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The central office of the Ohio Public Defender Commission is in Columbus, Ohio. In addition, there are branch offices in Trumbull, Athens, Ross, and Washington counties and offices in several adult and juvenile correctional institutions in Ohio.

STATE OF INDIGENT DEFENSE IN OHIO

I. Introduction

“The right of one charged with crime to counsel may not be deemed fundamental and essential to fair trials in some countries, but it is in ours.”

Gideon v. Wainwright

The United States Supreme Court decided *Gideon* more than forty-five years ago, holding that “any person haled into court, who is too poor to hire a lawyer, cannot be assured a fair trial unless counsel is provided for him.” As the justices observed, “This seems an obvious truth.” Yet decades later, Ohio’s indigent defense system is on the precipice. Caseloads continue to grow while funding continues to decline. Because indigent defense is a constitutionally required service, chronic underfunding of the system has left the state on the verge of a constitutional crisis.

The crisis is due, in part, to years of financial neglect. During the past decade, courts, prosecutors, police, and prisons enjoyed steady increases in state budgets and federal funding. During the same time period, the state’s budgetary allotment for indigent defense actually declined. Courts, prosecutors, police, and prisons have largely been exempted from the cuts necessitated by the current economic crisis, while the State Public Defender’s budget has endured a series of cuts. Additionally, Ohio’s county governments, which bear “[a]n excessive portion of the burden of providing indigent criminal representation,”¹ have also been forced to slash budgets as local revenue continues to shrink.

To a certain extent, a public defender office can cut staffing, but it cannot cut demand for its services. Demand is driven by those who arrest, prosecute, and sentence. Additionally, the legislature has continued throughout the past decade to create new jailable offenses and to increase the penalties for preexisting offenses. Both automatically implicate the right to counsel, and the vast majority of offenders are indigent.

The constitution does not just guarantee the right to counsel. The Sixth Amendment guarantees the right to effective assistance of counsel. The underfunding has already prompted the National Legal Aid and Defender Association (NLADA) to find that Hamilton County is not providing its indigent population constitutionally effective representation. While the NLADA to date has evaluated only Hamilton County, other county public defenders have expressed concern over the quality of representation provided by their overburdened assistants.

Ohio’s indigent defense system needs immediate reform. While money is the single largest factor affecting the future course of indigent defense in Ohio, it is not the answer in and of itself. In addition to increased funding, additional steps must be taken to improve the quality of representation. Pay parity, caseload standards, training and certification programs, and

¹ *Report and Recommendations*, The Supreme Court Task Force on Pro Se and Indigent Litigants (April, 2006), pg. 43.

minimum rates for appointed counsel will all serve to vastly improve the effectiveness of criminal defense in Ohio. And improving the effectiveness of indigent defense will ultimately reduce system costs by reducing jail and prison sentences, appeals, post-conviction cases, and innocence actions.

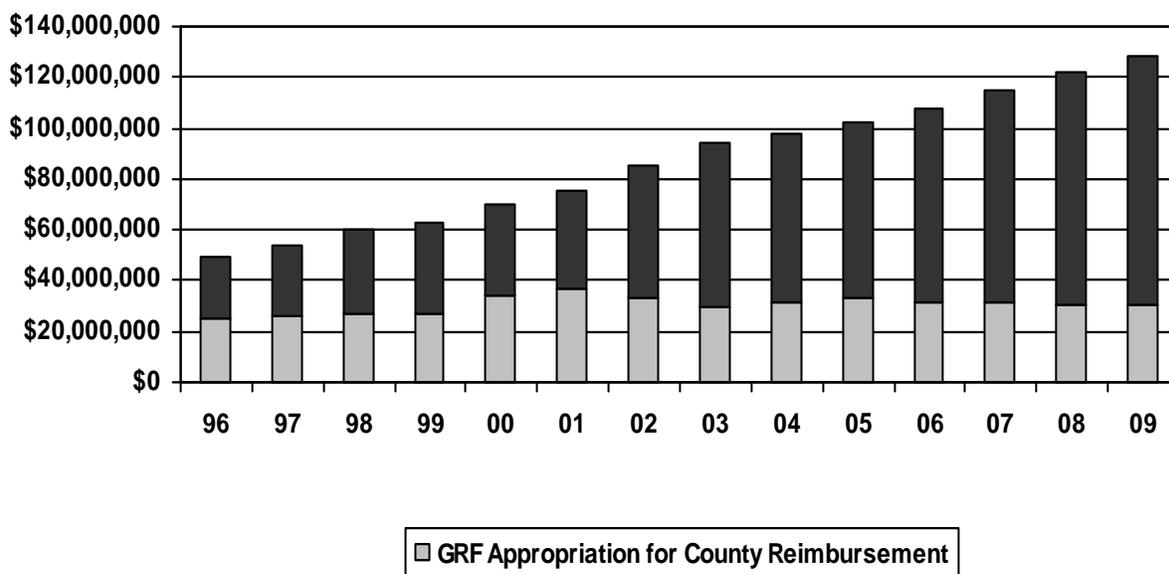
II. The Rising Costs of Indigent Defense

“Governments, both state and federal, quite properly spend vast sums of money to establish machinery to try defendants accused of crime. Lawyers to prosecute are everywhere deemed essential to protect the public’s interest in an orderly society. Similarly, there are a few defendants charged with crime, few indeed, who fail to hire the best lawyers they can get to prepare and present their defenses. **That government hires lawyers to prosecute and defendants who have the money hire lawyers to defend are the strongest indications of the widespread belief that lawyers in criminal courts are necessities, not luxuries.**”

Gideon v. Wainwright

The present funding system for indigent defense in Ohio is strained beyond the breaking point. Reimbursement from the state to the counties is at an all-time low of 25%. The budget for the state office is smaller today than it was in 1997. Increases in non-general revenue fund [GRF] funding are simply offset by GRF cuts. At the same time, caseloads continue to grow—over 34.8% since 2000. Many counties are in dire financial situations regarding indigent defense funding and at least one—Hamilton—is in crisis.

Indigent Defense
System Cost/State Reimbursement History

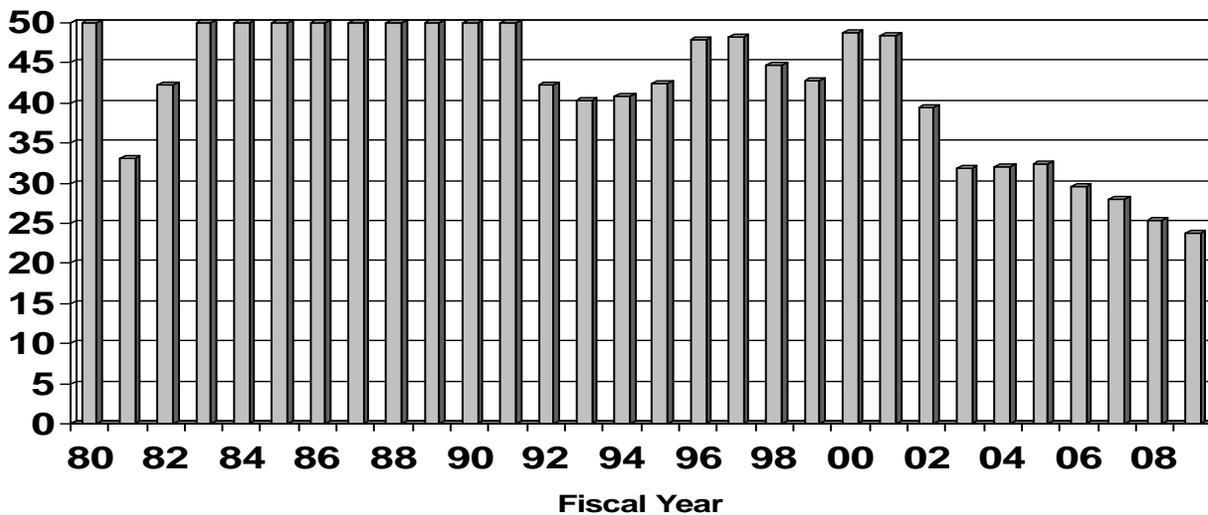


The National Legal Aid and Defender Association issued a report in August 2008 evaluating the quality of indigent defense services in Hamilton County. The report concluded

that “there is little doubt that poor people charged with crimes [in Hamilton County] facing a potential loss of liberty are not afforded the constitutional protections demanded by the United States Constitution.” *Taking Gideon’s Pulse: An Assessment of the Right to Counsel in Hamilton County, Ohio*; NLADA, July 2008. The major reason given for this failure was a lack of funding from the State of Ohio.

Stark County is also on the verge of an indigent defense crisis. In October 2008, the Stark County Public Defender announced that the county public defender would no longer accept new cases because of a funding shortfall. If funding continues to decline, other counties will certainly follow.

Indigent Defense
Annual Rate of County Reimbursement



The table below shows the changes in funding and caseload for Ohio’s indigent defense system. In the simplest terms, caseloads are increasing and funding is decreasing. These two competing forces will ultimately result in a failure of the system and a violation of the constitutional guarantees that the United States and the State of Ohio make to its citizens.

Ohio Indigent Defense System
Funding & Caseload Changes 2000–2009

	2000	2009e	Percent Change
State GRF Revenue ²	\$19,614,473,000	\$29,400,737,000	49.9%
Indigent Caseloads	317,598	427,980	34.8%
OPD GRF Budget ³	\$8,632,213	\$6,972,791	-23.8%
Reimbursement GRF ⁴	\$34,171,170	\$28,555,072	-16.4%

² The amount of money the State collected for use in its general revenue fund

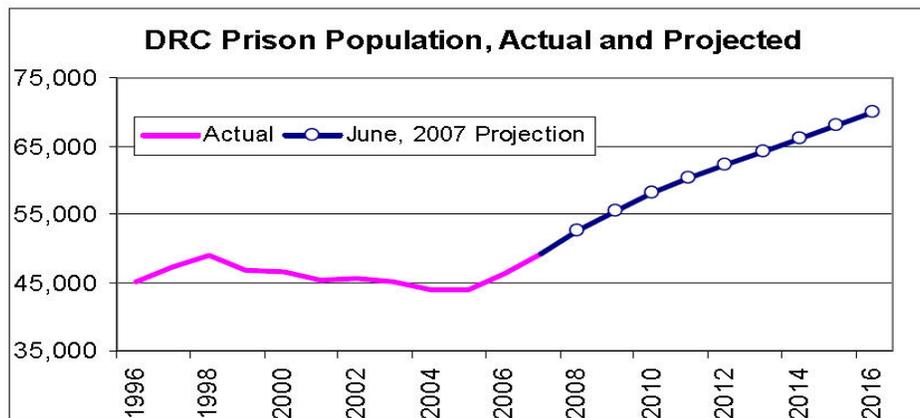
³ The amount of money from the State’s general revenue fund allotted to the Ohio Public Defender

⁴ The amount of money from the State’s general revenue fund allotted to the counties for indigent defense

Indeed, eight Ohio counties have seen more than 200% growth in their indigent criminal cases since 1997 – Carroll, Cuyahoga, Darke, Lorain, Lucas, Pike, Vinton, and Warren. Another 22 counties have seen indigent caseloads increase by more than 100% during the same period – Ashtabula, Brown, Butler, Columbiana, Crawford, Fayette, Fulton, Greene, Hancock, Harrison, Highland, Holmes, Jackson, Licking, Logan, Morrow, Muskingum, Pickaway, Putnam, Richland, Union, and Van Wert. The average caseload growth across Ohio has been 48.7%. During the same time period, funding has decreased year after year.

III. Increasing Prosecution and Incarceration of Nonviolent Offenders Adds to the Cost of Indigent Defense

Increases in the cost of indigent defense have not been limited to caseloads and associated judicial costs. Prison populations over the past four decades have increased 444%. During that same time period, Ohio’s population has increased only 6.8%. The Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction (DRC) predicts continued, substantial increases in Ohio’s prison population over the next seven years, reaching 70,058 in 2016.⁵



Ironically, Ohio’s prison population is growing despite significant reductions in crimes reported. For example, violent crimes and property crimes have decreased. Those decreases, however, are not reflected in Ohio’s prison population, as they have been offset by increases in incarceration for other offenses.⁶

⁵ Ohio Office of Budget and Management Monthly Financial Report, August 11, 2008, p. 23, available at <http://www.obm.ohio.gov/finrep/monthly/081008mfr.pdf>.

⁶ Id., p. 25.

Offenses Experiencing Decreases

Offense	1997	2007	Change	% Change
Crimes Against Persons (excluding sex)	22,190	20,077	-2,113	-9.52%
Burglary	6,630	4,890	-1,740	-26.24%
Miscellaneous Property	3,792	3,050	-742	-19.57%
Total	32,612	28,017	-4,595	-14.09%

Offenses Experiencing Increases

Offense	1997	2007	Change	%Change
Drug	6,288	8,723	2,435	38.72%
Justice/Public Administration ⁷	521	2,854	2,333	447.79%
Sex	6,414	7,320	906	14.13%
Firearm	870	1,624	754	86.67%
Motor Vehicle	16	561	545	3406.25%
Fraud	441	536	95	21.54%
Other Felony	4	22	18	450.00%
Total	14,554	21,640	7,086	48.69%

Most of the increase in the drug offender prison population was for drug possession, not sale. Between 1996 and 2007, there was a 135% increase in the number of offenders in prison for drug abuse, and a 3% decrease in the number of offenders in prison for manufacturing, processing, funding, and trafficking of drugs.

Of particular note is the increase in motor vehicle-related offenses. More than 50% of jailable offenses brought before municipal courts in Ohio are related to offenders driving without having a valid license. Although driving without a license is a violation of the law, the underlying offense involves failure to maintain insurance, failure to pay child support, or minor misdemeanor marijuana violations. Many of these offenders are unable to regain their drivers licenses because they are indigent but try, nonetheless, to find a way to gainful employment. Moreover, very few of these cases involve dangerous driving such as DUI, hit and run, or fleeing and eluding. Thus, court dockets and local jails are being overburdened with vast numbers of working poor who are simply trying to get to and from jobs.

The dramatic increase in jailable traffic offenses aptly illustrates the reactive nature of indigent defense. A public defender system has no control over the legislature's decision to

⁷ Includes offenses such as resisting arrest, tampering with evidence, escaping and aiding escape from a correctional facility.

criminalize traffic offenses and other nonviolent offenses, nor can indigent defenders control a multitude of other factors that contribute to increased demand.

Increasing the prosecution and incarceration of nonviolent offenders will continue to burden a system that should be focusing on public safety through the incarceration of dangerous offenders. As long as legislators continue to expand the number of traffic offenses, for example, that are jailable and that unfairly impact the poor, the cost of indigent defense will continue to increase.

As noted above, DRC has predicted that the state will imprison more than 70,000 inmates by 2016. Each one will have had a Constitutional right to counsel before incarceration, and many will continue to have such rights while incarcerated. Most will be indigent. A consequence of these increases will be that public defender caseloads will increase, more cases will be appealed, more cases will require post-conviction representation, and more cases will be scheduled for post-release control hearings.

IV. Artificially Low System Costs

To guarantee fundamental fairness in an adversarial system, one side cannot be substantially better funded than the other. One area that is indicative of fairness and that can be easily compared is pay parity between public defenders and prosecutors. It is fundamentally unfair to pay one substantially more than the other. Doing so guarantees that one side will be better able to recruit and retain quality employees. As a result, one side will be consistently represented by better lawyers.

Another factor that is artificially suppressing system costs is the failure to increase reimbursement to appointed counsel.⁸ Private counsel have been increasingly less willing to accept appointment to indigent cases because, with increasing costs and limited reimbursement, they can no longer afford to do so. The average reimbursement in Ohio is \$45 per hour, with per-case caps that can reduce the hourly wage to single digits if a case is complex, requires significant research or investigation, or goes to trial. When adjusted for inflation, Ohio's appointed counsel have not received a raise in more than 20 years. Understandably, many private attorneys simply refuse to work for such low wages.

Appointed counsel rates must be substantially increased in order to attract good private attorneys to accept appointed counsel work. It is the opinion of OPD that rates should be \$70 per hour, and that caps should be eliminated in death penalty cases and increased in all others. In the long run, the cost of criminal defense will decrease. Better defense counsel will reduce costs by performing the work more efficiently, thus minimizing appellate costs, post-convictions costs, and expensive retrials. In addition, increased rates for appointed counsel will encourage counties to open public defender offices, which are more cost-effective than reliance on appointed counsel. Finally, paying appointed counsel a sufficient wage ensures that counsel is not forced to pay expenses with his own money, in effect subsidizing the State's cost of prosecuting his client.

⁸ Appointed counsel are private attorneys appointed by the courts to represent indigent defendants.

In summary, if indigent defense funding is to be reformed, it must be done in a way that creates pay parity between prosecutors/attorneys general and public defenders/appointed counsel.

V. Systemic Changes to Reduce System Costs and Maintain a Constitutional System

A. Caseload Standards

In order to fix indigent defense funding on a permanent basis, mandatory caseload standards must be set for public defenders. As caseloads increase, greater funding and staffing should be required.

It is the objective of OPD to support a system whereby each public defender office could determine proper caseloads depending upon three factors—technology, open discovery, and court scheduling—each of which has a tremendous impact on the ability of an attorney to handle a greater or lesser number of cases.

B. Training and Certification

Presently, there is no system that requires certain training or qualifications to represent indigent defendants. An inexperienced attorney increases the costs of defense. Not only will a client receive inadequate representation, but there will also be significant costs attached to the resulting appeal and post-conviction petition. The case will be even more expensive if reversed and remanded for a retrial. Essentially, the system will pay for the same case twice.

To avoid such costs, it is imperative that public defenders and appointed counsel receive training in effective criminal defense. The training could be developed to address cases of various degrees of complexity and severity. Moreover, certification in various aspects of criminal defense should be available. Thus, funding for a permanent training and certification system is essential to any system that strives to deliver effective and efficient services.

A necessary component of any certification program is a decertification process. When lawyers commit ethical violations, a system exists to bring them before the Supreme Court of Ohio for potential suspension or disbarment. An effective indigent defense system requires a process that removes an incompetent or unethical lawyer from further representation of indigent defendants. If a trial lawyer repeatedly fails to investigate the facts of a case or object to obvious error, or an appellate lawyer continually fails recognize reversible error, those lawyers should not represent indigent defendants. Those who have no control over the choice of their defender and who face a loss of freedom should be sheltered from such services, and the taxpayers should be sheltered from paying for such services.

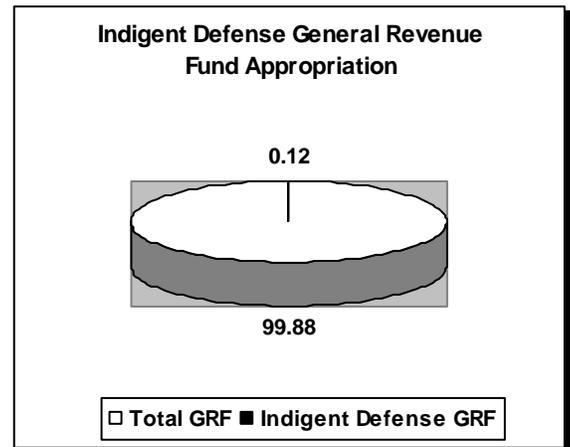
VI. Needed Budget

A. State Office Operating Budget

Recent budget cuts have left the OPD's GRF operating budget in FY 2009 about 23% lower than in FY 2000. Adjusted for inflation, it is less purchasing power than OPD's FY 1995 budget. Although the agency has increased non-GRF revenues through the Indigent Application Fee and the Civil Case Filing Fee, those increases do not make up for the reductions in GRF funding. An additional \$1.2 million is needed to conduct operations and to also provide the oversight and quality control systems at the county level that are discussed below.

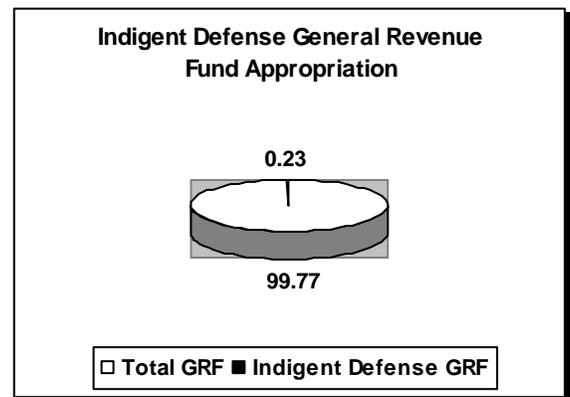
B. County Reimbursement Budget

The State's FY 2009 GRF commitment to county reimbursement is \$28.5 million. In FY 2000, the GRF appropriation for county reimbursement was \$34.1 million. At the same time, the statewide cost of providing indigent defense has increased at an alarming rate. In FY 2000, the system-wide costs were \$70 million. In FY 2008, the cost was \$112.9 million, and for FY 2009 it is projected to be \$119.2 million. This is an increase of 70.2% since FY 2000. The counties are facing a 70% cost increase while receiving 16.4% less in GRF funding from the State.



Returning the counties to 50% reimbursement and making systemic changes that will provide better-quality representation is estimated to cost an additional \$60 million. Combined with the funding needed for operations at the state office, the total is \$61.2 million.

While this may sound like an unmanageable number, it is really a very small, almost unnoticeable portion of the state's overall GRF revenue. Consider the two charts. The top chart shows the agency's present GRF appropriation, which is about 0.12% of total GRF. Adding \$61.2 million increases the agency's share to only 0.23% of the state's GRF. Reallocating a mere 0.11% of the GRF provides a solution to funding Ohio's indigent defense system and helps quell the outcries of unconstitutionality.



VII. Recommendations

Ohio's indigent defense system must be reformed immediately. While money is the single largest factor affecting the future course of indigent defense in Ohio, it is not the answer in

and of itself. Thus, the following is a list of recommendations that must be undertaken to reform the system, in order to guarantee that Ohio is meeting its constitutional obligations to its citizens.

- Appropriate an additional \$61.2 million to indigent defense, which would bring reimbursement to Ohio's counties back to 50% and properly fund the state office.
- Require pay parity for public defenders and prosecutors to improve the quality of representation and fairness in the system, thereby reducing the backend system costs of prison, appeals, post-conviction relief, and retrials.
- Grant statutory authority to the Ohio Public Defender Commission to set minimum rates for appointed counsel in order to attract quality lawyers, which will, in turn, reduce the backend system costs of prison, appeals, post-conviction relief, and retrials.
- Create mandatory caseload standards for public defenders, thereby creating a system that will prohibit a county from underfunding its system.
- Fund the Office of the Ohio Public Defender at a level that will allow it to fulfill its constitutional and statutory obligations and to operate a training and certification program for public defenders and appointed counsel (including allowing the OPD Commission to decertify poorly-performing attorneys).

VIII. Conclusion

Ohio's funding system for indigent defense is broken. Caseloads are growing astronomically. The state office's budget continues to be reduced, and increases in non-GRF funding have not kept pace with cuts in GRF funding. In addition, reimbursement to the counties is at an all-time low of 25%. Many counties are in dire financial situations regarding indigent defense funding, and at least one county is in crisis, with another soon to follow.

OPD provides services *mandated* by the U.S. Constitution, the Ohio Constitution, and the Ohio Revised Code. Increasing caseloads, the slew of new laws creating new crimes and increasing penalties, and continual increases in the budgets of other agencies in the judicial system have strained Ohio's indigent defense system and budget to the point we are today – the brink of a constitutional crisis.

CONSTITUTIONAL AND STATUTORY AUTHORITY

In *Gideon v. Wainwright*, the United States Supreme Court extended the Sixth Amendment right to counsel to all persons accused of crime, regardless of the accused's ability to pay for counsel. Additionally, Article I of the Ohio Constitution provides that "[i]n any trial, in any court, the party accused shall be allowed to appear and defend in person and with counsel."

In 1976, the Ohio General Assembly enacted Ohio Revised Code Section 120, which established the Ohio Public Defender Commission "to provide, supervise, and coordinate legal representation at state expense for indigent and other persons."

Ohio Revised Code Section 120.06 authorizes the State Public Defender to provide legal representation under five circumstances:

- 1) When an indigent adult or juvenile is charged with an offense or act for which the penalty includes the potential loss of liberty;
- 2) When an indigent person, while incarcerated in any state correctional institution, is charged with an offense or act for which the penalty includes the potential loss of liberty;
- 3) When any person incarcerated in any correctional institution asserts he is unlawfully imprisoned or detained;
- 4) When the State Public Defender has provided representation and an appeal of the decision is warranted;
- 5) When an indigent adult or juvenile is charged with a parole or probation violation.

The State Public Defender fulfills its statutory mandate in its central office by providing legal representation to capital and non-capital adult clients, as well as juveniles. The central office also provides necessary business support to the agency, including processing reimbursement for counties' indigent defense costs.

Through contracts with participating counties, the State Public Defender also operates the Trumbull County Branch Office and the Multi-County Branch Office, which provide legal representation to indigent criminal defendants at the county level (i.e. trial and direct appeal representation).

OFFICE ORGANIZATION

I. Legal Division

The legal division serves non-capital adult clients. The appeal and post-conviction section represent clients in state and federal courts throughout Ohio with the goal of providing the finest legal representation possible with the available resources.

After the right to counsel at trial and on direct appeal has been exhausted, defendants may also seek the assistance of the State Public Defender with their claims of unlawful imprisonment. Legal Division attorneys strive to quickly determine whether a client's claim has arguable merit. If a claim does not have arguable merit, the attorney meets with or writes to the client to explain that determination. If a claim has arguable merit, the attorney uses the latest research tools and, with the assistance of paralegal and secretarial support, litigates the claim in the appropriate courts.

The Legal Division includes the Prison Legal Services Section. Prison Legal Services performs three critical functions: reception center orientation, parole violation hearing representation, and file management and case assignment. The State Public Defender has attorneys stationed at the state prison reception centers who meet with inmates within a few weeks of their arrival. Potentially-meritorious cases are identified and forwarded to the central office for further review and assignment.

II. Juvenile Division

Juvenile Division attorneys represent juveniles who have been committed to the Ohio Department of Youth Services on appeal and in other post-disposition issues. In addition to providing legal representation on appeal, attorneys offer legal assistance, such as gathering general information for youth, correcting sentencing errors, and filing motions in juvenile court. The Juvenile Division also coordinates with and provides training to defense attorneys who handle juvenile work around the state, and provides legislative advocacy on right to counsel issues and other substantive issues involving children in the justice system.

III. Death Penalty Division

The Death Penalty Division provides, coordinates, and supervises legal representation for indigent criminal defendants in capital cases. Death Penalty Division attorneys handle all three types of post-trial cases: direct appeal, post-conviction, and habeas corpus. In addition, the assistant public defenders assigned to this division frequently advise and assist attorneys defending indigent capital clients at trial.

A. Direct Appeals

The Supreme Court of Ohio's review of a capital case on direct appeal is mandatory under ORC §2929.05. Death Penalty Division attorneys represent clients on direct appeal before the Ohio Supreme Court when the State Public Defender is appointed to appeal a conviction and

death sentence imposed by a trial court. The direct appeal process also includes discretionary review by the United States Supreme Court.

Although the direct appeal process is limited to a review of any matters contained in the trial record, the litigation of these appeals is complex and the records are usually huge. Attorneys handling direct appeals must be certified under Ohio Supreme Court Superintendence Rule 20.

B. Post-conviction

Death Penalty Division attorneys represent capital clients by petitioning for relief in the trial court under ORC §2953.21. This statute provides a means of relief for trial errors that cannot be fully litigated on direct appeal. Post-conviction cases thus involve an extensive investigation into matters outside the trial record.

Attorneys must have expertise in topics that apply to the off-record challenge of a client's conviction or death sentence (for example, ballistics, blood spatter, DNA, post-traumatic stress, cultural mitigation, substance abuse, and mental retardation). This area of practice involves both trial-level skills, when evidentiary hearings are granted by the trial court, and appellate skills, as a client has an appeal of right if his or her petition is denied.

C. Federal Habeas Corpus

Death Penalty Division attorneys also represent capital clients in federal courts on habeas corpus proceedings. A habeas petition is filed after a client has exhausted his or her direct appeal and state postconviction remedies. On habeas, attorneys combine the prior claims raised on direct appeal and state postconviction in one petition in the United States District Court. In this habeas petition, the client may only seek relief on claims that involve a violation of the United States Constitution (for example, violation of the 6th Amendment right to effective counsel or violation of the 8th Amendment right to present mitigating evidence for sentencing).

Habeas cases are complex. An attorney on a capital habeas case must know substantive constitutional law and must be well-versed in a body of law that deals with the procedural technicalities that often arise when a federal court reviews a state prisoner's claim. This area of practice also combines the skills used in direct appeals and state postconviction cases. Habeas counsel may be called on to take depositions, examine witnesses at a hearing, and draft an appellate brief (all habeas cases, win or lose, are reviewed by the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit in Cincinnati).

IV. Trial Section

ORC §120.06(D) provides that the State Public Defender may represent an indigent person accused of a serious crime when appointed by a court or when a county public defender makes a request for assistance.

The agency's trial division was created during fiscal year 1998. Trial attorneys represent clients in capital or other high-profile trials, generally when conflicts prevent local counsel from providing representation or the county otherwise lacks necessary resources.

The Public Defender also accepts cases under the County Representation Program whenever resources permit. In most instances, these are appeals for which judges are unable to secure local counsel.

V. Investigation and Mitigation Section

Criminal Investigators assist attorneys by developing evidence that will be used during trial or, after the trial, that should have been used during trial (this evidence is presented on state post-conviction or federal habeas). The criminal investigator's focus is twofold: first, analyzing and challenging the evidence that the State uses to carry its burden of proof; and second, finding evidence the defendant needs to bring forward to rebut the State's case.

Mitigation Specialists assist attorneys in developing evidence that will mitigate the punishment imposed on clients found guilty of capital or non-capital criminal offenses. In non-capital cases, they work to develop community placements as an alternative to incarceration and to provide information that may lower the prison term if one is imposed. In capital cases, Mitigation Specialists do the critical work of tracking down information about a client's life history that attorneys rely on in their efforts to demonstrate that a death sentence is inappropriate for their client.

VI. Administrative Division

The Administrative Division provides necessary business support services to the agency. The Division is composed of six sections: Fiscal, Office Services, Human Resources, Information Systems, County Reimbursement and Assistance, and Legal Resource Center/Library. Additionally, the State Public Defender, agency legal counsel, and public information officer are considered part of the Administrative Division.

In 2008, the State Public Defender created the County Outreach Section. This program provides a free consulting service to Ohio counties, conducting an in-depth evaluation of their local indigent defense system. This evaluation includes making recommendations to help counties reduce costs, improving the quality of service, and maximizing state reimbursements. The Ohio Public Defender observes each of the courts and/or speaks with judges, prosecutors, public defenders, local bar members, county commissioners, auditors, court reporters, and bailiffs. The office gathers data, prepares budgets, conducts statistical analysis, and provides other information on current and alternative delivery systems.

VII. Branch Offices & County Assistance Programs

ORC §120.04(C)(7) allows the State Public Defender to contract with a joint or county public defender commission or with a board of county commissioners to provide services that a

county public defender would otherwise provide. The State Public Defender operates two such programs: the Trumbull County Branch Office and the Multi-County Branch Office.

A. Trumbull County Branch Office

The State Public Defender has maintained and operated a branch office in Trumbull County since 1984. Located in Warren, this office delivers indigent criminal defense representation in the courts of Trumbull County.

The office staff includes attorneys, investigators, paralegals, and secretaries. The State Public Defender also contracts with local attorneys, in order to afford flexibility in managing caseloads. Cases handled by staff and contract attorneys range from misdemeanors to capital offenses, including juvenile cases and appeals.

At the Common Pleas level, branch office attorneys provide representation in the four general divisions and in the Juvenile and Domestic Relations divisions. At the municipal and county court levels, representation is provided in the cities of Niles, Newton Falls, Girard, Warren, Cortland, and Brookfield. Attorneys also provide appellate representation in the 11th District Court of Appeals in cases handled by the branch office in the lower courts, or for defendants who can no longer afford representation at the appellate level.

The state and county jointly fund the operation of the Trumbull County Branch Office. The percentage paid by each mirrors the reimbursement rate applicable to all counties under either the assigned counsel or county public defender systems. Approximately ten percent of the Trumbull County contract obligation comes from the participating municipalities.

B. Multi-County Program

The Ohio Public Defender began the operation of the Multi-County Branch Office Program in January of fiscal year 1991. The program includes ten counties in the south and southeastern part of the state: Adams, Athens, Brown, Fayette, Jackson, Meigs, Pickaway, Pike, Ross, and Washington.

The State Public Defender has established three branch offices in Athens, Ross, and Washington counties. These offices provide indigent defense services to these counties and offer support services to all participating counties. There are private attorneys or law firms working under contract in each of the ten counties.

The program is supported by financial contributions from both the counties and the state, with the state contributing a portion relatively equal to the percentage of overall state reimbursement.

Prior to the implementation of the Multi-County Program, all participating counties, except Athens, used the appointed counsel system exclusively. Under an appointed counsel system, attorneys are paid on a case-by-case basis. Because of this, as caseloads increase, costs are likely to increase proportionately. Under the Multi-County Program, contract attorneys and

assistant state public defenders agree to provide representation in cases assigned to them over a fixed period of time for a pre-determined fee or salary. An increase in caseload, therefore, does not directly increase the overall cost, since existing staff can absorb much of the increased caseload. The result is a lower average cost per case and a lower overall cost.

C. County Assistance

ORC §120.04(B)(13) requires the State Public Defender to “provide technical aid and assistance to county public defender offices, joint county public defender offices, and other local counsel providing legal representation to indigent persons....” In addition to the various assistance programs mentioned earlier, the Legal Resource Center maintains an expert witness list. Attorneys in need of experts call the central office librarian, who provides them with the necessary information. The central office library also supplies case law to the law librarians in the state correctional institutions.

The State Public Defender central office also offers assistance to county public defenders’ investigators. County public defenders typically cannot afford to purchase access to various records databases. The State Public Defender takes requests from the county public defender investigators to run searches for their cases. The vast majority of the requests are for arrest records and help in locating witnesses.

TABLE I
OHIO PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION DISBURSEMENTS
FISCAL YEARS 2006, 2007, & 2008

FUND	ALI	ALI TITLE	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
GRF	019-321	Administration	1,289,280	1,263,331	1,252,281
GRF	019-401	State Legal Defense Services	5,708,060	5,667,108	5,838,994
GRF	019-403	Multi-County: State Share	733,006	807,471	749,907
GRF	019-404	Indigent Defense Office	240,321	255,478	236,672
GRF	019-405	Training	29,745	32,204	25,031
GRF	019-501	County Reimbursement: Non-Capital Cases	30,060,000	30,000,000	29,413,694
GRF	019-503	County Reimbursement: Capital Cases	-	-	-
GRF	019-504	County Reimbursement: Mandate Assistance	620,490	631,840	-
TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE FUND			38,680,902	38,657,432	37,516,579
101	019-602	Inmate Legal Assistance	50,078	30,472	114
406	019-603	Public Defender Training	-	16,000	-
3S8	019-608	Federal Representation	305,784	297,290	260,076
407	019-604	County Representation	167,176	207,794	196,448
408	109-605	County Reimbursement	197,701	713,998	586,827
TOTAL GENERAL SERVICES FUND GROUP			720,739	1,265,554	1,043,465
4C7	019-601	Multi-County: County Share	1,962,234	1,981,263	2,159,712
4X7	019-610	Trumbull County Office	624,033	633,309	685,675
574	019-606	Legal Services Corporation	22,421,963	49,654,424	34,778,871
5CX	019-617	Civil Case Filing Fee	10,830	547,233	619,343
TOTAL STATE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND GROUP			25,019,060	52,816,229	38,243,601
TOTAL PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION			64,420,701	92,723,215	76,803,645

OHIO PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION DISBURSEMENTS
Excluding Mandate Assistance

FUND	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE FUND	38,060,412	38,025,592	37,516,579
TOTAL GENERAL SERVICES FUND GROUP	720,739	1,265,554	1,043,465
TOTAL STATE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND GROUP	25,019,060	52,816,229	38,243,601
TOTAL PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION	63,800,211	92,107,375	76,803,645

NOTES TO TABLE I: OHIO PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION DISBURSEMENTS

019-321: Administration: This line item is used for personal services, maintenance, and equipment for the Administrative Division.

019-401: State Legal Defense Services: This line item is used for personal services, maintenance, and equipment for the Legal and Death Penalty Divisions.

019-403: Multi-County: State Share: This line item is used to fund the state's share of the Multi-County Branch Office.

019-404: Indigent Defense Office: This line item is used to fund the state's share of the Trumbull County Branch Office.

019-501: County Reimbursement: Non-Capital Cases: This line item is used for state reimbursement to the counties for their indigent defense expenditures on non-capital cases.

019-503: County Reimbursement: Capital Cases: This line item is used for state reimbursement to the counties for their indigent defense expenditures on death penalty cases.

NOTES TO TABLE I *(continued)*

019-504: County Reimbursement: Mandate Assistance: Section 31 of H.B. 95, the 2004-2005 Biennial Budget Bill, provided that funding for three other governmental entities, if not used, was to be transferred to the OPD and distributed to the counties as additional reimbursement. The amount listed above represents the unused funding from the three other governmental entities that was distributed to the counties as supplemental reimbursement payments.

019-602: Inmate Legal Assistance: This account funds one attorney stationed in the Marion Correctional Institution as part of the Prison Legal Services Program. The Department of Rehabilitation and Correction provides funding through an interdepartmental agreement with the State Public Defender.

019-604: County Representation: Revenues for this account come from funds paid to the State Public Defender by counties throughout the state where counties have requested the State Public Defender to provide counsel in local cases. Upon providing such representation, the State Public Defender bills the county for a portion of the costs.

019-610: Trumbull County Office: This account was created in fiscal year 1994 to collect and administer the county's share of operating the Trumbull County Branch Office. Revenues come directly from Trumbull County and surrounding municipalities for their portion of the cost of operating the Trumbull County Office. Prior to fiscal year 1994, these funds were accounted for in fund 407, ALI 019-604.

019-605: County Reimbursement: Funds for this account come from counties' reimbursement to the State Public Defender for clients who were provided appointed counsel or a public defender, but who paid a portion of the costs of their defense through a recoupment, reimbursement, contribution, or partial payment plan. The funds are used at the discretion of the State Public Defender, and were last used as the cash match for the PD Case Management Grant program.

019-606: Legal Services Corporation: This account is used for the Civil Legal Services Program. Revenues come from Interest on Lawyer's Trust Accounts (IOLTA), civil case filing fees, and investment earnings. In fiscal year 1994, the State Public Defender created the Ohio Legal Assistance Foundation (OLAF), a non-profit organization to administer the Civil Legal Services Program. Funds from this account are now distributed to OLAF, who makes distributions and grants to Ohio's civil legal aid societies.

019-608: Federal Representation: Revenues for this account come from reimbursement for representation on federal habeas cases by Ohio Public Defender employees.

TABLE II

OFFICE OF THE OHIO PUBLIC DEFENDER FISCAL YEAR 2008 CASES (7/1/07 - 6/30/08) Death Penalty, Trial & Juvenile

COURT	DEATH PENALTY DIVISION			TRIAL SECTION			JUVENILE DIVISION		
	PENDING	CLOSED	TOTAL	PENDING	CLOSED	TOTAL	PENDING	CLOSED	TOTAL
Juvenile Court	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2	0	2
Common Pleas Court-trial	4	0	4	157	12	169	2	1	3
Common Pleas Court	30	20	50	0	0	0	3	0	3
Court of Appeals	12	23	35	0	0	0	111	173	284
Ohio Supreme Court	21	12	33	0	0	0	10	7	17
Federal District Court	48	19	67	0	0	0	2	0	2
6th Circuit Court of Appeals	24	6	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
US Supreme Court	2	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parole Board	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other**	26	15	41	0	0	0	170	239	409
Juvenile Interview Only	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0	0	0	939	939
Total	169	100	269	157	12	169	300	1359	1659

**Other includes: jail time; sentence Q; misdemeanor; FOIA & assist. to others

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TABLE II (con't)

**FISCAL YEAR 2008 CASES (7/1/07 - 6/30/08)
LEGAL DIVISION**

ASSIGNED to STAFF

INTAKE ONLY

COURT	ASSIGNED to STAFF			INTAKE ONLY		
	PENDING	CLOSED	TOTAL	PENDING	CLOSED	TOTAL
Common Pleas Court-trial	5	3	8	0	7	7
Common Pleas Court	147	168	315	25	503	528
Court of Appeals	243	231	474	11	124	135
Ohio Supreme Court	171	199	370	7	102	109
Federal District Court	121	40	161	3	11	14
6th Circuit Court of Appeals	15	3	18	0	2	2
US Supreme Court	25	5	30	0	0	0
PB - Ankrom/Hall Class	3	0	3	1006	395	1401
PB - Parole Revocation Hearings	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	292	292
PB - Full Board Hearings	n/a	n/a	0	5	69	74
PB - Other Inquires	3	5	8	7	21	28
Other**	24	24	48	49	844	893
Total	757	678	1435	1113	2370	3483

**Other includes: jail time; sentence Q; misdemeanor; FOIA & assist. to others

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**TABLE III
DEATH PENALTY CASES IN OHIO**

FISCAL YEAR 2008 DEATH SENTENCES				
Sentence Date	Defendant	Race-Sex- Age	County	Victim's Race
07-25-07	Edward L. Lang III	B-M-19	Stark	2B
09-13-07	Wayne S. Powell	B-M-42	Lucas	4B
09-27-07	Lamont Hunter	B-M-39	Hamilton	B
10-29-07	Donna Roberts	W-F-59	Trumbull	W
01-30-08	Phillip L. Jones	B-M-37	Summit	B

CUMULATIVE TO DATE SUMMARY OF DEATH SENTENCES BY COURT

COUNTY	NO.	% of TOTAL	Index to Population	COUNTY	NO.	% of TOTAL	Index to Population
Allen	2	1.1%	0.187	Licking	2	1.1%	0.131
Ashland	1	0.5%	0.185	Lorain	5	2.7%	0.167
Ashtabula	1	0.5%	0.097	Lucas	15	8.0%	0.336
Belmont	3	1.6%	0.432	Madison	1	0.5%	0.243
Brown	1	0.5%	0.226	Mahoning	7	3.7%	0.280
Butler	6	3.2%	0.173	Marion	2	1.1%	0.302
Clark	5	2.6%	0.351	Montgomery	7	3.7%	0.127
Clermont	3	1.6%	0.159	Noble	1	0.5%	0.713
Clinton	1	0.5%	0.237	Portage	3	1.6%	0.194
Crawford	1	0.5%	0.218	Preble	1	0.5%	0.235
Cuyahoga	32	16.8%	0.237	Putnam	1	0.5%	0.288
Delaware	1	0.5%	0.070	Richland	2	1.1%	0.156
*Franklin	14	7.4%	0.129	Ross	1	0.5%	0.134
Greene	2	1.1%	0.131	Stark	4	2.1%	0.106
Guernsey	1	0.5%	0.242	**Summit	10	5.3%	0.183
Hamilton	37	19.7%	0.437	Trumbull	10	5.3%	0.454
Jefferson	1	0.5%	0.140	Vinton	1	0.5%	0.749
Lake	1	0.5%	0.043	Warren	1	0.5%	0.053
Lawrence	1	0.5%	0.159	Total	188		

NOTE: "Index to Population" is the number of death sentences indexed to the population of each county. It is represented here as the number of death sentences per 10,000 persons in each county based on July 1, 2005 population estimates. Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau.

*Reflects two death sentence cases for James Conway III.

**Reflects two death sentence cases for Donald Craig.

**TABLE IV
TRUMBULL COUNTY BRANCH OFFICE
CASES CLOSED AND PENDING
FISCAL YEARS 2006, 2007 & 2008**

Table IV shows the caseload of the Trumbull County Branch Office for fiscal years 2006, 2007 & 2008. Pending cases are those which remained open as of July 1, 2008.

Type of Case	FY 2006		FY 2007		FY 2008	
	Closed	Pending	Closed	Pending	Closed	Pending
Capital Felony	2	0	0	1	1	0
Felony	1,391	400	1,297	384	1,218	453
Misdemeanor	2,159	256	2,415	184	2,220	313
Ordinance	1,746	354	1,935	6	1,656	45
Probation Revocation	198	45	289	59	369	83
Juvenile Offender	384	42	342	16	299	10
Family Juvenile/Non-Delinquent	18	24	2	23	0	23
Appeal	9	31	8	28	0	29
Drug Court	31	77	62	56	2	113
Other	46	17	25	11	21	17
Total	5,984	1246	6,376	768	5,786	1,086

**TABLE V
MULTI COUNTY PROGRAM
CASES CLOSED FISCAL YEAR 2008**

COUNTY	Felony	Misde-Meanor	Juv-enile	Appeal	Family	Pro-bation	Capital	Other	TOTAL	Pending Cases
Adams	182	380	68	1	5	22	0	3	661	286
Athens	581	750	100	0	1	4	0	111	1,547	575
Brown	297	525	81	1	1	38	0	30	973	494
Fayette	236	382	41	0	0	4	0	7	670	136
Jackson	279	1,049	109	0	10	90	0	27	1,564	634
Meigs	58	295	2	0	0	1	0	107	463	69
Pickaway	299	453	76	1	0	4	0	47	880	182
Pike	296	537	78	0	0	63	0	7	981	269
Ross	560	3,010	405	8	0	222	0	15	4,220	1433
Washington	571	1,606	195	18	0	110	0	112	2,612	814
TOTAL	3,359	8,987	1,155	29	17	558	0	466	14,571	4,892

TABLE VI

COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER TERMS AND OFFICES

COUNTY	PUBLIC DEFENDER	TELEPHONE	FAX
Ashtabula *	Marie Lane Ashtabula County Public Defender Office 4817 State Road, Suite 202 Ashtabula, Ohio 44004 <i>Contract Services</i>	(440) 998-2628	(440) 998-2972
Auglaize	S. Mark Weller Auglaize County Public Defender Office 119 West Auglaize Street P.O. Box 180 Wapakoneta, Ohio 45895 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed July 1, 2008 for a one year term.	(419) 738-7111	(419) 739-9389
Belmont	James L. Nichelson Belmont County Public Defender Office 100 West Main Street St. Clairsville, Ohio 43950 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January, 2005 for a four year term.	(740) 695-5263	(740) 695-5639
Butler **	Mary Asbury Legal Aid Society of Greater Cincinnati Guardian Ad Litem Project 10 Journal Square Hamilton, Ohio 45011 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services.	(513) 241-9400	(513) 894-7669
Carroll	John Gartrell Carroll County Public Defender P.O. Box 507 Dover, Ohio 44622 <i>Term:</i> Appointed February 1, 2007 for a four year term.	(330) 364-5595	(330) 364-2423
Clark	John D. Marshall Clark County Public Defender Office 50 East Columbia Street, 4 th Floor Springfield, Ohio 45502 <i>Term:</i> Appointed February 26, 2007 for a four year term.	(937) 521-1725	(937) 328-2715

TABLE VI (continued)

COUNTY	PUBLIC DEFENDER	TELEPHONE	FAX
Clermont	R. Daniel Hannon Clermont County Public Defender Office 10 South Third Street Batavia, Ohio 45103 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed September 4, 2007 for a one year term.	(513) 732-7223	(513) 732-5382
Clinton	Joseph H. Dennis Clinton County Public Defender Office 32 E. Sugartree St. Wilmington, Ohio 45177 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 1, 2007 for a one year term.	(937) 382-1316	(937) 382-8670
Columbiana *	Frederic E. Naragon Columbiana County Criminal Defense Co. P.O. Box 61 Salem, Ohio 44460 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services	(330) 337-9578	(330) 337-1223
Coshocton	Jeffrey A. Mullen Coshocton County Public Defender Office 239 North 4 th Street Coshocton, Ohio 43812 <i>Term:</i> Appointed March 1, 2006 for a four year term.	(740) 623-0800	(740) 623-0296
Cuyahoga	Robert L. Tobik Cuyahoga County Public Defender Office 310 Lakeside Ave, Suite 400 Cleveland, Ohio 44113-1021 <i>Term:</i> Appointed May 13, 2006 for a four year term.	(216) 443-7223	(216) 443-3632
Darke*	Paul Wagner Indigent Legal Assistance Fund of West Central Ohio 1400 North Broadway Greenville, Ohio 45331 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services.	(937) 548-6888	(937) 548-8066
Erie	Jeffrey J. Whitacre Erie County Public Defender Office 220 Columbus Avenue Sandusky, Ohio 44870 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed July 3, 2006 for a four year term.	(419) 627-6620	(419) 627-6633

TABLE VI (continued)

COUNTY	PUBLIC DEFENDER	TELEPHONE	FAX
Franklin	Yeura R. Venters Franklin County Public Defender Office 373 South High Street, 12th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed February 16, 2008 for a four year term.	(614) 462-3194	(614) 461-6470
Gallia*	Douglas Cowles Gallia County Criminal Defense Corp. 435 Second Ave. Gallipolis, OH 45631 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services.	(740) 446-0644	(740) 446-8433
Geauga	R. Robert Umholtz Geauga County Public Defender Office 211 Main Street Chardon, Ohio 44024 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed December 1, 2007 for a four year term.	(440) 279-1890	(440) 286-4136
Greene	Arthur L. Sidell, III Greene County Public Defender Office 90 East Main Street Xenia, Ohio 45385 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed March 1, 2004 for a four year term.	(937) 562-5045	(937) 562-5671
Hamilton	Louis F. Strigari Hamilton County Public Defender Office 230 East Ninth Street, 2 nd Floor Cincinnati, Ohio 45202 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 1, 2007 for a four year term.	(513) 946-3700	(513) 946-3707
Hancock	Michael C. Galose Hancock County Public Defender Office 100 E. Main Cross, Suite 200 Findlay, Ohio 45840 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 1, 2009.	(419) 424-7276	(419) 424-7274
HarrisonC.	Adrian Pincola Harrison County Public Defender Office 112 North Main Street P.O. Box 427 Cadiz, Ohio 43907-0427 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 1, 2007 for a four year term.	(740) 942-2010	(740) 942-2080

TABLE VI (continued)

COUNTY	PUBLIC DEFENDER	TELEPHONE	FAX
Huron	George C. Ford III Huron County Public Defender Office 16 E. Main St., 2 nd floor Norwalk, Ohio 44857 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed July 1, 2007 for a two year term.	(419) 668-3702	(419) 668-3703
Knox	Bruce J. Malek Knox County Public Defender Office One Public Square Mount Vernon, Ohio 43050 <i>Term:</i> Appointed December 28, 2007 for a four year term.	(740) 393-6734	(740) 397-6611
Lake	R. Paul LaPlante Lake County Public Defender Office 125 East Erie Street Painesville, Ohio 44077 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed October 1, 2005 for a four year term.	(440) 350-3200	(440) 350-5715
Lucas *	Henry B. Herschel Toledo Legal Aid Society-Defender Division 555 North Erie Street, Suite 248 Toledo, Ohio 43624 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services.	(419) 244-8351	(419) 244-4833
Medina	Timothy R. Lutz Medina County Public Defender Office 120 West Washington Street, Suite 2D Medina, Ohio 44256 <i>Term:</i> Appointed May 26, 2007 for a two year term.	(330)-764-8437 (330) 225-7100-Brunswick office (330) 336-6657-Wadsworth office	(330) 764-8440
Miami	John E. Hemm Miami County Public Defender Office Courthouse, 2 nd Floor 201 West Main Street Troy, Ohio 45373 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 3, 2007 for a four year term.	(937) 440-3950	(937) 440-3951
Monroe	C. Mark Morrison Monroe County Public Defender Office 117 North Main Street Woodsfield, Ohio 43793 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed December, 28 2008 for a one year term.	(740) 472-0703	(740) 472-9190

TABLE VI (continued)

COUNTY	PUBLIC DEFENDER	TELEPHONE	FAX
Montgomery	Glen H. Dewar Montgomery County Public Defender Office 117 S. Main Street, Suite 400 P.O. Box 972 Dayton, Ohio 45422 <i>Term:</i> Appointed July 26, 2007 for a three year term.	(937) 225-4652	(937) 225-3449
Portage	Dennis Day Lager Portage County Public Defender Office Administration Building 209 South Chestnut St., Suite 400 Ravenna, Ohio 44266 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed August 7, 2005 for a four year term.	(330) 297-3665	(330) 298-2064
Shelby	Timothy S. Sell Shelby County Public Defender Office 108 East Poplar Street Sidney, Ohio 45365 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed February 1, 2009 for a one year term.	(937) 498-1714	(937) 492-6957
Stark	Tammi R. Johnson Stark County Public Defender Office 200 W. Tuscarawas St., Ste.200 Canton, Ohio 44702 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed July 1, 2005 for a four year term.	(330) 451-7200	(330) 451-7227
Summit *	Joseph S. Kodish Legal Defender Office of Summit County, Ohio, Inc. One Cascade Plaza, Suite 1940 Akron, Ohio 44308 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services.	(330) 434-3461	(330) 434-3371
Tuscarawas	Gerald A. Latanich Tuscarawas County Public Defender Office 153 North Broadway New Philadelphia, Ohio 44663 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed September 21, 2008 for a two year term.	(330) 364-3523	(330) 364-7616
Union *	Perry R. Parsons Union County Criminal Defense Lawyers 111 W. Sixth Street Marysville, Ohio 43040 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services.	(937) 644-3144	(937) 644-3517

TABLE VI (continued)

COUNTY	PUBLIC DEFENDER	TELEPHONE	FAX
Van Wert *	Earl Rice Van Wert County Public Defender Office 124 East Main Street Van Wert, Ohio 45891 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services.	(419) 238-5064	(419) 238-4705
Wayne	Beverly J. Wire Wayne County Public Defender Program 113 West Liberty Street Wooster, Ohio 44691 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 12, 2007 for a four year term.	(330) 287-5490	(330) 287-5479
Wood	Kathleen M. Hamm Wood County Public Defender Office 123 North Summit St. Bowling Green, Ohio 43402 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed October 16, 2006 for a four year term.	(419) 354-9244	(419) 353-9865

* Denotes counties using non-profit corporations for some or all public defender services.

** Denotes counties using non-profit corporations for Guardian Ad Litem services only.

**TABLE VII
COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER OFFICE CASELOADS*
FISCAL YEAR 2008**

COUNTY	Fel- onies	Misde- meanors	Juv- enile	Dom. Rel.	App- eals	Post- conv.	Parole/ Prob.	Habeas Corpus	Extra- ditions	Other	TOTAL CASES	PENDING CASES
							Revoc.					
Ashtabula	664	2,189	828	269	13	277	192	0	5	0	4,437	2,256
Auglaize	110	334	55	23	5	114	34	1	0	0	676	263
Belmont	355	823	214	154	8	42	91	0	0	0	1,687	329
Butler	0	0	962	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	962	595
Carroll	82	429	17	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	537	400
Clark	2,068	2,403	332	41	0	0	303	0	0	0	5,147	213
Clermont	1,007	3,446	878	150	9	270	1,028	0	84	265	7,137	4,844
Clinton	189	705	46	4	1	9	62	0	0	0	1,016	520
Columbiana	350	1,359	254	60	0	83	102	0	2	0	2,210	1,594
Coshocton	174	614	255	10	5	148	138	0	1	0	1,345	766
Cuyahoga	4,934	27,908	5,744	145	294	124	595	0	2	209	39,955	11,214
Darke	198	170	77	25	0	0	36	0	0	0	506	216
Erie	897	717	518	0	1	200	197	0	25	0	2,555	3,242
Franklin	5,305	32,723	10,716	49	128	21	4,498	0	273	0	53,713	11,251
Gallia	277	1,192	253	153	2	16	63	0	9	22	1,987	290
Geauga	163	233	236	5	0	52	44	5	1	2	741	110
Greene	0	1,718	126	26	6	0	0	0	0	0	1,876	470
Hamilton	2,959	27,693	5,107	105	12	420	22	0	0	0	36,318	9,170
Hancock	246	1,176	390	116	4	0	133	0	6	431	2,502	691
Harrison^	16	171	61	0	0	6	77	0	0	0	331	206
Huron	183	422	865	27	7	1	75	0	25	4	1,609	943
Knox	305	750	142	4	1	97	42	0	5	193	1,539	1,762
Lake	1,331	1,332	794	4	84	0	0	0	0	50	3,595	2,684
Lucas	606	13,964	293	0	0	0	36	0	6	0	14,905	1,697
Medina	0	1,413	0	0	0	0	68	0	0	77	1,558	562
Miami	329	1,474	264	33	5	112	231	0	0	0	2,448	495
Monroe	38	168	35	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	252	43
Montgomery	2,118	21,273	2,309	82	31	84	2,702	8	114	0	28,721	7,966
Portage	562	2,161	366	5	1	39	79	0	0	0	3,213	2,293
Shelby	293	1,738	238	1	0	40	100	0	1	0	2,411	563
Stark	1,161	3,798	1,737	473	26	901	535	0	54	3	8,688	865
Summit	0	6,593	2,563	0	0	3	0	0	0	11	9,170	1,381
Tuscarawas	286	1,040	297	38	7	18	345	0	9	0	2,040	3,613
Union	154	516	456	14	23	0	148	0	0	0	1,311	536

Van Wert	149	25	159	27	6	47	27	2	9	0	451	274
Wayne	360	1,108	363	34	0	6	475	0	9	55	2,410	1,645
Wood	421	2,214	248	0	6	25	614	0	5	4	3,537	5,417
TOTAL	28,290	165,992	38,198	2094	686	3157	13,092	16	645	1326	253,496	81,379

* As reported by each county to the State Public Defender.

^ Incomplete data.

**TABLE VIII
COST OF COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER OFFICES
FISCAL YEARS 2007 & 2008**

Table VIII shows the 100 percent cost the counties reported to the State Public Defender to operate public defender offices, followed by the amount reimbursed each year for fiscal year 2007 and fiscal year 2008. Counties prepare monthly expense reports that are certified by county auditors. The county auditor then submits the report to the State Public Defender for reimbursement for up to 50 percent of allowable costs.

COUNTY	FY 2007	AMOUNT REIMBURSED	FY 2008	AMOUNT REIMBURSED
Ashtabula	\$499,714	\$139,920	\$496,944	\$124,236
Auglaize	268,551	75,194	276,886	69,222
Belmont	248,922	69,698	261,197	65,299
Butler	702,753	196,771	741,973	185,493
Carroll	137,463	38,490	133,215	33,304
Clark	868,015	243,044	860,136	215,034
Clermont	1,228,136	343,878	1,300,224	325,056
Clinton	267,827	74,991	333,327	83,332
Columbiana	367,195	102,815	371,771	92,943
Coshocton	263,340	73,735	281,030	70,258
Cuyahoga	8,856,856	2,479,920	9,121,445	2,280,361
Darke	182,500	51,100	195,000	48,750
Erie	743,096	208,067	747,773	186,943
Franklin	10,608,766	2,970,455	10,683,155	2,670,789
Gallia	65,000	18,200	260,000	65,000
Geauga	245,617	68,773	320,457	80,114
Greene	442,896	124,011	456,750	114,188
Hamilton	8,174,935	2,288,982	8,849,195	2,212,299
Hancock	421,594	118,046	474,923	118,731
Harrison	130,009	36,402	132,436	33,109
Huron	248,059	69,457	269,096	67,274
Knox	382,277	107,038	330,870	82,717
Lake	1,419,824	397,551	1,444,053	361,013
Lucas	1,395,463	390,730	1,481,055	370,264
Medina	300,358	84,100	305,706	76,426
Miami	420,966	117,870	407,377	101,844
Monroe	55,020	15,406	54,840	13,710
Montgomery	5,189,065	1,452,938	5,417,383	1,354,346
Portage	629,603	176,289	662,555	165,639
Shelby	354,197	99,175	360,003	90,001
Stark	1,508,235	422,306	1,716,472	429,118
Summit	1,112,906	311,614	1,182,598	295,649
Tuscarawas	590,299	165,284	624,160	156,040

Union	376,797	105,503	403,988	100,997
Van Wert	155,757	43,612	114,999	28,747
Wayne	502,594	140,726	529,288	132,322
Wood	885,056	247,816	936,743	234,186
TOTAL	\$50,249,661.	\$14,069,907.00	\$52,539,02	\$13,134,754.00

TABLE IX
APPOINTED COUNSEL DEATH PENALTY REIMBURSEMENT
FISCAL YEARS 2006, 2007 & 2008

Table IX shows the amount of funds reimbursed to the counties for death penalty representation. The state reimbursed the counties the amounts shown below. For the 100 percent amount submitted, see Table X.

COUNTY	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
Allen	\$21,520	\$6,132	\$827
Ashtabula	-	1,593	-
Belmont	1,221	-	3,158
Butler	22,791	7,572	-
Clark	35,293	16,144	-
Clinton	-	700	-
Cuyahoga	199,932	153,348	147,749
Delaware	-	6,260	-
Fairfield	-	22,133	9,071
Franklin	267,897	163,286	72,357
Fulton	-	2,213	2,213
Greene	-	-	25,242
Guernsey	678	-	3,784
Hamilton	21,157	39,178	12,459
Hocking	-	-	125
Jefferson	11,720	18,020	10,232
Knox	-	994	-
Lawrence	5,916	12,047	-
Licking	10,685	-	1,600
Lorain	7,762	5,874	3,337
Lucas	70,405	23,715	20,501
Mahoning	1,911	-	7,508
Marion	1,221	-	-
Montgomery	8,964	1,947	19,764
Morrow	-	13,327	13,406
Muskingum	2,670	4,536	5,503
Pike	8,440	-	-
Portage	3,183	18,325	-
Preble	-	3,161	50
Putnam	1,904	5,700	-
Richland	280	10,945	-
Ross	1,701	16,001	5,787
Sandusky	-	6,938	4,439
Scioto	7,230	6,162	18
Stark	-	3,735	13,157
Summit	17,110	47,371	27,040
Trumbull	2,791	33,067	6,270
Vinton	257	-	-
Warren	304	2,437	325
Wood	3,055	3,987	6,020
TOTAL	\$737,995	\$656,848	\$421,942

TABLE X
APPOINTED COUNSEL SYSTEMS CASELOAD, HOURS, AND EXPENSES
FISCAL YEAR 2008

Table X, on the following pages, shows the caseloads and 100 percent costs submitted for reimbursement during fiscal year 2008. The table shows cases, hours, and expenses broken down into seven categories -- felonies, misdemeanors, juvenile, appeals, death penalty, felonies in municipal/county court, and other. The cases in the category "felonies in municipal/county court" are felonies that are initially filed in municipal or county court. The cases are only in those courts for a brief period of time prior to indictment, the preliminary hearing, or 15 days after arrest, whichever comes first. Since the longest these cases can last is 15 days and the municipal court has no jurisdiction to find a defendant guilty of a felony, and since most of the cases will eventually be picked up at the common pleas court level, they are not counted as a "felony" case at this stage. This prevents giving the same weight to a case that lasts 14 days and the full-fledged case that lasts six months. It also prevents double counting the same case. The category "other" includes postconviction, parole, habeas corpus, extradition, and other miscellaneous cases.

In fiscal year 2008, the state reimbursed the counties at an average monthly rate of 27.3 percent.

It should be noted the figures in this table are reported using the cash basis of accounting, meaning they show the cases and costs submitted to the Ohio Public Defender that were actually reimbursed during fiscal year 2008 pursuant to Office of the Ohio Public Defender's reimbursement schedule. Because the cash basis is used, these figures will not match cases and costs reported by counties on either a calendar or fiscal year basis. In addition, the figures contained in the death penalty category are based on reimbursement for both new and ongoing cases. Attorneys may submit more than one bill per case. Often, because of the length of time needed to try a death penalty case, bills are received in more than one fiscal year.

Only new cases, however, are recorded under the "cases" column of the death penalty category. For this reason, there are instances where the number of cases is zero, but hours and expense figures are shown. In these instances, the costs are based on cases which originated in a prior fiscal year, but for which bills were received during fiscal year 2008.

The key to Table X is as follows:

Cases: The number of cases submitted and accepted for reimbursement after adjustments*. This is determined by counting each individual and unique case number as one case.

Total Hours: The number of total hours reported, after adjustments*.

Attorney Fees: The total amount of attorney fees submitted for reimbursement per each kind of case, after adjustments*.

Expenses: The total amount of expenses submitted for reimbursement after adjustments*.

Transcripts: The total amount of transcript fees submitted for reimbursement after adjustments*.

Total Cost: The 100 percent cost, after adjustments*, that was subject to reimbursement.

Avg. Fees/Hour: Attorney fees submitted divided by the number of hours reported. This does not include expenses.

Avg. Fees/Case: The total fees submitted divided by the number of cases reported. This does not include expenses.

Avg. Ttl. Cost/Case: Total cost divided by the number of cases submitted, including expenses.

**Adjustments include reducing fee requests for exceeding the State or County Fee Schedule, unallowable or undocumented expenses, denying reimbursement for failure to prove indigency, late submissions, etc.*

Table X (continued)

	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Adams								
Felonies	29	285	\$ 15,311	\$ -	\$ 15,311	\$ 54	\$ 528	\$ 528
Misdemeanors	23	112	\$ 6,059	\$ 2	6,061	54	263	264
Juvenile	58	397	\$ 20,300	\$ 2	20,302	51	350	350
Appeals	2	72	\$ 3,366	\$ 2	3,368	47	1,683	1,684
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	17	68	\$ 3,572	\$ 2	3,574	53	210	210
Other	5	19	\$ 992	\$ 2	994	52	198	199
Total	134	953	\$ 49,600	\$ 2	\$ 49,602	\$ 52	\$ 370	\$ 370
Allen								
Felonies	288	3,018	\$ 128,221	\$ 5,150	\$ 133,371	\$ 42	\$ 445	\$ 463
Misdemeanors	2,194	5,807	\$ 261,474	\$ -	261,474	45	119	119
Juvenile	448	4,403	\$ 182,849	\$ 7,194	190,043	42	408	424
Appeals	42	635	\$ 25,124	\$ 279	25,403	40	598	605
Death Penalty	1	76	\$ 3,040	\$ 267	3,307	40	3,040	3,307
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	242	184	\$ 18,172	\$ -	18,172	99	75	75
Other	104	227	\$ 9,823	\$ 25,477	35,300	43	94	339
Total	3,319	14,350	\$ 628,703	\$ 38,367	\$ 667,070	\$ 44	\$ 189	\$ 201
Ashland								
Felonies	50	481	\$ 25,104	\$ -	\$ 25,104	\$ 52	\$ 502	\$ 502
Misdemeanors	214	829	\$ 38,061	\$ -	\$ 38,061	\$ 46	\$ 178	\$ 178
Appeals	2	83	\$ 3,000	\$ -	\$ 3,000	\$ 36	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	2	13	\$ 690	\$ -	\$ 690	\$ 53	\$ 345	\$ 345
Other	4	3	\$ 199	\$ -	\$ 199	\$ 66	\$ 50	\$ 50
Total	272	1,409	\$ 67,054	\$ -	\$ 67,054	\$ 48	\$ 247	\$ 247
Ashtabula								
Felonies	106	1836	\$ 74,429	\$ 12,422	\$ 86,851	\$ 41	\$ 702	\$ 819
Misdemeanors	97	601	\$ 25,114	\$ 795	\$ 25,909	\$ 42	\$ 259	\$ 267
Juvenile	412	5487	\$ 228,490	\$ 2,431	\$ 230,921	\$ 42	\$ 555	\$ 560
Appeals	23	577	\$ 19,060	\$ 3,462	\$ 22,522	\$ 33	\$ 829	\$ 979
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	90	359	\$ 14,990	\$ 1,533	\$ 16,523	\$ 42	\$ 167	\$ 184
Other	59	114	\$ 4,315	\$ 9,984	\$ 14,299	\$ 38	\$ 73	\$ 242
Total	787	8974	\$ 366,398	\$ 30,627	\$ 397,025	\$ 41	\$ 466	\$ 504
Athens								
Felonies	66	443	\$ 22,083	\$ 669	\$ 22,752	\$ 50	\$ 335	\$ 345
Misdemeanors	62	233	\$ 11,611	\$ 27	\$ 11,638	\$ 50	\$ 187	\$ 188
Juvenile	96	1,091	\$ 51,067	\$ 197	\$ 51,264	\$ 47	\$ 532	\$ 534
Appeals	5	73	\$ 3,463	\$ 47	\$ 3,510	\$ 47	\$ 693	\$ 702
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	20	23	\$ 1,110	\$ 407	\$ 1,517	\$ 48	\$ 56	\$ 76
Other	57	37	\$ 1,863	\$ 9,337	\$ 11,200	\$ 50	\$ 33	\$ 196
Total	306	1,900	\$ 91,197	\$ 10,684	\$ 101,881	\$ 48	\$ 298	\$ 333
Auglaize								
Felonies	4	68	\$ 2,502	\$ -	\$ 2,502	\$ 37	\$ 626	\$ 626
Appeals	1	10	\$ 354	\$ -	\$ 354	\$ 35	\$ 354	\$ 354
Other	2	8	\$ 283	\$ -	\$ 283	\$ 35	\$ 142	\$ 142
Total	7	86	\$ 3,139	\$ -	\$ 3,139	\$ 37	\$ 448	\$ 448

Table X (continued)

	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Belmont								
Felonies	52	1,355	\$ 70,345	\$ 118	\$ 70,463	\$ 52	\$ 1,353	\$ 1,355
Misdemeanors	77	487	\$ 25,639	\$ -	\$ 25,639	\$ 53	\$ 333	\$ 333
Juvenile	153	1,880	\$ 91,851	\$ 2,362	\$ 94,213	\$ 49	\$ 600	\$ 616
Appeals	7	98	\$ 4,900	\$ 2,540	\$ 7,440	\$ 50	\$ 700	\$ 1,063
Death Penalty	2	237	\$ 12,097	\$ 535	\$ 12,632	\$ 51	\$ 6,049	\$ 6,316
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	39	206	\$ 10,188	\$ 108	\$ 10,296	\$ 49	\$ 261	\$ 264
Other	29	155	\$ 7,807	\$ 3,181	\$ 10,988	\$ 50	\$ 269	\$ 379
Total	359	4,418	\$ 222,827	\$ 8,844	\$ 231,671	\$ 50	\$ 621	\$ 645
Brown								
Felonies	2	41	\$ 1,002	\$ -	\$ 1,002	\$ 24	\$ 501	\$ 501
Juvenile	69	390	\$ 18,701	\$ 116	\$ 18,817	\$ 48	\$ 271	\$ 273
Appeals	4	27	\$ 1,072	\$ 2,202	\$ 3,274	\$ 40	\$ 268	\$ 819
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	1	2	\$ 116	\$ -	\$ 116	\$ 58	\$ 116	\$ 116
Other	9	2	\$ 112	\$ 2,160	\$ 2,272	\$ 56	\$ 12	\$ 252
Total	85	462	\$ 21,003	\$ 4,478	\$ 25,481	\$ 45	\$ 247	\$ 300
Butler								
Felonies	1,509	20,426	\$ 866,909	\$ 9,738	\$ 876,647	\$ 42	\$ 574	\$ 581
Misdemeanors	3,914	11,142	\$ 393,866	\$ 1,916	\$ 395,782	\$ 35	\$ 101	\$ 101
Juvenile	2,447	16,113	\$ 621,489	\$ 438	\$ 621,927	\$ 39	\$ 254	\$ 254
Appeals	91	1,505	\$ 54,332	\$ 1,145	\$ 55,477	\$ 36	\$ 597	\$ 610
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	775	2,384	\$ 97,814	\$ 75	\$ 97,889	\$ 41	\$ 126	\$ 126
Other	946	4,061	\$ 168,873	\$ 126	\$ 168,999	\$ 42	\$ 179	\$ 179
Total	9,682	55,631	\$ 2,203,283	\$ 13,438	\$ 2,216,721	\$ 40	\$ 228	\$ 229
Carroll								
Felonies	9	71	\$ 3,458	\$ -	\$ 3,458	\$ 49	\$ 384	\$ 384
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	2	6	\$ 290	\$ -	\$ 290	\$ 48	\$ 145	\$ 145
Total	11	77	\$ 3,748	\$ -	\$ 3,748	\$ 49	\$ 341	\$ 341
Champaign								
Felonies	110	1,412	\$ 57,941	\$ 73	\$ 58,014	\$ 41	\$ 527	\$ 527
Misdemeanors	347	1,365	\$ 70,627	\$ 559	\$ 71,186	\$ 52	\$ 204	\$ 205
Juvenile	114	831	\$ 39,002	\$ 3,917	\$ 42,919	\$ 47	\$ 342	\$ 376
Appeals	8	176	\$ 6,079	\$ 24	\$ 6,103	\$ 35	\$ 760	\$ 763
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	29	93	\$ 4,712	\$ 21	\$ 4,733	\$ 51	\$ 162	\$ 163
Other	68	214	\$ 10,533	\$ 15,308	\$ 25,841	\$ 49	\$ 155	\$ 380
Total	676	4,091	\$ 188,894	\$ 19,902	\$ 208,796	\$ 46	\$ 279	\$ 309
Clark								
Felonies	103	1,708	\$ 79,503	\$ 113	\$ 79,616	\$ 47	\$ 772	\$ 773
Misdemeanors	45	174	\$ 9,363	\$ 18	\$ 9,381	\$ 54	\$ 208	\$ 208
Juvenile	289	3,335	\$ 155,728	\$ 473	\$ 156,201	\$ 47	\$ 539	\$ 540
Appeals	34	815	\$ 33,196	\$ 111	\$ 33,307	\$ 41	\$ 976	\$ 980
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	6	19	\$ 1,033	\$ -	\$ 1,033	\$ 54	\$ 172	\$ 172
Other	13	217	\$ 10,273	\$ 124	\$ 10,397	\$ 47	\$ 790	\$ 800
Total	490	6,268	\$ 289,096	\$ 839	\$ 289,935	\$ 46	\$ 590	\$ 592

Table X (continued)

	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Clermont								
Felonies	84	1571	\$ 60,341	\$ 1,086	\$ 61,427	\$ 38	\$ 718	\$ 731
Misdemeanors	48	251	\$ 11,364	\$ -	\$ 11,364	\$ 45	\$ 237	\$ 237
Juvenile	235	1,969	\$ 83,605	\$ -	\$ 83,605	\$ 42	\$ 356	\$ 356
Appeals	11	292	\$ 10,368	\$ 121	\$ 10,489	\$ 36	\$ 943	\$ 954
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	44	135	\$ 6,251	\$ -	\$ 6,251	\$ 46	\$ 142	\$ 142
Other	10	76	\$ 2,959	\$ 1	\$ 2,960	\$ 39	\$ 296	\$ 296
Total	432	4294	\$ 174,888	\$ 1,208	\$ 176,096	\$ 41	\$ 405	\$ 408
Clinton								
Felonies	13	124	\$ 6,482	\$ -	\$ 6,482	\$ 52	\$ 499	\$ 499
Juvenile	70	593	\$ 30,470	\$ -	\$ 30,470	\$ 51	\$ 435	\$ 435
Appeals	5	78	\$ 3,905	\$ 35	\$ 3,940	\$ 50	\$ 781	\$ 788
Total	88	795	\$ 40,857	\$ 35	\$ 40,892	\$ 51	\$ 464	\$ 465
Columbiana								
Felonies	12	-	\$ -	\$ 4,609	\$ 4,609	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 384
Misdemeanors	1	-	\$ -	\$ 830	\$ 830	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 830
Appeals	3	53	\$ 2,337	\$ 17	\$ 2,354	\$ 44	\$ 779	\$ 785
Other	10	-	\$ -	\$ 3,234	\$ 3,234	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 323
Total	26	53	\$ 2,337	\$ 8,690	\$ 11,027	\$ 44	\$ 90	\$ 424
Coshocton								
Felonies	38	491	\$ 12,266	\$ 418	\$ 12,684	\$ 25	\$ 323	\$ 334
Misdemeanors	70	310	\$ 9,825	\$ 15	\$ 9,840	\$ 32	\$ 140	\$ 141
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	7	20	\$ 783	\$ 1	\$ 784	\$ 39	\$ 112	\$ 112
Other	6	18	\$ 799	\$ 1	\$ 800	\$ 44	\$ 133	\$ 133
Total	121	839	\$ 23,673	\$ 435	\$ 24,108	\$ 28	\$ 196	\$ 199
Crawford								
Felonies	117	1,180	\$ 60,585	\$ 10	\$ 60,595	\$ 51	\$ 518	\$ 518
Misdemeanors	178	917	\$ 47,797	\$ 33	\$ 47,830	\$ 52	\$ 269	\$ 269
Juvenile	225	1,325	\$ 66,159	\$ -	\$ 66,159	\$ 50	\$ 294	\$ 294
Appeals	8	232	\$ 8,515	\$ 1	\$ 8,516	\$ 37	\$ 1,064	\$ 1,065
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	36	109	\$ 5,743	\$ 8	\$ 5,751	\$ 53	\$ 160	\$ 160
Other	52	216	\$ 10,611	\$ 1,178	\$ 11,789	\$ 49	\$ 204	\$ 227
Total	616	3,979	\$ 199,410	\$ 1,230	\$ 200,640	\$ 50	\$ 324	\$ 326
Cuyahoga								
Felonies	7,567	118,895	\$ 3,776,894	\$ 219,011	\$ 3,995,905	\$ 32	\$ 499	\$ 528
Misdemeanors	2,536	12,782	\$ 341,282	\$ 64	\$ 341,346	\$ 27	\$ 135	\$ 135
Juvenile	7,673	73,688	\$ 2,713,188	\$ 42,062	\$ 2,755,250	\$ 37	\$ 354	\$ 359
Appeals	448	11,232	\$ 377,155	\$ 64,896	\$ 442,051	\$ 34	\$ 842	\$ 987
Death Penalty	26	10,558	\$ 410,550	\$ 180,448	\$ 590,998	\$ 39	\$ 15,790	\$ 22,731
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	918	3,385	\$ 126,673	\$ 23	\$ 126,696	\$ 37	\$ 138	\$ 138
Other	3,704	14,622	\$ 529,422	\$ 266,416	\$ 795,838	\$ 36	\$ 143	\$ 215
Total	22,872	245,162	\$ 8,275,164	\$ 772,920	\$ 9,048,084	\$ 34	\$ 362	\$ 396

Table X (continued)

	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Darke								
Felonies	29	7	\$ 280	\$ 485	\$ 765	\$ 40	\$ 10	\$ 26
Misdemeanors	1	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Juvenile	1	2	\$ 88	\$ -	\$ 88	\$ 44	\$ 88	\$ 88
Appeals	3	37	\$ 1,496	\$ 6	\$ 1,502	\$ 40	\$ 499	\$ 501
Other	3	-	\$ -	\$ 93	\$ 93	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 31
Total	37	46	\$ 1,864	\$ 584	\$ 2,448	\$ 41	\$ 50	\$ 66
Defiance								
Felonies	148	1,361	\$ 72,523	\$ 2,580	\$ 75,103	\$ 53	\$ 490	\$ 507
Misdemeanors	99	394	\$ 20,836	\$ 54	\$ 20,890	\$ 53	\$ 210	\$ 211
Juvenile	33	292	\$ 13,366	\$ 4,148	\$ 17,514	\$ 46	\$ 405	\$ 531
Appeals	4	71	\$ 3,632	\$ -	\$ 3,632	\$ 51	\$ 908	\$ 908
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	44	117	\$ 6,390	\$ -	\$ 6,390	\$ 55	\$ 145	\$ 145
Other	86	346	\$ 18,880	\$ 837	\$ 19,717	\$ 55	\$ 220	\$ 229
Total	414	2,581	\$ 135,627	\$ 7,619	\$ 143,246	\$ 53	\$ 328	\$ 346
Delaware								
Felonies	491	6,324	\$ 315,533	\$ 20,055	\$ 335,588	\$ 50	\$ 643	\$ 683
Misdemeanors	941	5,757	\$ 298,723	\$ 372	\$ 299,095	\$ 52	\$ 317	\$ 318
Juvenile	634	8,301	\$ 408,021	\$ 1,171	\$ 409,192	\$ 49	\$ 644	\$ 645
Appeals	20	387	\$ 16,543	\$ 760	\$ 17,303	\$ 43	\$ 827	\$ 865
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	79	239	\$ 11,754	\$ 31	\$ 11,785	\$ 49	\$ 149	\$ 149
Other	322	1,144	\$ 58,447	\$ 11,362	\$ 69,809	\$ 51	\$ 182	\$ 217
Total	2,487	22,152	\$ 1,109,021	\$ 33,751	\$ 1,142,772	\$ 50	\$ 446	\$ 459
Erie								
Juvenile	18	270	\$ 7,529	\$ -	\$ 7,529	\$ 28	\$ 418	\$ 418
Appeals	2	45	\$ 1,555	\$ -	\$ 1,555	\$ 35	\$ 778	\$ 778
Other	2	-	\$ -	\$ 2,531	\$ 2,531	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,266
Total	22	315	\$ 9,084	\$ 2,531	\$ 11,615	\$ 29	\$ 413	\$ 528
Fairfield								
Felonies	481	7,173	\$ 291,695	\$ 19,053	\$ 310,748	\$ 41	\$ 606	\$ 646
Misdemeanors	1,390	12,460	\$ 507,062	\$ 1,840	\$ 508,902	\$ 41	\$ 365	\$ 366
Juvenile	491	10,407	\$ 373,991	\$ -	\$ 373,991	\$ 36	\$ 762	\$ 762
Appeals	10	186	\$ 6,758	\$ 348	\$ 7,106	\$ 36	\$ 676	\$ 711
Death Penalty	1	731	\$ 29,425	\$ 6,857	\$ 36,282	\$ 40	\$ 29,425	\$ 36,282
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	181	969	\$ 37,182	\$ 86	\$ 37,268	\$ 38	\$ 205	\$ 206
Other	334	2,356	\$ 90,831	\$ 7,263	\$ 98,094	\$ 39	\$ 272	\$ 294
Total	2,888	34,282	\$ 1,336,944	\$ 35,447	\$ 1,372,391	\$ 39	\$ 463	\$ 475
Fayette								
Felonies	17	100	\$ 4,980	\$ 123	\$ 5,103	\$ 50	\$ 293	\$ 300
Juvenile	65	557	\$ 27,020	\$ 2,580	\$ 29,600	\$ 49	\$ 416	\$ 455
Appeals	23	288	\$ 9,075	\$ 7,228	\$ 16,303	\$ 32	\$ 395	\$ 709
Other	34	52	\$ 2,610	\$ 2,590	\$ 5,200	\$ 50	\$ 77	\$ 153
Total	139	997	\$ 43,685	\$ 12,521	\$ 56,206	\$ 44	\$ 314	\$ 404

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Franklin								
Felonies	2,262	50,823	\$ 2,526,041	\$ 83,945	\$ 2,609,986	\$ 50	\$ 1,117	\$ 1,154
Misdemeanors	992	7,591	\$ 406,191	\$ 933	\$ 407,124	\$ 54	\$ 409	\$ 410
Juvenile	5,898	95,865	\$ 4,654,172	\$ 31,984	\$ 4,686,156	\$ 49	\$ 789	\$ 795
Appeals	97	3,214	\$ 133,931	\$ 5,257	\$ 139,188	\$ 42	\$ 1,381	\$ 1,435
Death Penalty	14	4,249	\$ 208,271	\$ 81,156	\$ 289,427	\$ 49	\$ 14,877	\$ 20,673
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	28	96	\$ 5,186	\$ 1	\$ 5,187	\$ 54	\$ 185	\$ 185
Other	534	6,560	\$ 298,804	\$ 107,369	\$ 406,173	\$ 46	\$ 560	\$ 761
Total	9,825	168,398	\$ 8,232,596	\$ 310,645	\$ 8,543,241	\$ 49	\$ 838	\$ 870
Fulton								
Felonies	112	986	\$ 51,442	\$ 231	\$ 51,673	\$ 52	\$ 459	\$ 461
Misdemeanors	234	903	\$ 48,366	\$ 305	\$ 48,671	\$ 54	\$ 207	\$ 208
Juvenile	99	648	\$ 33,645	\$ 323	\$ 33,968	\$ 52	\$ 340	\$ 343
Appeals	5	97	\$ 3,658	\$ -	\$ 3,658	\$ 38	\$ 732	\$ 732
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	38	134	\$ 7,199	\$ 10	\$ 7,209	\$ 54	\$ 189	\$ 190
Other	50	157	\$ 7,552	\$ 69	\$ 7,621	\$ 48	\$ 151	\$ 152
Total	538	2,925	\$ 151,862	\$ 938	\$ 152,800	\$ 52	\$ 282	\$ 284
Gallia								
Felonies	6	84	\$ 3,549	\$ -	\$ 3,549	\$ 42	\$ 592	\$ 592
Misdemeanors	3	12	\$ 504	\$ -	\$ 504	\$ 42	\$ 168	\$ 168
Juvenile	4	43	\$ 1,145	\$ 869	\$ 2,014	\$ 27	\$ 286	\$ 504
Other	3	10	\$ 420	\$ 437	\$ 857	\$ 42	\$ 140	\$ 286
Total	16	149	\$ 5,618	\$ 1,306	\$ 6,924	\$ 38	\$ 351	\$ 433
Geauga								
Juvenile	18	141	\$ 7,005	\$ 2,793	\$ 9,798	\$ 50	\$ 389	\$ 544
Total	18	141	\$ 7,005	\$ 2,793	\$ 9,798	\$ 50	\$ 389	\$ 544
Greene								
Felonies	542	7,062	\$ 336,861	\$ 38,811	\$ 375,672	\$ 48	\$ 622	\$ 693
Appeals	22	636	\$ 18,025	\$ 127	\$ 18,152	\$ 28	\$ 819	\$ 825
Death Penalty	1	1,034	\$ 46,495	\$ 54,474	\$ 100,969	\$ 45	\$ 46,495	\$ 100,969
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	2	16	\$ 600	\$ -	\$ 600	\$ 38	\$ 300	\$ 300
Other	147	769	\$ 37,595	\$ 449	\$ 38,044	\$ 49	\$ 256	\$ 259
Total	714	9,517	\$ 439,576	\$ 93,861	\$ 533,437	\$ 46	\$ 616	\$ 747
Guernsey								
Felonies	176	2,015	\$ 104,844	\$ 1,049	\$ 105,893	\$ 52	\$ 596	\$ 602
Misdemeanors	512	2,513	\$ 130,969	\$ -	\$ 130,969	\$ 52	\$ 256	\$ 256
Juvenile	165	1,472	\$ 76,999	\$ 48	\$ 77,047	\$ 52	\$ 467	\$ 467
Appeals	11	130	\$ 6,504	\$ 117	\$ 6,621	\$ 50	\$ 591	\$ 602
Death Penalty	1	337	\$ 14,500	\$ 635	\$ 15,135	\$ 43	\$ 14,500	\$ 15,135
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	75	224	\$ 11,649	\$ 398	\$ 12,047	\$ 52	\$ 155	\$ 161
Other	57	169	\$ 8,627	\$ 1,406	\$ 10,033	\$ 51	\$ 151	\$ 176
Total	997	6,860	\$ 354,092	\$ 3,653	\$ 357,745	\$ 52	\$ 355	\$ 359

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Hamilton								
Felonies	5,595	72,069	\$ 2,842,001	\$ 205	\$ 2,842,206	\$ 39	\$ 508	\$ 508
Misdemeanors	1,088	5,089	\$ 198,165	\$ -	\$ 198,165	\$ 39	\$ 182	\$ 182
Juvenile	1,190	18,120	\$ 725,911	\$ 150	\$ 726,061	\$ 40	\$ 610	\$ 610
Appeals	322	6,850	\$ 277,272	\$ 642	\$ 277,914	\$ 40	\$ 861	\$ 863
Death Penalty	2	1,175	\$ 49,835	\$ -	\$ 49,835	\$ 42	\$ 24,918	\$ 24,918
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	2,431	6,808	\$ 278,384	\$ -	\$ 278,384	\$ 41	\$ 115	\$ 115
Other	1,487	6,749	\$ 279,211	\$ -	\$ 279,211	\$ 41	\$ 188	\$ 188
Total	12,115	116,860	\$ 4,650,779	\$ 997	\$ 4,651,776	\$ 40	\$ 384	\$ 384
Hancock								
Felonies	70	1,004	\$ 40,616	\$ 3,656	\$ 44,272	\$ 40	\$ 580	\$ 632
Misdemeanors	18	117	\$ 4,958	\$ 9	\$ 4,967	\$ 42	\$ 275	\$ 276
Juvenile	48	369	\$ 14,881	\$ 1,845	\$ 16,726	\$ 40	\$ 310	\$ 348
Appeals	3	95	\$ 3,052	\$ 7	\$ 3,059	\$ 32	\$ 1,017	\$ 1,020
Other	20	66	\$ 2,091	\$ 2,620	\$ 4,711	\$ 32	\$ 105	\$ 236
Total	159	1,651	\$ 65,598	\$ 8,137	\$ 73,735	\$ 40	\$ 413	\$ 464
Hardin								
Felonies	116	1,320	\$ 65,512	\$ 1,986	\$ 67,498	\$ 50	\$ 565	\$ 582
Misdemeanors	206	792	\$ 40,459	\$ 192	\$ 40,651	\$ 51	\$ 196	\$ 197
Juvenile	159	888	\$ 45,520	\$ 235	\$ 45,755	\$ 51	\$ 286	\$ 288
Appeals	4	82	\$ 4,118	\$ 17	\$ 4,135	\$ 50	\$ 1,030	\$ 1,034
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	32	81	\$ 4,145	\$ 2	\$ 4,147	\$ 51	\$ 130	\$ 130
Other	31	97	\$ 4,949	\$ 1,591	\$ 6,540	\$ 51	\$ 160	\$ 211
Total	548	3,260	\$ 164,703	\$ 4,023	\$ 168,726	\$ 51	\$ 301	\$ 308
Harrison								
Felonies	11	197	\$ 8,213	\$ 117	\$ 8,330	\$ 42	\$ 747	\$ 757
Misdemeanors	6	24	\$ 1,057	\$ -	\$ 1,057	\$ 44	\$ 176	\$ 176
Juvenile	27	227	\$ 9,582	\$ -	\$ 9,582	\$ 42	\$ 355	\$ 355
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	5	25	\$ 772	\$ 14	\$ 786	\$ 31	\$ 154	\$ 157
Other	3	8	\$ 323	\$ 27	\$ 350	\$ 40	\$ 108	\$ 117
Total	52	481	\$ 19,947	\$ 158	\$ 20,105	\$ 41	\$ 384	\$ 387
Henry								
Felonies	49	609	\$ 25,925	\$ 652	\$ 26,577	\$ 43	\$ 529	\$ 542
Misdemeanors	183	986	\$ 41,237	\$ 108	\$ 41,345	\$ 42	\$ 225	\$ 226
Juvenile	82	767	\$ 23,794	\$ 7	\$ 23,801	\$ 31	\$ 290	\$ 290
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	88	403	\$ 16,267	\$ 12	\$ 16,279	\$ 40	\$ 185	\$ 185
Other	25	115	\$ 4,678	\$ 234	\$ 4,912	\$ 41	\$ 187	\$ 196
Total	427	2,880	\$ 111,901	\$ 1,013	\$ 112,914	\$ 39	\$ 262	\$ 264
Highland								
Felonies	245	3,418	\$ 119,654	\$ 280	\$ 119,934	\$ 35	\$ 488	\$ 490
Misdemeanors	536	2,838	\$ 99,254	\$ 31	\$ 99,285	\$ 35	\$ 185	\$ 185
Juvenile	239	1,207	\$ 41,790	\$ 5	\$ 41,795	\$ 35	\$ 175	\$ 175
Appeals	1	14	\$ 515	\$ -	\$ 515	\$ 37	\$ 515	\$ 515
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	147	573	\$ 20,045	\$ 2	\$ 20,047	\$ 35	\$ 136	\$ 136
Other	68	277	\$ 9,443	\$ 1,764	\$ 11,207	\$ 34	\$ 139	\$ 165
Total	1,236	8,327	\$ 290,701	\$ 2,082	\$ 292,783	\$ 35	\$ 235	\$ 237

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Hocking								
Felonies	124	965	\$ 40,609	\$ 321	\$ 40,930	\$ 42	\$ 327	\$ 330
Misdemeanors	365	1,840	\$ 76,413	\$ 409	\$ 76,822	\$ 42	\$ 209	\$ 210
Juvenile	112	1,252	\$ 43,355	\$ 832	\$ 44,187	\$ 35	\$ 387	\$ 395
Appeals	1	31	\$ 656	\$ -	\$ 656	\$ 21	\$ 656	\$ 656
Death Penalty	1	10	\$ 498	\$ -	\$ 498	\$ 50	\$ 498	\$ 498
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	196	882	\$ 35,331	\$ 16	\$ 35,347	\$ 40	\$ 180	\$ 180
Other	69	256	\$ 9,203	\$ 4,571	\$ 13,774	\$ 36	\$ 133	\$ 200
Total	868	5,236	\$ 206,065	\$ 6,149	\$ 212,214	\$ 39	\$ 237	\$ 244
Holmes								
Felonies	61	733	\$ 33,866	\$ 6,176	\$ 40,042	\$ 46	\$ 555	\$ 656
Misdemeanors	219	1,622	\$ 74,667	\$ -	\$ 74,667	\$ 46	\$ 341	\$ 341
Juvenile	105	1,290	\$ 50,579	\$ 1,623	\$ 52,202	\$ 39	\$ 482	\$ 497
Appeals	1	30	\$ 1,000	\$ -	\$ 1,000	\$ 33	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	52	251	\$ 11,864	\$ -	\$ 11,864	\$ 47	\$ 228	\$ 228
Other	57	289	\$ 13,604	\$ -	\$ 13,604	\$ 47	\$ 239	\$ 239
Total	495	4,215	\$ 185,580	\$ 7,799	\$ 193,379	\$ 44	\$ 375	\$ 391
Huron								
Felonies	43	675	\$ 34,973	\$ 73	\$ 35,046	\$ 52	\$ 813	\$ 815
Misdemeanors	6	39	\$ 2,028	\$ -	\$ 2,028	\$ 52	\$ 338	\$ 338
Juvenile	138	1,002	\$ 50,828	\$ -	\$ 50,828	\$ 51	\$ 368	\$ 368
Appeals	6	59	\$ 2,965	\$ 1	\$ 2,966	\$ 50	\$ 494	\$ 494
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	11	37	\$ 1,946	\$ 20	\$ 1,966	\$ 53	\$ 177	\$ 179
Other	10	15	\$ 812	\$ 883	\$ 1,695	\$ 54	\$ 81	\$ 170
Total	214	1,827	\$ 93,552	\$ 977	\$ 94,529	\$ 51	\$ 437	\$ 442
Jackson								
Juvenile	89	2,043	\$ 85,792	\$ 1,135	\$ 86,927	\$ 42	\$ 964	\$ 977
Other	2	-	\$ -	\$ 64	\$ 64	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 32
Total	91	2,043	\$ 85,792	\$ 1,199	\$ 86,991	\$ 42	\$ 943	\$ 956
Jefferson								
Felonies	119	3,642	\$ 135,531	\$ 3,262	\$ 138,793	\$ 37	\$ 1,139	\$ 1,166
Misdemeanors	94	553	\$ 23,109	\$ 180	\$ 23,289	\$ 42	\$ 246	\$ 248
Juvenile	181	1,555	\$ 61,464	\$ 13	\$ 61,477	\$ 40	\$ 340	\$ 340
Appeals	5	121	\$ 4,224	\$ 128	\$ 4,352	\$ 35	\$ 845	\$ 870
Death Penalty	1	834	\$ 33,743	\$ 7,183	\$ 40,926	\$ 40	\$ 33,743	\$ 40,926
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	340	1,980	\$ 84,040	\$ -	\$ 84,040	\$ 42	\$ 247	\$ 247
Other	35	178	\$ 7,204	\$ 8,091	\$ 15,295	\$ 40	\$ 206	\$ 437
Total	775	8,863	\$ 349,315	\$ 18,857	\$ 368,172	\$ 39	\$ 451	\$ 475
Knox								
Total	-	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Lake								
Felonies	106	2,529	\$ 74,212	\$ 255	\$ 74,467	\$ 29	\$ 700	\$ 703
Misdemeanors	70	429	\$ 19,199	\$ 8	\$ 19,207	\$ 45	\$ 274	\$ 274
Juvenile	590	9,133	\$ 388,744	\$ 10,331	\$ 399,075	\$ 43	\$ 659	\$ 676
Appeals	34	764	\$ 26,604	\$ 517	\$ 27,121	\$ 35	\$ 782	\$ 798
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	71	378	\$ 16,855	\$ 2	\$ 16,857	\$ 45	\$ 237	\$ 237
Other	33	212	\$ 6,967	\$ 15,256	\$ 22,223	\$ 33	\$ 211	\$ 673
Total	904	13,445	\$ 532,581	\$ 26,369	\$ 558,950	\$ 40	\$ 589	\$ 618
Lawrence								
Felonies	153	1,564	\$ 68,179	\$ -	\$ 68,179	\$ 44	\$ 446	\$ 446
Misdemeanors	561	2,002	\$ 88,762	\$ -	\$ 88,762	\$ 44	\$ 158	\$ 158
Juvenile	199	1,511	\$ 64,699	\$ 501	\$ 65,200	\$ 43	\$ 325	\$ 328
Appeals	6	226	\$ 9,048	\$ 80	\$ 9,128	\$ 40	\$ 1,508	\$ 1,521
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	161	537	\$ 23,681	\$ -	\$ 23,681	\$ 44	\$ 147	\$ 147
Other	68	296	\$ 12,231	\$ -	\$ 12,231	\$ 41	\$ 180	\$ 180
Total	1,148	6,136	\$ 266,600	\$ 581	\$ 267,181	\$ 43	\$ 232	\$ 233
Licking								
Felonies	546	8,445	\$ 301,597	\$ 8,276	\$ 309,873	\$ 36	\$ 552	\$ 568
Misdemeanors	1,069	7,025	\$ 248,238	\$ 131	\$ 248,369	\$ 35	\$ 232	\$ 232
Juvenile	544	6,044	\$ 224,736	\$ 10,187	\$ 234,923	\$ 37	\$ 413	\$ 432
Appeals	34	713	\$ 23,074	\$ 662	\$ 23,736	\$ 32	\$ 679	\$ 698
Death Penalty	2	3	\$ 107	\$ 6,293	\$ 6,400	\$ 36	\$ 54	\$ 3,200
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	4	44	\$ 1,556	\$ -	\$ 1,556	\$ 35	\$ 389	\$ 389
Other	277	1,216	\$ 42,432	\$ 29,434	\$ 71,866	\$ 35	\$ 153	\$ 259
Total	2,476	23,490	\$ 841,740	\$ 54,983	\$ 896,723	\$ 36	\$ 340	\$ 362
Logan								
Felonies	196	1,812	\$ 92,749	\$ 8,608	\$ 101,357	\$ 51	\$ 473	\$ 517
Misdemeanors	378	1,170	\$ 62,416	\$ 27	\$ 62,443	\$ 53	\$ 165	\$ 165
Juvenile	103	878	\$ 46,719	\$ 4,653	\$ 51,372	\$ 53	\$ 454	\$ 499
Appeals	9	160	\$ 7,432	\$ -	\$ 7,432	\$ 46	\$ 826	\$ 826
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	163	280	\$ 15,383	\$ 4	\$ 15,387	\$ 55	\$ 94	\$ 94
Other	100	360	\$ 18,780	\$ 1,304	\$ 20,084	\$ 52	\$ 188	\$ 201
Total	949	4,660	\$ 243,479	\$ 14,596	\$ 258,075	\$ 52	\$ 257	\$ 272
Lorain								
Felonies	1,610	21,455	\$ 949,826	\$ 24,756	\$ 974,582	\$ 44	\$ 590	\$ 605
Misdemeanors	1,453	6,148	\$ 267,667	\$ 654	\$ 268,321	\$ 44	\$ 184	\$ 185
Juvenile	1,360	12,235	\$ 385,351	\$ 7,337	\$ 392,688	\$ 31	\$ 283	\$ 289
Appeals	33	716	\$ 23,438	\$ 5,783	\$ 29,221	\$ 33	\$ 710	\$ 885
Death Penalty	3	190	\$ 7,904	\$ 5,443	\$ 13,347	\$ 42	\$ 2,635	\$ 4,449
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	461	1,629	\$ 72,443	\$ 32	\$ 72,475	\$ 44	\$ 157	\$ 157
Other	336	1,335	\$ 57,049	\$ 17,231	\$ 74,280	\$ 43	\$ 170	\$ 221
Total	5,256	43,708	\$ 1,763,678	\$ 61,236	\$ 1,824,914	\$ 40	\$ 336	\$ 347

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Lucas								
Felonies	1,073	15,550	\$ 673,307	\$ 24,877	\$ 698,184	\$ 43	\$ 627	\$ 651
Misdemeanors	54	301	\$ 10,901	\$ 17	\$ 10,918	\$ 36	\$ 202	\$ 202
Juvenile	3,916	45,661	\$ 1,664,144	\$ 8,938	\$ 1,673,082	\$ 36	\$ 425	\$ 427
Appeals	95	2,674	\$ 88,169	\$ 319	\$ 88,488	\$ 33	\$ 928	\$ 931
Death Penalty	3	775	\$ 60,000	\$ 31,154	\$ 91,154	\$ 77	\$ 20,000	\$ 30,385
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	6	23	\$ 912	\$ -	\$ 912	\$ 40	\$ 152	\$ 152
Other	531	2,912	\$ 120,224	\$ 86,547	\$ 206,771	\$ 41	\$ 226	\$ 389
Total	5,678	67,896	\$ 2,617,657	\$ 151,852	\$ 2,769,509	\$ 39	\$ 461	\$ 488
Madison								
Felonies	112	1,351	\$ 69,991	\$ 380	\$ 70,371	\$ 52	\$ 625	\$ 628
Misdemeanors	502	3,114	\$ 164,707	\$ -	\$ 164,707	\$ 53	\$ 328	\$ 328
Juvenile	60	541	\$ 28,186	\$ 1,054	\$ 29,240	\$ 52	\$ 470	\$ 487
Appeals	6	139	\$ 4,320	\$ 1,338	\$ 5,658	\$ 31	\$ 720	\$ 943
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	45	143	\$ 7,564	\$ 107	\$ 7,671	\$ 53	\$ 168	\$ 170
Other	35	132	\$ 6,769	\$ 86	\$ 6,855	\$ 51	\$ 193	\$ 196
Total	760	5,420	\$ 281,537	\$ 2,965	\$ 284,502	\$ 52	\$ 370	\$ 374
Mahoning								
Felonies	1,218	19,614	\$ 654,379	\$ 39,858	\$ 694,237	\$ 33	\$ 537	\$ 570
Misdemeanors	3,070	18,058	\$ 607,097	\$ 383	\$ 607,480	\$ 34	\$ 198	\$ 198
Juvenile	514	5,226	\$ 173,360	\$ 1,418	\$ 174,778	\$ 33	\$ 337	\$ 340
Appeals	84	825	\$ 30,846	\$ 16,970	\$ 47,816	\$ 37	\$ 367	\$ 569
Death Penalty	3	584	\$ 29,317	\$ 713	\$ 30,030	\$ 50	\$ 9,772	\$ 10,010
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	362	2,006	\$ 67,137	\$ 6	\$ 67,143	\$ 33	\$ 185	\$ 185
Other	502	2,565	\$ 85,070	\$ 20,026	\$ 105,096	\$ 33	\$ 169	\$ 209
Total	5,753	48,878	\$ 1,647,206	\$ 79,374	\$ 1,726,580	\$ 34	\$ 286	\$ 300
Marion								
Felonies	395	3,421	\$ 179,890	\$ 3,597	\$ 183,487	\$ 53	\$ 455	\$ 465
Misdemeanors	501	1,437	\$ 77,142	\$ 183	\$ 77,325	\$ 54	\$ 154	\$ 154
Juvenile	279	1,702	\$ 88,451	\$ -	\$ 88,451	\$ 52	\$ 317	\$ 317
Appeals	14	387	\$ 17,620	\$ 40	\$ 17,660	\$ 46	\$ 1,259	\$ 1,261
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	10	66	\$ 1,538	\$ -	\$ 1,538	\$ 23	\$ 154	\$ 154
Other	153	442	\$ 23,317	\$ 3,957	\$ 27,274	\$ 53	\$ 152	\$ 178
Total	1,352	7,455	\$ 387,958	\$ 7,777	\$ 395,735	\$ 52	\$ 287	\$ 293
Medina								
Felonies	444	7,286	\$ 307,145	\$ 75,009	\$ 382,154	\$ 42	\$ 692	\$ 861
Misdemeanors	63	477	\$ 19,935	\$ 9	\$ 19,944	\$ 42	\$ 316	\$ 317
Juvenile	461	4,815	\$ 200,492	\$ 552	\$ 201,044	\$ 42	\$ 435	\$ 436
Appeals	10	308	\$ 9,564	\$ 132	\$ 9,696	\$ 31	\$ 956	\$ 970
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	59	195	\$ 8,118	\$ 1	\$ 8,119	\$ 42	\$ 138	\$ 138
Other	186	864	\$ 35,206	\$ 15,975	\$ 51,181	\$ 41	\$ 189	\$ 275
Total	1,223	13,945	\$ 580,460	\$ 91,678	\$ 672,138	\$ 42	\$ 475	\$ 550
Meigs								
Felonies	2	16	\$ 700	\$ -	\$ 700	\$ 44	\$ 350	\$ 350
Juvenile	3	15	\$ 710	\$ -	\$ 710	\$ 47	\$ 237	\$ 237
Other	1	4	\$ 150	\$ -	\$ 150	\$ 38	\$ 150	\$ 150
Total	6	35	\$ 1,560	\$ -	\$ 1,560	\$ 45	\$ 260	\$ 260

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Mercer								
Felonies	114	1,245	\$ 64,546	\$ 4,500	\$ 69,046	\$ 52	\$ 566	\$ 606
Misdemeanors	72	376	\$ 18,812	\$ -	\$ 18,812	\$ 50	\$ 261	\$ 261
Juvenile	69	680	\$ 33,632	\$ 2,015	\$ 35,647	\$ 49	\$ 487	\$ 517
Appeals	5	89	\$ 4,104	\$ 150	\$ 4,254	\$ 46	\$ 821	\$ 851
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	5	13	\$ 649	\$ 2,366	\$ 3,015	\$ 50	\$ 130	\$ 603
Other	32	116	\$ 5,756	\$ 171	\$ 5,927	\$ 50	\$ 180	\$ 185
Total	297	2,519	\$ 127,499	\$ 9,202	\$ 136,701	\$ 51	\$ 429	\$ 460
Miami								
Felonies	31	423	\$ 16,343	\$ 8	\$ 16,351	\$ 39	\$ 527	\$ 527
Misdemeanors	32	161	\$ 6,708	\$ 13	\$ 6,721	\$ 42	\$ 210	\$ 210
Juvenile	69	1,058	\$ 41,157	\$ 1,913	\$ 43,070	\$ 39	\$ 596	\$ 624
Appeals	8	218	\$ 8,036	\$ 29	\$ 8,065	\$ 37	\$ 1,005	\$ 1,008
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	35	166	\$ 6,699	\$ 1	\$ 6,700	\$ 40	\$ 191	\$ 191
Other	2	5	\$ 211	\$ -	\$ 211	\$ 42	\$ 106	\$ 106
Total	177	2,031	\$ 79,154	\$ 1,964	\$ 81,118	\$ 39	\$ 447	\$ 458
Monroe								
Felonies	18	401	\$ 18,619	\$ 888	\$ 19,507	\$ 46	\$ 1,034	\$ 1,084
Misdemeanors	10	54	\$ 2,765	\$ -	\$ 2,765	\$ 51	\$ 277	\$ 277
Juvenile	17	278	\$ 14,583	\$ 9	\$ 14,592	\$ 52	\$ 858	\$ 858
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	4	35	\$ 1,760	\$ 33	\$ 1,793	\$ 50	\$ 440	\$ 448
Other	3	18	\$ 909	\$ -	\$ 909	\$ 51	\$ 303	\$ 303
Total	52	786	\$ 38,636	\$ 930	\$ 39,566	\$ 49	\$ 743	\$ 761
Montgomery								
Felonies	1,802	24,284	\$ 1,192,180	\$ 99,475	\$ 1,291,655	\$ 49	\$ 662	\$ 717
Misdemeanors	319	1,639	\$ 86,137	\$ 173	\$ 86,310	\$ 53	\$ 270	\$ 271
Juvenile	2,221	27,895	\$ 1,116,209	\$ 14,735	\$ 1,130,944	\$ 40	\$ 503	\$ 509
Appeals	180	3,394	\$ 161,131	\$ 33,232	\$ 194,363	\$ 47	\$ 895	\$ 1,080
Death Penalty	1	779	\$ 74,034	\$ 5,022	\$ 79,056	\$ 95	\$ 74,034	\$ 79,056
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	47	143	\$ 7,650	\$ 4	\$ 7,654	\$ 53	\$ 163	\$ 163
Other	437	2,937	\$ 149,790	\$ 87,188	\$ 236,978	\$ 51	\$ 343	\$ 542
Total	5,007	61,071	\$ 2,787,131	\$ 239,829	\$ 3,026,960	\$ 46	\$ 557	\$ 605
Morgan								
Felonies	48	732	\$ 30,047	\$ 15	\$ 30,062	\$ 41	\$ 626	\$ 626
Misdemeanors	106	494	\$ 20,804	\$ 145	\$ 20,949	\$ 42	\$ 196	\$ 198
Juvenile	26	319	\$ 12,059	\$ 141	\$ 12,200	\$ 38	\$ 464	\$ 469
Appeals	4	-	\$ -	\$ 341	\$ 341	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 85
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	3	11	\$ 482	\$ 1	\$ 483	\$ 44	\$ 161	\$ 161
Other	12	73	\$ 2,826	\$ 1,596	\$ 4,422	\$ 39	\$ 236	\$ 369
Total	199	1,629	\$ 66,218	\$ 2,239	\$ 68,457	\$ 41	\$ 333	\$ 344

Table X (continued)

	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Morrow								
Felonies	100	1,061	\$ 56,418	\$ 3	\$ 56,421	\$ 53	\$ 564	\$ 564
Misdemeanors	189	1,076	\$ 54,061	\$ 35	\$ 54,096	\$ 50	\$ 286	\$ 286
Juvenile	111	1,132	\$ 55,609	\$ 71	\$ 55,680	\$ 49	\$ 501	\$ 502
Appeals	1	13	\$ 500	\$ -	\$ 500	\$ 38	\$ 500	\$ 500
Death Penalty	2	466	\$ 44,073	\$ 9,550	\$ 53,623	\$ 95	\$ 22,037	\$ 26,812
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	11	51	\$ 2,125	\$ -	\$ 2,125	\$ 42	\$ 193	\$ 193
Other	74	413	\$ 21,340	\$ 2	\$ 21,342	\$ 52	\$ 288	\$ 288
Total	488	4,212	\$ 234,126	\$ 9,661	\$ 243,787	\$ 56	\$ 480	\$ 500
Muskingum								
Felonies	307	4,388	\$ 179,480	\$ 2,175	\$ 181,655	\$ 41	\$ 585	\$ 592
Misdemeanors	280	2,031	\$ 80,468	\$ 272	\$ 80,740	\$ 40	\$ 287	\$ 288
Juvenile	499	6,822	\$ 281,540	\$ 18,256	\$ 299,796	\$ 41	\$ 564	\$ 601
Appeals	16	309	\$ 10,820	\$ 3,868	\$ 14,688	\$ 35	\$ 676	\$ 918
Death Penalty	1	265	\$ 10,614	\$ 11,398	\$ 22,012	\$ 40	\$ 10,614	\$ 22,012
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	6	41	\$ 1,534	\$ -	\$ 1,534	\$ 37	\$ 256	\$ 256
Other	153	682	\$ 28,116	\$ 151	\$ 28,267	\$ 41	\$ 184	\$ 185
Total	1,262	14,538	\$ 592,572	\$ 36,120	\$ 628,692	\$ 41	\$ 470	\$ 498
Noble								
Felonies	27	215	\$ 9,117	\$ -	\$ 9,117	\$ 42	\$ 338	\$ 338
Misdemeanors	75	333	\$ 13,884	\$ -	\$ 13,884	\$ 42	\$ 185	\$ 185
Juvenile	19	71	\$ 2,989	\$ -	\$ 2,989	\$ 42	\$ 157	\$ 157
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	13	32	\$ 1,352	\$ -	\$ 1,352	\$ 42	\$ 104	\$ 104
Other	18	36	\$ 1,561	\$ 249	\$ 1,810	\$ 43	\$ 87	\$ 101
Total	152	687	\$ 28,903	\$ 249	\$ 29,152	\$ 42	\$ 190	\$ 192
Ottawa								
Felonies	120	2,257	\$ 86,832	\$ 1,707	\$ 88,539	\$ 38	\$ 724	\$ 738
Misdemeanors	281	2,014	\$ 83,406	\$ -	\$ 83,406	\$ 41	\$ 297	\$ 297
Juvenile	112	1,183	\$ 45,375	\$ 153	\$ 45,528	\$ 38	\$ 405	\$ 407
Appeals	9	220	\$ 6,348	\$ 104	\$ 6,452	\$ 29	\$ 705	\$ 717
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	48	313	\$ 12,491	\$ -	\$ 12,491	\$ 40	\$ 260	\$ 260
Other	26	177	\$ 7,297	\$ 900	\$ 8,197	\$ 41	\$ 281	\$ 315
Total	596	6,164	\$ 241,749	\$ 2,864	\$ 244,613	\$ 39	\$ 406	\$ 410
Paulding								
Felonies	45	521	\$ 21,784	\$ 5,162	\$ 26,946	\$ 42	\$ 484	\$ 599
Misdemeanors	33	190	\$ 8,069	\$ 40	\$ 8,109	\$ 42	\$ 245	\$ 246
Juvenile	34	267	\$ 11,192	\$ 50	\$ 11,242	\$ 42	\$ 329	\$ 331
Appeals	2	36	\$ 1,425	\$ -	\$ 1,425	\$ 40	\$ 713	\$ 713
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	5	28	\$ 1,160	\$ -	\$ 1,160	\$ 41	\$ 232	\$ 232
Other	7	37	\$ 1,185	\$ 12	\$ 1,197	\$ 32	\$ 169	\$ 171
Total	126	1,079	\$ 44,815	\$ 5,264	\$ 50,079	\$ 42	\$ 356	\$ 397

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Perry								
Felonies	53	657	\$ 24,056	\$ 13,118	\$ 37,174	\$ 37	\$ 454	\$ 701
Misdemeanors	207	1,133	\$ 40,917	\$ -	\$ 40,917	\$ 36	\$ 198	\$ 198
Juvenile	60	395	\$ 14,068	\$ -	\$ 14,068	\$ 36	\$ 234	\$ 234
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	31	77	\$ 2,932	\$ -	\$ 2,932	\$ 38	\$ 95	\$ 95
Other	30	121	\$ 4,128	\$ 616	\$ 4,744	\$ 34	\$ 138	\$ 158
Total	381	2,383	\$ 86,101	\$ 13,734	\$ 99,835	\$ 36	\$ 226	\$ 262
Pickaway								
Juvenile	28	80	\$ 2,457	\$ -	\$ 2,457	\$ 31	\$ 88	\$ 88
Appeals	1	5	\$ 64	\$ -	\$ 64	\$ 13	\$ 64	\$ 64
Total	29	85	\$ 2,521	\$ -	\$ 2,521	\$ 30	\$ 87	\$ 87
Pike								
Felonies	43	353	\$ 15,954	\$ 184	\$ 16,138	\$ 45	\$ 371	\$ 375
Juvenile	39	226	\$ 9,435	\$ -	\$ 9,435	\$ 42	\$ 242	\$ 242
Other	14	45	\$ 1,688	\$ 2,187	\$ 3,875	\$ 38	\$ 121	\$ 277
Total	96	624	\$ 27,077	\$ 2,371	\$ 29,448	\$ 43	\$ 282	\$ 307
Portage								
Felonies	214	3,332	\$ 130,589	\$ 3,317	\$ 133,906	\$ 39	\$ 610	\$ 626
Misdemeanors	68	423	\$ 17,489	\$ 1	\$ 17,490	\$ 41	\$ 257	\$ 257
Juvenile	266	3,767	\$ 153,319	\$ 2,432	\$ 155,751	\$ 41	\$ 576	\$ 586
Appeals	27	700	\$ 23,920	\$ 441	\$ 24,361	\$ 34	\$ 886	\$ 902
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	32	137	\$ 5,529	\$ -	\$ 5,529	\$ 40	\$ 173	\$ 173
Other	48	164	\$ 7,107	\$ 14,791	\$ 21,898	\$ 43	\$ 148	\$ 456
Total	655	8,523	\$ 337,953	\$ 20,982	\$ 358,935	\$ 40	\$ 516	\$ 548
Preble								
Felonies	173	2,179	\$ 105,015	\$ -	\$ 105,015	\$ 48	\$ 607	\$ 607
Misdemeanors	260	1,267	\$ 63,235	\$ -	\$ 63,235	\$ 50	\$ 243	\$ 243
Juvenile	98	1,025	\$ 50,153	\$ 19	\$ 50,172	\$ 49	\$ 512	\$ 512
Appeals	4	61	\$ 3,008	\$ 16	\$ 3,024	\$ 49	\$ 752	\$ 756
Death Penalty	1	-	\$ -	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 200
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	16	66	\$ 3,287	\$ -	\$ 3,287	\$ 50	\$ 205	\$ 205
Other	65	321	\$ 15,661	\$ 4,280	\$ 19,941	\$ 49	\$ 241	\$ 307
Total	617	4,919	\$ 240,359	\$ 4,515	\$ 244,874	\$ 49	\$ 390	\$ 397
Putnam								
Felonies	67	703	\$ 36,521	\$ 2,986	\$ 39,507	\$ 52	\$ 545	\$ 590
Misdemeanors	134	742	\$ 39,302	\$ -	\$ 39,302	\$ 53	\$ 293	\$ 293
Juvenile	76	457	\$ 21,866	\$ 42	\$ 21,908	\$ 48	\$ 288	\$ 288
Appeals	8	99	\$ 4,884	\$ -	\$ 4,884	\$ 49	\$ 611	\$ 611
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	24	90	\$ 4,764	\$ -	\$ 4,764	\$ 53	\$ 199	\$ 199
Other	38	173	\$ 8,358	\$ -	\$ 8,358	\$ 48	\$ 220	\$ 220
Total	347	2,264	\$ 115,695	\$ 3,028	\$ 118,723	\$ 51	\$ 333	\$ 342

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Richland								
Felonies	795	10,506	\$ 548,589	\$ 10,854	\$ 559,443	\$ 52	\$ 690	\$ 704
Misdemeanors	1,575	9,373	\$ 498,312	\$ 267	\$ 498,579	\$ 53	\$ 316	\$ 317
Juvenile	557	4,960	\$ 261,828	\$ 2,147	\$ 263,975	\$ 53	\$ 470	\$ 474
Appeals	20	536	\$ 23,352	\$ 26	\$ 23,378	\$ 44	\$ 1,168	\$ 1,169
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	167	677	\$ 35,558	\$ -	\$ 35,558	\$ 53	\$ 213	\$ 213
Other	209	955	\$ 49,368	\$ 34,880	\$ 84,248	\$ 52	\$ 236	\$ 403
Total	3,323	27,007	\$ 1,417,007	\$ 48,174	\$ 1,465,181	\$ 52	\$ 426	\$ 441
Ross								
Felonies	24	201	\$ 9,051	\$ 2,197	\$ 11,248	\$ 45	\$ 377	\$ 469
Misdemeanors	12	23	\$ 1,238	\$ -	\$ 1,238	\$ 54	\$ 103	\$ 103
Juvenile	292	1,283	\$ 55,801	\$ 839	\$ 56,640	\$ 43	\$ 191	\$ 194
Appeals	12	251	\$ 10,032	\$ 696	\$ 10,728	\$ 40	\$ 836	\$ 894
Death Penalty	2	553	\$ 22,588	\$ 558	\$ 23,146	\$ 41	\$ 11,294	\$ 11,573
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	2	4	\$ 200	\$ -	\$ 200	\$ 50	\$ 100	\$ 100
Other	32	12	\$ 646	\$ 5,461	\$ 6,107	\$ 54	\$ 20	\$ 191
Total	376	2,327	\$ 99,556	\$ 9,751	\$ 109,307	\$ 43	\$ 265	\$ 291
Sandusky								
Felonies	197	2,596	\$ 123,527	\$ -	\$ 123,527	\$ 48	\$ 627	\$ 627
Misdemeanors	522	2,158	\$ 103,264	\$ 391	\$ 103,655	\$ 48	\$ 198	\$ 199
Juvenile	218	2,452	\$ 115,485	\$ -	\$ 115,485	\$ 47	\$ 530	\$ 530
Appeals	8	123	\$ 5,253	\$ -	\$ 5,253	\$ 43	\$ 657	\$ 657
Death Penalty	1	-	\$ -	\$ 17,756	\$ 17,756	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 17,756
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	122	478	\$ 22,638	\$ -	\$ 22,638	\$ 47	\$ 186	\$ 186
Other	76	272	\$ 12,969	\$ 718	\$ 13,687	\$ 48	\$ 171	\$ 180
Total	1,144	8,079	\$ 383,136	\$ 18,865	\$ 402,001	\$ 47	\$ 335	\$ 351
Scioto								
Felonies	707	4,446	\$ 148,755	\$ 817	\$ 149,572	\$ 33	\$ 210	\$ 212
Misdemeanors	1,312	4,283	\$ 141,558	\$ 1	\$ 141,559	\$ 33	\$ 108	\$ 108
Juvenile	315	2,405	\$ 79,625	\$ 217	\$ 79,842	\$ 33	\$ 253	\$ 253
Appeals	15	580	\$ 12,785	\$ 112	\$ 12,897	\$ 22	\$ 852	\$ 860
Death Penalty	1	2	\$ 73	\$ -	\$ 73	\$ 37	\$ 73	\$ 73
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	647	1,407	\$ 47,922	\$ -	\$ 47,922	\$ 34	\$ 74	\$ 74
Other	256	651	\$ 21,244	\$ -	\$ 21,244	\$ 33	\$ 83	\$ 83
Total	3,253	13,774	\$ 451,962	\$ 1,147	\$ 453,109	\$ 33	\$ 139	\$ 139
Seneca								
Felonies	197	2,741	\$ 112,298	\$ 7,032	\$ 119,330	\$ 41	\$ 570	\$ 606
Misdemeanors	310	1,871	\$ 72,499	\$ 296	\$ 72,795	\$ 39	\$ 234	\$ 235
Juvenile	308	6,953	\$ 239,921	\$ 8,950	\$ 248,871	\$ 35	\$ 779	\$ 808
Appeals	22	403	\$ 16,120	\$ 3,633	\$ 19,753	\$ 40	\$ 733	\$ 898
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	112	527	\$ 20,876	\$ 224	\$ 21,100	\$ 40	\$ 186	\$ 188
Other	123	527	\$ 21,590	\$ 5,690	\$ 27,280	\$ 41	\$ 176	\$ 222
Total	1,072	13,022	\$ 483,304	\$ 25,825	\$ 509,129	\$ 37	\$ 451	\$ 475

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Stark								
Felonies	244	3,761	\$ 157,271	\$ 1,601	\$ 158,872	\$ 42	\$ 645	\$ 651
Misdemeanors	242	1,204	\$ 49,923	\$ 16	\$ 49,939	\$ 41	\$ 206	\$ 206
Juvenile	1,113	11,786	\$ 419,881	\$ 261	\$ 420,142	\$ 36	\$ 377	\$ 377
Appeals	68	1,242	\$ 47,863	\$ 69	\$ 47,932	\$ 39	\$ 704	\$ 705
Death Penalty	3	1,276	\$ 52,628	\$ -	\$ 52,628	\$ 41	\$ 17,543	\$ 17,543
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	128	517	\$ 20,389	\$ -	\$ 20,389	\$ 39	\$ 159	\$ 159
Other	17	82	\$ 3,082	\$ 819	\$ 3,901	\$ 38	\$ 181	\$ 229
Total	1,815	19,868	\$ 751,037	\$ 2,766	\$ 753,803	\$ 38	\$ 414	\$ 415
Summit								
Felonies	3,578	48,094	\$ 1,907,122	\$ 22,950	\$ 1,930,072	\$ 40	\$ 533	\$ 539
Misdemeanors	35	156	\$ 6,838	\$ -	\$ 6,838	\$ 44	\$ 195	\$ 195
Juvenile	1,294	24,423	\$ 1,030,133	\$ 181	\$ 1,030,314	\$ 42	\$ 796	\$ 796
Appeals	87	2,508	\$ 87,747	\$ -	\$ 87,747	\$ 35	\$ 1,009	\$ 1,009
Death Penalty	7	2,342	\$ 87,268	\$ 32,739	\$ 120,007	\$ 37	\$ 12,467	\$ 17,144
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	178	880	\$ 37,453	\$ -	\$ 37,453	\$ 43	\$ 210	\$ 210
Other	834	5,905	\$ 231,389	\$ 18,265	\$ 249,654	\$ 39	\$ 277	\$ 299
Total	6,013	84,308	\$ 3,387,950	\$ 74,135	\$ 3,462,085	\$ 40	\$ 563	\$ 576
Trumbull								
Felonies	24	323	\$ 10,290	\$ 16,741	\$ 27,031	\$ 32	\$ 429	\$ 1,126
Misdemeanors	56	181	\$ 8,147	\$ 1	\$ 8,148	\$ 45	\$ 145	\$ 146
Juvenile	126	1,250	\$ 42,385	\$ 3,573	\$ 45,958	\$ 34	\$ 336	\$ 365
Appeals	5	79	\$ 3,152	\$ -	\$ 3,152	\$ 40	\$ 630	\$ 630
Death Penalty	4	216	\$ 8,500	\$ 16,579	\$ 25,079	\$ 39	\$ 2,125	\$ 6,270
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	39	125	\$ 5,488	\$ -	\$ 5,488	\$ 44	\$ 141	\$ 141
Other	26	14	\$ 613	\$ 16,552	\$ 17,165	\$ 44	\$ 24	\$ 660
Total	280	2,188	\$ 78,575	\$ 53,446	\$ 132,021	\$ 36	\$ 281	\$ 472
Tuscarawas								
Felonies	71	837	\$ 39,096	\$ 65	\$ 39,161	\$ 47	\$ 551	\$ 552
Misdemeanors	65	302	\$ 14,860	\$ -	\$ 14,860	\$ 49	\$ 229	\$ 229
Juvenile	172	2,358	\$ 104,297	\$ 1,179	\$ 105,476	\$ 44	\$ 606	\$ 613
Appeals	15	399	\$ 14,145	\$ 406	\$ 14,551	\$ 35	\$ 943	\$ 970
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	14	50	\$ 2,534	\$ -	\$ 2,534	\$ 51	\$ 181	\$ 181
Other	15	79	\$ 3,433	\$ -	\$ 3,433	\$ 43	\$ 229	\$ 229
Total	352	4,025	\$ 178,365	\$ 1,650	\$ 180,015	\$ 44	\$ 507	\$ 511
Van Wert								
Felonies	1	21	\$ 965	\$ 1,302	\$ 2,267	\$ 46	\$ 965	\$ 2,267
Misdemeanors	110	456	\$ 24,139	\$ -	\$ 24,139	\$ 53	\$ 219	\$ 219
Juvenile	23	122	\$ 5,497	\$ -	\$ 5,497	\$ 45	\$ 239	\$ 239
Appeals	1	-	\$ -	\$ 63	\$ 63	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 63
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	20	92	\$ 4,375	\$ -	\$ 4,375	\$ 48	\$ 219	\$ 219
Other	2	-	\$ -	\$ 1,086	\$ 1,086	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 543
Total	157	691	\$ 34,976	\$ 2,451	\$ 37,427	\$ 51	\$ 223	\$ 238

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Vinton								
Felonies	84	838	\$ 25,805	\$ 3,092	\$ 28,897	\$ 31	\$ 307	\$ 344
Misdemeanors	261	1,347	\$ 42,316	\$ -	\$ 42,316	\$ 31	\$ 162	\$ 162
Juvenile	153	1,561	\$ 37,118	\$ 459	\$ 37,577	\$ 24	\$ 243	\$ 246
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	73	250	\$ 7,976	\$ -	\$ 7,976	\$ 32	\$ 109	\$ 109
Other	27	162	\$ 4,453	\$ 6	\$ 4,459	\$ 27	\$ 165	\$ 165
Total	598	4,158	\$ 117,668	\$ 3,557	\$ 121,225	\$ 28	\$ 197	\$ 203
Warren								
Felonies	448	6,019	\$ 297,369	\$ 10,871	\$ 308,240	\$ 49	\$ 664	\$ 688
Misdemeanors	730	2,606	\$ 140,696	\$ 34	\$ 140,730	\$ 54	\$ 193	\$ 193
Juvenile	463	4,051	\$ 194,270	\$ 136	\$ 194,406	\$ 48	\$ 420	\$ 420
Appeals	18	478	\$ 20,480	\$ 84	\$ 20,564	\$ 43	\$ 1,138	\$ 1,142
Death Penalty	1	-	\$ -	\$ 1,300	\$ 1,300	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,300
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	141	342	\$ 19,171	\$ 1	\$ 19,172	\$ 56	\$ 136	\$ 136
Other	188	623	\$ 30,681	\$ 14,805	\$ 45,486	\$ 49	\$ 163	\$ 242
Total	1,989	14,119	\$ 702,667	\$ 27,231	\$ 729,898	\$ 50	\$ 353	\$ 367
Washington								
Felonies	7	148	\$ 7,143	\$ 1,276	\$ 8,419	\$ 48	\$ 1,020	\$ 1,203
Juvenile	152	898	\$ 33,494	\$ 1,312	\$ 34,806	\$ 37	\$ 220	\$ 229
Appeals	3	-	\$ -	\$ 1,035	\$ 1,035	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 345
Other	62	120	\$ 3,723	\$ 9,867	\$ 13,590	\$ 31	\$ 60	\$ 219
Total	224	1,166	\$ 44,360	\$ 13,490	\$ 57,850	\$ 38	\$ 198	\$ 258
Wayne								
Felonies	97	1,237	\$ 48,363	\$ 1,953	\$ 50,316	\$ 39	\$ 499	\$ 519
Misdemeanors	62	367	\$ 15,666	\$ -	\$ 15,666	\$ 43	\$ 253	\$ 253
Juvenile	216	2,901	\$ 122,616	\$ 1,353	\$ 123,969	\$ 42	\$ 568	\$ 574
Appeals	13	258	\$ 8,847	\$ 5	\$ 8,852	\$ 34	\$ 681	\$ 681
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	6	22	\$ 951	\$ -	\$ 951	\$ 43	\$ 159	\$ 159
Other	12	39	\$ 1,644	\$ -	\$ 1,644	\$ 42	\$ 137	\$ 137
Total	406	4,824	\$ 198,087	\$ 3,311	\$ 201,398	\$ 41	\$ 488	\$ 496
Williams								
Felonies	161	1,251	\$ 60,793	\$ 557	\$ 61,350	\$ 49	\$ 378	\$ 381
Juvenile	80	453	\$ 21,845	\$ 504	\$ 22,349	\$ 48	\$ 273	\$ 279
Appeals	2	45	\$ 2,115	\$ 145	\$ 2,260	\$ 47	\$ 1,058	\$ 1,130
Other	13	15	\$ 779	\$ 1,374	\$ 2,153	\$ 52	\$ 60	\$ 166
Total	256	1,764	\$ 85,532	\$ 2,580	\$ 88,112	\$ 48	\$ 334	\$ 344
Wood								
Felonies	158	2,651	\$ 92,782	\$ 11,459	\$ 104,241	\$ 35	\$ 587	\$ 660
Misdemeanors	260	1,566	\$ 67,179	\$ 32	\$ 67,211	\$ 43	\$ 258	\$ 259
Juvenile	326	1,817	\$ 74,009	\$ 38	\$ 74,047	\$ 41	\$ 227	\$ 227
Appeals	22	822	\$ 24,874	\$ 747	\$ 25,621	\$ 30	\$ 1,131	\$ 1,165
Death Penalty	2	210	\$ 8,408	\$ 15,672	\$ 24,080	\$ 40	\$ 4,204	\$ 12,040
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	102	495	\$ 21,292	\$ 6	\$ 21,298	\$ 43	\$ 209	\$ 209
Other	98	401	\$ 16,494	\$ 10,471	\$ 26,965	\$ 41	\$ 168	\$ 275
Total	968	7,962	\$ 305,038	\$ 38,425	\$ 343,463	\$ 38	\$ 315	\$ 355

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/Hour	Avg. Fees/Case	Avg. Cost/Case
Wyandot								
Felonies	91	1,024	\$ 52,353	\$ 86	\$ 52,439	\$ 51	\$ 575	\$ 576
Misdemeanors	120	450	\$ 23,386	\$ -	\$ 23,386	\$ 52	\$ 195	\$ 195
Juvenile	4	16	\$ 769	\$ -	\$ 769	\$ 48	\$ 192	\$ 192
Appeals	6	139	\$ 5,963	\$ -	\$ 5,963	\$ 43	\$ 994	\$ 994
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	40	172	\$ 8,484	\$ -	\$ 8,484	\$ 49	\$ 212	\$ 212
Other	17	86	\$ 4,028	\$ -	\$ 4,028	\$ 47	\$ 237	\$ 237
Total	278	1,887	\$ 94,983	\$ 86	\$ 95,069	\$ 50	\$ 342	\$ 342
Summary								
Felonies	36,755	526,441	\$ 21,318,068	\$ 848,481	\$ 22,166,549	\$ 40	\$ 580	\$ 603
Misdemeanors	32,158	156,972	\$ 6,538,216	\$ 11,820	\$ 6,550,036	\$ 42	\$ 203	\$ 204
Juvenile	39,670	461,320	\$ 19,029,416	\$ 214,907	\$ 19,244,323	\$ 41	\$ 480	\$ 485
Appeals	2,141	48,247	\$ 1,798,285	\$ 160,562	\$ 1,958,847	\$ 37	\$ 840	\$ 915
Death Penalty	87	26,898	\$ 1,213,966	\$ 485,934	\$ 1,699,900	\$ 45	\$ 13,954	\$ 19,539
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	9,390	32,383	\$ 1,347,794	\$ 5,560	\$ 1,353,354	\$ 42	\$ 144	\$ 144
Other	13,646	65,219	\$ 2,685,191	\$ 912,734	\$ 3,597,925	\$ 41	\$ 197	\$ 264
Total	133,847	1,317,480	\$ 53,930,936	\$ 2,639,998	\$ 56,570,934	\$ 41	\$ 403	\$ 423