

**PORTAGE COUNTY MUNICIPAL COURT  
KENT AND RAVENNA**

STATE OF OHIO       )  
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PORTAGE COUNTY    )

FILED PORTAGE COUNTY MUNICIPAL COURT  OCT 27 2023  JILL FANKHAUSER, Clerk RAVENNA, OH
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IN THE MATTER OF                                )        JOURNAL ENTRY  
WAIVER SCHEDULE                                )

Effective: October 30, 2023

**Waiver Fee Schedule**

All Waiver Fees include court cost of \$117.00 unless otherwise indicated.

**I. Overload cases WAIVER FEE AMOUNTS AS FOLLOWS:  
FINE:**

5,000 lbs. overweight or less	\$150. 00	17,001 - 18,000 lbs	\$ 700.00
5,001 - 6,000 lbs	\$250.00	18,001 - 19,000 lbs	\$ 730.00
6,001 - 7,000 lbs	\$270.00	19,001 - 20,000 lbs	\$ 760.00
7,001 - 8,000 lbs	\$290.00	20,001 - 21,000 lbs	\$ 790.00
8,001 - 9,000 lbs	\$310.00	21,001 - 22,000 lbs	\$ 820.00
9,001 - 10,000 lbs	\$330.00	22,001 - 23,000 lbs	\$ 850.00
10,001 -11,000 lbs	\$490.00	23,001 - 24,000 lbs	\$ 880.00
11,001 - 12,000 lbs	\$520.00	24,001 - 25,000 lbs	\$ 910.00
12,001 -13,000 lbs	\$550.00	25,001 - 26,000 lbs	\$ 940.00
13,001 -14,000 lbs	\$580.00	26,001 - 27,000 lbs	\$ 970.00
14,001 -15,000 lbs	\$610. 00	27,001 - 28,000 lbs	\$1000.00
15,001 -16,000 lbs	\$640.00	28,001 - 29,000 lbs	\$1030.00
16,001 -17,000 lbs	\$670.00	29,001 lbs or more	\$1060.00

Plus additional court cost of \$117.00

**VIII. Waiverable Offenses** all amounts below include court costs  
See Traffic Rule 13 and Criminal Rule 4.1 for waiverable offenses.

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**(A) Speeding Violations:**

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| (1) 1 to 9 miles an hour over the speed limit:                                       | \$160.00 |
| (2) 10 to 19 miles an hour over the speed limit:                                     | \$180.00 |
| (3) 20 to 29 miles an hour over the speed limit:                                     | \$200.00 |
| (4) 30 miles per hour or over the speed limit must appear in court, is not waivable. |          |

**(B) All Violations in a Construction Zone Waiver Fee: \$270.00**

Violations in a Construction Zone No Workers Present:  
follow Waiver Fee Schedule.

**(C) Approaching Stationary Public Safety Vehicles displaying emergency lights  
Waiver Fee: \$270.00**

**(D) All School Zone Violations personal appearance is required.**

**(E) "Distracted Driving" pursuant to ORC §4511.204 or substantially similar local ordinance cited as an Unclassified Misdemeanor or Minor Misdemeanor and not punishable by incarceration, & Enhancement of Waiverable Offense pursuant to ORC §4511.991.**

- (1) Operating a motor vehicle while using an electronic wireless communication device ORC §4511.204 Unclassified Misdemeanor or substantially similar local ordinance cited as an Unclassified Misdemeanor or Minor Misdemeanor and not punishable by incarceration.  
First offense within 2 years. Waiver Fee: \$185.00

- (2) Enhancement pursuant to ORC §4511.991. A waivable offense (other than §4511.204) may be enhanced if the Defendant was distracted while committing the violation and the distracted activity was a contributing factor to the violation. The enhancement requires Defendant to pay an additional \$100.00 fine. Enhancement of a waivable misdemeanor under §4511.991 shall not be imposed if Defendant charged with §4511.204 arising from the same incident.

**(F) All other Waiverable Minor Misdemeanor Traffic Offenses; all amounts below include court costs.**

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| (1) All Moving Violations and Non-moving Violation:<br>Except Seatbelt                | \$160.00 |
| (2) Driver Seatbelt and Pedestrian Violations: \$118.00 (includes \$88.00 court cost) |          |
| Passenger Seatbelt Violation: \$108.00 (includes \$88.00 court cost)                  |          |
| MM/ UM  |          |

(3) Parking in a handicapped zone:	\$338.00
(4) Child restraint Violations:	\$160.00
<b>(G) Other Minor Misdemeanors:</b>	
(1) Disorderly Conduct	\$185.00
(2) Open Container	\$185.00
(3) Failure to Confine Dog/ Dog at large	\$155.00
(4) Failure to Register Dog	\$155.00
(5) Public Gaming	\$185.00
(6) Littering	\$185.00
(7) Expired License-less than 6 months	\$185.00
ORC 4510.12 (C)(2)	
(8) City of Aurora 751.02 Peddling, Soliciting or Canvassing	\$160.00
(9) City of Aurora 751.03 Organizational Liability	\$160.00
(10) City of Aurora 751.04 Display of Registration Card	\$160.00
(11) City of Aurora 751.05 Sales on Public Ground	\$160.00
(12) Marijuana Drug Possession is not Waiverable, you must appear in Court.	
(13) Carrying Concealed Weapon is not Waiverable, you must appear in Court.	
(14) Possession of Marijuana Drug Paraphernalia is not Waiverable, you must appear in Court.	

**After the court date for all minor misdemeanor offenses the Waiver Fee shall be increased by \$25.00.**

All Waiverable traffic offenses: If 2 or more Waiverable traffic offenses out of the same incident; Defendant must appear in Court, except if 1 Violation plus Seatbelt or Child restraint violation, Defendant may still pay the Waiver fee.

## **II. WILDLIFE & WATERCRAFT WAIVER FEE SCHEDULE**

(A) The following will not be Waiverable under any circumstances:

- (1) 1533.17- Hunting without permission
- (2) 1533.66-Trespassing on fishponds
- (3) 1547.07-Reckless Operation (M3 with injury)
- (4) 1547.12- Incapacitated Operation (M3 with injury)

(B) The following are Waiverable unless the officer marks "Must Appear in Court":

- (1) All wildlife and watercraft 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Misdemeanor waiver fee \$205.00.
- (2) All wildlife and watercraft 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Misdemeanor waiver fee \$245.00.

(C) All first and second degree misdemeanors will follow the regular bond schedule.

(D) All minor misdemeanors under ORC Section 1547 shall be waiverable the waiver fee of \$160.00 shall apply unless the officer marks "must appear in Court".

**III. The following Traffic Offenses are not Waiverable under any circumstances:**

- (A) Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or any drug of abuse.
- (B) Leaving the scene of an accident.
- (C) Driving while under suspension or revocation of a driver's or commercial driver's license.
- (D) No operator's license.
- (E) A third moving violation within a twelve-month period.
- (F) Failure to stop for school bus violation.
- (G) Willfully eluding or fleeing a police officer.
- (H) Drag racing.
- (I) Reckless Operation.

There is a 4% service fee when using a credit or debit card.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**



Kevin T. Poland  
Administrative and Presiding Judge



Judge Mark. K Fankhauser



Judge Melissa R. Roubic