

### FREQUENTLY

### ASKED

### QUESTIONS

### Do you accept personal checks as payment for fines and fees ?

No we do not accept personal checks. You may pay by debit/credit card either in person or via our online payment system. The Court also accepts cashier's checks, money orders, or cash. If you are mailing your payment please do not mail cash or your credit card information.

### I have a CDL am I eligible for Deferred Disposition of Defensive Driving?

*No, Texas State Law does not allow a CDL holder to take a DSC Class or complete a Deferred Disposition.* 

# I received a ticket for Expired Inspection and I went and got the vehicle inspected. Do I still have to pay the Ticket?

If your vehicle inspection was out for less than 60 days and you have proof that the vehicle has passed inspection you *may* be eligible for a compliance dismissal. You must appear either in person or if via mail your envelope <u>must</u> be postmarked no later than your due date on the bottom of your citation and you must pay a \$20 administrative fee.

# I received a ticket for Expired Registration and I went and got my vehicle registered. Do I still have to pay the Ticket?

In order to qualify for a compliance dismissal for an expired registration citation you must tell the Tax Assessor or Registration office that you received a citation for operating your motor vehicle with expired registration and pay the **penalty fee** and renew your registration. If you have renewed your registration and paid the **penalty fee** and provide proof and pay a \$20 dismissal fee either in person or via mail postmarked by your due date on the bottom of the citation.

## I received a ticket for Expired DL and I went a got my DL renewed. Do I still have to pay the ticket?

In order to qualify for a compliance dismissal for expired DL you must show the Court proof either in person or via mail and pay a \$20 dismissal fee on or before your due date on the bottom of your citation.

#### I received a ticket for Failure to Display my Driver's License. Do I still have to pay the ticket?

In order to qualify for a dismissal of this charge you must provide a copy of your valid Driver's license and pay a \$10 dismissal fee on or before the due date on the bottom of your citation.

### I want to contest my citation. What do I do?

You will need to appear in the Court and sign for your Pre-Trial date. If you are unable to come Monday through Friday 8a.m. to 4:30 p.m. you may fax your request for a Court date attention to the Court at 940-393-0201. You need to provide a return fax number or email address for the Court to send your hearing notice to.

# I want to request defensive driving for the dismissal of my citation. How do I request a driver's safety course?

You <u>must</u> send your written request via certified mail to the Court postmarked no later than your appearance date on the bottom of your citation along with the following information:

- 1. A copy of your valid Texas driver's license
- 2. A copy of your current car insurance where you are a listed driver
- 3. A cashier's check or money order in the amount of \$107.10 if non-school zone or \$132.10 if the offense occurred in a school zone
- 4. You cannot have been charged with speeding 25 or more miles per hour

You should expect to receive information from the Court within two weeks and if you do not please contact the Court at 940-393-0220.

### I want to request Deferred Disposition for my citation how do I know if I qualify.

If you are using our online payment system it will determine your eligibility and if this is an option for your citation it will be offered and you will be able to request and make your payment online.

If you are requesting by mail you may contact the Court at 940-393-0220 for the deferred amount and your eligibility. Please make sure that you ask for the deferred disposition amount when contacting the Court.

If you are the holder of a <u>CDL</u> you are not eligible to have your citation dismissed through deferred disposition.