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You must exercise one of your two options regarding your citation or be subject to a late fee, bench warrant, and possible other actions including suspension of your driver's license. Please elect one of the options listed below:

### Option 1:

You may appear before the Municipal Judge on your court date which is listed on your citation and enter a plea of Not Guilty or Guilty. If you plead Not Guilty to the charges, the Municipal Judge will schedule a hearing for your case. If you choose to plead guilty, the Municipal Judge will impose a sentence for your charges at that time. Sentencing can include a fine, confinement, probation, restitution, and/or community service.

### Option 2:

You may plead Guilty and pay your civil penalty before your court date. There are three payment options:

1. You may pay your fine in person at Eton City Hall, Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Payment may be cash, credit card, debit card, or money order. We do not accept checks. ***If you pay with cash, we will only accept the exact amount of your fine.*** We do **not** keep change in the office. Once your fine is paid in full, you will not be required to appear in Court on your court date. City Hall is located at 3464 Highway 411 North in Eton, Georgia.
2. You may mail your fine amount to Eton, Georgia. Payment may be a money order only and must reach our office before your court date. Once your fine is paid in full, you will not be required to appear in Court on your court date. Eton City Hall, P.O. Box 407, Eton, GA 30724
3. You may pay your fine amount online at [www.etongeorgia.com](http://www.etongeorgia.com). Navigate to pay online services and complete the required information. A 2.9% user fee is added to your fine amount for online payments. Once your fine is paid in full, you will not be required to appear in Court on your court date. We **do not** take payments via the phone.

The following charges **require** your appearance in Court on your court date and cannot be paid in full before your court date:

Driving Under Influence	Suspended License
No Insurance	No License
Suspended Registration	Shoplifting
Animal Ordinance Violation	Nuisance Ordinance Violation

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