

**DRIVER SAFETY COURSE REQUEST Texas CCP Art. 45.0511**

**If you have received a moving violation**

you may have the right to have a moving traffic violation dismissed by successful completion of Driver Safety Course.

**HOWEVER, YOU LOSE THAT RIGHT: IF YOU FAIL TO SUBMIT/postmark THIS REQUEST TO COURT ON OR BEFORE THE APPEARANCE DATE ON YOUR CITATION.**

**To be eligible for a driver safety course: You must have:** A valid Texas driver's license or permit. **CDL holders are NOT ELIGIBLE,** Active duty military ID, or be spouse / dependent of. Valid vehicle liability insurance.

**You cannot have :** Taken have taken a driver safety course for dismissal of a citation within the last year. A Commercial Driver's License

**THIS FORM MUST BE NOTARIZED AND RETURNED TO THE COURT**

I \_\_\_\_\_, state under oath, on the date of my request for a driving safety course, I was not taking such a course nor had I completed one within the preceding 12 months from the date of my current offense that is not shown on my driving record as maintained by the Texas Department of Public Safety. I hereby plead no contest to the current moving traffic violation and request the Court defer proceedings in my case so I may pay cost due, complete an approved driver safety course, present a Certificate of Completion and copy of my driving record, and have the Court dismiss my case. I also understand, if I do not complete the Driver Safety Course within 90 days, I will owe the fine amount and the offense will be reported as a conviction to DPS.

Enclosed is my notarized request, a non-refundable fee for Municipal Court \$109.10 (\$134.10 school zone violations), proof of liability insurance, a copy of my Texas Driver's License and a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary

**Upon the request of a Driver Safety Course, the following items MUST be enclosed:**

1. Cashier's Check, Money Order, or personal check in the amount of \$109.10 (\$134.10 school zone) made payable to: Hamilton Municipal Court
2. Notarized Request Form for Driver Safety Course - printed above.
3. Copy of your Insurance Card.
4. Copy of your Texas Driver's License.
5. Stamped, self addressed envelope. PLEASE send.
6. Mail CERTIFIED to: City of Hamilton Municipal Court, 200 E Main, Hamilton, Texas 76531

**I understand, I will have 90 days to complete a driver safety course, obtain my driving record, and return all required documents to the Court on or before the due date listed on receipt enclosed in my driver safety packet, all of which will be mailed to me by the Court upon receipt of this request.**

**Ineligible Offenses:**

- \* All offenses committed while operating a commercial motor vehicle (CMV)
- \* In a construction zone when workers are present
- \* Leaving the scene of an accident, Failing to give information at the scene
- \* Passing a school bus loading or unloading children
- \* Speeding 25 or more miles per hour over the posted speed limit.
- \* Speeding 95 miles per hour/or more
- \* Fleeing/Attempting to elude the Police, Reckless Driving.

16 years of age or younger **must** appear in court accompanied by parent or guardian.