

City of Bastrop Municipal Court of Record Office: 104 Grady Tuck Lane, Bastrop, TX 78602 Office: 512-332-8650

APPLICATION FOR DEFERRED DISPOSITION

A Deferred Disposition is a postponement of sentence or probation for a specified amount of time. You must enter a plea of Guilty or No Contest in order for the Judge to defer a finding of guilt at a later date, assess applicable fees, and order you to comply with specific terms and conditions. If you successfully comply with all the terms and conditions, your case may be dismissed after review by the Judge. However, if you fail to comply with the terms and conditions, a guilty judgment may be imposed, and a conviction may be reported to the Texas Department of Public Safety.

You may apply for Deferred Disposition via in person or email by submitting this application on or before your scheduled appearance date. The Judge will review your application and Deferred Disposition will only be granted at the discretion of the reviewing Judge.

In person application and the items below to:

Submit this application and a copy of the items below to: BMC@cityofbastrop.org

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Requests by email and/ or in person will not be accepted for the offenses listed below.

- Any offense by a holder of CDL (Commercial Driver's License)
- Passing a school bus
- Any traffic violation that occurred in a construction zone with workers present
- Juvenile cases (16 years of age and younger must appear in person with parent or guardian)
- Defendants 20 years of age or younger that received a citation for an Alcohol or Tobacco related charge are required to appear before the Judge.

Requests by in person or email for the following violations must be submitted with a letter to the judge explaining the reason why you are requesting a deferred disposition:

- School zone violations;
- City Ordinance violations;
- Assaults (Non Assault Family Violence cases only) or Disorderly Conduct violations;
- Theft violations;

Defendants 24 years of age or younger at the time of the alleged traffic offense must also complete a Driver Safety Course (for traffic offenses) in addition to complying with the terms of deferred disposition by mail.

I hereby enter a plea of **Guilty or No Contest** to the violation of _______ and waive my right to a jury trial. I have not requested discovery from the State under Art. 39.14 of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure. I request that the Court place me on Deferred Disposition for this case. I understand that if I successfully complete the terms of the Deferred Disposition by the specified time in my deferral, my case will be dismissed. If I do not successfully complete the terms of the Deferred Disposition, I will receive a notice to appear in court to show cause why I did not complete the terms of Deferred Disposition as ordered. Furthermore, I understand that if I do not show sufficient cause, the Deferred Disposition will be revoked and a judgment of guilt will be entered and will be reported to the Texas Department of Public Safety in accordance with Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, Art. 27.14(c).

If you are convicted of an offense and unable to pay the fine and court costs, you may have the court assess your ability to pay and the court may provide alternatives to full payment in satisfying the judgment.

Defendant Signature/Signature of Attorney of Record			Date of Signature	
Print Name (Defendant's c	r Attorney's) Address	City	State	Zip
Telephone Number	Email Address		Citation Number	