

APPENDIX A

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**KETTERING MUNICIPAL COURT
CRIMINAL/TRAFFIC COURT COST SCHEDULE**

Cost Category	Traffic Cases: Moving Violations	Traffic Cases: Non-Moving Violations	Criminal Cases	Parking Cases
Local Costs	\$63.00	\$72.00	\$72.00	
Victim of Crime/Reparations Fund (State cost)	\$ 9.00		\$ 9.00	
Indigent Defense Support fund (State cost)	\$25.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	
Drug Law Enforcement, Indigent Alcohol Treatment Justice Program Services Fund (State cost)	\$ 5.00			
Computerization Fund (per violation)				
- Court	\$ 3.00	\$ 3.00	\$ 3.00	\$ 3.00
- Clerk of Court	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Special Projects Fund (per violation)	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00
Miami Valley Crime Stoppers Fund (County cost)			\$ 1.00	
TOTAL GENERAL COURT COSTS:	\$135.00	\$115.00	\$135.00	\$33.00

OTHER COSTS and FEES

Appeals:

Local Cost (payable to Kettering Municipal Court)	\$25.00
2 nd District Court of Appeals Cost Deposit (payable to Montgomery County Clerk of Court)	\$100.00
Bail Surcharge (State Cost - applies when bond is posted predisposition for any offense other than non-moving traffic offenses)	\$25.00
BMV - ALS Appeals, Driving Privileges, Stays (OVI cases)	\$25.00
Checks Returned for Non-sufficient Funds	\$25.00
Commitment Papers	\$5.00

Copies:

Certified Copy (per page)	\$3.00
Certified Copy of Order of Expungement (requiring reopening of file) (\$5.00 ea add'l)	\$20.00
Plain paper copies (per page)	\$.05
Credit Card Transaction Fee	\$4.00
Driving Permit/Modification	\$15.00
Ignition Interlock Device (State cost)	\$5.00
Immobilization Waiver (State cost)	\$50.00
Interstate Compact Violation	\$25.00
Jail Booking In/Out (Montgomery County cost)	\$10.00
Jail Video Arraignment (Montgomery County cost)	\$5.00
Jail Transportation Fee (to bring Defendant personally before judge)	\$5.00

Jury Costs:

Calling of Jury	\$25.00
Cost per case (plus postage, costs vary and shared by cases on docket)	\$25.00
Juror fee per Juror who appears but is not seated	\$10.00
Juror fee per Juror who is seated	\$20.00
License Forfeiture	\$25.00
Moraine Cases (transfer fee from Moraine Mayor's Court)	\$4.65

Probation Costs:

Supervised Probation Fee	\$150.00
Unsupervised Probation Fee	\$50.00
Did Not Show Summons (each occurrence)	\$25.00
Public Defender Application Fee (State cost)	\$25.00
Sealing of Record/Expungement Filing Fee	\$100.00
Expungement of a previously Sealed case Filing Fee	\$50.00

Service Costs:

Certificate of Mailing (ordinary mail service)	\$5.00
Certified Mail	\$15.00
Commercial Carrier (FedEx, etc.)	\$25.00
Subpoena Costs (each witness)	\$3.00
Supplemental Summons—Parking, Did Not Show, Other	\$10.00
Traffic Safety Program, One Violation (add \$60 for each additional violation)	\$185.00
Traffic Safety Program online course fee (payable to vendor and subject to change)	\$24.95
Vehicle Registration Block	\$15.00
Warrant	\$40.00
Warrant Block	\$15.00

Witness Costs (per witness):

Half Day	\$6.00
Full Day	\$12.00

APPENDIX C

KETTERING MUNICIPAL COURT VIOLATIONS BUREAU SCHEDULE

Pursuant to Ohio Traffic Rule 13 and Ohio Criminal Rule 4.1, the following schedule shall be followed in all traffic and criminal cases within the jurisdiction of this Court, with the exception of the City of Moraine where any schedule posted by the City of Moraine Mayor's Court shall apply to those cases pending in Moraine Mayor's Court.

The effective date of this schedule is **January 1, 2025**. This schedule supersedes all previous schedules or amendments published by this Court.

The following offenses shall not be processed by the violations bureau:

1. Indictable offenses
2. Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or any drug of abuse
3. Leaving the scene of an accident
4. Driving while under suspension or revocation of driver's license or commercial driver's license when jail is a possible penalty
5. Driving without being licensed to drive when jail is a possible penalty
6. A third moving traffic offense within a twelve-month period when jail is a possible penalty
7. Failure to stop and remain standing upon meeting or overtaking a school bus stopped on the highway for the purpose of receiving or discharging a school child
8. Willfully eluding or fleeing a police officer
9. Drag Racing
10. Drug offenses

The waiver amounts listed in the "First Offense" and "Second Offense" columns represent the amount of the fine imposed and applicable court costs. The Clerk shall retain the court costs as set by separate Rule of Court, with the balance distributed in accordance with Ohio law.

If a defendant is cited for multiple violations on one case and chooses to pay the waiverable violations, the Clerk shall only assess the local court cost once per case and shall reduce the waiver amount for the multiple violations accordingly.

There shall be no deviation from this waiver schedule, except by order of Court.

WAIVERABLE TRAFFIC OFFENSES

	First Offense	Second Offense if Within Year of First Offense
Assured Clear Distance	\$220.00	\$270.00
Emergency/Public Safety vehicles (minor misd.):		
Fail to Yield to	\$235.00	Must appear
Following/Parking Near	\$235.00	Must appear
Stop Signals/Signs	\$235.00	\$285.00
Traffic Direction Violation	\$235.00	\$285.00
Explosives – Vehicles Transporting	\$265.00	\$315.00
Fail to Comply		
With Law Enforcement Officer (minor misd.)	\$235.00	Must appear
With School Crossing Guard (minor misd.)	\$235.00	Must appear
Fail to Control/Weaving	\$220.00	\$270.00
Fail to Yield	\$220.00	\$270.00
Flee & Elude Traffic Stop (minor misd.)	\$235.00	\$285.00
Injurious Materials – Placing on Street	\$200.00	\$250.00
Left of Center	\$220.00	\$270.00
Littering from Vehicle	\$200.00	\$250.00
Load Limits	Based on weight; see ORC 5577.99	Based on weight; see ORC 5577.99
Operator's License violations:		
Expired (minor misdemeanor)	\$170.00	\$220.00
No Motorcycle Endorsement (unclassified)	\$285.00	\$335.00
None (unclassified)	\$285.00	\$335.00
Suspended (unclassified)	\$285.00	\$335.00
Parking violations related to:		
Bus Stop/Taxicab Stands	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
Commercial Vehicles	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
Fire Lane	\$ 95.00	\$ 95.00
Handicapped Areas	\$285.00	\$285.00
Truck Loading Zones	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
All Other Parking Violations	\$ 55.00	\$ 55.00
Reckless Operation (minor misd.)	\$265.00	Must appear
Seatbelt violations:		
Child Restraint	\$160.00	\$160.00
Driver	\$145.00	\$145.00
Passenger	\$135.00	\$135.00

Speeding violations		
1-10 mph over	\$160.00	\$210.00
11-15 mph over	\$175.00	\$225.00
16-20 mph over	\$195.00	\$245.00
21-25 mph over	\$220.00	\$270.00
26-30 mph over	\$240.00	\$290.00
31+ mph over	Must appear	Must appear
Unreasonable for Road Conditions	\$185.00	\$235.00
Squealing Tires/Horn Blowing	\$175.00	\$225.00
Stop Sign, Red Light, Yield Sign	\$220.00	\$270.00
Tinted Window violations	\$175.00	\$225.00
All Other Minor Misdemeanor/Traffic	\$170.00	\$220.00

DISTRACTED DRIVING AS A CONTRIBUTING FACTOR IS THE ABOVE AMOUNT PLUS \$100.00 ON VIOLATIONS LISTED IN ORC Section 4511.991.

WAIVERABLE CRIMINAL OFFENSES

	First Offense	Second Offense if Within Year of First Offense
Alcohol:		
In Motor Vehicle (open container)	\$235.00	\$285.00
Other	\$180.00	\$230.00
Animal cases:		
Animals at Large (minor misdemeanor)	\$195.00	\$245.00
Barking Dog	\$195.00	\$245.00
No Dog License	\$165.00	\$215.00
County Quarantine violation	\$180.00	\$230.00
No Kennel Registration	\$170.00	\$220.00
Disorderly Conduct (minor misdemeanor)	\$285.00	Must appear
Littering, not from vehicle (minor misdemeanor)	\$195.00	\$245.00
Operate Ice Cream Truck Without Permit	\$195.00	\$245.00
Parks cases:		
In Park After Hours	\$170.00	\$220.00
Possess Alcohol in Park	\$170.00	\$220.00
Violating Park Rules/Regulations	\$170.00	\$220.00
Leash Law/Duties of Pet Owner in Park	\$170.00	\$220.00
Prohibited Acts in Park	\$170.00	\$220.00
Peddlers, Regulations of	\$195.00	\$245.00
Public Intoxication (minor misdemeanor)	\$285.00	Must appear
Other Minor Misdemeanor/Criminal	\$285.00	\$335.00