

TRAVIS B. LEE JUDGE COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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General District Court
Washington County
Abingdon, Virginia 24210

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JEFFREY L. CAMPBELL JUDGE

Pursuant to Virginia Code §§ 19.2-354 through 19.2-358, the following Payment Plan Policy applies to the General District Court for Washington County, Virginia:

If a person appearing before the Court is unable to pay fines, costs, or penalties imposed by the Court within 90 days of the conviction date, the defendant may request to enter into a <u>Modified Deferred</u> Payment Agreement BEFORE the 90-day time period expires.

Acknowledgement of the Payment Plan is required with a signature on the DC-210 and a one-time \$10.00 Time to Pay Fee is assessed.

If a defendant defaults on the payment agreement, the Court requires the following down payment to extend the agreement:

- o Total Due ≤ \$500.00 requires a down payment of 10%.
- o Total Due > \$500.00 requires a down payment of the greater of 5% or \$50

Any failure to comply with the terms and conditions of any plan could result in added interest and collections fees, as well as an additional down payment for another payment plan.

No operator's license will be suspended due to unpaid court costs and fines.

Only a judge can approve community service to reduce the total of the fines and/or costs owed, and community service cannot be used as credit towards restitution, interest, or collection fees.

If your sole financial resource is a Social Security Benefit or Supplement Security Income, then you are not required to pay fines or costs until you have another resource or income. As long as your sole income remains unchanged, your account will not go to collections. However, any restitution that you have been ordered to pay is not exempt from payment obligations if your financial resources are limited as above. It is due as ordered by the court.

ENTER THIS 21 DAY OF October 2024,

Travis B. Lee, Chief Judge