

STATE OF TEXAS

vs

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IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT

CITY OF LANCASTER

DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

Name

REQUEST FOR A DRIVING SAFETY COURSE

I, the Defendant in the above cause, do hereby enter my appearance, waive my right to a jury trial and enter a plea of _____ Guilty _____ No Contest and request to take a driving safety course to have the charge dismissed.

I UNDERSTAND THAT I MUST:

1. Present to the court a valid **TEXAS DRIVER'S LICENSE OR PERMIT**;
2. Present to the court proof of **financial responsibility (vehicle liability insurance)**;
3. Not have taken a driving safety course within the one (1) year immediately preceding the date of this alleged offense and not currently taking the class for any other citation;
4. Pay court costs of \$139.00;
5. Complete a driving safety course approved by the Texas Education Agency or if operating a motorcycle, a motorcycle operator's training approved by the Department of Public Safety, within 90 days of this request.
6. Present to the court a certified copy of my driver's record from the Department of Public Safety by the 90th day after this request;
7. Present to this Court a uniform certificate of driving safety course completion (Court Copy) from a Texas Education Agency approved course by the 90th day after this request

I UNDERSTAND THAT IF I:

1. Complete the driving safety course and return the **Uniform Certificate of Course Completion, Certified Copy of my Driving Record** to the Court, the charge against me will be dismissed. I also understand that the Court will report to DPS the completion date of the driving safety course for inclusion on my driving record.
2. Fail to present to this court proof of completion of the driving safety course within 90 days, the court will require my appearance at the show cause hearing. If I fail to appear at the show cause hearing, the court may enter a CONVICTION, impose a fine and if necessary issue a CAPIAS PRO FINE WARRANT for my arrest.

I agree to file the Driving Record and Completion Certificate as required and understand all terms and conditions stated above.

AFFIDAVIT OF ELIGIBILITY

I hereby swear or affirm that I have not completed a course under Art. 45.0511 C.C.P., that is not reflected on my driving record, nor am I in the process of taking a course under this Article for the dismissal of a citation.

Defendant's Signature

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

If it is impossible for you to appear in person to return your written proof of completion of the Driving Course, you may return such proof by mailing it to the Lancaster Municipal Court, 220 W Main Street, Lancaster, Texas 75146. If you choose to send this by mail and if the Court does not receive your proof, a Capias Pro Fine Warrant may still be issued for your arrest.