



# NEW COURTHOUSE FEE GOES INTO EFFECT DEC. 1

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**Montgomery County, Virginia** –The Clerk of the Circuit Court, General District Court and the Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Courts will start collecting an additional fee of \$3 effective Dec. 1.

The fee will be collected in each civil action if the amount in controversy exceeds \$500 and in each criminal or traffic case in which the defendant is charged with a violation of any statute or ordinance. The County's Board of Supervisors recently approved the new fee authorized by the 2009 General Assembly for courthouse construction, reconstruction or renovation. The fee will be collected by the clerk of the court in which the action is filed and remitted to the Treasurer's office.

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