

**OFINE/SANCTION SCHEDULE
(Effective January 1, 2019)**

You must appear in court on or before the appearance date on your traffic citation if your violation is not listed below or if your violation is for an accident resulting in serious injury or death (see Option 2: Appear in court).

For all speeding violations other than a violation marked as an accident: To determine the fine amount for these violations, refer to the Speed section on the citation. Subtract the number written in the Posted box from the number written in the Approx box. The resulting number is the mph over the speed limit. To the right of each mph over the speed limit category below is the correct fine amount to be paid. See the appropriate Violation Code below. Look at both columns.

Violations Eligible for Defensive Driving Class

(These violations carry points in Arizona. Completing Defensive Driving Class on time will keep the points off your record for one violation.)

Find the violation code written in the Section box on the citation and match it to a violation code listed below under the Violation Code heading. The correct fine amount for that violation is listed in the Amount column to the right. Call for amount if you are paying after the appearance date written on the citation. **YOU MUST BE SURE TO SIGN OPTION 1 or 2 and mail it with your payment or by itself if paying online or by phone.**

<u>VIOLATION CODE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
28-644A1 and A2	\$386.20
28-645 (all subsections)	\$386.20
28-647.1 and .2	\$386.20

*A.R.S. 28-645A3A and 28-647: If you pay or are found responsible for either of these two violations, MVD will order you to attend traffic survival school.

28-701A Accident: Speed not reasonable and prudent resulting in an accident without serious injury or death **\$528.60**

28-701A Speeding (no accident):

1- 10 mph over speed limit	\$261.60
11-15 mph over speed limit	\$306.10
16-20 mph over speed limit	\$386.20
21-25 mph over speed limit	\$439.60
26 plus mph over speed limit	\$528.60

28-701E **\$528.60**

28-704A and C **\$261.60**

28-702.01C 55 mph zone:

11 - 15 mph over in 55 mph zone	\$386.20
16 - 20 mph over in 55 mph zone	\$439.60
21 mph + over posted speed	\$528.60

28-702.04B Speed on interstate

1 - 10 mph over posted speed	\$243.80
11 - 15 mph over posted speed	\$386.20
16 - 20 mph over posted speed	\$439.60
21 mph + over posted speed	\$528.60

28-710A and B	CONTACT THE COURT FOR FINE
28-721A and B	Drive on right/Overtake/Passing.. \$261.60
28-723.1 - 28-727.1	Overtake/Pass..... \$279.40
28-729.1/.2/.3	Drive in Lane..... \$279.40
28-730A/B/C	Follow to Close \$279.40
28-731	Divided Highways. \$279.40
28-771A/C	Vehicle at Intersection. \$279.40
28-774	Yield from Private Rd/Driveway \$279.40
28-775 and 28-776	\$279.40
28-855B	Stop Signs (1 st offense) \$279.40
28-857A1	Pass School Bus. . . (1 st offense) \$528.60
28-891A	Backing..... \$261.60
28-903	Operate M/C on Laned Road \$315.00
28-966A and B	Neighborhood Electric Vehicles. \$261.60

Violations Not Eligible for Defensive Driving Class

(These are criminal traffic violations on which you could technically be sentenced to jail time. Points are assessed by MVD in Arizona. If you are not a resident of Arizona, check with your home state.)

<u>VIOLATION CODE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
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28-693A - Reckless driving **MUST APPEAR**

28-701.02A1 - Speed over 35 approaching school crossing

1 - 10 mph over 35	\$386.20
11 - 15 mph over 35	\$439.60
16 - 20 mph over 35	Must Appear

28-701.02A2 - Exceed posted speed in business or residential area by more than 20 mph or if no speed posted, exceed 45 mph

21 - 25 mph over posted speed	\$484.10
26 - 29 mph over posted speed	\$617.60
30 or more mph over posted speed	MUST APPEAR

28-701.02A3 - Exceed 85 mph

11 - 15 mph over posted speed	\$386.20
16 - 20 mph over posted speed	\$439.60
21 - 24 mph over posted speed	\$617.60
25 or more mph over posted speed	MUST APPEAR

28-708A	Racing on Highways.	MUST APPEAR
28-3473A	Driving on Lic Susp/Rev/Can	MUST APPEAR

**Violations Not Eligible for Defensive Driving Class
(NO POINTS ASSESSED IN ARIZONA)**

(If you are not a resident of Arizona, check with your home state.)

28-448A - Failure to change address with MVD	\$528.60
Fine reduced to \$168.60 with proof of correction with MVD, Must be done before appearance date listed on cite	
28-702.01A - Waste of finite	\$110.30
28-874	Parking Rules. \$261.60
28-907A	Child Restraint..... \$172.60
No fine with proof by appearance date	
28-909A1	Seatbelt..... \$101.40
28-921A1A - Equipment violations	\$386.20
28-942.1 and .2	Headlight Beam..... \$261.60
28-958.01A	Rear Fender Splash Gaurd \$217.10
28-959.01C	(see other side)..... \$190.40
28-2153A	Registration . (with proof: \$172.60) \$359.50
28-2158C	Registration Card . (with proof: \$128.10) \$261.60
28-2532A	Registration .Op w/o (with proof: \$172.60) \$528.60
With proof and not the owner \$128.10. Proof needed on or before appear date	
28-2533A	Fail to Register in Az. \$617.60
28-3151A	Drive No Valid License \$528.60
With Proof \$194.00	
28-3169A	Possess Display Driver's License \$190.40
With proof at or before IA date had valid license at time of Stop, dismissed	
28-4135A,B,C	(*see other side) \$973.60
28-4139A	Display Suspended Plate \$528.60
28-3482	Driving w/ Lic Suspended..... \$386.20

FMC or R17-5-202:

391.11	\$613.60
391.15A	MUST APPEAR
391.45B	\$382.20
392.9	\$524.60
393.75	\$524.60
395.1B1/1B2	\$613.60
395.8A	\$613.60
395.8F1	\$435.60
395.8K2	\$613.60
396.7	\$1,414.60

All proof listed above must be **received on or before** the appearance date listed on your citation.

WARNING: IF PAYING BY MAIL OR ONLINE, YOU MUST COMPLETE OPTION 1 OR 2 AND MAIL THE SIGNED, COMPLETED OPTION TO THE COURT. IT MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE APPEARANCE DATE SHOWN ON THE CITATION. IF THE SIGNED OPTION IS NOT RECEIVED ON TIME AND THE CHARGES ARE CRIMINAL, A WARRANT FOR YOUR ARREST MAY BE ISSUED AND NEW CHARGES FILED AGAINST YOU.

Salome Justice Court #1505
38226 Salome Road / P.O. Box 661
Salome, AZ 85348
928-859-3871 or 928-264-1971

salomejustice@courts.az.gov fax: 928-859-3709

1. READ THIS ENTIRE FORM THOROUGHLY- NOW. READ BOTH SIDES OF THE TRAFFIC CITATION. If you are **18 years or older**, choose one of the options described herein. If you are not, see instruction #6.

2 Choose desired option(s) and complete the required areas of the options form. If there is more than one charge on the citation you need to indicate what you want to do with each charge. On the left side of your citation, each charge is marked either A, B, C, D or E. Return the form, a copy of the complaint and your payment in full.

3. Acceptable forms of payment: **Money Orders, Cashier Checks, credit and debit cards.** Salome Justice Court **does not accept cash.** Credit and debit cards can be used when in person, on the phone or online. For online payments go to www.azcourtpay.com.

4. Failure to comply by the appearance date (lower right-hand portion of the complaint) will result in **additional monetary penalties, driver license suspension** and maybe a **warrant for your arrest.**

5. No extensions will be granted. The court must receive your plea by the appearance date listed on the citation. If the violation is not listed here or if it says "must appear" you must appear on or before the appearance date listed on the citation. If the violation is listed here with a fine amount: If you plead not guilty/responsible a new court date will be set and you will not have to appear on the date listed on the citation. If you plead guilty/responsible but need more time to submit your evidence with your plea, you need to send a minimum of \$250.00 bond and request that the entry of judgment be extended. Your request may or may not be granted. If granted, it will be for no more than 7 calendar days.

6. If you are **under 18 years old**, and you handle your case by mail, you must include a letter from your legal guardian that states that they are aware that you received the citation and that they helped you complete the option form and approve. You must also send a colored copy of your legal guardian's driver's license or id card enlarged 125%. If you come into the court, your legal guardian must accompany you.

7. The entire sanction is due the day the court imposes the sentence. Only if the court determines it is necessary will you be given additional time to pay. You need to call the court asap as a financial form will have to be sent to you. You will have to complete and return the form, so the court can make a determination. If granted, there is an additional \$20.00 charge. You will need to send your plea, the completed financial form and a minimum of \$50.00 to the court in enough time for the court to receive it on or before your appearance date.

FOR ALL OPTIONS COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

Name & DOB as it appears on the citation

Current mailing address

City, state, zip telephone

Citation number (upper left corner of a handwritten citation or upper right corner of an electronic citation)

Option 1: Attend a defensive driving class. If you have a commercial driver license, you are not eligible for defensive driving class regardless of the vehicle you were driving. You may attend class for only ONE violation. If there are multiple eligible violations listed on the traffic citation, you must take care of the other violations with the court on or before the appearance date.

For information on schools, call 1-888-334-5565 or visit <http://www.azdrive.com>.

You may be eligible to attend defensive driving class if: 1) You have not previously attended a defensive driving class within the last year (violation date to violation date). 2) You have a valid driver license or identification card. 3) You were cited for a civil traffic moving violation that did not involve an accident with serious injury or death. 4) You are not requesting a hearing. Note: If you take DDS, you do not pay a fine on the one charge that gets dismissed.

YOU MUST REGISTER TO LATER THAN 9 DAYS BEFORE AND COMPLETE DEFENSIVE DRIVING CLASS AT LEAST 7 DAYS PRIOR TO YOUR APPEARANCE DATE SHOWN ON THE CITATION. NO EXTENSIONS ARE GIVEN. REGISTER AND COMPLETE EARLY.

Option 2: Appear in court.

The court is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays. During these hours, you may pay the fine(s), show proof of compliance, and/or request a hearing/trial. If your appearance date falls on a holiday or weekend, you should appear the following normal business day.

You may be required to see a judge, but you will not have a courtroom hearing/trial that day. **If you appear late, you may be required to return another day.** If your charges are criminal, you must appear in court at 1:00 p.m. to complete paperwork before court starts.

Civil traffic only, you do not have to see the judge but if you want to then arrive at 1:00pm. Juveniles arrive at 1:00 pm, or contact court to see if you can get in earlier. *****

Option 3: Not guilty/responsible plea Request a court hearing/trial.

If you request a hearing or trial, you will not be able to attend defensive driving school. On receipt of your not responsible/not guilty plea: civil- the court will set a hearing date. Be prepared to present your case in Court on that date. If you are found guilty or responsible, the fines are due in full by 4:30 p.m. on the day of the hearing/trial. If the charges are criminal- your case will first be set for a pretrial conference. The trial date will be scheduled for a later date. You must appear for all proceedings. Complete the following steps:

1. Circle the corresponding letter (A - E) as it appears on the traffic citation for each violation for which you are requesting a hearing/trial.
A B C D E
2. **Read and sign below:** *I understand I am giving up the option of attending defensive driving. I enter a plea of not responsible/not guilty and request a court hearing/trial for the violations indicated in Step1. I further understand that if I fail to appear for any reason, the proceeding may take place in my absence, my driving privileges may be suspended, default judgment may be entered on any civil violations, the case sent to collections, and additional fees may be assessed. On criminal charges, a warrant for my arrest may be issued and new charges may be filed against me.*

SIGNATURE: _____

Option 4: Guilty/responsible plea Pay online, by mail or in person.

You may pay for your traffic violation(s) online or by mail if the violation amount is shown on the Fine/Sanction Schedule on the back of this form. If the violation is not listed on the schedule, or if it states, "must appear", you must appear in court on the date indicated on your citation. **Warning: Whether you pay online or by mail, you must still enter your plea by completing the information listed under Option 4 and mailing your signed plea to the court. If you fail to submit your plea, you could end up paying more than double your original fine and might have a warrant for your arrest even if you paid the fine.**

- **To pay online,** visit www.salomejusticepayments.com
- To pay by phone, call 1-855-741-7784.

- To mail in your payment and plea or to pay online/by phone and mail plea:
 1. Enter the bond amount for each violation as listed on the citation and Fine/Sanction Schedule.
A _____ B _____ C _____ D _____ E _____
 2. **Purchase a money order** for the total of all violations payable to the appropriate court. No personal or company checks accepted.
 3. **Read and sign:** *I understand I am giving up the option of attending defensive driving. I hereby waive my right to a trial/hearing, enter a plea of guilty/responsible, and consent to judgment imposing the prescribed fine/sanction. I further understand Motor Vehicle Division will be notified of the finding of guilty/responsible and points may be assessed to my driving record for any moving violation. If I am not an Arizona resident, other penalties/points may be assessed in my home state. I am enclosing the prescribed fines or have paid online/by phone. I do not want a hearing/trial. I understand that if my charges are criminal, the judge my not accept my guilty plea by mail and I may be required to appear in court even if I paid the listed fine in full.*

SIGNATURE: _____

MISCELLANEOUS:

Whichever option you choose, you may want to contact the court in 3-5 days to make sure we received it. **IF YOUR APPEARANCE DATE HAS PASSED,** call the court immediately as a warrant for your arrest may have been issued and/or your case sent to collections, default judgment entered, and/or your driving privileges suspended.

NOTICE TO OUT-OF-STATE RESIDENTS: Pursuant to the Non-Resident Violator Compact, failure to comply with a traffic citation may result in a suspension of your driver license in your home state and additional fees or penalties may be assessed.

WINDOW TINT

ARS 28-959.01C:.....**\$190.40**
If you remove the tint, the Judge may possibly reduce the fine. The court requires the following for the Judge to review: A) Your completed Option 4. B) Receipt if the tint has been removed professionally. The receipt must be dated, have the amount you paid, the vehicle description, and a description of the work performed. C) Pictures from behind the car with the license plate in the picture, with the driver door and the passenger door open with the windows half way down. Look at your picture before you send it- can the Judge tell that the windows are half way

down. D) Bond of \$128.10. Note – this is a bond not the fine. The Judge will review the plea with the above items and rule on the fine/sanction owed. You will be notified of the judge’s decision.

INSURANCE VIOLATIONS

28-4135 A If you purchase and show proof to the court on or before your appearance that you purchased a minimum of 6 months of insurance coverage and send the court a copy of your driving record showing no convictions of 28-4135 within the past 24 months or not more than one conviction within the past 36 months, the judge **may** reduce the fine.

28-4135 B & C If you, on or before the appearance date listed on the citation, send in your responsible plea and a **letter from your insurance company or agent on company letterhead showing:**

1. Company’s name, address and telephone number +
2. Description of the vehicle – Make, Model, Year, Vehicle Identification Number
3. Policy Number
4. Effective (inception) & expiration date
5. Letter must be signed by an agent or company representative
6. Statement coverage was in effect on the date of the citation.

The charge will be dismissed and you will not have to pay the fine.

If you are found responsible the fine is mandatory and the MVD will suspend your driver’s license and vehicle registration unless the penalty is mitigated in one of the above options. Fine shown is for a first offense.

NOTICE TO JUVENILES/PARENTS/GUARDIANS

JUVENILES AND A PARENT/GAURDIAN MUST APPEAR IN COURT.
IF YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR AND COMPLETE TRAFFIC SCHOOL SEVEN (7) DAYS PRIOR TO THE DATE ON THE CITATION, THE CHARGE WILL BE DISMISSED. NO EXTENSIONS ARE GIVEN.
CIVIL TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS, YOU MAY MAIL IN YOUR PLEA – SEE THE INSTRUCTIONS IN THE ENVELOPE THE OFFICER PROVIDED YOU.