

**Stow Municipal Court
SAFE DRIVERS PROGRAM APPLICATION**

Name: _____ Case No.: ___TRD_____ Date: _____

Cell Phone Number: _____ Home Phone Number: _____

In an effort to make our community a safer place, the Stow Municipal Court (SMC) has instituted a Safe Drivers Program. Upon paying a \$175.00 program fee and completing the Court approved online course, an eligible person with a minor misdemeanor traffic citation will have their charge dismissed and no points or conviction will be placed on their BMV record.

Please state all Traffic, Criminal or Code offenses in the last 12 months:

<u>Court</u>	<u>Nature of Offense</u>

A. Eligibility

Under the penalties of perjury or other criminal prosecution, I attest:

1. I do not hold a Class A or Commercial Driver's License (CDL)
2. I have not been convicted of two or more moving violations in the last 12 months.
3. I have not participated in this or any similar program in the past two years.
4. I had insurance on the date I was cited.
5. My citation did not involve an accident.

Initials: _____

B. Participation Agreement and Plea

Having been fully advised of my rights and the potential penalties, I knowingly, intelligently, and voluntarily plead guilty. I further agree to the following terms:

1. I hereby waive the requirements that my case be tried within the time limits prescribed by Section 2945.71 of the Ohio Revised Code.
2. I agree to pay the program cost of \$175 in full today and enroll in the National Safety Council's Defensive Driver Course via **SafetyServe.com** and pay all costs associated therewith. I must complete this course within 30 days.

C. I further understand and agree:

1. Upon successful completion of the course, the charge(s) will be dismissed and no points assessed. If the course is not completed in 30 days or I fail to pay for the program, the Court will enter a finding of guilty and report a conviction to the Bureau of Motor Vehicles and any program fee paid will be credited to fines and costs.
2. The judge or magistrate will determine whether I am accepted into or complete this program.

The questions on this application have been completed truthfully and completely. Under penalty of perjury or other criminal prosecution, all information herein is correct.

If you have questions, please contact Jon Turney at 330-564-4188 or jturney@stowmunicourt.com

Signature: _____

Date: _____