

Judicial Standing Order No. 27
Payment of Fines at Window

IT IS ORDERED that a Clerk may accept payment of a fine or fee at the Clerk's Window in accordance with Art. 27.14, C.C.P. However, if the case has not been adjudicated (plea entered or guilt/innocence determined by the court), a Clerk may accept payment of a fine or a fee for DSC or Deferred Disposition only from the Defendant or Defendant's Counsel and only after the Defendant has signed a written plea and waiver of rights. Said plea and waiver shall be presented to the judge as soon as practicable for acceptance by the Court.

Prior to accepting payment of the fine or fee, the Clerk shall verify and record the identity of the person making payment and, where practicable, capture the image of the person making the payment with appropriate technology.

IT IS SO ORDERED on this 5th day of January 2023.

Diane Dupnik
Justice of the Peace, Pct 1,
Aransas County, TX.