

**STATE OF INDIANA
COUNTY OF VIGO
IN THE VIGO CIRCUIT AND SUPERIOR COURTS**

**Notice of Proposed New Local Court Rule
Problem Solving Court Fees
February 27, 2014**

In accordance with Trial Rule 81(B) of the Indiana Rules of Court, the Vigo Circuit and Superior Courts hereby give notice to the bar and the public that the Courts propose to adopt a new Local Rule on Problem Solving Court Fees at **LR84-AR00-8** for the courts of record of Vigo County, effective retroactive to **January 1, 2014**. The Courts find good cause to deviate from the schedule for amending local court rules pursuant to Trial Rule 81 (D). Supreme Court approval is not required for this new rule.

The time period for the bar and the public to comment begins on **February 27, 2014**, and closes on **March 29, 2014**. The effective date is retroactive to **January 1, 2014**.

Comments by the bar and the public should be made in writing and mailed, or emailed, to: Honorable Michael R. Rader, Judge of the Vigo Superior Court #5, Attn: Public Comment on Local Rules, Vigo County Courthouse, 33 South 3rd Street, Terre Haute, Indiana 47807; or michael.rader.@vigocounty.in.gov.

A paper copy of the proposed new local rule will be made available for viewing in the office of the Clerk of Vigo County, Vigo County Courthouse, 33 South 3rd Street, Terre Haute, Indiana 47807 during normal business hours. Persons with Internet access may view the proposed new local rule for Problem Solving Court Fees at the following website:

<http://www.vigocounty.in.gov/clerk> or <http://www.in.gov/judiciary/2887.htm>

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Michael R. Rader, Judge
Vigo Superior Court #5

Problem Solving Court Fees

(A) Fees for Drug Court, a Problem Solving Court, are set pursuant to I.C. 33-23-16.

(1) For defendants referred to Drug court the following fees are assessed:

- (a) For a 36-month deferral the fee is \$1,800.00.
- (b) For a 24-month deferral the fee is \$1,200.00.
- (c) For an 18-month deferral the fee is \$900.00.

(2) Fees are payable in no less than \$50.00 per month increments and are exclusive of chemical testing fees.

(3) Fees may be pro-rated for those who leave the program early, as measured against the Judgment of Conviction date.

(4) The fee for assessment and evaluation for Drug Court is \$100.00.

(5) An administration fee of \$100.00 may be assessed regardless of the length of participation in the Drug Court Program.

(B) Drug Court cases accepted into the Vigo County Drug Court Program but transferred to another Indiana County are assessed a \$25.00 transfer fee and a \$100.00 administration fee. Fees are payable at the time of transfer.

(C) Cases accepted into the Vigo County Drug Court Program from another Indiana County are assessed a \$25.00 transfer fee. Defendants are assessed a fee of \$50.00 per month for the duration of the time they remain under monitoring by the Vigo County Drug Court program.