

## **RETAINER & FEE SCHEDULE**

**CONSULTING FEES:** Expert consulting services will be billed at the rate of \$280.00 per hour for time spent reviewing emails and documents, participating in telephone calls and conferences, inspecting sites and vehicles, preparing written documents and exhibits, etc. We also reserve the right to bill for lost or wasted time in the event of cancellation or delay. By requesting that services be performed, Clients (Individual, Business, Attorney, Insurance Carrier) agree to pay all fees invoiced in a timely manner as requested on billing invoices. Rates are subject to change without notice.

**DEPOSITION TESTIMONY:** Deposition testimony will be billed at the rate of \$350.00 per hour, with a four-hour minimum charge. Attorneys who are responsible for payment of deposition fees will have the option of paying, in advance, for four, six, or eight hours of testimony time which will include travel and standby time. Travel time to and from depositions will be billed at \$280.00 per hour. Testimony fees must be received (at the above EHA address) no less than ten (10) days prior to the date of any scheduled deposition. Expenses incurred during travel to the deposition location will also be billed. If a deposition is canceled less than seven (7) days prior to the scheduled deposition date, any deposition retainer paid will not be refunded.

**COURT and HEARING TESTIMONY:** Court testimony will be billed at the rate of \$475.00 per hour, with a four-hour minimum charge. Attorneys who are responsible for payment of court testimony fees will have the option of paying, in advance, for four, six, or eight hours of testimony time which will include travel and standby time. Travel time to and from court will be billed at \$280.00 per hour. Testimony fees must be received (at the above EHA address) no less than ten (10) days prior to the date of any scheduled court appearance. Expenses incurred during travel to the court location will also be billed. If a court or hearing date is canceled less than seven (7) days prior to the scheduled date, any retainer paid will not be refunded. All outstanding invoices previously billed on the matter being tried must be paid in full no later than ten (10) days prior to appearance in court.

**TRAVEL:** Travel time will be measured from portal to portal and will be billed at the consulting fee rate of \$280.00 per hour. Parking and toll expenses will be billed at the cost expended.

**EXPENSES:** Expenses associated with travel, including charges for airline travel, car rental, lodging, parking, tolls, taxis, etc. will be billed at the cost expended. A flat charge of \$75.00 per 8-hour day will be charged for meals. Charges incurred for supplies used during preparation of courtroom exhibits will be billed at cost expended. Printing of black and white documents will be billed at \$.50 per page. Printing of color copies or color photographs will be billed at \$.75 per page. Postage will be billed at the cost expended. By requesting that services be performed, Clients (Individual, Business, Attorney, Insurance Carrier) agree to pay, in a timely manner as requested on billing invoices, all expenses billed.

