

# OHIO PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION



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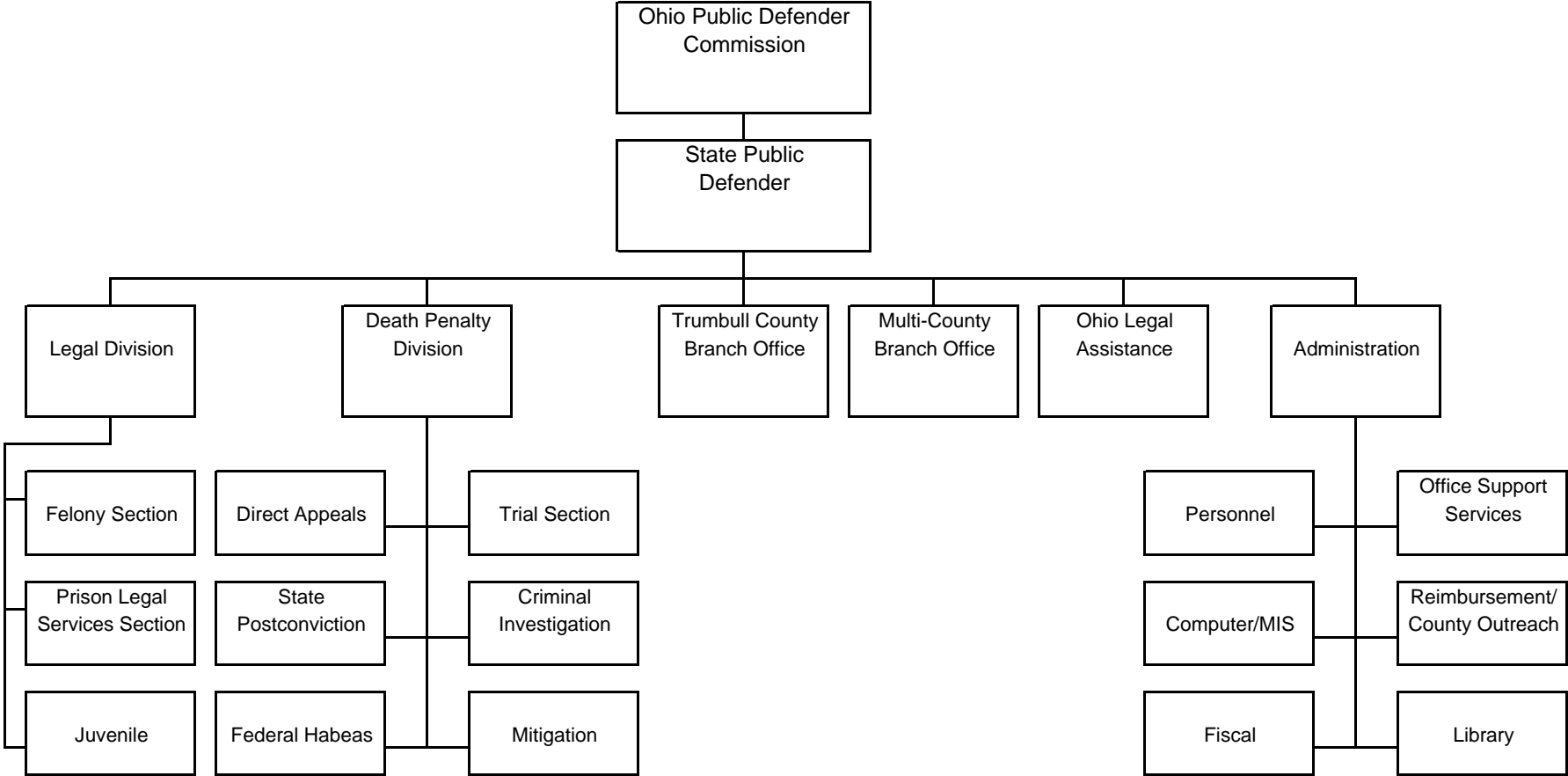
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**OFFICE OF THE OHIO PUBLIC DEFENDER  
TABLE OF ORGANIZATION  
FISCAL YEAR 2004**



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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.

**TABLE I**  
**OHIO PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION DISBURSEMENTS**  
**FISCAL YEARS 2002, 2003, & 2004**

<b>FUND</b>	<b>ALI</b>	<b>ALI TITLE</b>	<b>FY 2002</b>	<b>FY 2003</b>	<b>FY 2004</b>
GRF	019-321	Administration	1,647,604	1,470,945	1,431,860
GRF	019-401	State Legal Defense Services	6,389,591	6,042,342	5,877,542
GRF	019-403	Multi-County: State Share	1,071,735	924,261	838,490
GRF	019-404	Indigent Defense Office	352,951	309,523	287,224
GRF	019-405	Training	37,075	34,250	30,000
GRF	019-501	County Reimbursement: Non-Capital Cases	31,320,936	27,961,935	26,826,689
GRF	019-503	County Reimbursement: Capital Cases	866,520	809,901	785,624
<b>TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE FUND</b>			<b>41,686,412</b>	<b>37,553,157</b>	<b>36,077,429</b>
3U7	019-614	Juvenile JAIB Grant	31,667	-	-
3U8	019-615	Juvenile Challenge Grant	50,623	17,117	-
<b>TOTAL FEDERAL SPECIAL REVENUE FUND GROUP</b>			<b>83,455,114</b>	<b>17,117</b>	<b>0</b>
101	019-602	Inmate Legal Assistance	55,895	27,706	22,405
101	019-607	Juvenile Legal Assistance	49,231	-	-
3S8	019-608	Federal Representation	681,617	422,392	189,638
407	019-604	County Representation	202,594	184,716	140,415
408	109-605	County Reimbursement	316,612	589,370	257,382
<b>TOTAL GENERAL SERVICES FUND GROUP</b>			<b>168,216,177</b>	<b>1,224,184</b>	<b>587,435</b>
4C7	019-601	Multi-County: County Share	1,455,745	1,651,824	1,719,998
4X7	019-610	Trumbull County Office	501,157	549,786	587,040
574	019-606	Legal Services Corporation	14,815,127	13,539,334	14,928,584
<b>TOTAL STATE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND GROUP</b>			<b>353,204,383</b>	<b>18,161,606</b>	<b>18,410,492</b>
<b>TOTAL PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION</b>			<b>59,846,680</b>	<b>54,535,402</b>	<b>53,922,891</b>

**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.

019-614 Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant: This line item is used to account for federal grant funds received through the Office of Criminal Justice Services under the Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant (JAIBG) program.

019-615 Juvenile Challenge Grant: This line item is used to account for federal grant funds received through the Office of Criminal Justice Services under the State Challenge Grant program. (Refund of federal grant.)

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.

**NOTES TO TABLE I** *(continued)*

019-607: Juvenile Legal Assistance: This account is used to administer the Juvenile Legal Assistance Program. Under the program, State Public Defender staff provides legal assistance to youths committed to the Department of Youth Services (DYS). Funding is provided by DHS through an interdepartmental agreement with the Office of 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, 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 Habeas Cases: Revenues for this account come from reimbursement for representation on federal habeas cases by Ohio Public Defender employees.

## **LEGAL DIVISION**

The Ohio Revised Code 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. R.C. 120.06.

To meet this statutory obligation for non-capital clients, the State Public Defender established the Legal Division. The Legal Division consists of four sections: Felony, Juvenile, Legal Services, and the Legal Resources Center. Each section performs functions critical to the Legal Division's goal to provide the finest legal representation with the available resources.

The Felony Section 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 the 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.

### **Felony Section**

Clients who were represented by the Felony Section attorneys were represented at trial or on appeal by county public defenders or appointed counsel. After the right to counsel at trial and on direct appeal has been exhausted, defendants seek the assistance of the State Public Defender with their claims of unlawful imprisonment.

### **Juvenile Section**

Juvenile Section attorneys represent juveniles who have been committed to the Ohio Department of Youth Services (DYS) on appeal and in other post-disposition issues. These attorneys provide legal assistance and representation which ranges from gathering general information for the youth, correcting sentence errors, filing motions in juvenile court, and representing youth on appeal. The Juvenile Section also coordinates 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.

### **Legal Services Section**

The Legal Services Section performs three critical functions: 1) reception center orientation; 2) parole violation hearing representation; and 3) file management and case assignment. The State Public Defender has attorneys stationed at the state prison reception centers. Legal Services attorneys at each center 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.

### **Legal Resource Center**

Ohio Revised Code Section 120.04 requires the State Public Defender to maintain a library in the central office of adequate size considering the needs of the office and the accessibility of other libraries.

The Legal Resource Center serves the staff of the central office, branch and regional offices, county public defender offices, appointed counsel, the private bar, Ohio's prisoners, and all citizens.

## **DEATH PENALTY LITIGATION DIVISION**

To meet statutory obligations to provide, coordinate, and supervise legal representation for indigent criminal defendants in capital cases, the Ohio Public Defender Commission and the Office of the Ohio Public Defender established the Death Penalty Division. The division represents indigent client in three post-trial legal areas: direct appeal; post-conviction; and habeas corpus. Attorneys within the Death Penalty Division handle all three types of cases. In addition, the assistant public defenders assigned to this division frequently advise and assist attorneys defending indigent capital clients at trial.

### **Direct Appeals**

Death Penalty Division attorneys represent clients before the Ohio Supreme Court when the Public Defender is appointed to appeal the conviction and death sentence imposed by a trial court. The Ohio Supreme Court's review of a capital case on direct appeal is mandatory under RC2929.05. This statute gives the Ohio Supreme Court the authority to vacate a death sentence based on the appellate court's independent judgment that the death penalty is inappropriate in a particular case; or that the death sentence being reviewed is disproportionate to sentences imposed in other capital cases. The direct appeal process includes the United States Supreme Court's discretionary review. 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 to do so under Ohio Supreme court Superintendence Rule 20.

### **Postconviction**

Death Penalty Division attorneys represent capital clients by petitioning for relief in the trial court under R.C. 2953.21. This statute provides a means of relief for trial errors that cannot be fully litigated on direct appeal. Postconviction cases thus

involve an extensive investigation into matters occurring outside the trial record. Attorneys in this area of practice 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 also involves trial-level skills when evidentiary hearings are granted by the trial court. And appellate skills are involved in post-conviction practice as a client has an appeal of right if his or her petition is denied.

### **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, a client combines all of the prior claims raised on direct appeal and state postconviction and he or she raises them 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 6<sup>th</sup> Amendment right to effective counsel or violation of 8<sup>th</sup> Amendment right to present mitigating evidence for sentencing). Habeas cases are complex. The attorney on a capital habeas case must know substantive constitutional law — and the attorney 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 post-conviction 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 on by the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit in Cincinnati).

### **Trial Section**

Under O.R.C. § 120.06(D), the Public Defender operated the County Representation Program and the agency's Trial Section during fiscal year 2004. The statute provides that the 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.

Under the County Representation Program, the Public Defender accepts cases whenever resources permit. In most instances, these are appeals where judges are unable to secure local counsel. In addition to appeals, the office has also taken a number of trial cases. The Trial Section was thus created during fiscal year 1998, with the Public Defender representing clients in capital trials since then.

### **Investigation and Mitigation Section**

The Criminal Investigators assist attorneys by developing evidence that will

be used during trial, or, after the trial, by developing evidence that should have been used during the 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 to prove guilt beyond a reasonable doubt; second, finding evidence the defendant needs to bring forward to rebut the State's case.

The 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 at least lower the prison term if one is imposed. In capital cases, this involves 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.

**TABLE II**  
**OFFICE OF THE OHIO PUBLIC DEFENDER**  
**FISCAL YEAR 2004 CASES**

Court	Division											
	Legal			Death Penalty			Trial			Juvenile		
	Pending	Closed	Total	Pending	Closed	Total	Pending	Closed	Total	Pending	Closed	Total
Common Pleas Court – trial	22	60	82	0	0	0	62	14	76	1	0	1
Common Pleas Court	213	717	930	54	8	62	0	1	1	0	0	0
Court of Appeals	190	303	493	33	5	38	0	0	0	137	82	219
Ohio Supreme Court	117	164	281	35	6	41	0	0	0	1	5	6
Federal District Court	97	59	156	53	5	58	0	0	0	0	0	0
6th Circuit Court of Appeals	27	16	43	13	2	15	0	1	1	0	0	0
United States Supreme Court	11	9	20	7	3	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parole Board*	1,830	1,251	3,081	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
DNA cases (Legal and DP)	201	86	287	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Other**	72	534	606	49	10	59	0	0	0	146	704	850
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,780</b>	<b>3,199</b>	<b>5,979</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>791</b>	<b>1,076</b>

\* 818 closed cases are parole revocation hearings.

^ Includes: jail time and sentence questions; misdemeanor, FOIA and assistance to others.

**TABLE III  
DEATH PENALTY CASES IN OHIO**

<b>FISCAL YEAR 2004 DEATH SENTENCES</b>				
<b>Sentence Date</b>	<b>Defendant</b>	<b>Race-Sex- Age</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Victim's Race</b>
08-21-03	Robert W. Bethel	W-M-25	Franklin	B / W
09-12-03	Darrell W. Ferguson	W-M-25	Montgomery	3W
09-30-03	James T. Conway III	W-M-25	Franklin	W
10-10-03	Rocky Barton	W-M-47	Warren	W
10-21-03	Timothy Hancock	W-M-34	Warren	W
11-07-03	Martin L. Koliser, Jr,	W-M-30	Mahoning	W
11-19-03	Phillip L. Elmore	B-M-40	Licking	W
02-04-04	Donald L. Ketterer	W-M-54	Butler	W
02-20-04	John Drummond, Jr.	B-M-26	Mahoning	B
06-04-04	Marvin G. Johnson	B-M-37	*Belmont	B

\*Johnson – Venue was changed from Guernsey County.

**CUMULATIVE TO DATE SUMMARY OF DEATH SENTENCES BY COURT**

<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>NO.</b>	<b>% of TOTAL</b>	<b>Index to Population</b>	<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>NO.</b>	<b>% of TOTAL</b>	<b>Index to Population</b>
Allen	3	1.4%	.277	Lorain	6	2.9%	.206
Ashland	1	0.5%	.186	Lucas	17	8.1%	.374
Ashtabula	1	0.5%	.097	Madison	1	0.5%	.246
Belmont	3	1.4%	.431	Mahoning	9	4.3%	.358
Brown	1	0.5%	.228	Marion	2	1.0%	.301
Butler	6	2.9%	.175	Montgomery	9	4.3%	.163
Clark	3	1.4%	.209	Muskingum	1	0.5%	.117
Clermont	3	1.4%	.161	Portage	2	1.0%	.129
Clinton	1	0.5%	.239	Preble	1	0.5%	.236
Crawford	1	0.5%	.217	Putnam	1	0.5%	.288
Cuyahoga	34	16.2%	.249	Richland	3	1.4%	.234
Delaware	1	0.5%	.075	Ross	1	0.5%	.134
*Franklin	14	6.7%	.129	Scioto	1	0.5%	.129
Greene	3	1.4%	.198	Shelby	1	0.5%	.206
Guernsey	1	0.5%	.242	Stark	3	1.4%	.079
Hamilton	44	21.0%	.534	Summit	10	4.8%	.183
Jefferson	2	1.0%	.278	Trumbull	10	4.8%	.451
Lake	2	1.0%	.087	Van Wert	1	0.5%	.342
Lawrence	1	0.5%	.160	Vinton	1	0.5%	.756
Licking	2	1.0%	.133	Warren	3	1.4%	.165
				Total	210		

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, 2003 population estimates. Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau.

\*Reflects two death sentence cases for James Conway III.

## ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

The mission of the Administrative Division is: "To provide quality support services that are responsive to the agency's needs, goals, and objectives, and accountable to the public concern." The Administrative Division provides services necessary for continued operations that are common to most state agencies, including fiscal and accounting, personnel and training, computer information systems, and general office services such as purchasing, inventory, records management, fleet management, and delivery. In addition, the Administrative Division provides several services specifically mandated in R.C. Chapter 120 including collecting reimbursement from the counties for legal services provided by the State Public Defender, R.C. 120.04 (C)(5); processing reimbursement to the counties for indigent defense programs, R.C. 120.04 (D)(10); producing educational seminars and conferences, R.C. 120.03 (D)(2)(c); and maintaining the agency's library, R.C. 120.04(B)(1).

The Administrative Division is comprised of seven sections: Fiscal, Human Resources, Office Services, Computer Information Systems, County Assistance, Reimbursement, and the agency Library.

The Computer Information Systems Section plans and manages all agency computer systems and provides computer-related training and support to agency employees. In addition, the staff coordinates application development efforts, provides computer services to the Branch Offices, and assists the library in maintaining on-line legal research tools.

The Human Resources Section provides comprehensive personnel, training, and employee services for the agency. The focus of the section is on attracting, developing, serving, and retaining quality employees for the agency. In recent years, the effort to decentralize and automate personnel services from the Department of Administrative Services (DAS) to the agencies has increased the scope of the

section's services. The section now processes and approves personnel actions, position descriptions, and select non-disputed disability claims, items that previously required DAS involvement and approval.

The Office Services Section provides basic support services including purchasing equipment and supplies, managing agency inventory, providing records and fleet management, planning office space and facilities, and coordinating telecommunications, copying, and delivery services. The staff also coordinate office moves and assist the branch offices with their needs.

The Fiscal Section provides accounting services such as payroll, purchase order processing, revenue collection, financial reporting, and recordkeeping. Fiscal staff provide division heads and the director with monthly updates on their respective budgets and personal service contracts. The staff also create and publish an annual financial report specific to this agency that matches budget year revenues to expenditures by major program area. The documents provide a permanent budgetary history of revenue and expenditures of the agency.

The County Assistance Program provides assistance to counties in examining their indigent defense delivery systems. Assistance includes responding to requests and referrals, engaging in discussions with the counties or the County Commissioners Association of Ohio, and providing technical assistance. In a typical case, agency personnel meet with county commissioners, judges, public defenders, prosecutors, defense bar, bar associations, and other county officials to provide assistance, advice, and information on how to make public defense delivery systems more efficient and effective. Staff gather data, prepare budgets, conduct statistical analysis, and provide other information on current and alternative delivery systems.

The Reimbursement Section is responsible for processing indigent defense reimbursement payments to the counties.

The staff of the Administrative Division strive to provide an effective level of service, make constant improvements in service delivery, and carry out the division's specific statutory responsibilities. One of the division's tenets is to provide more than just a base level of services. Efforts have been made to expand the scope of services offered

by the division especially in the areas of employee training and development, computer information systems, financial accounting and reporting, document management, and providing assistance to counties to improve their local indigent defense systems.

Note: The County Assistance program formerly known as the County Outreach Program was re-established in November, 2003.

### **TRUMBULL COUNTY BRANCH OFFICE**

The Ohio Public Defender Commission has maintained and operated a branch office in Trumbull County since 1984. The Office of the Ohio Public Defender and the Board of Trumbull County Commissioners negotiate the contract annually that designates the duties of the Trumbull County Branch Office; and also determines the percentage of financial contribution paid by both parties to fund the office. The objective of the Trumbull County Branch Office is to deliver indigent criminal defense representation throughout the courts of Trumbull County.

The branch office is located in Warren, Ohio. The office staff includes attorneys, investigators, paralegals, and secretaries. In addition to staff, the Office of the Ohio Public Defender has contracted with local attorneys to provide indigent criminal defense representation. Contracting with private attorneys has afforded flexibility in managing caseloads in Trumbull County. Staff attorneys and contract attorneys are assigned to specific courts due to caseload size and the simultaneous holding of court sessions.

Cases handled by staff and contract attorneys range from misdemeanors to capital offenses, including juvenile cases and appeals. The accompanying table shows a breakdown of the Trumbull County Branch Office caseload for fiscal year 2004.

At the Common Pleas Court level, the 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, this representation is provided in the cities of Niles, Newton Falls, Girard, Warren, Cortland and Brookfield. The attorneys also provide appellate representation in the 11<sup>th</sup> District Court of Appeals for the 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 mirrored 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 is contributed by the participating municipalities.

The success of the Trumbull County Branch Office is due not only to the dedication of the office staff and contract attorneys, but also the support and cooperation of the various City Councils, the judiciary of the Trumbull County Courts, the County Commissioners and the Office of the Ohio Public Defender.

**TABLE IV  
TRUMBULL COUNTY BRANCH OFFICE  
CASES CLOSED AND PENDING  
FISCAL YEARS 2002, 2003 & 2004**

Table IV shows the caseload of the Trumbull County Branch Office for fiscal years 2002, 2003 & 2004. Pending cases are those which remained open as of July 1, 2004.

<b>Type of Case</b>	<b>FY 2002</b>		<b>FY 2003</b>		<b>FY 2004</b>	
	<b>Closed</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Closed</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Closed</b>	<b>Pending</b>
Capital Felony	1	2	3	0	0	0
Felony	1,113	425	1,164	406	1,007	499
Misdemeanor	2,593	653	2,999	202	1,984	269
Ordinance	1,100	421	1,270	447	1,499	425
Probation Revocation	274	75	239	45	164	82
Juvenile Offender	486	238	545	91	361	106
Family Juvenile/Non-Delinquent	4	45	15	38	4	43
Appeal	11	23	3	29	10	29
Drug Court	17	75	63	60	24	79
Other	39	15	29	19	36	21
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,638</b>	<b>1,972</b>	<b>6,330</b>	<b>1,337</b>	<b>5,089</b>	<b>1,553</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 consists of 10 counties in the south and southeastern part of the state. The 10 counties are Adams, Athens, Brown, Fayette, Jackson, Meigs, Pickaway, Pike, Ross, and Washington.

The Multi-County Branch Office provides indigent defense services, i.e., trial and direct appeal representation at the county level, as an alternative to traditional appointed counsel or county public defender offices. Pursuant to Section 120.04 (C)(7) of the Ohio Revised Code, the State Public Defender may contract with the Board of County Commissioners of

a county that is not served by a county public defender commission for the provision of legal indigent defense services. The counties who participate in the Multi-County Program have elected to provide indigent defense representation by this option of contracting with the State Public Defender.

Under this program, the participating counties have entered into contracts with the State Public Defender pursuant to Section 120.33(B) of the Ohio Revised Code to provide indigent defense services. The State Public Defender in turn contracts with local private attorneys or law firms in the region who provide the indigent defense service. In addition, 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 various 10 counties.

The program is supported by financial contributions from both the counties and the state. Each participating county makes a contribution to the program. The state also contributes a portion relatively equal to the percentage of overall state reimbursement. The State Public Defender uses the county and state funds to contract with local private attorneys and to support operations of the three branch offices.

The purpose of the program is to maximize the efficiency and effectiveness of indigent defense services in the 10 county region, as well as to improve the overall quality of indigent defense in the

region. Cost control is achieved by bringing the same economies of scale experienced under a typical public defender system to the participating counties. Prior to implementation of the Multi-County Program, all participating counties, except for 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.

**TABLE V  
MULTI COUNTY PROGRAM  
CASES CLOSED FISCAL YEAR 2004**

<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>Felony</b>	<b>Misde- Meanor</b>	<b>Juv- enile</b>	<b>Appeal</b>	<b>Family</b>	<b>Pro- bation</b>	<b>Capital</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>Pending Cases</b>
Adams	142	379	61	1	0	14	0	24	621	101
Athens	327	1,045	118	0	0	12	0	156	1,658	376
Brown	106	370	61	1	0	8	0	506	1,052	600
Fayette	172	271	34	0	0	25	0	41	543	202
Jackson	169	718	114	0	4	47	0	24	1,076	729
Meigs	29	208	16	0	0	1	0	91	345	7
Pickaway	255	323	76	0	0	6	0	155	815	189
Pike	207	467	37	0	0	17	0	43	771	217
Ross	365	2,647	519	9	0	300	0	11	3,851	1,112
Washington	461	1,432	220	11	0	120	0	65	2,309	572
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,233</b>	<b>7,860</b>	<b>1,256</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,116</b>	<b>13,041</b>	<b>4,105</b>

**TABLE VI**  
**COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER TERMS AND OFFICES (as of July 1, 2004)**

COUNTY	PUBLIC DEFENDER	TELEPHONE	FAX
Ashtabula *	Marie Lane Ashtabula County Public Defender Office 4817 State Road West, 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, 1999 for a four 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, 2001 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, 2003 for a four year term.	(330) 364-5595	(330) 364-2423
Clark	William N. Merrell Clark County Public Defender Office 50 East Columbia Street Springfield, Ohio 45502 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed November 1, 2003 for a four year term.	(937) 328-2640	(937) 328-2715
Clermont	R. Daniel Hannon Clermont County Public Defender Office 10 South Third Street Batavia, Ohio 45103 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed September 4, 2003 for a one year term.	(513) 732-7223	(513) 732-5382

**TABLE VI (continued)**

<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>PUBLIC DEFENDER</b>	<b>TELEPHONE</b>	<b>FAX</b>
Clinton	Joseph H. Dennis Clinton County Public Defender Office 32 E. Sugartree St. Wilmington, Ohio 45177 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 2, 2004 for a one year term.	(937) 382-1316	(937) 382-8670
Columbiana *	Frederic E. Naragon Columbiana County Criminal Defense Co. 105 S. Market St. Lisbon, Ohio 44432 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services	(330) 337-9578	(330) 337-1223
Coshocton	Norman S. Davitt Coshocton County Public Defender Office 239 North 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Coshocton, Ohio 43812 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed June 25, 2002 for a four year term.	(740) 623-0800	(740) 623-0296
Cuyahoga	Robert L. Tobik Cuyahoga County Public Defender Office 1200 West Third Cleveland, Ohio 44113 <i>Term:</i> Appointed May 13, 2002 for a four year term.	(216) 443-8355	(216) 443-3632
Erie	Jeffrey J. Whitacre Erie County Public Defender Office 220 Columbus Avenue Sandusky, Ohio 44870 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed July 23, 2002 for a four year term.	(419) 627-6620	(419) 627-6633
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, 2004 for a four year term.	(614) 462-3194	(614) 461-6470
Geauga	R. Robert Umholtz Geauga County Public Defender Office 211 Main Street Chardon, Ohio 44024 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 4, 2002 for a four year term.	(440) 285-2222 Ext. 5130	(440) 286-4136

**TABLE VI (continued)**

<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>PUBLIC DEFENDER</b>	<b>TELEPHONE</b>	<b>FAX</b>
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) 562-5041	(937) 562-5671
Hamilton	Louis F. Strigari Hamilton County Public Defender Office 230 East Ninth Street, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Cincinnati, Ohio 45202 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed December 1, 2002 for a two year term.	(513) 946-3700	(513) 946-3707
Hancock	Michael C. Galose Hancock County Public Defender Office 316 Dorney Plaza Findlay, Ohio 45840 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 1, 2004 for a two year term.	(419) 424-7276	(419) 424-7274
Harrison	C. 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, 2003 for a four year term.	(740) 942-2010	(740) 942-2080
Huron	George C. Ford Huron County Public Defender Office 16 E. Main St., 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor Norwalk, Ohio 44857 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed July 1, 2003 for a two year term.	(419) 668-3702	(419) 668-3703 (call first)
Knox	Fred E. Mayhew Knox County Public Defender Office One Public Square Mount Vernon, Ohio 43050 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed October 1, 2001 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, 2003 for a four year term.	(440) 350-3200	(440) 350-5715

**TABLE VI (continued)**

<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>PUBLIC DEFENDER</b>	<b>TELEPHONE</b>	<b>FAX</b>
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) 244-8345	(419) 244-4833
Miami	John E. Hemm Miami County Public Defender Office Courthouse, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor 215 West Main Street Troy, Ohio 45373 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed January 3, 2003 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 2002 for a one year term.	(740) 472-0703	(740) 472-9190
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, 2000 for a four 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, 2001 for a four year term.	(330) 297-3665	(330) 298-2064
Shelby	William R. Zimmerman Shelby County Public Defender Office 108 East Poplar Street Sidney, Ohio 45365 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed February 1, 2004 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, 2001 for a four year term.	(330) 451-7200	(330) 451-7227

**TABLE VI (continued)**

<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>PUBLIC DEFENDER</b>	<b>TELEPHONE</b>	<b>FAX</b>
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 January 23, 2004 for a one year term.	(330) 364-3523	(330) 364-7616
Union *	Perry Parsons Union County Criminal Defense Lawyers 111 W. Sixth Street Marysville, Ohio 43040 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services in Juvenile and Municipal Court only.	(937) 644-3144	(937) 644-3517
Union*	Dorothy Liggett Pelanda Counsel for Indigents of Union County 122 East Fifth Street Marysville, OH 43040 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services in Common Pleas Court.	(937) 642-5627	(937) 642-0218
Van Wert *	Steven L. Diller Van Wert County Public Defender Office 124 East Main Street Van Wert, Ohio 45891 <i>Term:</i> Contract Services.	(419) 238-6621	(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, 2003 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 43204 <i>Term:</i> Re-appointed October 19, 2002 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 2004**

COUNTY	Fel-onies	Misde-meanors	Juv-enile	Dom. Rel.	App-eals	Post-conv.	Parole/ Prob. Revoc.	Habeas Corpus	Extra-ditions	Other	TOTAL CASES	PENDING CASES
Ashtabula	520	1,785	724	50	4	32	125	0	4	0	3,244	2,102
Auglaize	82	282	31	25	5	61	46	0	1	0	533	305
Belmont	339	942	305	231	11	43	119	0	1	0	1,991	378
Butler	0	0	859	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	859	455
Carroll	83	416	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	565	333
Clark	1,360	2,557	321	97	0	0	248	0	0	2	4,585	285
Clermont	1,173	3,553	585	155	22	52	573	0	68	502	6,683	698
Clinton	245	1,196	183	54	6	51	131	0	11	0	1,877	458
Columbiana	194	1,244	157	19	1	8	72	2	14	9	1,720	1,079
Coshocton	148	472	230	33	6	47	65	0	4	0	1,005	324
Cuyahoga	5,208	38,328	5,495	137	133	146	463	3	15	43	49,971	11,406
Erie	790	647	495	1	0	101	84	0	31	0	2,149	2,775
Franklin	3,856	32,325	8,501	4	121	227	3,955	0	53	0	49,042	10,018
Geauga	101	192	186	13	6	38	68	0	0	2	606	104
Greene	3	1,268	207	12	9	0	0	0	0	0	1,499	655
Hamilton	0	29,025	8,773	119	12	420	0	0	0	0	38,349	8,540
Hancock	162	1,151	290	65	6	631	61	0	1	4	2,371	1,025
Harrison	58	494	164	24	1	7	116	0	0	2	866	50
Huron	105	364	372	27	3	0	45	0	28	0	944	806
Knox	190	894	269	9	2	59	15	0	3	200	1,641	1,907
Lake	885	1,007	967	22	23	0	0	0	0	35	2,939	1,745
Lucas	559	13,372	131	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14,062	970
Miami	366	1,085	251	26	2	112	214	2	1	21	2,080	402
Monroe	22	93	35	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	157	32
Montgomery	2,099	18,051	2,117	76	39	81	2,179	0	105	0	24,747	6,385
Portage	397	2,262	271	9	2	35	27	0	1	0	3,004	1,593
Shelby	161	1,173	226	8	4	28	78	0	1	1	1,680	273
Stark	822	3,098	1,508	247	9	1,095	279	0	41	6	7,105	512
Summit	70	8,717	1,917	0	0	16	0	0	0	1	10,721	2,732
Tuscarawas	247	1,471	423	96	6	7	201	0	14	0	2,465	2,881
Union	159	377	361	21	21	0	123	0	0	0	1,062	308
Van Wert	109	223	96	18	0	27	17	0	1	2	493	141
Wayne	187	1,001	390	76	0	20	324	0	13	132	2,143	915
Wood	331	2,036	202	0	6	6	466	0	10	3	3,060	1,647
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>21,031</b>	<b>171,101</b>	<b>37,108</b>	<b>1,677</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>3,350</b>	<b>10,094</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>246,218</b>	<b>64,239</b>

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

**TABLE VIII**  
**COST OF COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER OFFICES**  
**FISCAL YEARS 2003 & 2004**

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 2003 and fiscal year 2004. 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.

<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>FY 2003</b>	<b>AMOUNT REIMBURSED</b>	<b>FY 2004</b>	<b>AMOUNT REIMBURSED</b>
Ashtabula	\$459,940	\$145,215	\$461,241	\$145,270
Auglaize	223,513	70,328	233,797	73,603
Belmont	230,818	72,494	236,680	74,670
Butler	472,199	149,089	477,389	150,312
Carroll	14,725	4,232	121,989	38,372
Clark	716,057	225,532	767,195	241,847
Clermont	829,780	260,873	916,529	290,131
Clinton	191,813	60,567	217,757	68,416
Columbiana	310,000	97,831	321,625	100,976
Coshocton	275,180	86,525	273,705	86,177
Cuyahoga	7,306,784	2,323,091	7,412,268	2,331,273
Erie	616,179	193,875	628,115	197,369
Franklin	9,032,071	2,846,997	9,069,917	2,862,935
Geauga	236,979	74,717	217,415	68,664
Greene	380,450	119,742	451,987	140,410
Hamilton	6,360,827	2,012,023	6,849,036	2,155,523
Hancock	322,679	101,467	334,822	105,383
Harrison	85,860	27,042	117,523	37,063
Huron	233,834	73,718	225,851	71,361
Knox	270,402	85,267	262,285	82,697
Lake	1,190,591	374,720	1,197,408	376,839
Lucas	1,304,390	410,870	1,319,016	409,927
Miami	390,685	123,454	388,606	122,618
Monroe	49,687	15,683	50,859	15,981
Montgomery	5,100,201	1,608,920	5,432,307	1,713,777
Portage	643,312	203,751	567,899	179,545
Seneca	763	252	0	0
Shelby	333,943	105,152	338,138	106,736
Stark	1,165,527	366,986	1,167,577	367,044
Summit	914,353	286,421	948,671	299,450
Tuscarawas	665,402	210,461	526,666	165,585
Union	262,346	82,927	240,855	75,891
Van Wert	121,962	38,344	140,781	44,357
Wayne	393,605	123,873	419,934	132,575
Wood	579,545	182,580	635,687	199,909
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$41,686,402</b>	<b>\$13,165,016</b>	<b>\$42,971,530</b>	<b>\$13,532,686</b>

**TABLE IX**  
**APPOINTED COUNSEL DEATH PENALTY REIMBURSEMENT**  
**FISCAL YEARS 2002, 2003 & 2004**

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.

<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>FY 2002</b>	<b>FY 2003</b>	<b>FY 2004</b>
Allen	\$0	\$35,086	-
Ashtabula	23,452	-	-
Athens	-	8,468	-
Belmont	29,065	53	-
Butler	-	12,407	4,962
Champaign	7,588	-	-
Clark	11,893	16,850	10,367
Columbiana	3,123	-	1,219
Cuyahoga	246,269	263,187	149,391
Delaware	-	-	42,654
Erie	-	-	2,761
Fayette	3,340	-	12,212
Franklin	199,187	198,583	336,595
Greene	-	-	9,284
Guernsey	10,726	-	230
Hamilton	40,671	92,474	6,307
Henry	-	-	2,446
Hocking	-	-	3,998
Jefferson	12,285	17,315	-
Lawrence	1,127	-	-
Licking	-	7,923	21,186
Lorain	2,197	-	-
Lucas	18,983	34,105	40,001
Mahoning	27,897	3,952	10,734
Marion	22,963	-	-
Montgomery	42,367	-	19,093
Muskingum	-	4,734	4,148
Putnam	8,852	13,914	-
Richland	-	13,678	20,197
Ross	-	51	10
Sandusky	5,592	818	2,419
Scioto	10,617	16,192	23,859
Stark	1,321	5,220	14,771
Summit	36,012	10,959	804
Trumbull	52,811	9,960	15,425
Vinton	2,191	14,505	3,037
Warren	21,497	-	22,596
Wayne	-	18,325	-
Williams	20,582	6,195	-
Wood	3,914	4,946	4,918
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>24,496</b>	<b>29,466</b>	<b>\$4,918.</b>

**TABLE X**  
**APPOINTED COUNSEL SYSTEMS CASELOAD, HOURS, AND EXPENSES**  
**FISCAL YEAR 2004**

Table X, on the following pages, shows the caseloads and 100 percent costs submitted for reimbursement during fiscal year 2004. 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 2004, the state reimbursed the counties at different percentage rates during different months throughout the year. These were 33 percent from July 2003 through February 2004, 29 percent from March 2004 through April 2004, and 28 percent in May and June 2004. The overall average for the year was 31.5 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 2004 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 2004.

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	Transcripts	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>ADAMS (01)</b>									
Felonies	23	317	\$16,604	\$0	\$0	\$16,604	\$52	\$722	\$722
Misdemeanors	13	113	5,905	0	0	5,905	52	454	454
Juvenile	54	321	16,177	0	0	16,177	50	300	300
Appeals	2	56	2,350	40	0	2,390	42	1,175	1,195
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	6	16	812	0	0	812	51	135	135
Other	36	167	7,719	0	0	7,719	46	214	214
Total	134	990	\$49,567	\$40	\$0	\$49,607	\$50	\$370	\$370
<b>ALLEN (02)</b>									
Felonies	340	3,222	\$135,999	\$3,828	\$0	\$139,826	\$42	\$400	\$411
Misdemeanors	1,848	4,688	208,354	0	0	208,354	44	113	113
Juvenile	839	8,725	359,753	2,178	12,344	374,274	41	429	446
Appeals	26	384	15,177	127	1,546	16,850	39	584	648
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	241	171	17,739	0	0	17,739	104	74	74
Other	87	328	13,069	0	9,963	23,032	40	150	265
Total	3,381	17,518	\$750,090	\$6,132	\$23,853	\$780,076	\$43	\$222	\$231
<b>ASHLAND (03)</b>									
Felonies	71	591	\$28,946	\$0	\$0	\$28,946	\$49	\$408	\$408
Misdemeanors	113	437	20,124	2	0	20,125	46	178	178
Juvenile	1	3	153	0	0	153	53	153	153
Other	12	46	2,268	0	0	2,268	49	189	189
Total	197	1,077	\$51,491	\$2	\$0	\$51,492	\$48	\$261	\$261
<b>ASHTABULA (04)</b>									
Felonies	94	1,142	\$44,364	\$322	\$0	\$44,686	\$39	\$472	\$475
Misdemeanors	104	541	22,777	265	0	23,042	42	219	222
Juvenile	385	5,074	214,789	2,938	903	218,630	42	558	568
Appeals	24	472	14,322	30	7,860	22,212	30	597	925
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	63	207	8,859	0	340	9,198	43	141	146
Other	29	104	4,177	0	519	4,695	40	144	162
Total	699	7,539	\$309,286	\$3,555	\$9,621	\$322,462	\$41	\$442	\$461
<b>ATHENS (05)</b>									
Felonies	32	384	\$19,342	\$4,982	\$0	\$24,324	\$50	\$604	\$760
Misdemeanors	39	119	5,414	0	0	5,414	46	139	139
Juvenile	178	1,899	95,507	248	5,888	101,643	50	537	571
Appeals	5	22	756	78	5,940	6,774	35	151	1,355
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	7	15	750	0	0	750	50	107	107
Other	23	91	3,685	0	2,433	6,118	41	160	266
Total	284	2,529	\$125,454	\$5,308	\$14,261	\$145,023	\$50	\$442	\$511
<b>AUGLAIZE (06)</b>									
Felonies	1	23	\$881	\$0	\$0	\$881	\$38	\$881	\$881
Misdemeanors	1	8	339	0	0	339	41	339	339
Total	2	31	\$1,220	\$0	\$0	\$1,220	\$39	\$610	\$610

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>BELMONT (07)</b>									
Felonies	41	624	\$33,484	\$133	\$0	\$33,617	\$54	\$817	\$820
Misdemeanors	78	388	20,441	414	0	20,855	53	262	267
Juvenile	124	1,264	65,833	843	1,399	68,074	52	531	549
Appeals	11	93	4,363	0	733	5,096	47	397	463
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	18	69	3,693	7	65	3,766	53	205	209
Other	16	72	2,746	8	996	3,750	38	172	234
Total	288	2,511	\$130,559	\$1,406	\$3,193	\$135,158	\$52	\$453	\$469
<b>BROWN (08)</b>									
Felonies	2	72	\$1,700	\$0	\$0	\$1,700	\$24	\$850	\$850
Misdemeanors	1	2	132	0	0	132	60	132	132
Juvenile	58	483	21,822	376	0	22,198	45	376	383
Appeals	4	0	0	0	2,735	2,735	0	0	684
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	4	34	1,584	0	0	1,584	46	396	396
Other	19	3	140	0	7,403	7,543	47	7	397
Total	88	594	\$25,378	\$376	\$10,138	\$35,891	\$43	\$288	\$408
<b>BUTLER (09)</b>									
Felonies	1,322	15,314	\$659,883	\$10,877	\$0	\$670,760	\$43	\$499	\$507
Misdemeanors	3,101	10,150	359,403	414	0	359,817	35	116	116
Juvenile	2,230	15,523	597,559	1,225	0	598,784	38	268	269
Appeals	104	1,947	65,653	913	0	66,566	34	631	640
Death Penalty	2	271	10,366	4,747	0	15,113	38	5,183	7,557
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	371	1,283	51,744	34	0	51,778	40	139	140
Other	540	2,323	92,596	187	0	92,783	40	171	172
Total	7,670	46,810	\$1,837,204	\$18,397	\$0	\$1,855,601	\$39	\$240	\$242
<b>CARROLL (10)</b>									
Felonies	12	104	\$5,624	\$0	\$0	\$5,624	\$54	\$469	\$469
Misdemeanors	17	84	4,348	0	0	4,348	52	256	256
Juvenile	2	12	670	0	0	670	54	335	335
Appeals	1	9	500	0	0	500	53	500	500
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	4	17	916	0	0	916	53	229	229
Other	1	4	185	0	0	185	53	185	185
Total	37	231	\$12,242	\$0	\$0	\$12,242	\$53	\$331	\$331
<b>CHAMPAIGN (11)</b>									
Felonies	127	1,275	\$44,823	\$120	\$0	\$44,942	\$35	\$353	\$354
Misdemeanors	264	1,196	45,998	30	0	46,028	38	174	174
Juvenile	180	1,209	45,743	45	0	45,788	38	254	254
Appeals	29	560	14,787	485	5,948	21,220	26	510	732
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	19	60	2,249	0	0	2,249	37	118	118
Other	52	186	6,974	0	2,346	9,320	37	134	179
Total	671	4,486	\$160,573	\$681	\$8,294	\$169,548	\$36	\$239	\$253

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>CLARK (12)</b>									
Felonies	80	927	\$38,288	\$107	\$0	\$38,394	\$41	\$479	\$480
Misdemeanors	33	133	5,521	0	0	5,521	41	167	167
Juvenile	321	3,889	150,233	91	0	150,324	39	468	468
Appeals	18	381	14,280	25	0	14,305	37	793	795
Death Penalty	4	747	30,978	3,376	0	34,354	41	7,745	8,589
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	6	16	700	0	0	700	43	117	117
Other	17	146	5,599	0	0	5,599	38	329	329
Total	479	6,240	\$245,598	\$3,600	\$0	\$249,198	\$39	\$513	\$520
<b>CLERMONT (13)</b>									
Felonies	52	937	\$37,862	\$130	\$0	\$37,992	\$40	\$728	\$731
Misdemeanors	13	97	3,969	0	0	3,969	41	305	305
Juvenile	343	2,157	93,745	0	0	93,745	43	273	273
Appeals	4	76	2,980	38	0	3,018	39	745	754
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	7	24	1,081	0	0	1,081	46	154	154
Other	4	13	604	0	0	604	46	151	151
Total	423	3,304	\$140,241	\$168	\$0	\$140,408	\$42	\$332	\$332
<b>CLINTON (14)</b>									
Felonies	5	76	\$3,784	\$0	\$0	\$3,784	\$49	\$757	\$757
Juvenile	66	830	28,017	509	0	28,526	34	425	432
Appeals	2	58	2,869	0	0	2,869	49	1,435	1,435
Other	6	27	828	0	0	828	31	138	138
Total	79	992	\$35,498	\$509	\$0	\$36,007	\$36	\$449	\$456
<b>COLUMBIANA (15)</b>									
Felonies	9	0	\$0	\$4,707	\$0	\$4,707	\$0	\$0	\$523
Juvenile	2	0	0	0	766	766	0	0	383
Appeals	12	98	3,776	0	5,672	9,448	39	315	787
Death Penalty	2	76	3,434	236	30	3,700	45	1,717	1,850
Other	15	0	0	0	4,475	4,475	0	0	298
Total	40	174	\$7,210	\$4,943	\$10,942	\$23,095	\$41	\$180	\$577
<b>COSHOCTON (16)</b>									
Felonies	17	290	\$7,662	\$0	\$0	\$7,662	\$26	\$451	\$451
Misdemeanors	11	58	1,100	0	0	1,100	19	100	100
Appeals	1	7	306	0	0	306	45	306	306
Other	1	4	197	0	0	197	48	197	197
Total	30	359	\$9,264	\$0	\$0	\$9,264	\$26	\$309	\$309
<b>CRAWFORD (17)</b>									
Felonies	119	1,569	\$79,139	\$1,828	\$0	\$80,967	\$50	\$665	\$680
Misdemeanors	176	952	50,227	0	0	50,227	53	285	285
Juvenile	216	1,446	71,810	0	0	71,810	50	332	332
Appeals	6	189	9,470	0	0	9,470	50	1,578	1,578
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	13	44	2,284	0	0	2,284	52	176	176
Other	52	293	13,881	0	0	13,881	47	267	267
Total	582	4,493	\$226,811	\$1,828	\$0	\$228,639	\$50	\$390	\$393

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<b>CUYAHOGA (18)</b>									
Felonies	7,675	120,668	\$3,750,693	\$88,777	\$0	\$3,839,470	\$31	\$489	\$500
Misdemeanors	2,339	12,944	314,367	12	0	314,379	24	134	134
Juvenile	7,584	73,467	2,187,246	20	53,014	2,240,280	30	288	295
Appeals	471	6,632	201,776	2,403	216,144	420,323	30	428	892
Death Penalty	34	8,961	315,016	139,440	28,987	483,443	35	9,265	14,219
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	804	3,118	96,576	1	0	96,577	31	120	120
Other	3,902	10,992	394,368	1,841	101,364	497,574	36	101	128
Total	22,809	236,782	\$7,260,042	\$232,495	\$399,509	\$7,892,046	\$31	\$318	\$346
<b>DARKE (19)</b>									
Felonies	166	1,739	\$69,560	\$1,766	\$0	\$71,325	\$40	\$419	\$430
Misdemeanors	141	607	25,325	110	0	25,435	42	180	180
Juvenile	46	438	17,215	215	0	17,429	39	374	379
Appeals	1	10	396	0	0	396	40	396	396
Other	37	142	6,006	15	0	6,020	42	162	163
Total	391	2,936	\$118,501	\$2,105	\$0	\$120,606	\$40	\$303	\$308
<b>DEFIANCE (20)</b>									
Felonies	174	1,370	\$68,975	\$76	\$0	\$69,051	\$50	\$396	\$397
Misdemeanors	110	457	23,380	5	0	23,385	51	213	213
Juvenile	34	327	16,072	25	0	16,097	49	473	473
Appeals	12	224	8,658	9	450	9,117	39	721	760
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	18	47	2,458	0	0	2,458	52	137	137
Other	73	285	13,769	0	198	13,966	48	189	191
Total	421	2,710	\$133,310	\$115	\$648	\$134,072	\$49	\$317	\$318
<b>DELAWARE (21)</b>									
Felonies	413	5,017	\$247,232	\$2,835	\$0	\$250,068	\$49	\$599	\$605
Misdemeanors	819	5,211	264,227	113	0	264,340	51	323	323
Juvenile	824	8,622	448,477	166	212	448,855	52	544	545
Appeals	18	275	12,268	42	209	12,520	45	682	696
Death Penalty	4	1,606	91,682	28,761	10,385	130,828	57	22,921	32,707
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	29	91	4,686	7	0	4,692	51	162	162
Other	241	1,048	59,187	193	3,785	63,165	57	246	262
Total	2,348	21,869	\$1,127,759	\$32,118	\$14,592	\$1,174,468	\$52	\$480	\$500
<b>ERIE (22)</b>									
Felonies	7	181	\$4,828	\$8,397	\$0	\$13,225	\$27	\$690	\$1,889
Juvenile	12	112	5,545	82	0	5,627	50	462	469
Appeals	6	238	6,369	15	8,827	15,211	27	1,061	2,535
Death Penalty	1	568	10,000	43	0	10,043	18	10,000	10,043
Other	4	12	500	0	4,266	4,766	41	125	1,192
Total	30	1,111	\$27,241	\$8,537	\$13,093	\$48,871	\$25	\$908	\$1,629
<b>FAIRFIELD (23)</b>									
Felonies	369	5,793	\$237,774	\$5,028	\$0	\$242,802	\$41	\$644	\$658
Misdemeanors	1,513	12,449	508,354	1,990	0	510,344	41	336	337
Juvenile	614	8,203	343,149	178	0	343,327	42	559	559
Appeals	25	261	8,486	0	14,216	22,702	33	339	908
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	74	392	16,140	11	0	16,151	41	218	218
Other	229	1,680	61,807	267	1,258	63,332	37	270	277
Total	2,824	28,779	\$1,175,709	\$7,475	\$15,473	\$1,198,657	\$41	\$416	\$424

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<b>FAYETTE (24)</b>									
Felonies	7	44	\$2,194	\$0	\$0	\$2,194	\$50	\$313	\$313
Juvenile	55	481	17,525	0	0	17,525	36	319	319
Appeals	1	0	0	0	290	290	0	0	290
Death Penalty	1	689	27,544	14,565	0	42,109	40	27,544	42,109
Other	12	56	2,161	0	1,671	3,832	39	180	319
Total	76	1,269	\$49,424	\$14,565	\$1,961	\$65,950	\$39	\$650	\$868
<b>FRANKLIN (25)</b>									
Felonies	2,363	54,889	\$2,756,455	\$92,553	\$0	\$2,849,008	\$50	\$1,167	\$1,206
Misdemeanors	929	7,399	383,032	158	0	383,189	52	412	412
Juvenile	6,421	88,838	4,230,465	20,776	7,114	4,258,355	48	659	663
Appeals	139	3,435	128,300	1,273	36,050	165,623	37	923	1,192
Death Penalty	37	17,472	884,085	153,699	17,921	1,055,704	51	23,894	28,533
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	1	2	90	0	0	90	50	90	90
Other	288	1,996	79,099	156	27,858	107,112	40	275	372
Total	10,178	174,030	\$8,461,525	\$268,615	\$88,941	\$8,819,081	\$49	\$831	\$866
<b>FULTON (26)</b>									
Felonies	84	691	\$28,042	\$853	\$0	\$28,894	\$41	\$334	\$344
Misdemeanors	164	675	29,605	353	0	29,958	44	181	183
Juvenile	74	689	22,402	147	0	22,549	33	303	305
Appeals	1	7	280	2	0	282	40	280	282
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	23	51	2,278	51	0	2,329	45	99	101
Other	37	116	4,990	61	909	5,960	43	135	161
Total	383	2,229	\$87,596	\$1,467	\$909	\$89,972	\$39	\$229	\$235
<b>GALLIA (27)</b>									
Felonies	84	1,077	\$42,243	\$0	\$0	\$42,243	\$39	\$503	\$503
Misdemeanors	371	1,481	61,618	0	0	61,618	42	166	166
Juvenile	94	645	25,063	0	0	25,063	39	267	267
Appeals	2	35	1,332	0	0	1,332	38	666	666
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	44	187	8,001	0	0	8,001	43	182	182
Other	69	228	8,807	0	8,115	16,922	39	128	245
Total	664	3,653	\$147,064	\$0	\$8,115	\$155,179	\$40	\$221	\$234
<b>GEAUGA (28)</b>									
Felonies	7	72	\$2,992	\$0	\$0	\$2,992	\$42	\$427	\$427
Misdemeanors	1	24	500	0	0	500	21	500	500
Juvenile	35	385	16,217	100	2,025	18,342	42	463	524
Appeals	2	29	950	6	188	1,144	33	475	572
Other	1	11	200	0	0	200	19	200	200
Total	46	520	\$20,859	\$107	\$2,213	\$23,178	\$40	\$453	\$504
<b>GREENE (29)</b>									
Felonies	501	7,176	\$328,726	\$21,229	\$0	\$349,955	\$46	\$656	\$699
Misdemeanors	5	79	2,935	0	0	2,935	37	587	587
Juvenile	1	5	250	0	0	250	50	250	250
Appeals	13	234	8,685	0	0	8,685	37	668	668
Death Penalty	2	2,353	26,000	2,134	0	28,134	11	13,000	14,067
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	1	0	0	0	27	27	0	0	27
Other	103	689	31,953	249	139	32,340	46	310	314
Total	626	10,536	\$398,549	\$23,611	\$166	\$422,326	\$38	\$637	\$675

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<b>GUERNSEY (30)</b>									
Felonies	179	1,933	\$99,349	\$1,390	\$0	\$100,739	\$51	\$555	\$563
Misdemeanors	492	3,705	161,439	61	0	161,500	44	328	328
Juvenile	235	3,174	133,179	49	39	133,267	42	567	567
Appeals	4	31	1,170	0	3,704	4,874	38	293	1,219
Death Penalty	1	16	822	0	0	822	50	822	822
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	47	205	9,418	1	0	9,419	46	200	200
Other	67	257	11,808	0	637	12,444	46	176	186
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,025</b>	<b>9,321</b>	<b>\$417,185</b>	<b>\$1,500</b>	<b>\$4,380</b>	<b>\$423,065</b>	<b>\$45</b>	<b>\$407</b>	<b>\$413</b>
<b>HAMILTON (31)</b>									
Felonies	6,401	75,466	\$2,577,828	\$269	\$0	\$2,578,097	\$34	\$403	\$403
Misdemeanors	495	2,558	82,330	0	0	82,330	32	166	166
Juvenile	1,443	20,784	721,634	796	0	722,430	35	500	501
Appeals	177	4,384	153,775	183	0	153,958	35	869	870
Death Penalty	5	496	19,824	412	0	20,236	40	3,965	4,047
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	1,944	5,223	191,496	0	0	191,496	37	99	99
Other	1,538	5,733	179,548	0	0	179,548	31	117	117
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,003</b>	<b>114,643</b>	<b>\$3,926,434</b>	<b>\$1,660</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,928,094</b>	<b>\$34</b>	<b>\$327</b>	<b>\$327</b>
<b>HANCOCK (32)</b>									
Felonies	69	1,061	\$41,305	\$587	\$0	\$41,892	\$39	\$599	\$607
Misdemeanors	25	156	6,368	25	0	6,393	41	255	256
Juvenile	75	635	25,033	95	0	25,127	39	334	335
Appeals	6	92	3,557	38	923	4,517	39	593	753
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	1	2	84	0	0	84	40	84	84
Other	16	75	2,946	638	0	3,584	39	184	224
<b>Total</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>2,021</b>	<b>\$79,293</b>	<b>\$1,383</b>	<b>\$923</b>	<b>\$81,598</b>	<b>\$39</b>	<b>\$413</b>	<b>\$425</b>
<b>HARDIN (33)</b>									
Felonies	67	1,012	\$51,692	\$6,373	\$0	\$58,065	\$51	\$772	\$867
Misdemeanors	193	662	33,778	8	0	33,786	51	175	175
Juvenile	189	1,202	60,845	3	1,002	61,849	51	322	327
Appeals	3	47	2,382	0	1,428	3,810	51	794	1,270
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	19	35	1,809	2	0	1,811	52	95	95
Other	46	127	6,123	74	95	6,291	48	133	137
<b>Total</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>3,086</b>	<b>\$156,629</b>	<b>\$6,459</b>	<b>\$2,525</b>	<b>\$165,612</b>	<b>\$51</b>	<b>\$303</b>	<b>\$320</b>
<b>HARRISON (34)</b>									
Felonies	19	270	\$10,122	\$0	\$0	\$10,122	\$37	\$533	\$533
Misdemeanors	8	45	1,897	0	0	1,897	42	237	237
Juvenile	19	93	3,977	0	0	3,977	43	209	209
Appeals	1	21	820	0	0	820	40	820	820
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	2	14	589	0	0	589	42	295	295
Other	3	12	507	0	0	507	43	169	169
<b>Total</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>\$17,912</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$17,912</b>	<b>\$39</b>	<b>\$344</b>	<b>\$344</b>

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>HENRY (35)</b>									
Felonies	71	725	\$31,611	\$1,856	\$0	\$33,467	\$44	\$445	\$471
Misdemeanors	173	573	25,441	503	0	25,944	44	147	150
Juvenile	44	381	13,316	1	0	13,317	35	303	303
Appeals	1	20	808	0	0	808	40	808	808
Death Penalty	1	193	7,810	548	0	8,358	41	7,810	8,358
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	37	101	4,445	36	0	4,481	44	120	121
Other	22	111	4,353	735	0	5,088	39	198	231
Total	349	2,102	\$87,784	\$3,679	\$0	\$91,463	\$42	\$252	\$262
<b>HIGHLAND (36)</b>									
Felonies	169	2,253	\$78,633	\$65	\$0	\$78,698	\$35	\$465	\$466
Misdemeanors	579	3,141	109,151	37	0	109,188	35	189	189
Juvenile	225	1,266	40,133	0	0	40,133	32	178	178
Appeals	2	0	0	0	4,683	4,683	0	0	2,342
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	122	421	14,648	0	0	14,648	35	120	120
Other	84	346	11,479	0	4,001	15,480	33	137	184
Total	1,181	7,426	\$254,042	\$102	\$8,684	\$262,829	\$34	\$215	\$223
<b>HOCKING (37)</b>									
Felonies	116	1,135	\$41,678	\$4,185	\$0	\$45,863	\$37	\$359	\$395
Misdemeanors	167	779	26,675	10	0	26,685	34	160	160
Juvenile	205	1,808	69,558	25	829	70,412	38	339	343
Appeals	9	108	3,756	0	4,414	8,170	35	417	908
Death Penalty	1	178	7,268	6,088	0	13,356	41	7,268	13,356
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	83	181	7,765	14	0	7,779	43	94	94
Other	57	186	6,093	21	330	6,444	33	107	113
Total	638	4,376	\$162,793	\$10,345	\$5,573	\$178,710	\$37	\$255	\$280
<b>HOLMES (38)</b>									
Felonies	50	525	\$24,924	\$977	\$0	\$25,901	\$48	\$498	\$518
Misdemeanors	175	1,178	52,413	169	0	52,582	44	300	300
Juvenile	98	766	31,734	821	0	32,555	41	324	332
Appeals	1	45	1,000	0	0	1,000	22	1,000	1,000
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	27	106	4,877	0	0	4,877	46	181	181
Other	53	299	11,483	0	0	11,483	38	217	217
Total	404	2,917	\$126,430	\$1,966	\$0	\$128,396	\$43	\$313	\$318
<b>HURON (39)</b>									
Felonies	25	517	\$19,282	\$0	\$0	\$19,282	\$37	\$771	\$771
Misdemeanors	5	21	905	0	0	905	42	181	181
Juvenile	192	1,227	53,050	26	0	53,076	43	276	276
Appeals	2	41	1,480	125	0	1,605	36	740	802
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	3	6	255	0	0	255	44	85	85
Other	4	43	952	0	0	952	22	238	238
Total	231	1,855	\$75,924	\$151	\$0	\$76,075	\$41	\$329	\$329
<b>JACKSON (40)</b>									
Felonies	2	59	\$1,700	\$0	\$0	\$1,700	\$29	\$850	\$850
Juvenile	123	1,459	64,162	44	16	64,221	44	522	522
Appeals	1	12	610	0	0	610	50	610	610
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	3	0	0	0	324	324	0	0	108
Other	6	0	0	0	964	964	0	0	161
Total	135	1,530	\$66,472	\$44	\$1,304	\$67,819	\$43	\$492	\$502

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Fees/ Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>JEFFERSON (41)</b>									
Felonies	193	4,763	\$183,517	\$4,194	\$0	\$187,710	\$39	\$951	\$973
Misdemeanors	114	612	26,038	269	0	26,307	43	228	231
Juvenile	274	2,027	80,358	4	0	80,361	40	293	293
Appeals	7	103	4,120	0	752	4,872	40	589	696
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	345	1,852	80,324	2	0	80,326	43	233	233
Other	42	239	8,606	0	4,323	12,929	36	205	308
Total	975	9,596	\$382,962	\$4,469	\$5,074	\$392,505	\$40	\$393	\$403
<b>KNOX (42)</b>									
Total	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>LAKE (43)</b>									
Felonies	97	2,221	\$65,102	\$1,151	\$0	\$66,253	\$29	\$671	\$683
Misdemeanors	75	385	17,386	0	0	17,386	45	232	232
Juvenile	869	8,658	375,417	2,326	3,311	381,054	43	432	438
Appeals	35	545	18,476	38	9,615	28,129	34	528	804
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	48	205	9,246	0	0	9,246	45	193	193
Other	45	139	5,527	12	11,905	17,443	40	123	388
Total	1,169	12,153	\$491,153	\$3,527	\$24,830	\$519,510	\$40	\$420	\$444
<b>LAWRENCE (44)</b>									
Felonies	171	1,579	\$68,671	\$1	\$0	\$68,672	\$43	\$402	\$402
Misdemeanors	591	2,577	114,579	93	0	114,672	44	194	194
Juvenile	386	3,052	130,058	0	0	130,058	43	337	337
Appeals	4	120	3,608	0	0	3,608	30	902	902
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	151	575	25,641	12	0	25,653	45	170	170
Other	64	352	14,536	0	0	14,536	41	227	227
Total	1,367	8,254	\$357,093	\$106	\$0	\$357,199	\$43	\$261	\$261
<b>LICKING (45)</b>									
Felonies	429	7,563	\$256,851	\$31,053	\$0	\$287,904	\$34	\$599	\$671
Misdemeanors	559	4,326	145,344	9	0	145,353	34	260	260
Juvenile	739	6,402	238,350	141	149	238,640	37	323	323
Appeals	26	436	11,766	14	4,259	16,039	27	453	617
Death Penalty	3	1,073	38,804	33,334	0	72,138	36	12,935	24,046
Other	224	1,335	43,533	15	15,458	59,006	33	194	263
Total	1,980	21,134	\$734,647	\$64,567	\$19,866	\$819,080	\$35	\$371	\$414
<b>LOGAN (46)</b>									
Felonies	149	1,303	\$67,735	\$3,865	\$0	\$71,600	\$52	\$455	\$481
Misdemeanors	339	1,085	57,682	222	0	57,904	53	170	171
Juvenile	190	1,148	60,495	331	1,240	62,067	53	318	327
Appeals	7	118	5,814	0	74	5,888	49	831	841
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	100	215	11,805	0	0	11,805	55	118	118
Other	74	286	12,129	69	243	12,441	42	164	168
Total	859	4,155	\$215,660	\$4,488	\$1,558	\$221,705	\$52	\$251	\$258

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>LORAIN (47)</b>									
Felonies	1,539	15,588	\$670,719	\$11,288	\$0	\$682,008	\$43	\$436	\$443
Misdemeanors	1,206	4,518	195,279	1,062	0	196,341	43	162	163
Juvenile	1,133	8,471	251,710	217	0	251,928	30	222	222
Appeals	18	539	14,976	0	0	14,976	28	832	832
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	311	977	43,348	38	0	43,386	44	139	140
Other	266	848	35,101	0	0	35,101	41	132	132
Total	4,473	30,941	\$1,211,133	\$12,606	\$0	\$1,223,739	\$39	\$271	\$274
<b>LUCAS (48)</b>									
Felonies	1,006	13,611	\$495,641	\$556	\$0	\$496,197	\$36	\$493	\$493
Misdemeanors	93	477	17,228	1	0	17,229	36	185	185
Juvenile	3,705	31,281	1,104,570	493	994	1,106,057	35	298	299
Appeals	56	1,662	51,172	34	0	51,206	31	914	914
Death Penalty	7	1,628	134,739	394	0	135,133	83	19,248	19,305
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	3	10	394	8	0	402	40	131	134
Other	514	2,514	93,384	169	11,890	105,443	37	182	205
Total	5,384	51,184	\$1,897,128	\$1,655	\$12,884	\$1,911,666	\$37	\$352	\$355
<b>MADISON (49)</b>									
Felonies	118	1,350	\$70,128	\$1,354	\$0	\$71,482	\$52	\$594	\$606
Misdemeanors	376	2,072	109,152	21	0	109,173	53	290	290
Juvenile	73	442	23,052	0	608	23,660	52	316	324
Appeals	5	24	960	5	1,010	1,975	40	192	395
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	54	182	9,352	0	96	9,448	51	173	175
Other	46	146	6,917	15	3,831	10,762	47	150	234
Total	672	4,216	\$219,559	\$1,394	\$5,545	\$226,499	\$52	\$327	\$337
<b>MAHONING (50)</b>									
Felonies	667	11,374	\$345,003	\$17,599	\$0	\$362,602	\$30	\$517	\$544
Misdemeanors	2,816	15,377	511,349	219	0	511,568	33	182	182
Juvenile	631	6,301	190,191	2,953	79	193,223	30	301	306
Appeals	37	740	20,655	55	9,793	30,503	28	558	824
Death Penalty	2	991	29,133	3,775	0	32,908	29	14,567	16,454
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	382	2,068	69,113	40	0	69,153	33	181	181
Other	326	1,172	31,667	53	17,459	49,179	27	97	151
Total	4,861	38,022	\$1,197,111	\$24,694	\$27,330	\$1,249,136	\$31	\$246	\$257
<b>MARION (51)</b>									
Felonies	397	3,729	\$187,664	\$4,521	\$0	\$192,185	\$50	\$473	\$484
Misdemeanors	749	2,141	111,370	21	0	111,391	52	149	149
Juvenile	366	2,986	152,702	29	0	152,731	51	417	417
Appeals	14	260	12,439	317	8,679	21,435	48	889	1,531
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	12	45	2,144	0	0	2,144	48	179	179
Other	166	534	26,924	0	4,656	31,580	50	162	190
Total	1,704	9,694	\$493,243	\$4,887	\$13,335	\$511,465	\$51	\$289	\$300

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Fees/ Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>MEDINA (52)</b>									
Felonies	432	6,962	\$289,909	\$30,276	\$0	\$320,185	\$42	\$671	\$741
Misdemeanors	1,347	9,685	399,922	182	0	400,104	41	297	297
Juvenile	324	4,264	176,775	3,500	9,876	190,152	41	546	587
Appeals	27	379	12,588	528	6,999	20,114	33	466	745
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	84	283	11,480	0	0	11,480	41	137	137
Other	164	971	39,203	1,928	13,490	54,621	40	239	333
Total	2,378	22,543	\$929,876	\$36,415	\$30,365	\$996,656	\$41	\$391	\$419
<b>MEIGS (53)</b>									
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	1	0	\$0	\$0	\$169	\$169	\$0	\$0	\$169
Other	3	0	\$0	\$0	637	637	0	0	212
Total	4	0	\$0	\$0	\$806	\$806	\$0	\$0	\$201
<b>MERCER (54)</b>									
Felonies	111	1,024	\$52,196	\$3,904	\$0	\$56,100	\$51	\$470	\$505
Misdemeanors	133	572	29,329	61	0	29,390	51	221	221
Juvenile	83	756	36,034	29	0	36,062	48	434	434
Appeals	1	34	1,000	0	0	1,000	29	1,000	1,000
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	7	27	1,371	0	0	1,371	52	196	196
Other	37	233	10,495	0	0	10,495	45	284	284
Total	372	2,647	\$130,423	\$3,994	\$0	\$134,416	\$49	\$351	\$361
<b>MIAMI (55)</b>									
Felonies	34	682	\$27,688	\$6,305	\$0	\$33,993	\$41	\$814	\$1,000
Misdemeanors	14	110	4,540	57	0	4,597	41	324	328
Juvenile	124	1,656	66,047	663	0	66,710	40	533	538
Appeals	5	94	3,752	132	0	3,884	40	750	777
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	8	75	3,630	7	0	3,637	48	454	455
Other	12	88	2,791	14	489	3,294	32	233	275
Total	197	2,706	\$108,448	\$7,179	\$489	\$116,115	\$40	\$550	\$589
<b>MONROE (56)</b>									
Felonies	5	41	\$2,108	\$138	\$0	\$2,246	\$51	\$422	\$449
Misdemeanors	7	36	1,901	8	0	1,908	52	272	273
Juvenile	12	99	5,257	58	0	5,314	53	438	443
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	3	14	696	6	0	702	52	232	234
Other	1	3	130	0	0	130	52	130	130
Total	28	192	\$10,091	\$209	\$0	\$10,300	\$53	\$360	\$368
<b>MONTGOMERY (57)</b>									
Felonies	1,660	22,931	\$1,136,959	\$110,829	\$0	\$1,247,788	\$50	\$685	\$752
Misdemeanors	275	1,600	83,153	13	0	83,165	52	302	302
Juvenile	2,863	31,444	1,249,619	6,399	12,223	1,268,241	40	436	443
Appeals	152	2,457	114,939	962	24,864	140,765	47	756	926
Death Penalty	4	1,869	56,758	2,694	2,637	62,089	30	14,190	15,522
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	45	149	7,881	0	0	7,881	53	175	175
Other	362	1,142	56,367	83	63,177	119,626	49	156	330
Total	5,361	61,591	\$2,705,675	\$120,980	\$102,902	\$2,929,557	\$44	\$505	\$546

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>MORGAN (58)</b>									
Felonies	36	542	\$22,266	\$14	\$0	\$22,280	\$41	\$618	\$619
Misdemeanors	84	409	16,981	47	0	17,028	41	202	203
Juvenile	46	479	19,530	306	0	19,836	41	425	431
Appeals	3	86	3,432	178	152	3,762	40	1,144	1,254
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	1	2	98	0	0	98	45	98	98
Other	14	115	4,898	26	224	5,148	42	350	368
Total	184	1,633	\$67,204	\$572	\$376	\$68,153	\$41	\$365	\$370
<b>MORROW (59)</b>									
Felonies	58	520	\$27,452	\$1	\$0	\$27,453	\$53	\$473	\$473
Misdemeanors	158	694	34,897	0	0	34,897	50	221	221
Juvenile	128	950	47,562	0	0	47,562	50	372	372
Appeals	2	39	1,635	0	0	1,635	41	818	818
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	7	16	789	0	0	789	50	113	113
Other	44	177	9,089	0	0	9,089	51	207	207
Total	397	2,396	\$121,424	\$1	\$0	\$121,425	\$51	\$306	\$306
<b>MUSKINGUM (60)</b>									
Felonies	376	5,938	\$245,376	\$1,616	\$0	\$246,992	\$41	\$653	\$657
Misdemeanors	278	2,286	90,576	193	0	90,769	40	326	327
Juvenile	404	5,019	203,985	404	0	204,388	41	505	506
Appeals	17	248	8,556	101	1,198	9,855	34	503	580
Death Penalty	2	358	12,505	641	0	13,146	35	6,253	6,573
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	6	22	904	0	0	904	41	151	151
Other	126	761	29,777	43	0	29,820	39	236	237
Total	1,209	14,632	\$591,678	\$2,997	\$1,198	\$595,873	\$40	\$489	\$493
<b>NOBLE (61)</b>									
Felonies	27	193	\$8,282	\$83	\$0	\$8,365	\$43	\$307	\$310
Misdemeanors	71	319	13,000	20	0	13,020	41	183	183
Juvenile	21	118	4,915	0	0	4,915	42	234	234
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	12	23	1,004	16	0	1,020	43	84	85
Other	10	38	1,589	0	0	1,589	42	159	159
Total	141	691	\$28,790	\$119	\$0	\$28,909	\$42	\$204	\$205
<b>OTTAWA (62)</b>									
Felonies	74	1,638	\$65,951	\$1,035	\$0	\$66,985	\$40	\$891	\$905
Misdemeanors	302	2,081	87,126	138	0	87,264	42	288	289
Juvenile	73	908	35,570	0	1,031	36,601	39	487	501
Appeals	13	69	2,408	4	2,828	5,240	35	185	403
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	37	220	8,922	5	0	8,927	41	241	241
Other	34	211	6,306	17	3,916	10,238	30	185	301
Total	533	5,127	\$206,281	\$1,200	\$7,775	\$215,255	\$40	\$387	\$404

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>PAULDING (63)</b>									
Felonies	60	611	\$24,862	\$145	\$0	\$25,007	\$41	\$414	\$417
Misdemeanors	69	400	16,950	65	0	17,014	42	246	247
Juvenile	41	349	14,078	52	0	14,130	40	343	345
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	3	46	1,861	0	0	1,861	40	620	620
Other	20	85	3,627	5	0	3,632	43	181	182
Total	193	1,491	\$61,377	\$267	\$0	\$61,644	\$41	\$318	\$319
<b>PERRY (64)</b>									
Felonies	47	492	\$18,255	\$0	\$0	\$18,255	\$37	\$388	\$388
Misdemeanors	140	800	28,874	0	0	28,874	36	206	206
Juvenile	54	465	16,987	0	175	17,162	37	315	318
Appeals	3	0	0	0	3,564	3,564	0	0	1,188
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	13	27	1,029	0	0	1,029	39	79	79
Other	13	42	1,586	0	1,981	3,567	38	122	274
Total	270	1,824	\$66,730	\$0	\$5,719	\$72,449	\$37	\$247	\$268
<b>PICKAWAY (65)</b>									
Juvenile	27	128	\$1,697	\$0	\$143	\$1,840	\$13	\$63	\$68
Appeals	1	0	0	0	1,243	1,243	0	0	1,243
Other	11	21	755	0	33	788	36	69	72
Total	39	149	\$2,452	\$0	\$1,418	\$3,870	\$16	\$63	\$99
<b>PIKE (66)</b>									
Total	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>PORTAGE (67)</b>									
Felonies	213	3,309	\$138,835	\$681	\$0	\$139,516	\$42	\$652	\$655
Misdemeanors	109	868	35,824	0	0	35,824	41	329	329
Juvenile	484	5,100	213,254	41	1,101	214,396	42	441	443
Appeals	21	367	13,350	9	810	14,169	36	636	675
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	49	257	11,119	0	0	11,119	43	227	227
Other	46	165	6,727	0	13,267	19,994	41	146	435
Total	922	10,065	\$419,109	\$732	\$15,178	\$435,018	\$42	\$455	\$472
<b>PREBLE (68)</b>									
Felonies	123	1,419	\$71,783	\$518	\$0	\$72,301	\$51	\$584	\$588
Misdemeanors	222	1,269	66,787	0	0	66,787	53	301	301
Juvenile	161	2,005	90,302	25	0	90,327	45	561	561
Appeals	1	44	1,500	0	0	1,500	34	1,500	1,500
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	12	48	2,520	3	0	2,523	53	210	210
Other	41	349	13,512	12	0	13,524	39	330	330
Total	560	5,133	\$246,403	\$558	\$0	\$246,961	\$48	\$440	\$441

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>PUTNAM (69)</b>									
Felonies	48	500	\$24,453	\$618	\$0	\$25,070	\$49	\$509	\$522
Misdemeanors	135	678	35,948	0	0	35,948	53	266	266
Juvenile	54	391	15,729	13	0	15,741	40	291	292
Appeals	3	108	4,035	218	0	4,253	37	1,345	1,418
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	9	49	2,578	0	0	2,578	53	286	286
Other	29	126	5,931	40	0	5,971	47	205	206
Total	278	1,852	\$88,673	\$888	\$0	\$89,561	\$48	\$319	\$322
<b>RICHLAND (70)</b>									
Felonies	636	6,407	\$307,649	\$4,185	\$0	\$311,835	\$48	\$484	\$490
Misdemeanors	1,396	7,449	360,396	173	0	360,569	48	258	258
Juvenile	498	3,306	162,100	24	0	162,124	49	326	326
Appeals	30	234	9,532	32	30,383	39,946	41	318	1,332
Death Penalty	2	932	43,454	17,749	0	61,202	47	21,727	30,601
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	88	264	12,544	0	0	12,544	47	143	143
Other	164	639	29,830	0	15,335	45,165	47	182	275
Total	2,814	19,231	\$925,506	\$22,163	\$45,718	\$993,386	\$48	\$329	\$353
<b>ROSS (71)</b>									
Felonies	8	84	\$3,504	\$128	\$0	\$3,632	\$42	\$438	\$454
Misdemeanors	7	19	874	0	0	874	46	125	125
Juvenile	390	1,970	86,595	72	525	87,191	44	222	224
Appeals	14	115	3,588	6	5,018	8,612	31	256	615
Death Penalty	1	0	0	0	69	69	0	0	69
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	6	0	0	0	551	551	0	0	92
Other	86	153	7,280	0	6,828	14,108	48	85	164
Total	512	2,341	\$101,841	\$206	\$12,991	\$115,038	\$43	\$199	\$225
<b>SANDUSKY (72)</b>									
Felonies	178	1,963	\$67,820	\$42	\$0	\$67,862	\$35	\$381	\$381
Misdemeanors	432	2,013	84,908	16	0	84,924	42	197	197
Juvenile	316	3,847	155,056	173	0	155,229	40	491	491
Appeals	13	344	8,852	0	0	8,852	26	681	681
Death Penalty	1	159	6,874	457	0	7,331	43	6,874	7,331
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	95	388	15,870	11	262	16,143	41	167	170
Other	43	196	10,129	143	1,529	11,801	52	236	274
Total	1,078	8,910	\$349,509	\$841	\$1,791	\$352,140	\$39	\$324	\$327
<b>SCIOTO (73)</b>									
Felonies	469	3,996	\$131,008	\$2,056	\$0	\$133,064	\$33	\$279	\$284
Misdemeanors	1,479	6,371	207,421	0	0	207,421	33	140	140
Juvenile	365	2,836	91,486	11	0	91,497	32	251	251
Appeals	7	113	3,402	83	0	3,485	30	486	498
Death Penalty	1	1,032	61,178	0	0	61,178	59	61,178	61,178
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	548	1,644	54,640	13	0	54,653	33	100	100
Other	133	464	10,862	0	796	11,658	23	82	88
Total	3,002	16,456	\$559,997	\$2,162	\$796	\$562,955	\$34	\$187	\$188

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	Cases	Total Hours	Attorney Fees	Expenses	Transcripts	Total Cost	Avg. Fees/ Hour	Avg. Fees/ Case	Avg. Ttl. Cost/ Case
<b>SENECA (74)</b>									
Felonies	212	2,815	\$115,690	\$3,515	\$0	\$119,205	\$41	\$546	\$562
Misdemeanors	477	3,301	117,974	753	0	118,727	36	247	249
Juvenile	373	5,236	223,701	425	1,621	225,746	43	600	605
Appeals	25	345	13,340	0	10,154	23,494	39	534	940
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	82	355	14,559	191	0	14,750	41	178	180
Other	104	522	20,688	171	18,354	39,213	40	199	377
Total	1,273	12,575	\$505,952	\$5,055	\$30,128	\$541,134	\$40	\$397	\$425
<b>SHELBY (75)</b>									
Total	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>STARK (76)</b>									
Felonies	228	3,506	\$110,220	\$2,454	\$0	\$112,674	\$31	\$483	\$494
Misdemeanors	134	821	26,278	2	0	26,280	32	196	196
Juvenile	1,431	17,667	478,821	40	0	478,860	27	335	335
Appeals	61	1,364	41,549	168	0	41,717	30	681	684
Death Penalty	3	1,450	45,593	597	4,367	50,557	31	15,198	16,852
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	107	320	10,708	1	0	10,709	34	100	100
Other	44	240	7,576	0	0	7,576	32	172	172
Total	2,008	25,366	\$720,744	\$3,261	\$4,367	\$728,372	\$28	\$359	\$363
<b>SUMMIT (77)</b>									
Felonies	3,665	47,847	\$1,878,869	\$23,664	\$0	\$1,902,533	\$39	\$513	\$519
Misdemeanors	94	1,003	39,146	0	0	39,146	39	416	416
Juvenile	1,337	24,316	940,488	175	0	940,663	39	703	704
Appeals	79	2,530	85,164	188	0	85,352	34	1,078	1,080
Death Penalty	2	0	0	2,445	0	2,445	0	0	1,223
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	225	1,059	44,648	2	0	44,649	42	198	198
Other	1,109	6,399	218,645	75	998	219,718	34	197	198
Total	6,511	83,155	\$3,206,960	\$26,548	\$998	\$3,234,506	\$39	\$493	\$497
<b>TRUMBULL (78)</b>									
Felonies	37	368	\$14,169	\$1,918	\$0	\$16,086	\$39	\$383	\$435
Misdemeanors	61	268	10,993	36	0	11,029	41	180	181
Juvenile	342	2,409	93,671	8	0	93,680	39	274	274
Appeals	12	74	2,824	0	5,989	8,813	38	235	734
Death Penalty	4	113	4,799	0	48,375	53,174	43	1,200	13,294
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	54	143	6,294	0	370	6,664	44	117	123
Other	18	0	0	0	11,146	11,146	0	0	619
Total	528	3,374	\$132,750	\$1,962	\$65,880	\$200,591	\$39	\$251	\$380
<b>TUSCARAWAS (79)</b>									
Felonies	48	511	\$18,709	\$272	\$0	\$18,981	\$37	\$390	\$395
Misdemeanors	47	146	7,539	0	0	7,539	52	160	160
Juvenile	221	2,694	121,657	67	0	121,724	45	550	551
Appeals	10	247	7,885	104	72	8,061	32	789	806
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	3	5	280	0	0	280	52	93	93
Other	21	170	6,552	0	0	6,552	39	312	312
Total	350	3,773	\$162,621	\$443	\$72	\$163,136	\$43	\$465	\$466

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<b>UNION (80)</b>									
Total	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>VAN WERT (81)</b>									
Felonies	9	87	\$3,234	\$0	\$0	\$3,234	\$37	\$359	\$359
Misdemeanors	6	19	613	0	0	613	33	102	102
Juvenile	51	313	7,408	72	0	7,480	24	145	147
Appeals	4	31	824	0	163	987	27	206	247
Other	4	21	552	0	1,812	2,364	26	138	591
Total	74	471	\$12,631	\$72	\$1,975	\$14,678	\$27	\$171	\$198
<b>VINTON (82)</b>									
Felonies	65	651	\$20,448	\$200	\$0	\$20,648	\$31	\$315	\$318
Misdemeanors	309	1,670	52,787	12	0	52,799	32	171	171
Juvenile	153	1,830	37,279	327	0	37,606	20	244	246
Appeals	4	54	1,034	0	921	1,955	19	259	489
Death Penalty	1	0	0	0	9,203	9,203	0	0	9,203
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	32	102	3,261	12	0	3,273	32	102	102
Other	41	239	6,044	24	658	6,726	25	147	164
Total	605	4,547	\$120,852	\$575	\$10,782	\$132,210	\$27	\$200	\$219
<b>WARREN (83)</b>									
Felonies	312	3,881	\$177,742	\$225	\$0	\$177,967	\$46	\$570	\$570
Misdemeanors	424	1,182	63,700	0	0	63,700	54	150	150
Juvenile	382	4,243	197,154	471	0	197,624	46	516	517
Appeals	14	262	11,942	19	0	11,961	46	853	854
Death Penalty	2	1,360	80,000	0	0	80,000	59	40,000	40,000
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	54	110	5,759	0	0	5,759	52	107	107
Other	105	329	15,798	0	3,200	18,998	48	150	181
Total	1,293	11,369	\$552,093	\$715	\$3,200	\$556,008	\$49	\$427	\$430
<b>WASHINGTON (84)</b>									
Felonies	13	140	\$5,548	\$125	\$0	\$5,673	\$40	\$427	\$436
Misdemeanors	16	69	2,568	0	0	2,568	37	161	161
Juvenile	134	927	35,286	65	0	35,351	38	263	264
Appeals	20	0	0	0	22,244	22,244	0	0	1,112
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	2	12	468	0	36	504	40	234	252
Other	44	191	5,972	21	2,868	8,860	31	136	201
Total	229	1,339	\$49,841	\$211	\$25,148	\$75,200	\$37	\$218	\$328
<b>WAYNE (85)</b>									
Felonies	23	493	\$20,251	\$548	\$0	\$20,799	\$41	\$880	\$904
Misdemeanors	23	135	5,679	27	0	5,706	42	247	248
Juvenile	235	2,759	113,414	577	1,558	115,548	41	483	492
Appeals	10	143	4,750	0	2,355	7,105	33	475	711
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	3	10	409	0	0	409	43	136	136
Other	13	71	2,853	60	445	3,358	40	219	258
Total	307	3,611	\$147,356	\$1,212	\$4,358	\$152,925	\$41	\$480	\$498

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<b>WILLIAMS (86)</b>									
Felonies	142	871	\$43,971	\$486	\$0	\$44,457	\$51	\$310	\$313
Misdemeanors	2	23	1,180	0	0	1,180	51	590	590
Juvenile	68	263	13,192	21	0	13,213	50	194	194
Appeals	4	31	1,558	0	1,702	3,260	50	389	815
Other	9	23	1,125	0	10	1,135	49	125	126
Total	225	1,211	\$61,025	\$507	\$1,712	\$63,244	\$50	\$271	\$281
<b>WOOD (87)</b>									
Felonies	132	2,171	\$76,528	\$648	\$0	\$77,176	\$35	\$580	\$585
Misdemeanors	332	2,487	103,258	317	0	103,575	42	311	312
Juvenile	349	2,270	96,732	96	0	96,828	43	277	277
Appeals	24	199	5,592	70	10,584	16,246	28	233	677
Death Penalty	1	367	14,902	0	0	14,902	41	14,902	14,902
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	74	579	24,174	0	0	24,174	42	327	327
Other	108	918	31,723	2	4,722	36,447	35	294	337
Total	1,020	8,991	\$352,908	\$1,133	\$15,306	\$369,348	\$39	\$346	\$362
<b>WYANDOT (88)</b>									
Felonies	50	575	\$29,334	\$804	\$0	\$30,138	\$51	\$587	\$603
Misdemeanors	106	424	22,356	0	0	22,356	53	211	211
Appeals	4	66	3,093	0	3,180	6,273	47	773	1,568
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	14	59	3,069	0	0	3,069	52	219	219
Other	18	53	2,871	0	0	2,871	54	160	160
Total	192	1,177	\$60,723	\$804	\$3,180	\$64,707	\$52	\$316	\$337

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<b>STATEWIDE</b>									
Felonies	35,662	496,793	\$19,268,314	\$537,262	\$0	\$19,805,575	\$39	\$540	\$555
Misdemeanors	30,123	155,884	6,226,669	8,718	0	6,235,385	40	207	207
Juvenile	43,549	459,614	17,966,056	52,628	120,182	18,138,864	39	413	417
Appeals	1,943	35,202	1,216,416	9,097	490,563	1,716,073	35	626	883
Death Penalty	131	44,956	1,963,566	416,136	121,975	2,501,675	44	14,989	19,097
Muni/County Ct. Felonies	7,128	24,527	960,092	533	2,241	962,864	39	135	135
Other	12,602	50,975	1,902,682	7,444	419,400	2,329,524	37	151	185
Total	131,138	1,267,951	\$49,503,795	\$1,031,818	\$1,154,361	\$51,689,960	\$39	\$377	\$394
Total Without Death Penalty	131,007	1,222,995	\$47,540,229	\$615,682	\$1,032,386	\$49,188,285	\$39	\$363	\$375

Muni/County Ct. Felonies - Felonies initially filed in Municipal or County Courts.