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SOLANO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT ADDS NEW ONLINE ABILITY TO PAY TOOL FOR TRAFFIC COURT DEFENDANTS

Fairfield, California – As part of the Solano Superior Court's ongoing effort to increase access to justice and provide people the ability to resolve their traffic matters without having to come to the courthouse, the Solano Superior Court now offers the California Judicial Council's new MyCitations: Ability to Pay tool; an online option for people having difficulty paying fines related to traffic infractions. This new tool provides Traffic Court defendants with alternatives and is another way in which the Superior Court is working to bring justice and equity to the people of Solano County.

This tool allows court users to look up their traffic citation online, answer a series of simple questions, and submit a request to the Court for a possible reduction in the amount owed based on their financial situation. Users can also request a payment plan, more time to pay, or community service. This new option saves time and resources and allows the public to make requests without the need to appear in Court.

Requests for traffic school or to provide proof of correction for correctable violations require in-court or mail processing.

To request a fine reduction please visit: <u>https://mycitations.courts.ca.gov</u> (QR Code below)

or

https://www.solano.courts.ca.gov and search for "Pay A Citation" or "Online Services"

