



Consultation/Expert Witness Fee Schedule

1. **Initial Consultation** **No Charge**
(Up to 1 hr. telephone or in person)
2. **Consult Rate** **\$95.00** per hour
3. **Child Care Licensing & City Council-P&Z Issues/...** **\$125.00** per hour
4. **Training Rate**..... **Call for quote**
Restrictions apply such as minimum number of hours, location and # of attendees.
5. **Retainer**..... **\$3000.00**
The retainer is expected at the time the records are received by consultant in overnight mail, FedEx, or regular mail. The retainer is applied to final invoice. *To ensure a thorough review of the case, please call to discuss records needed.*
6. **Expert/Consulting Witness** **\$200** per hour
General case work including file/documents review, research, analysis, site visitation, preparation of reports, and time with attorney.
7. **Deposition**.....**\$3000.00** per day
Prepayment must be received at least 10 days in advance.
8. **Court Testimony**..... **\$3500.00** per day
Prepayment must be received at least 10 days in advance.
9. **Expert Designation/Listing Fee**.....**\$1500.00**

**Expenses include but are not limited to: airfare, hotel, ground travel-transportation to/from airport and rental car, commercial printing, courier or mailing costs. These expenses are not included in the fee schedule and are in addition to the above and will be billed at cost.*

All clients must have a signed Consulting Services Agreement before services are rendered. For all litigation cases I am retained solely by the attorney (client's firm) and no relationship exists between the attorney's client and me. The attorney is exclusively responsible for fee payment. Also note that billing is monthly, net 14 days and past due balances are charged a penalty. Accounts must be current before the first hearing/trial date and paid in full prior to any testimony rendered.

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