The Supreme Court of Montana

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MEMORANDUM

TO: District Court Court Reporters

Brett Schandelson, Office of the Public Defender

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FROM: Beth McLaughlin

Supreme Court Administrator

DATE: September 8, 2022

RE: Transcript Fees (updated from 6/27/22 memo to include adjustment to first copy rate)

The Office of Court Administrator (OCA) is required to determine whether an increase to the transcript fees must be made in each even-numbered year. The rate (as detailed in 3-5-604, MCA) is based on a calculation using the consumer price index. The new rates are effective on July 1, 2023.

Effective July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2025, the following rates apply to transcripts:

- Ordinary Transcript rate per page (furnished to any state or local government agency); \$2.35
- Ordinary Transcript rate per page (furnished to any non-governmental party): \$2.90
- Expedited Transcript rate per page: \$4.70
- Daily Transcript rate per page: \$5.85
- Per page rate for first copy to each party: \$0.55

Please let me know if you have any questions.

cc: Dan Guzynski, Prosecution Services Bureau Brent Doig, OBP