

Items Needed for Filing Expunctions

The District Clerk strongly urges you to contact an attorney prior to filing any petition. Filing fees are NOT refundable. Please see the "Legal Assistance" link on this website.

Forms can be found at George Allen Courts Building in the Law Library located at 600 Commerce St., 7th floor

1. Petition for Expunction * 1 Original * 1 Copy of Original

Original Petition for Expunction should have the following: • Original Signature for attorney (or pro-se) on the last page of the Petition • Verification Page • Original Notary Public Stamp/Seal on verification page • Original Signature of Petitioner, Notary Public and Attorney on Verification page • Current Mailing Address

2. Order Granting Expunction * Original Only

Send Filing to: District Clerk's Office Frank Crowley Courts Building 133 N. Riverfront Blvd., LB #12 Dallas, Texas 75207

The filing fee for Petition for Expunction is \$350.00 • Plus \$13.00 for each certified copy of the Notice of Hearing or Order of Expunction by certified mail.

Make cashier's check, money order or law office check payable to Dallas County District Clerk or DCDC. Please include Bar # or DL # on all checks. Cash and credit card payments accepted in person.

If you are filing without an attorney, you may submit an Affidavit of Inability or Unaffordibility to Pay Court Cost available from TexasLawHelp.org. Please be sure the form is completely filled out, signed and notarized.

*Please note: Prior to filing an expunction cash bond money needs to be claimed. The granting of an expunction order will result in the deletion of a case from our system.