POINT MUNICIPAL COURT

DUE TO COVID- 19 FACE MASKS MAY BE REQUIRED IN THE POINT MUNICIPAL COURT ROOM. PLEASE COME PREPARED. THANK YOU.

THIS IS YOUR PLEA FORM – YOU MUST COMPLETE THIS FORM AND RETURN TO THE COURT –
MUST BE POSTMARKED OR HAND-DELIVERED ON OR BEFORE YOUR APPEARANCE DATE
ATTENTION: JUVENILES 16 AND UNDER MUST APPEAR IN COURT WITH PARENT OR GUARDIAN
YOUR CITATION WILL BE PROCESSED THE FOLLOWING BUSINESS DAY. IF YOU CALL THE COURT ON YOUR APPEARANCE DATE LEAVE A NAME AND PHONE NUMBER. YOUR PHONE CALL WILL BE RETURNED AT THE EARLIEST ON THE FOLLOWING BUSINESS DAY.

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NAME (as shown on Driver's License or ID) Driver's License Number Citation Number

_____/_____/_____

Mailing Address City/State/Zip Telephone Number

Email:_____

INITIAL THE APPROPRIATE PLEA BELOW.

____ I hereby enter a plea of GUILTY and waive appearance by trial. **(Include amount of ticket.)**

____ I hereby enter a plea of NO CONTEST/NOLO CONTENDERE and waive appearance by trial.
(Include amount of ticket.)

____ I hereby enter a plea of NOT GUILTY and understand that I will be required to appear for Pre-Trial when scheduled by the Court. (YOU MUST KEEP IN CONTACT WITH THE COURT FOR COURT DATE.)

____ I hereby enter a plea of ____GUILTY____NO CONTEST and request to take a **DRIVER'S SAFETY COURSE.** I have not completed a Driver's Safety Course in the last 12 months, nor am I currently petitioning another Court to take a course to have a ticket dismissed. Pay the non-refundable administration fee to the court in the amount of $144.00.

YOU ARE NOT ELIGIBLE IF YOU HOLD A CDL OR HOLD AN OUT OF STATE DRIVERS LICENSE.

____I hereby enter a plea of ____GUILTY____NO CONTEST and request a **PAYMENT PLAN**. (There will be a $15.00 time payment plan fee added to each violation if not paid off in full within 31 days of first payment.)

____I hereby enter a plea of ____GUILTY____NO CONTEST and request **DEFERRED DISPOSITION. CDL HOLDER NOT ELIGIBLE. OUT OF STATE DRIVERS LICENSE ARE ELIGIBLE AS LONG AS YOU DO NOT HOLD A CDL.**

Amount of ticket + $50.00 non-refundable administration fee. You will be sent a Deferred Affidavit after we receive payment. As long as you do not receive another ticket in Rains County, TX within the 90 day Deferred probation period you must sign, have notarized, and send back to the court in order for this to not be reported on your driving record. If we do not receive the Deferred Affidavit the violation will be reported.)

THE POINT MUNICIPAL COURT ACCEPTS CASH, PERSONAL CHECK (NO TEMPORARY CHECKS), CASHIERS CHECK, MONEY ORDER, VISA & MASTERCARD (WITH A 3% THIRD PARTY PROCESSING FEE)
Please make check or money order payable to POINT MUNICIPAL COURT.

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DEFENDANT'S SIGNATURE **DATE**

REQUEST FOR TEXAS DRIVER'S SAFETY COURSE (DSC)

IF YOU HOLD A CDL, DO NOT HAVE A VALID TEXAS DRIVER'S LICENSE, OR IF YOU ARE CHARGED WITH SPEEDING 25 MILES OR MORE OVER THE POSTED SPEED YOU WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE. A non-moving violation is not eligible for a Driver's Safety Course.

A Driver's Safety Course can only be taken once every twelve (12) months for dismissal of a traffic violation.

A request to take a Driver's Safety Course along with the $144.00 payment must be received by the Court **on or before** your appearance date and **prior** to enrolling in a Driver's Safety Course.

1. Pay the NON-REFUNDABLE state/administration fee to the Court in the amount of **$144.00**
2. Furnish the Court with a copy of valid **TEXAS DRIVER'S LICENSE**
3. Furnish the Court with a copy of valid **LIABILITY INSURANCE**
4. Furnish the Court with a **CERTIFIED COPY (TYPE 3A)** driving record from the Texas Department of Public Safety. Record may be obtained online at www.texas.gov

You have ninety (90) days from the date we receive the $144.00 to complete and submit a certificate of completion to the Court. If certificate of completion is not provided, the charge will not be dismissed, the fees will not be refunded and the full amount of the fine assessed will be due. If not paid, a warrant may be issued and additional fees may be added.