

REPLY FORM
Plea Must Be In Writing or In Person
On or Before Your Appearance Date

TELEPHONE CALLS DO NOT CONSTITUTE AN APPEARANCE BEFORE THE COURT

Mail to the Buda Municipal Court P.O. Box 1218, Buda, Texas 78610
Enclose a copy of the Citation with your reply.

Name (as it appears on License) _____

Citation No. _____ Date of Citation _____

Appearance Date _____ Driver's License No. _____

Mailing Address _____

Physical Address (if different) _____

Telephone No. (home) A/C _____ / _____ - _____ (business) A/C _____ / _____ - _____

(cell) A/C _____ / _____ - _____

DRIVING SAFETY COURSE (DSC) OR MOTORCYCLE OPERATOR TRAINING COURSE

Under the laws of the State of Texas, you may be able to require that **(one)** charge be dismissed by taking a driving safety course. However, you must provide written notice of your intent to the Court **on or before the appearance date** as shown on your citation.

NOTE: "A person who holds a commercial driver's license (CDL) is not eligible to take a driving safety course to dismiss a charge nor is the Court allowed by law to grant deferred sentence." Also, if your charge is for a Construction/Maintenance Zone Violation (with workers present) you are **NOT** eligible to take a driving safety course or receive a deferred sentence.

A CHARGE MAY BE DISMISSED BY COMPLETING A DRIVING SAFETY COURSE PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS ARE MET:

1. You are charged with a moving traffic violation other than 25 miles or more above the posted speed limit;
2. You have not used this option during the preceding 12 months and you are not in the process of using this option for another offense;
3. You have a valid Texas Driver's License;
4. You provide the Court with proof of financial responsibility (insurance) that complies with state laws;
5. You provide the certificate of course completion by the due date.

IF REQUESTING DSC, READ AND SIGN BELOW AND RETURN TO THE COURT WITH YOUR PROOF OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (INSURANCE) AND YOUR FEE ON OR BEFORE YOUR APPEARANCE DATE AS SHOWN ON YOUR CITATION.

I hereby request to take a Driving Safety Course (DSC) or Motorcycle Operator Training Course and enter a plea of no contest to the charge of: _____ and request the Court to dismiss the charge as provided by law. I certify that I have read and meet all the requirements as set forth above for DSC eligibility. I further understand that the DSC must be submitted to the Court within 90 days from the appearance date on my citations; otherwise the original fine amount must be paid.

DRIVING SAFETY COURSE COURT FEE IS \$107.00

Under the penalty of perjury: _____ // _____
Signature of Defendant Print Name

SWORN to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, _____.

(Notary Public or someone authorized to administer oaths)

Check One (If requesting Defensive Safety Course, you do not need to complete the section below.)

____ 1. I hereby enter a plea of GUILTY and waive appearance for trial. Payment in the amount of the fine is enclosed.

____ 2. I hereby enter a plea of NO CONTEST and waive appearance for trial. Payment in the amount of the fine is enclosed.

____ 3. I hereby enter a plea of NOT GUILTY and request: 1. ____ Trial by Court (waiving a jury trial) OR
2. ____ Trial by Jury

Signed this _____ day of _____, _____ (Signature) _____