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### York County Clerk of Courts – 2007 Activity/Accomplishments

In 2007 the Clerk of Courts filed 8,058 criminal cases up from 7,990 in 2006 breaking the “8,000” cases threshold for the first time. Overall the Clerk’s office processed a total of 12,403 cases in all case categories – Administrative, Criminal, Miscellaneous, Juvenile and Summary Appeals (see *chart below*) up 3.6% from 2006 and exceeding the 12,000 mark for total cases processed.

Case Type	2007	2006	2005	2004
CR - Criminal	8,058	7,990	7,406	6,211
MD - Miscellaneous	2,605	2,325	1,968	1,437
<i>MD - ICC Indirect Criminal Contempt</i>	202	158	180	178
JV - Juveniles	1,169	1,140	1,158	1,116
<i>JV - Delinquency</i>	820	661	663	613
<i>JV - Dependency</i>	349	476	495	503
AD - Administrative Docket	23	36	40	2
SA - Summary Appeals	548	477	479	413
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12,403</b>	<b>11,968</b>	<b>11,051</b>	<b>9,179</b>

270,604 docket entries were created in 2007 up from 242,905 (a 11.4% increase) docket entries made in 2006. Increased docket entries reflected the greater complexity in the cases processed by the Clerk’s office. Annual docket entries per clerk totaled 7,731 in 2007 vs. 7,144 in 2006 and 6,523 per clerk in 2005. Deputy clerks continue to be more productive year-over-year.

Note: Items in blue/italics represent subsets of the above case category NOT included in overall TOTAL amounts.

In 2007 the Clerk’s office prepared 977 State Correctional Institution commitments – a 32% increase over 2006’s 741 state commitments. Additionally we processed 221 Superior Court Appeals and expunged 889 cases per court order in 2007. Imaging or the electronic capture of paper filings continued in 2007 with 1,296,212 pages scanned for a total of 3.4 million+ pages of court documents currently available via the County’s Intranet to authorized agencies.

In 2007 the Costs and Fines Unit deposited a total of \$8,960,092.16 - an increase of \$3,024,279.65 or 51% over 2006’s total deposits (see *chart below*). Approximately 41% of the total was receipted to the County of York with the remaining half disbursed to the Commonwealth, municipalities and victims of crime. Specifically restitution totaled \$2,861,761.55 a 64% increase over 2006.

Collections	TOTAL -2007	2007%	TOTAL - 2006	2006%	TOTAL - 2005	2005%
Restitution	\$2,861,761.55	31.94%	\$1,018,716.03	17.16%	\$609,127.91	13.79%
State	\$1,912,092.69	21.34%	\$1,580,983.83	26.63%	\$1,256,869.63	28.45%
County	\$3,654,103.30	40.78%	\$2,923,494.98	49.25%	\$2,256,413.05	51.08%
Municipalities	\$511,067.62	5.70%	\$399,811.18	6.74%	\$289,981.16	6.56%
Prothonotary	\$21,067.00	0.24%	\$12,806.49	0.22%	\$4,749.78	0.11%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$8,960,092.16</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>\$5,935,812.51</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>\$4,417,141.53</b>	<b>100.00%</b>