

THIS FORM IS FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY

Town of Monroe
Town Prosecutor's Office
1465 Orange Turnpike
Monroe, NY 10950

To: Individuals Charged with Traffic Infractions Pending in the Town Court.

This court has received an accusatory instrument alleging that you have committed an offense. You are presumed innocent until proven guilty and you have the right to retain an attorney to represent you now, or at any stage in these proceedings. You have various procedural options in the course of bringing this matter to a just disposition. You may choose to proceed in any of the following manners, or any other legally authorized manner. You may want to consult an attorney for guidance or representation before determining which course of action you will pursue. The court may not provide you with a recommendation as to how you should proceed, or as to which of these or any other options you should choose.

YOU MAY:

1. Plead Not Guilty.

In the event you plead "Not Guilty", you may, if you choose, to have a conference with the Prosecutor in which you can discuss the charge(s) and the possibility of plea bargain, which may or may not be offered at the Prosecutor's sole discretion. If no plea bargain is agreed upon then a trial will be scheduled and you will have the right to hear, see, and challenge the evidence submitted by the State to prove your guilt, including by confronting, by cross-examination, the Police Officer, Peace Officer, or other witness or witnesses who testify against you. You have the right to have witnesses testify on your behalf and you may, but you are not required to, testify on your own behalf. The court will determine, after hearing all the evidence submitted at the trial, whether or not the People have proven guilt beyond a reasonable doubt, and will render an appropriate verdict.

2. Plead Guilty as Charged.

By pleading "Guilty" you waive your right to a trial and will subject you to sentencing, by the presiding judge, to any legally authorized sentence. You may withdraw, with the court's permission, your plea of guilty at any time prior to sentencing and exercise your right to a trial.

3. Not Guilty Plea by Mail.

If you choose to plead not guilty by mail you can access the forms on the Town of Monroe website at www.monroeny.gov or you may also contact the Clerk to the Town Prosecutor's Office at:

David Nestor 1465 Orange Turnpike, Monroe, NY 10950
Phone: [845-783-1900](tel:845-783-1900) Ext. 113 Email: dnestor@monroeny.org

The Prosecutor is responsible for proving the charge or charges against you and negotiate an agreement to plead guilty to a legally authorized alternate offense, including a lesser included offense, or a less severe offense or offenses. Any proposed agreement is subject to approval by the court. Upon a plea of guilty to the agreed-upon offense, you will be subject to sentencing, by the judge presiding, to any sentence legally authorized to be imposed for the offense to which you plead guilty.

The prosecutorial office responsible to prove the charge or charges against you alleged in the accusatory instrument is the Town Attorney.

IF YOU NEED A TRANSLATOR, PLEASE NOTIFY THE COURT PRIOR TO YOUR COURT DATE

SI NECESITA UN TRADUCTOR, NOTIFIQUE A LA CORTE ANTES DE LA FECHA DE LA CORTE

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אויב איר דארפן א יבערוזצער, ביטעט מעלדונג די פלאץ איידעך דורך פלאץ
אם אתה זקוק למתרגם, אנא הודע לבית המשפט לפני תאריך בית המשפט שלך

如果你需要一个翻译者，请提前通知法院到您的开庭日期