

SENATE FILE NO. SF0147

Service of process fees.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Dockstader and Representative(s)
McKim

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to county sheriffs; raising the allowable
2 fee for service of process; and providing for an effective
3 date.

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5 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 18-3-608(a)(intro) is amended to
8 read:

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10 **18-3-608. Fees generally.**

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12 (a) For the serving of process according to the
13 Wyoming Rules of Civil Procedure, each county sheriff shall
14 receive from the party requesting service a single fee, to
15 be determined and set biannually by the board of county
16 commissioners after a public hearing, paid in advance to be

1 credited to the county general fund, not to exceed ~~thirty~~
2 ~~five dollars (\$35.00)~~ fifty dollars (\$50.00) for the first
3 three (3) attempts at service at a different time and date
4 for each attempt. Thereafter a fee not to exceed ~~five~~
5 ~~dollars (\$5.00)~~ ten dollars (\$10.00) may be charged for
6 each succeeding attempt. The court may waive the fees upon
7 an adequate showing of indigency. Any fees waived may,
8 pursuant to court order, be assessed and collected against
9 any judgment rendered. Each county sheriff shall receive
10 from the party for whom service is rendered in civil cases
11 the following fees which shall be transmitted to the county
12 treasurer to be credited to the county general fund and
13 which shall be paid in advance if demanded by the sheriff
14 from the party for whom the service is rendered:

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16 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2011.

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