IN THE COUNTY COURTS-AT-LAW
OF HAYS COUNTY TEXAS

STANDING ORDER REGARDING ASSESSMENT OF
PROBATION FEES FOR COMMUNITY SUPERVISION CASES

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 13th day of January, 2025, the undersigned County Court-at-Law Judges of Hays County, Texas, adopt this Standing Order Regarding Assessment of Probation Fees for Community Supervision Cases to streamline and clarify the assessment of costs in resolution of criminal cases. This order applies only to criminal cases and is effective immediately, as follows:

In all cases resolved within the jurisdiction of the Hays County Courts-at-Law and unless otherwise noted by a specific order of the Court, all assessed probation fees are to run concurrently, so that a single criminal defendant only pays one set of probation fees at any one time. For record and administrative purposes, the probation fee will be assessed in the lowest cause number case, and all other probation fees will be set to run concurrent to the fee in the lowest cause number case.

If a defendant is on concurrent supervision for a felony offense in Hays County, the misdemeanor probation fees will run concurrent with the felony probation fees so long as the defendant remains on the felony supervision. If the defendant's felony supervision terminates prior to the misdemeanor supervision, then the defendant shall pay fees that would be normally required in the misdemeanor supervision starting at the time that the felony supervision ends.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 13th day of January, 2025.

Judge Jimmy Alan Hall
County Court-at-Law No. 1

Judge Christopher Johnson
County Court-at-Law No. 2

Judge Elaine Brown
County Court-at-Law No. 3