

TRAFFIC SAFETY DIVERSION PROGRAM

The Marysville Municipal Court offers a program that allows eligible traffic offenders avoid points on their Ohio BMV Driving Record.

You must be able to answer YES to all of the following to be ELIGIBLE to participate in the program:

- I do NOT hold a CDL;
- I have NOT had any moving violations in the past 365 days (that includes other states);
- I have NOT participated in this Program within the past two years;
- I had insurance on the vehicle I was operating on the date and time of the offense(s)*
- I was NOT travelling more than 20 MPH over the posted speed limit;
- The "Personal Appearance Required" section on my citation is not marked.

* If the section on your citation "Financial Responsibility Proof" is marked NO, proof of insurance coverage on the vehicle you were operating when your citation was issued must be shown. Insurance obtained after the violation will not be accepted.

Steps for successful completion of the Traffic Safety Diversion Program

1. Determine if you are eligible to participate in the program;
2. Submit your Application for the Traffic Safety Diversion Program with the Application Fee* to the Court by the 'Court Date' stated on your citation. The Application and Application Fee must be mailed, filed in person, faxed or deposited in the 'drop box' at the Court/Police facility. The application fee CANNOT be paid online.
 - * The Application fee is the standard fine and cost for the offense. This amount can be found in the 'Guide' provided to you by law enforcement or in the Fines and Costs Schedule section of this website
3. Go online to www.safetyserve.com/uniontraffic , enroll in, pay for (the provider charges a separate fee. As of September 4, 2015, the course fee is \$24.95) and complete the course. This is the only course authorized by the Marysville Municipal Court.
4. After successfully completing the course, a Certificate of Completion will be mailed to you by SafetyServe.com. This usually takes 7 to 10 days.
5. Bring in or mail the ORIGINAL certificate - copies will NOT be accepted - to the Court at 1250 West 5th Street, Marysville, Ohio 43040. Remove the bottom portion of the certificate; this portion is for your records.
6. The Certificate of Completion must be received by the Court within 30 days from the Court Date stated on the citation.
7. Once the Certificate of Completion is received, the case against you will be dismissed by the Court and will not be reported to the Ohio BMV.

If you do not file proof of completion within 30 days, the Application will be processed as a waiver of your right to trial and the guilty plea will be reported to Ohio BMV as well as any points associated with the offense.

APPLICATION FOR TRAFFIC SAFETY DIVERSION PROGRAM

This Application and the Application Fee must be filed/paid to the Court in person, by mail, and by fax ONLY The Application Fee cannot be paid online.

Under the penalties of perjury and falsification I state that I can answer yes to ALL of the following:

- I do not hold a commercial driver's license (CDL) 49 CFR 384.226;
- I have not had any moving violations within 365 days of the date of this application;
- I have not participated in the Traffic Safety Diversion Program within two years of the date of this application;
- the vehicle that I was driving on the date and time of the offense(s) was covered by the required insurance as shown by the attached proof of insurance if the "Financial Responsibility shown" is marked "No"; and
- I was not travelling more than 20 miles over the posted speed limit.

If paying with a credit/debit card, I state that my signature is my authorization for a credit/debit card charge on my account as detailed below.

Defendant' Signature

Print Name

Ticket/Reference #

Court Date

Phone

Total Paid: \$ _____

Method of Payment

(MasterCard/Visa/Discover)

Money Order

Check

Credit/Debit Card

Card Number _____

CVV Number _____ Exp. Date: _____

Card Holder Name _____