

Fines and Fees Schedule

05/28/2026



If your violation is not listed below, you may contact the court prior to your court date for more information. (*) indicates violations eligible for Defensive Driving School (DDS).

IMPORTANT NOTICE: If you have been cited for **28-645A3A** or **A28-647.1** or **are under the age of 18 (first offense)** and plea *or* are found responsible for a moving violation you may be required to attend a traffic survival school (TSS) by the Motor Vehicle Division (MVD) pursuant to the requirements of the Arizona Revised Statutes. If you are eligible for DDS and complete the class, the violation will be closed, and you will not be subject to the requirement to attend a TSS class by the MVD.

ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES

*28-701A (Accident)	\$192.00
*28-701A (Non-Accident):	
1-10 mph over limit	\$142.00
11-15 mph over limit	\$192.00
16-20 mph over limit	\$292.00
21-25 mph over limit	\$392.00
26+ mph over limit	\$495.00
*28-702.04B	CALL COURT
*28-702.01C(Non-Accident)	CALL COURT
*28-727	\$192.00
28-2153A, B	\$138.00
28-2158C	\$138.00
28-2266C	\$132.00
28-2532	\$584.00
28-3151A	\$139.00
28-4135	\$940.00
28-4139	\$495.00

Town Code Violations Section

12-1-2D

Speed 1-10	\$210.00
Speed 11-15	\$260.00
Speed 16-20	\$360.00
Oversize Truck	\$292.00
One Way-Passing, Wrong Way, Stop-Sign	\$192.00

Section 10-1-13

A: Noise	\$177.00
B: Excessive Noise	\$177.00

JEROME MUNICIPAL COURT

PO BOX 335 - 600 Clark Street 3rd Floor
Jerome, Arizona 86331

Phone: 928-649-3250 Fax: 928-634-5462
Open: Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday
8:30am – 3:30pm

Website: www.jerome.az.gov/municipal-court
Email: jeromemuni@courts.az.gov

Effective: 05/28/2026

IMPORTANT READ THIS FIRST

Please read this document thoroughly as it explains all your available options.

You **MUST** respond to this citation on or before your court date.

The cited person must contact the Court by telephone, by email, remote appearance, or in person *unless* completing any of the options explained on this document. *Call the court prior to coming to the court in person as office hours are subject to change without notice due to staffing issue or inclement weather.*

The violation box on the citation contains the charge(s) and will be listed as either Civil Traffic, Criminal Traffic, or Criminal. If the charge(s) is listed as Criminal, or Criminal Traffic, or was issued after an accident involving death and/or serious injury, you **MUST** appear on your court date and time.

If the charge is listed as Civil Traffic, this is not a mandatory appearance date, but a date by which you must contact the court. You may choose to resolve the matter without a hearing, as detailed further in this document.

Failure to contact the court for Civil Traffic on or before your court date shall result in entry of default judgement, plus a \$20 time payment fee, a \$20 court fee, and a default fee of \$25.00 (per charge). Your case will then be sent to a collection agency which may result in additional fees. Your credit and vehicle registration may be affected, as well as your Arizona state tax return.

JUVENILES: If you are under 18 years of age, your parent or legal guardian **MUST** contact the Court.

**In-person appearances are welcomed;
however, Jerome Municipal Court
arraignments are presumptively remote.**

Topic: Arraignments (Criminal Citations Only)

Date: as indicated on your citation.

Time: 1:00 PM Arizona time

TEAMS Virtual Hearing Link



Information on Reduced Fines and Dismissals

Effective 03/16/2026

A.R.S. 28-2153A; B1; B2 - NO CURRENT REGISTRATION
With proof of current AZ registration fine may be reduced to \$100

A.R.S. 28-2158C -FAILURE TO CARRY REGISTRATION CARD
With proof of current AZ registration fine may be reduced to \$0.

A.R.S. 28-2532A - NO PROOF OF CURRENT REGISTRATION
Provide proof of current AZ registration and charge will be dismissed.

A.R.S. 28-3151 - NO VALID DRIVERS' LICENSE
With proof of valid license fine may be reduced to \$0.

A.R.S 28-3169 - NO LICENSE IN POSSESSION
With proof of valid driver's license on date and time citation was issued fine may be reduced to \$0.

A.R.S 28-3473A / 28-3482 DRIVING ON A SUSPENDED LICENSE
With proof of a valid driver's license charge will be dismissed and hearing vacated.

A.R.S. 28-4135(A), (B), OR (C) - NO PROOF OF INSURANCE
Carries a fine ranging from \$940.00 to \$1828.00.

- 1st Conviction - \$940.00 fine, and 3-month suspension of driver's privilege, vehicle registration and plates by MVD.
- 2nd Conviction - \$1,385.00 fine, and 6-month suspension of driver's privilege, vehicle registration and plates by MVD.
- 3rd Conviction - \$1,830.00 fine, and 1-year suspension of driver's privilege, vehicle registration and plates by MVD.

The fine may be reduced to \$139. To be eligible for a reduced fine you must provide proof of the following:

1. A copy of your 3-year driving record from MVD showing no insurance convictions within 2 years or only 1 conviction within 3 years.
2. Valid 6-month insurance policy.

To be eligible for a dismissal you must:

1. Be cited with subsection B or C
2. Had a valid 6-month insurance policy at the time of the citation.

A.R.S. 28-4139A – DISPLAYING PLATE SUSPENDED
With proof of current AZ registration at the time of citation, charge may be dismissed.

With proof of current registration acquired after the citation, the fine may be reduced to \$261.

OPTION 1 DEFENSIVE DRIVING SCHOOL

You are Eligible IF:

1. You have not attended Defense Driving School within the last 12 months, violation date to violation date.
2. The violation must be on the list of eligible violations.
3. Your violation code was not issued from a serious injury or fatal accident.
4. You were not driving a commercial vehicle.
5. Town Code violations are *not* eligible

YOU MUST ENROLL FOR THE COURSE 10 DAYS PRIOR TO YOUR APPEARANCE DATE AND COMPLETE IT BY YOUR APPEARANCE DATE.

If you do not complete the course prior to the appearance date, you must appear in court or you will be subject to entry of default judgement, a \$20 time payment fee, \$20 court fee, and a default fee of \$70.00 (per charge). Your case will then be sent to a collection agency resulting in additional fees. Your credit and vehicle registration may be affected, as well as your Arizona State Tax return.

To register for the class call (888) 334-5565 or for online registration go to www.azcourts.gov/drive.

1. Have your ticket, a pen/pencil, and a piece of paper ready when you call to register.
2. Take your ticket, driver's license, and money order to the class.

IMPORTANT: Completion of Traffic Survival School (TSS) will not satisfy the Defensive Driving School Requirement. You may use the Defensive Driving Program for **ONLY** one eligible violation code. If you received more than one violation code on your citation, the other violations must be resolved using Options 2 or 3. After successful completion of an Arizona-certified defensive driving program, the court is required to forward the record of judgement to Arizona Motor Vehicle Division, however no points are assessed to the driver's record.

ADVANTAGES:

1. You will not have to pay a fine for that **ONE** violation.
2. You will not have to go to court for that **ONE** Violation. That violation will be closed. For any other violation(s) you must pay the fine or appear in court.
3. No Points will be assessed against your driver's license for that **ONE** violation. Points on your driving record may cause an increase in insurance rates.

OPTION 2 PAY FINE

PAY VIA MAIL:

You may mail in a personal check, cashier's check and or money order to – PO Box 335, Jerome, AZ 86331. Include a copy of the citation and your contact information.

PAY ONLINE:

www.azcourtpay.com (\$5.00 fee imposed)
www.jeromepayments.com (5% fee imposed)

PAY IN PERSON AT COURT:

You may appear in person during business hours at the court to set up a payment plan or pay the fine in full. Payments must be *exact cash*, check, or money order. A drop box is available for after hours for checks and money orders only.

IMPORTANT: Paying by mail and paying online is *not available* if you are under 18 years of age. A parent or legal guardian **must** contact the court.

OPTION 3 REQUEST A CIVIL TRAFFIC HEARING

1. **READ** the following statement:

"I request a hearing to contest the charges indicated on the attached form.. I enter my plea of not responsible. I understand I am giving up my option of attending Defensive Driving School. I understand that I may voluntarily enclose a bond (check or money order) equal to my fine plus the court security fee, which shall be forfeited should I fail to appear for my hearing or refunded if I am found not responsible. I further understand that the bond forfeiture will relieve me of the possibility of the court assessing additional monetary sanctions. I understand that if I do not include a bond and fail to appear that a default judgement will be entered against me, additional fees added, and the amount owed sent to a collection agency which can affect my credit and vehicle registration as well as my Arizona State Tax return."

2. Please use the QR code below to fill out your request for a Civil Traffic Hearing. You must email this form to the court at jeromemuni.courts.az.gov or print and bring it to the court in person before or on your court appearance date stated on your citation.

