

GARDEN CITY - MUNICIPAL COURT
VIOLATIONS BUREAU FINE SCHEDULE

The following procedure has been established for the convenience of those who prefer to plead guilty and dispose of Municipal Court charges and avoid a court appearance. This schedule of fines and court costs has been authorized and approved by Judge Christopher Benjamin, Garden City Municipal Court, Garden City, Missouri, for the use of parties who elect to handle their cases by paying through the Violations Bureau.

TO PLEAD GUILTY AND PAY YOUR FINE:

- a. Sign the "Appearance, Plea of Guilty and Waiver" on the back of the Uniform Citation and return it, or a copy with payment. Also, complete and return the Guilty Plea Form below.
- b. Determine fine from bottom of page or by calling the Garden City Municipal Court for assistance, (816) 862-8208
- c. If paying by mail, **do not send cash**. Send a check or money order (in U.S. Dollars) **for the full amount (no partial payments)** payable to:

Garden City Municipal Court
 107 North 3rd Street
 P.O. Box 20
 Garden City, MO 64747-0020
- d. Write your ticket number and daytime phone number on the front of check or money order.

TO PLEAD GUILTY AND PAY YOUR FINE ONLINE: (Note: a convenience fee applies if using this online service)

- a. Visit <http://www.NTSprocessing.com> and select 'Garden City, MO' then follow the on screen prompts.
- b. Have your vehicle license plate and ticket number (ticket number is in the upper right corner).
- c. Select payment options of Checking/Savings or Debit/Credit.

Guilty Plea Form (if paying by US Mail): Please complete, sign and return with full amount due.

Print Full Name: _____ Telephone: (____) ____ - ____

Current Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

I plead guilty to ticket number(s) _____

Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

REMINDERS – Read before paying your ticket

- 1. **Payments:** Sign the "Appearance, Plea of Guilty and Waiver" on the back of the Uniform Citation (or copy), write ticket number and daytime phone number on front of check or money order and make payment (in U.S. Dollars) to: **Garden City Municipal Court**. Payment service is available Online at: <http://www.NTSprocessing.com>
- 2. **Seat Belt Violations:** If the "seat belt violation" block is completed (see lower left of your ticket above officer's signature) you owe **\$10** for the seat belt violation in addition to the fine for your primary offense.

Speeding

1- 10 mph over posted speed limit	\$110
11-15 mph over posted speed limit.....	\$135
16-19 mph over posted speed limit.....	\$160
20 -25 mph over posted speed limit.....	\$185
More than 25 mph over limit	Court Appearance

Registration & Equipment Violations

Motor vehicle mechanically defective.....	\$110
Failed to register vehicle.....	\$110
Failed to display plates.....	\$110
Unlawful use / display plates of another.....	\$110
Expired license plates/registration.....	\$110
Headlights/number req/dimming/focusing.....	\$110
Taillights/defective/height requirement.....	\$110
Vision reducing material violation.....	\$110
Muffler/defective/cutouts.....	\$110

Animal Control

Dog uncontrolled/at large (1 st offense)	\$ 85
Dog License required (1 st offense).....	\$ 85
Dog/Wear of tag required (1 st offense).....	\$ 85

Note: 2nd offense fine doubles for Animal Control

Other Municipal Ordinances

No seat belt (adults age 17 -up)	\$ 10 (no court costs)
No child safety restraint	\$ 85
Improper turn / U turn.....	\$110
Unsafe lane change.....	\$110
Failed to drive on right half of road	\$110
Following too closely.....	\$110
Failed to signal/improper signal.....	\$110
Failed to stop for school bus.....	\$160
Fail to stop at stop sign.....	\$110
Failed to yield emergency vehicle/move over.....	\$135
Failed to yield at sign.....	\$110
ATV/OHV Violation upon public roadway.....	\$110
ATV/OHV Violation, helmet, lights, flag.....	\$110
ATV/OHV Violation, city property.....	\$110
Parking violation/zone/hydrant/alley.....	\$ 85
Parking / Angle on Main St.....	\$ 85
Fireworks M80's / Bottle Rockets	\$ 85
Fireworks unlawful discharging.....	\$ 85
Fishing without city and/or state permit.....	\$ 85

IF YOUR VIOLATION IS NOT LISTED, OR IF YOU WERE INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT,
A COURT APPEARANCE IS REQUIRED

Effective February 03, 2015

Approved January 20, 2015

 The Honorable Christopher Benjamin, Municipal Judge