

**CITY OF WESLACO
MUNICIPAL COURT
MINIMUM FINE & COST SCHEDULE
1/15/08**

MOVING VIOLATIONS

DRIVERS - MISCELLANEOUS VIOLATIONS

Backed so as to Interfere or without Safety-545.415(a)	\$185.00
Backed upon Shoulder or Roadway of Controlled Access Highway-545.415(b)	\$185.00
Bus Failed to Stop at RR Crossing-545.253	\$185.00
Disregard Police Officer-542.501(1)	\$185.00
Drive around, under, or through Crossing Gate-545.251(d)	\$185.00
Drive on Improved Shoulder-545.058	\$185.00
Drive on Sidewalk-545.422	\$185.00
Drive Controlled Access Highway-545.064	\$185.00
Drove on or across Streetcar Tracks where Prohibited-545.203	\$185.00
Failed to Give Way when Overtaken-545.053(b)	\$185.00
Failed to Stop-Emerging from Alley, Driveway, or Building-545.256	\$185.00
Failed to Use Designated Lane (Slow or Direction)-545.060©	\$185.00
Increased Speed while Being Overtaken-545.053(b)	\$185.00
Motor-Assisted Scooters, Operation-551.303	\$185.00
Prohibited Motor Vehicle on Controlled Access Highway-545.0651	\$185.00
School Bus Fail to Stop at Railroad Crossing-545.2535	\$185.00
Slower Vehicle Failed to Keep Right-545.051(b)	\$185.00
Turn so as to Impede or Interfere with Streetcar-545.203©	\$185.00
Child in Open Bed or Riding in Open Bed-545.414	\$294.00

FOLLOWING

Following Too Closely-545.062(a)	\$185.00
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OVERTAKING

Cut in after Passing-545.053	\$185.00
Failed to Pass to Left Safely-545.053	\$185.00
Failed to Pass to Right Safely-545.057	\$185.00
Failed to Stop or Remain Stopped for School Bus-545.066	\$225.00
Illegal Pass on Right-545.057	\$185.00

Passed-Insufficient Clearance-545.054	\$185.00
Passed-Car on Left (in motion or stopped)-545.201(a)	\$185.00
Passed Car on Left without Reducing Speed or without Caution-545.201(b)	\$185.00
Passed Vehicle Stopped for Pedestrian-552.003©	\$185.00
Passing In No Passing Zone-545-060	\$185.00

PARKING VIOLATIONS

Parked Facing Traffic-545.303(b)	\$150.00
Parked in Prohibited Area-545.302©(2)	\$150.00
Parked Reserved Handicapp-681.011	\$327.00
Parked within 50 feet of RR Crossing-545.302©(1)	\$150.00
Parked without Locking Ignition and/or removing Key-545.404	\$150.00
Parked without Stopping Engine-545.404	\$150.00
Parking Unlawfully, Unauthorized-545.304	\$150.00
Unsafe Start from Parked Position-545.402	\$150.00
Stand or Park in Front of Public or Private Driveway-545.302(b)(1)	\$150.00
Stand or Park in Prohibited Area-545.302(b)(6)	\$150.00
Stand or Park within 15 feet of Fire Hydrant-545.302(b)(2)	\$150.00
Stop, Stand, or Park between Safety Zone and Curb-545.302(a)(5)	\$150.00
Stop, Stand, or Park - Double-545.302(a)(1)	\$150.00
Stop, Stand, or Park in Prohibited Area-545.302(a)(9)	\$150.00
Stop, Stand, or Park on Crosswalk-545.302(a)(4)	\$150.00
Stop, Stand, or Park on Sidewalk-545.302(a)(2)	\$150.00
Stop, Stand, or Park on Railroad Track-545.302(a)(8)	\$150.00
Stop, Stand, or Park within an Intersection-545.302(a)(3)	\$150.00

RIGHT OF WAY

Failed to Yield Right of Way at Stop Intersection-545.151(a);545153	\$185.00
Failed to Yield Right of Way Intersection-545.151(a);545.153(c)	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW-Alley, Private Drive, Building-545.155;545.256	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW-Changing Lanes-545.061	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW-Green Arrow Signal-544.007©;552.001(b)	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW-Green Signal-544.007(b);552.001(b)	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW-Emergency Vehicle-545.156;545.204	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW-Entering or Leaving Lmtd. or Cntrlld Acc. Hwy-545.154	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW-Left at Obstruction-545.051(a)(2)	\$185.00

Failed to Yield ROW-Turning Left at Inter., Alley, Prvt Rd, or Drwy-545.152	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW-Turning on Red Signal-544.007(d)	\$185.00
Passed Stationary Emergency Vehicle-545.157	\$185.00

SIGNAL INTENTION

Failed to Signal for Stop-545.105	\$150.00
Failed to Signal Lane Change-545.104	\$150.00
Failed to Signal Required Distance before Turning-545.104	\$150.00
Failed to Signal Start from Parked Position-545.104	\$150.00
Failed to Signal Turn (Right/Left)-545.104	\$150.00
Failed to Signal with Turn Indicator-545.106(b)	\$150.00
Improper Turn or Stop Signal-545.106;545.107	\$150.00
School Bus Driver Failed to Activate All Flashing Warning Signal Lights (or other Equipment)-547.701	\$150.00

SPEEDING

Fail to Control Speed-545.351	\$185.00
Impeding Traffic-545.363	\$185.00
Speeding Motor-Driven Cycle(over 35)-545.361	\$185.00
Unsafe Speed-545.351	\$185.00

TRAFFIC SIGNS, SIGNALS, AND ROAD MARKINGS

Changed Lanes when Unsafe-545.060	\$185.00
Disregard Flashing Red Signal (at stop sign, etc)-544.008	\$185.00
Disregard Flashing Yellow Signal-544.008	\$185.00
Disregard No Passing Zone-545.055	\$185.00
Disregard Official Traffic Control Device-544.004	\$185.00
Disregard Red Light-544.007(d)	\$185.00
Disregard Signal at RR Crossing-545.251	\$185.00
Disregard Stop Sign-545.151	\$185.00
Failed to Drive in Single Lane-545.060	\$185.00
Failed to Stop at Designated Point-Stop Sign-544.010	\$185.00
Failed to Stop at Designated Point-Yield Sign-544.010	\$185.00
Failed to Stop at Marked RR Crossing-545.252	\$185.00
Failed to Stop at Proper Place-Flashing Red Signal-544.008	\$185.00
Failed to Stop at Proper Place-Not at Intersection-544.007(g)	\$185.00
Failed to Stop at Proper Place-Traffic Light-544.007(d)	\$185.00

TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS - MISCELLANEOUS

Fail to Comply w/ Req. on Striking Fixtures or Landscaping on Highway-550.025	\$250.00
(Damage less than \$200.00-Class C Misdemeanor)	
Accident Involving Damage to Vehicle-550.022	\$250.00
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Fail to Comply with Requirements on Striking Unattended Vehicle-550.024	\$250.00
Fail to Report Injury Accident at Once-550.026	\$275.00
Fail to Stop and Render Aid-550.023	\$275.00
Parked in Block where Fire Engine stopped-545.407	\$225.00
Parked where Ambulance Summoned-545.407	\$250.00
Unnecessary Use of Horn-547.501	\$185.00
Violate Promise to Appear-543.009	\$ 80.00

TURNING MOVEMENTS

Cut across Drwy (sidewalk, parking lot, bus./res. entr.) to Make Turn-545.423	\$185.00
Cut Corner Left Turn-545.101	\$185.00
Disregard Turn Marks at Intersection-545.101	\$185.00
Made U-Turn on Curve or Hill-545.102	\$185.00
Turned across Dividing Section-545.063	\$185.00
Turned from Wrong Lane-545.101	\$185.00
Turned when Unsafe-545.103	\$185.00

VEHICLE LIGHTS, SIGNAL LAMPS & REFLECTORS

Defective Head Lamp-547.321; 547.302	\$175.00
Defective Head Lamp (Motorcycle)-547.801	\$175.00
Defective Parking Lamp-547.383	\$175.00
Defective Stop Lamp-547.323	\$175.00
Defective Tail Lamp-547.322	\$175.00
Defective Turn Signal-547.324	\$175.00
Improper Use of Back up Lamps-547.332	\$175.00
No Lamp on Farm Equipment-547.371	\$175.00
No License Plate Lamp-547.322	\$175.00
No Stop or Tail Lamps-547.322	\$175.00
Red Lights on Front-547.305	\$175.00

Unauthorized Use of red, white or blue beacon or Flashing Lights-547.302	\$175.00
Driving w/out Headlamps-547.302	\$175.00
Fail to Dim Lights to Oncoming Traffic-547.333	\$175.00

VEHICLE-MISCELLANEOUS

Expired MVI - 548.605	\$150.00
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VIOLATIONS AGAINST PEDESTRIANS

Failed to Yield ROW to Pedestrian-544.007;552.001	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW to Pedestrian at Signal Intersection-552.002	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW to Pedestrian in Crosswalk-No Signals-552.003	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW to Pedestrian in Crosswalk-552.003	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW to Pedestrian on Sidewalk-552.006	\$185.00

WRONG SIDE OR WRONG WAY

Drove in Center Lane (not passing or not making left turn)-545.060	\$185.00
Drove on Wrong Side Divided Highway-545.063	\$185.00
Drove on Wrong Side of Road Approaching Intersection-545.055;545.056	\$185.00
Drove on Wrong Side of Road-No Passing Zone-545.055;545.056	\$185.00
Drove Wrong Way in Designated Lane-545.060	\$185.00
Drove Wrong Way on One-Way Roadway-545.059	\$185.00
Failed to Yield ROW-Left Obstruction-545.051	\$185.00
Slower Vehicle Failed to Keep Right-545.051	\$185.00
Wrong Side of Road-Not Passing-545.051	\$185.00
Wrong Side, 4 or More Lane, Two-Way Roadway-545.051	\$185.00

NON-MOVING VIOLATIONS

Allow Unlicensed Driver to Drive-521.458	\$175.00
Carry Minor w/o Protective Headgear-661.003	\$125.00
Damaging Property	\$250.00
Defacing Park Property	\$250.00
Defective Brakes (or no brakes) on Motor Vehicle-547.401	\$150.00
Depositing Trash on Roadway-365-011	\$150.00
Expired Drivers License-521.021;521-026	\$150.00
Expired Registration (License Plates)-502.407	\$150.00

Fail to Identify-38.02	\$225.00
Fail to Secure Load-725.021	\$299.00
Modified Vehicle-727.001	\$150.00
No Drivers License-521.021	\$150.00
No Proof of Financial Responsibility-601.191	\$360.00
No Protective Headgear Under 18 YOA-661.003	\$125.00
No Seatbelt (Driver/Passenger)-545.413	\$150.00
No Seatbelt (Unrestrained Child)-545.412	\$225.00
Obstruction of View on Windshield-547.613	\$150.00
Obscured or Covered License Plates-502.409	\$200.00
Parked on Grass	\$260.00
Throw Object from Vehicle on Roadway-365-011	\$150.00
Unapproved Window Tint-547.613	\$150.00
Unattended Child-22.10	\$300.00
Unregistered Vehicle-645.004	\$175.00
Video Equipment and Television Receivers in Motor Vehicles	\$200.00
Violation DL Restriction-521.461	\$125.00

CITY ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS

Curfew Violation	\$125.00
Abandoned Vehicle	\$125.00
Animal Not Kept in Sanitary Condition	\$125.00
Fail to Abate Barking Dog	\$125.00
Fail to Attach Dog Tab to Collar	\$125.00
Fail to Confine Dangerous Dog	\$125.00
Fail to Keep Livestock/Poultry in Approved Pen	\$125.00
Fail to Vaccinate Dog as Required	\$125.00
Fail to Properly Maintain Dance Hall	\$125.00
Fail to Secure Abandoned Refrigerator	\$125.00
Fail to Secure Vendor Permit	\$125.00
Hitchhiker on Roadway	\$125.00
Hunting in Park (Possess Firearm)	\$300.00
Interfering with Traffic	\$175.00
In Park During Prohibited Hours	\$295.00
Littering at City Park	\$300.00
Loitering	\$150.00
Loitering Near School	\$150.00
Music Too Loud	\$150.00

Permit Dog to Run at Large	\$125.00
Permit Tree to Interfere w/Traffic	\$125.00
Place Advertising Sign/Banner on Roadway	\$150.00
Ride Animal in Park other Than Roadway	\$300.00
Spinning Tires	\$125.00
Swim in Canal	\$150.00
Too Many Dogs in Residence	\$125.00
Unlawful Entry in Swimming Pool	\$125.00

ALCOHOL RELATED FINES

Selling Alcohol Beverages w/o Permit	\$250.00
Selling Alcohol Beverages w/in 300 ft. of school	\$250.00
Selling Alcohol Beverages w/in 300 ft. of church	\$250.00
Selling Alcohol Beverages during Prohibited hours	\$250.00
Sniffing Glue	\$200.00
Drinking A/B after Hours	\$200.00
Drinking A/B in City Park after 7:00 p.m.	\$295.00
Driving Under the Influence	\$550.00
Possession of Glass Container in Park	\$260.00
Minor in Possession Alcoholic Beverage	\$300.00
Open Container	\$300.00
Public Intoxication	\$250.00
Public Intoxication Other Than Alcohol	\$300.00
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	\$300.00

THEFT FINES

Theft Under \$20.00	\$250.00
Theft \$20.00-\$124.00	\$300.00
Theft \$125.00-\$249.00	\$350.00
Theft \$250.00 - +	\$400.00
Assault	\$300.00
Disorderly Conduct	\$300.00
False Swearing on ID Application	\$205.00
Criminal Mischief	\$300.00

ALL PERSONS CHARGED WITH AN OFFENSE AND SPEND TIME IN JAIL, WILL HAVE THEIR FINES CREDITED WITH \$50.00 FOR EVERY EIGHT (8) HOURS SPENT IN JAIL.

THE JUDGE MAY CONSIDER DISMISSING THE VIOLATION OF EXPIRED DRIVER'S LICENSE, EXPIRED INSPECTION STICKER, AND EXPIRED LICENSE PLATES IF VIOLATOR SHOWS PROOF OF COMPLIANCE TO THE JUDGE WITHIN TWENTY (20) WORKING DAYS AFTER THE OFFENSE DATE OR BEFORE DEFENDANT'S FIRST COURT APPEARANCE. AN ADMINISTRATIVE FEE OF \$20.00 WILL BE ASSESSED NONE THE LESS.

THE ABOVE IS A LIST OF AUTHORIZED MINIMUM FINES & COSTS EFFECTIVE JANUARY 15, 2008. NO SMALLER AMOUNT CAN BE ASSESSED WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF THE COURT.

SPEEDING

Minimum Fine & Cost of \$155.00 plus \$3.00 for each additional mile over the speed limit.

COURT COSTS EFFECTIVE 1/01/08

MOVING VIOLATIONS (Included in Subtitle C, Rules of the Road	\$94.00
MOVING VIOLATIONS (Included in Subtitle C, Rules of the Road-School Zone	\$119.00
NON-MOVING VIOLATIONS (Included in Subtitle C, Rules of the Road	\$94.00
NON-MOVING VIOLATIONS (Not included in Subtitle C, Rules of the Road)	\$64.00
ARREST- Public Intoxication, Disorderly Conduct, Assault	\$61.00
DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE	\$104.00
NO PROOF OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY	\$61.00
PARKING (SCHOOL ZONE)	\$74.00
CITY ORDINANCES	\$61.00