

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF TEXAS

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In the Justice Court

VS.

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Precinct \_\_\_\_\_

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Galveston County, Texas

**REQUEST FOR MANDATORY DRIVING SAFETY COURSE**

**Now comes** the above named Defendant in this matter and requests that further proceedings be deferred for ninety (90) days to allow Defendant to complete a Driving Safety Course, under article 45.0511 CCP, approved by the Texas Education Agency. After being by me duly sworn, Defendant on oath deposes and says:

- I hereby waive my right to a jury trial and enter a plea of \_\_\_\_\_ NO CONTEST or \_\_\_\_\_ GUILTY to the charge of \_\_\_\_\_.
- I have a valid Texas Driver’s License or Permit; or am a member, or the spouse of dependent child of a member of the United States Military forces serving on active duty; and I am 17 years of age or older.
- I do not have a Commercial Driver’s License.
- I have proof of financial responsibility (automobile liability insurance).
- I am not in the process of taking a Driving Safety Course for a different traffic offense.
- I have not taken a Driving Safety Course within the past 12 months to obtain dismissal of a traffic offense.

I understand that **I MUST:**

- **Present a certified copy of my driving record from the Texas Department of Public Safety to the Judge for approval on my assigned court date. ( information provided for driving record)**
- **Pay \$112.10 to the Court. (NO PERSONAL CHECKS)**
- **Provide proof of financial responsibility to the Court.**
- **Provide my valid Texas Driver’s License to the Court.**

I further understand this offense will be dismissed after the ninety (90) day period upon providing proof of successful completion of a Driving Safety Course, certified copy of driving record and proof of liability insurance.

Failure to take the course or to give the Court my certificate of completion along with my Texas Driving record by the required due date, will require my appearance to show cause why proof was not timely submitted. At that time, the Court may enter a judgment of guilt. If I fail to appear at the hearing, the Court will enter a judgment of guilt and the offense will appear as a conviction on my driving record, plus a Capias Warrant will be issued for my arrest and additional fine and fees will be assessed.

Defendant signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

DL Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date/Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC

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**DRIVING RECORDS CAN BE ORDERED ONLINE FOR \$12 AT:**

**[www.texas.gov](http://www.texas.gov)**

**(Must have a valid credit card or debit card)**

**Online instructions: at the website, go to “Driver Records”. The type of record requesting is 3A which is acceptable for the Defensive Driving Course (DDC). You may download a form and mail it, which may take 2-3 weeks for delivery or Click continue to order it online and follow the instructions.**