

# NOTE TO THE DEFENDANT: READ THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY.

IF YOU ARE NOT A UNITED STATES CITIZEN, YOU ARE HEREBY ADVISED THAT CONVICTION OF THE OFFENSE FOR WHICH YOU HAVE BEEN CHARGED MAY HAVE THE CONSEQUENCES OF REMOVAL FROM THE UNITED STATES, OR DENIAL OF NATURALIZATION PURSUANT TO THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES.

If the "waiver allowed" box at the bottom of the other side of this form has been marked, you are allowed to waive your rights, plead guilty, and pay the established fine, costs, and liquidated damages for this offense without appearing in court.

You may, if you wish, appear in court and contest this matter.

If you sign this form, you will give up the following rights:

1. To have an attorney assist you in preparation of your defense and to represent you in court; you may be entitled to an attorney at public expense if you cannot afford one.
2. To have the complaint read to you and to be informed of the possible penalties in the event of your conviction.
3. To have a trial before a judge, or in certain cases, a jury.
4. To have sufficient time to prepare your defense.
5. To confront and cross-examine witnesses against you.
6. To require witnesses to attend court and testify on your behalf.
7. To remain silent and not make any statement concerning the circumstances surrounding this violation.
8. To testify in your own behalf.
9. To require the prosecution to prove you guilty beyond a reasonable doubt.
10. To appeal any final decision or order of the court.

If this Waiver of Appearance and Plea of Guilty is accepted, the Court will enter a judgment of conviction finding you guilty as charged, and, where applicable, points will be assessed against your driving record.

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I waive the above rights and plead guilty to the offense charged on the other side of this citation. Payment for the fine, costs, and liquidated damages is enclosed.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ DEFENDANT'S SIGNATURE: ► \_\_\_\_\_  
e-mail address (if available): \_\_\_\_\_

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## PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

1. Sign this form and send it with your payment to the Clerk of the County Court listed on the front of this citation. You must pay the total of fine, costs, and liquidated damages. DO NOT SEND CASH THROUGH THE MAIL.
2. Access the Web site of <https://nebraska.gov/courts/citations/> to waive your rights, plead guilty to the offense(s) charged and pay with credit/debit card electronically.
3. You may pay in person at the office of the County Court.

**DEADLINE:** Payment must be received **BEFORE** the date of the court appearance shown on the other side of this citation. If you choose to plead not guilty, or if you wish to appear in court, you must be in court on the date and time shown so a trial date can be set.

**THERE ARE SERIOUS PENALTIES FOR IGNORING THIS CITATION. YOU MUST PAY IT OR APPEAR IN COURT.**