

SCHEDULE OF FINES / MILES PER HOUR ABOVE SPEED LIMIT (Court Cost Included)

1..... \$134.00	11..... \$154.00	21..... \$214.00
2..... \$136.00	12..... \$169.00	22..... \$224.00
3..... \$138.00	13..... \$174.00	23..... \$234.00
4..... \$140.00	14..... \$179.00	24..... \$239.00
5..... \$142.00	15..... \$184.00	25..... \$249.00
6..... \$144.00	16..... \$189.00	26..... \$259.00
7..... \$146.00	17..... \$194.00	27..... \$269.00
8..... \$148.00	18..... \$199.00	28..... \$279.00
9..... \$150.00	19..... \$204.00	29..... \$289.00
10..... \$152.00	20..... \$209.00	30..... \$298.00

FINES ON OTHER VIOLATIONS (Court Cost Included)

1. * Expired Driver's License / Expired Motor Vehicle Inspection Certificate	\$133.00
2. * Expired Registration / Fail to Change Address or Name on D.L.	\$133.00
3. ** Failed to Carry and Exhibit Driver's License on demand	\$133.00
4. ** Violate Driver's License Restrictions / Unregistered Vehicle	\$133.00
5. Ride Not Secured By Safety Belt or Seat-Child 1st offense \$223.00 / Adult-	\$148.00
6. Fail to Signal Lane Change / Unsafe Lane Change	\$150.00
7. Fail to Drive in Single Lane / Fail to Dim Headlights	\$150.00
8. ** Equipment Violations / Unsafe Vehicle (Non-Commercial Vehicles)	\$150.00
9. ** Unauthorized Window Coating / Unauthorized Windshield Coating	\$160.00
10. Fictitious Motor Vehicle Inspection Certificate / Fictitious Registration	\$210.00
11. Permit Unlicensed Driver to Drive	\$210.00
12. Fail to Control Speed / Fail to Yield Right of Way	\$210.00
13. Ran Stop Sign / Disregard Warning Signs	\$210.00
14. Following too Closely / Impeding Traffic / Unsafe Speed	\$210.00
15. Passing in No Passing Zone / Wrong Side of Road	\$250.00
16. Drove Across Median	\$248.00
17. Drove from Controlled Access Highway Where Prohibited	\$248.00
18. Fail to Yield Right of Way to Emergency Vehicle	\$250.00
19. Violate Written Promise to Appear / Failure to Appear	\$260.00
20. No Driver's License / Suspended Driver's License	\$265.00
21. Open Container / Public Intoxication / Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	\$265.00
22. Fail to Show Proof of Liability Insurance (1st Offense Only)	\$290.00
23. Passing / Overtaking School Bus (1st Offense Only)	\$350.00

*Offenses may be dismissed with proof of renewal / correction and a \$20 administrative fee if provided no later than 20 working days from the date citation issued.

**Offenses may be dismissed with proof of compliance / repair or correction and payment of a \$10 administrative fee if provided no later than 10 working days from the date citation issued.

You may pay on-line @ www.vanzandtcounty.org / click on "County Offices" then "Justices of the Peace" / click on the Court in which your citation is assigned.
Payment may be made with Mastercard or Visa

- _____ I hereby enter a plea of **GUILTY/NO CONTEST** (circle one) and waive appearance for trial. I enclose my fine in the amount of \$_____ by **Money Order** or **Cashier's Check**.
- _____ I hereby enter a plea of **NOT GUILTY** and waive my right to jury trial and request a trial before the Judge (Bench Trial). I understand the Court will notify me by mail of my Pre-Trial and Trial dates. I will advise the Court of any changes in my address.
- _____ I hereby enter a plea of **NOT GUILTY** and request a trial by jury. I understand the Court will notify me by mail of my Pre-trial and Trial dates. I will advise the Court of any changes in my address.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME this the _____ of _____, 20____

Notary Public, State of _____

Name (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE AS IT APPEARS ON YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE) _____ Driver's License Number _____

Current Address _____ City, State, Zip Code _____ Phone Number _____

Citation Number / Date of Citation / Date of Birth / Date Cited to Appear on or Before _____



COURTESY SHEET

PROVIDED TO YOU BY

The JUSTICE COURTS OF VAN ZANDT COUNTY, TEXAS

*****Please Read Carefully and Follow All Directions*****

The law requires you to appear in the court indicated on your citation. You may appear in person, or by mail, and enter your plea. Juveniles (age 16 and younger) are **REQUIRED** to appear before the judge in open court, accompanied by a parent or guardian (Please contact the court to schedule the appearance).

DRIVING SAFETY COURSE / (CDL EXCLUDED)

You may be eligible to request a Driving Safety Course to dismiss an alleged offense. You must enter a plea in person or in writing of **no contest** or **guilty** on or before the answer date on the notice to appear/citation and: present in person or by counsel to the court a request to take the course; **or** send the court a written request to take the course by **certified mail, return receipt requested**, postmarked on or before the answer date on the notice to appear/citation. **YOU CANNOT TAKE THE COURSE WITHOUT FIRST RECEIVING PERMISSION FROM THE COURT TO DO SO.**

QUALIFICATIONS: Initial each requirement met.

You are eligible to request this course if you:

- _____ Have a Valid Texas Driver's License
- _____ Have not requested or taken the course within the last 12 months and / or are not presently taking
- _____ Have not committed the offense of speeding in excess of 24 mph over the speed limit
- _____ Have not committed a serious traffic violation

WRITTEN REQUEST: Initial each

_____ I hereby plead **NO CONTEST** and request a **Driving Safety Course**. By signing the **reverse side** of this form I swear or affirm that I meet the requirements stated above.

_____ I **ENCLOSE** proof of **FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY** (insurance) and a **PHOTO COPY** of **VALID TEXAS DRIVERS'S LICENSE**.

_____ I **ENCLOSE** a **CASHIER'S CHECK** or **MONEY ORDER** made payable to the Justice Court, indicated at left, in the amount of **\$110.10** (Includes \$100.10 Court Cost & \$10.00 Administration Fee)

_____ I **ENCLOSE** a **SELF-ADDRESSED, STAMPED BUSINESS SIZE ENVELOPE** in which the Court will mail to me an application for a certified copy of my Driving Record which I will send to Austin. with the proper fee as required by law.

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@
www.vanzandtcounty.org

_____ I understand that I am responsible for completing a **State approved Driving Safety Course** and remitting the proper **completion certificate & certified copy** of my driving record to the Court before the expiration of **90 days**. Failure to return said certificate and record may result in **WARRANTS** being issued.

YOUR NOTARIZED SIGNATURE AND INFORMATION ARE REQUIRED ON REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM

*****PAYMENT BY MONEY ORDER / CASHIER'S CHECK IF PAID BY MAIL*****
*****MAJOR CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED BY PHONE OR WALK-IN*****

****FINES & COURT COST ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE****

Caring for your violation in the time allotted will prevent: (1) an additional charge of **Violate Written Promise to Appear** being filed (2) denial of your license renewal (3) a warrant being issued for your arrest, and (4) your case being referred to an attorney firm for collection, all of which will more than double your original amount due.