

**ERATH COUNTY
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE COURTS**

*** NO PERSONAL CHECKS ACCEPTED ***

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THE CITATION ISSUED TO YOU WILL RESULT IN A COMPLAINT BEING FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS COURT. IF YOU FAIL TO RESPOND TO THE CHARGE(S) BY THE APPEARANCE DATE ON THE CITATION, AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE WILL BE FILED AGAINST YOU FOR VIOLATING WRITTEN PROMISE TO APPEAR AND WARRANTS WILL BE ISSUED FOR YOUR ARREST. FAILURE TO APPEAR IN COURT AS REQUIRED BY LAW, YOU MAY BE DENIED THE RENEWAL OF YOUR DRIVERS LICENSE AND ASSESSED AN ADDITIONAL FEE.

JUVENILES MUST APPEAR IN PERSON WITH PARENT OR GUARDIAN;
IF YOU DO NOT RESIDE IN ERATH COUNTY, CONTACT THE COURT FOR INSTRUCTIONS.

THIS LETTER IS FURNISHED TO YOU THROUGH THE COURTESY OF THE COURTS TO ALLOW YOU TO TAKE CARE OF THIS MATTER BY MAIL IF YOU SO DESIRE. YOU MUST COMPLETE THE APPROPRIATE FORM ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

LISTED BELOW ARE SOME FINES ACCEPTABLE TO THE COURTS BUT MAY BE CHANGED AT JUDGE'S DISCRETION.

	SCHOOL ZONE	SCHOOL ZONE	
OVER THE SPEED LIMIT			
1 TO 10	\$140.00	\$165.00	
11 TO 15	\$150.00	\$175.00	
16	\$160.00	\$185.00	
17	\$170.00	\$195.00	
18	\$180.00	\$205.00	
19	\$190.00	\$215.00	
20	\$200.00	\$225.00	
21	\$210.00	\$235.00	
22	\$220.00	\$245.00	
23	\$230.00	\$255.00	
24	\$240.00	\$265.00	
*25 & OVER	\$295.00	\$320.00	
*DEFENSIVE DRIVING NOT ALLOWED FOR PASSING SCHOOL BUS OR VIOLATIONS IN CONSTRUCTION ZONES WITH WORKERS PRESENT OR FOR ANYONE WITH CDL LICENSE			
	Drivers license restrictions violations	\$100.00	
	No drivers license	\$155.00	
	Expired drivers license	\$100.00	
	Expired or no inspection sticker	\$130.00	
	Expired or no motor vehicle registration ..	\$100.00	
	Fail to Control Speed	\$150.00	
	Following too closely	\$150.00	
	Equipment violations	\$130.00	\$155.00
	Passing violations	\$150.00	\$175.00
	Running stop sign	\$150.00	\$175.00
	Accident violations	\$150.00	\$175.00
	Fail to yield right-of-way	\$150.00	\$175.00
	Turning violations	\$150.00	\$175.00
	Safety restraint (seat belt) violations	\$130.00	\$155.00
	Child safety seat violations	\$120.00	\$150.00
	Child restraint violations	\$200.00	\$225.00
	Unsafe lane change	\$130.00	\$155.00
	*Passing school bus	\$625.00	
	No liability insurance (first offense)	\$280.00	

"FOR ANY OFFENSE NOT LISTED, INCLUDING VIOLATIONS IN CONSTRUCTION ZONES, CONTACT THE PROPER COURT INDICATED ABOVE."

REPLY FORM AND AFFIDAVIT FOR DRIVER SAFETY COURSE ON REVERSE SIDE.

If you are convicted of a second offense of failure to maintain financial responsibility, your driver's license and auto registration will be suspended for 2 years unless you obtain insurance with an SR22 filing, and your motor vehicle can be impounded.

Second offense passing a school bus can result in your driver's license being suspended.

*Some convictions may receive surcharge from state.

Print name as appears on citation _____ Drivers license number _____

Complete mailing address _____ Phone number _____

CHECK ONE:
1. I HEREBY ENTER A PLEA OF GUILTY / NO CONTEST (CIRCLE ONE) TO THE CHARGE(S) OF _____ AND WAIVE JURY TRIAL & APPEARANCE FOR TRIAL. ENCLOSED IS MY CITATION & A CASHIER'S CHECK OR MONEY ORDER FOR THE CORRECT FINE AMOUNT MADE PAYABLE TO THE COURT DESIGNATED ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

2. I HEREBY ENTER A PLEA OF NOT GUILTY TO THE CHARGE OF _____ AND DESIRE A JURY TRIAL / NON-JURY TRIAL (CIRCLE ONE). YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED OF A COURT DATE.

Date _____ Amt. enclosed _____ Signature _____

**SOME VIOLATIONS MAY BE DISMISSED BY TAKING A DRIVING SAFETY COURSE.
REQUEST FORM FOR DRIVING SAFETY COURSE**
(Must be notarized.)

IN ORDER TO TAKE A DRIVING SAFETY COURSE IN LIEU OF A CONVICTION BEING ENTERED ON MY DRIVING RECORD, I HEREBY STATE UNDER OATH:

- I HAVE REQUESTED THE DRIVING SAFETY COURSE ON OR BEFORE MY ANSWER DATE.
- I HOLD A VALID TEXAS DRIVERS LICENSE. (CDL NOT ELIGIBLE.)
- I HAVE NOT HAD A DRIVING SAFETY COURSE IN THE LAST YEAR AND AM NOT PRESENTLY ENROLLED IN A DRIVING SAFETY CLASS AT THIS TIME.
- I WAS NOT GOING 25 MPH OR MORE OVER THE POSTED SPEED LIMIT
- I HAVE PROOF OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY. (LIABILITY INSURANCE) (SEND COPY WITH THIS FORM)

I HERE BY ENTER A PLEA OF GUILTY / NO CONTEST (CIRCLE ONE) TO THE CHARGE OF _____, REQUEST THE DRIVING SAFETY COURSE, ENCLOSE MONEY ORDER OR CASHIER'S CHECK FOR \$112.00 MADE PAYABLE TO THE PROPER JUSTICE OF THE PEACE LISTED ON THE REVERSE SIDE. (THIS FEE IS NOT FOR THE COST OF TAKING THE CLASS YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ENROLLING IN A STATE CERTIFIED DRIVING SAFETY COURSE. YOU HAVE 90 DAYS TO TAKE THE CLASS AND SEND BACK PROOF OF COMPLETION. YOU WILL ALSO NEED TO GET US A COPY OF YOUR DRIVING RECORD FROM AUSTIN.)

Defendant's signature _____ Date _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____ 20 _____

Notary Public _____ Court _____

*If violation occurred in school zone, add \$25.00