sale; (ii) appraiser's valuation if there is no sale; or (iii) appraised value from the property tax records if there is neither a sale nor an appraiser's valuation.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Although filed as special proceedings (SP), foreclosure costs are assessed under G.S. 7A-308 (miscellaneous costs), not the special proceeding costs statute, G.S. 7A-306. The Facilities fee and Telecommunications and Data Connectivity fee are not assessed in G.S. 7A-308, so they are not assessed for foreclosure filings.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The motion/notice of hearing fee does not apply to a notice of hearing on any motion listed in G.S. 7A-308; for a list, see "Appendix— Motion/Notice of Hearing Fee Exemptions" at the end of the 2021 Civil Costs Chart. The fee also does not apply to a notice of hearing on any motion "containing as a sole claim for relief the taxing of costs, including attorneys' fees" or to a motion filed pursuant to G.S. 1C-1602 or 1C-1603 (to designate exemptions from enforcement of a judgment). No more than one fee shall be assessed for any motion for which a notice of hearing is filed, regardless of whether the hearing is continued, rescheduled, or otherwise delayed. Finally, pursuant to G.S. 7A-306(f), the fee does not apply to motions filed in foreclosures under power of sale.