

**CLAY SUPERIOR COURT
TRAFFIC DIVISION
609 E. National Avenue
Room 209
Brazil, IN 47834-0033
(812) 448-9032**

**APPEARANCE, WAIVER AND
PLEA OF GUILTY**

1. If you wish to plead not guilty to the charge, you must inform the Clerk's Office by the date and time stated on the Uniform Traffic Citation and request a trial date. If you appear on the date in which your ticket is due to contest that ticket (if it appears on the list on the back of this form), the hearing will not be heard at that time. If you have any questions on whether or not you need to appear on that date in which your ticket is due, please contact the Clerk's Office at (812)448-9032.
2. If you wish to plead guilty, you may do so in person at any time before your appearance date during Office hours at the Clay County Superior Court Clerk's Office located at 609 East National Avenue, Second Floor, Room 209, Brazil, Indiana. Telephone: (812)448-9032.

OR

Appearance by mail - if you wish to plead guilty to the charge by mail, you must return signed ticket along with the total costs (check schedule on the back of this form), in the form of a money order or cashier's check payable to the **Traffic Clerk, Clay Superior Court, 609 E. National Avenue, Room 209, Brazil, Indiana, 47834**. You may contact our office to inquire about paying by credit card, or visit our website at www.claycountyin.gov

Payment must be received on or before your appearance date.

NO PERSONAL CHECKS WILL BE ACCEPTED

The record of judgment will be sent to the Commission of Motor Vehicles of Indiana or the State from where your driver's license was issued.

MANDATORY COURT APPEARANCE

If the offense you are being charged with does not appear in the list on the back of this form, please contact the Clerk as this may be a mandatory court date. The following violations are not within the jurisdiction of the Traffic Violations Clerk and require a Court appearance: accidents, driving under the influence, reckless driving, leaving the scene of an accident, driving while license is suspended, driving without ever being licensed, etc.

**Effective 7/1/2017 – 6/30/2018
Schedule of Fines and Costs:**

	FINES	COST	TOTAL
Ordinance Violations	\$12.00	\$135.50	\$147.50
Speeding:			
1-15 mph over limit	\$4.50	\$135.50	\$140.00
16-20 mph over limit	\$9.50	\$135.50	\$145.00
21-25 mph over limit	\$14.50	\$135.50	\$150.00
26-30 mph over limit	\$19.50	\$135.50	\$155.00
31-35 mph over limit	\$44.50	\$135.50	\$180.00
36-40 mph over limit	\$69.50	\$135.50	\$205.00
41-45 mph over limit	\$99.50	\$135.50	\$235.00
46-50 mph over limit	\$134.50	\$135.50	\$270.00
51-55 mph over limit	\$174.50	\$135.50	\$310.00
56-60 mph over limit	\$219.50	\$135.50	\$355.00
Improper Passing	\$4.50	\$135.50	\$140.00
Left of Center	\$4.50	\$135.50	\$140.00
Following Too Closely	\$4.50	\$135.50	\$140.00
DNR Violations	\$4.50	\$135.50	\$140.00
Others (not involving Alcohol, Drugs or an Accident)	\$4.50	\$135.50	\$140.00
Seat Belt Violation/Booster Seat	\$25.00		\$25.00
Child Restraint	\$25.00		\$25.00
Passing School Bus	\$4.50	\$135.50	\$140.00
FMSCR	\$21.50	\$135.50	\$157.00

For Overweight tickets and all other violations, please contact the Clerk's Office at: (812)448-9032

The Deferral Program may also be an option for Speeding tickets. It is NOT an option for CDL holders. Please contact the Prosecutor's Office at (812)448-9028 to inquire about this option.

**PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE!
IF THE TICKET IS NOT PAID BY 4:00P.M. THE DAY THE TICKET IS DUE, A
\$25.00 LATE FEE WILL BE ASSESSED.**

**IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR EITHER IN PERSON, PHONE OR BY
MAIL, YOUR TICKET WILL BE FORWARDED 30 DAYS AFTER
THE DUE DATE TO THE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES
FOR LICENSE SUSPENSION.**