



# THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND JUDGES WANT YOU TO BECOME A SAFER DRIVER!

If you have been charged with one of the traffic violations listed below, the Safe Driving Program may prevent assessment of insurance points or premium surcharges on your insurance policy and/or points on your North Carolina driver's license. This program is made available by the Mecklenburg County Court System and the Safety and Health Council of North Carolina. To receive these benefits you must **COMPLETE** the Council's 4-hour Defensive Driving Course **AT LEAST TWO WEEKS BEFORE** your court date. Please confirm benefits with your insurance company.

## Complete One 4 Hour Defensive Driving Course to Receive a PJC\*

- 1) **NO INSURANCE POINTS** (if no **PJC\*** in 3 years )
- 2) **NO DRIVERS LICENSE POINTS** (if no **PJC\*** in previous 5 years)
- 3) **NO COURT APPEARANCE** (if course is completed two weeks before court date)

## You are **ELIGIBLE** for this program if your Mecklenburg County citation is for

City code violations - 00-000	Improper passing - 20-150
Crossing median - 20-146	Improper turn - 20-153
Cutting across private property to avoid an intersection - 00-000	Improper use of traffic lane - 20-146.2
Driving left of center - 20-146	Red light violation - 20-158
Exceeding posted speed limits - 20-141	Speed faster than reasonable - 20-141
Failing to reduce speed - 20-141	Speed--less than posted minimum - 20-141
Driving the wrong way on a dual lane - 20-165.1	Speed zone 35mph or less (up to 20 mph over limit) - 20-141
Failing to signal when turning - 20-142 & 20-158.1	Speed zone 40 mph or more (up to 15 mph over limit) - 20-141
Failing to wear seat belt - 20-135.2A	Speeding in a school zone - 20-141
Failing to yield - 20-155 & 20-158.1	Too fast for conditions - 20-141
Failing to yield pedestrian right of way - 20-173	Unsafe movement - 20-154
Following too closely - 20-152	Stop sign violation - 20-158
HOV lane violation - 20-146	

## You are **NOT ELIGIBLE** for this program if . . .

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YOUR COURT DATE HAS PASSED <b>OR</b> YOUR CHARGE IS NOT LISTED ABOVE. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YOU COMPLETED THE CLASS IN EXCHANGE FOR A PJC, OR OTHERWISE RECEIVED A PJC, IN THE LAST THREE YEARS. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YOU HAVE PAID OFF THE TICKET OR CITATION BEFORE CLASS.                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YOU HAVE A <b>CDL</b> OR YOUR VIOLATION OCCURRED WHILE OPERATING A COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE.         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YOUR CITATION OR TICKET LISTS 2 OR MORE MOVING VIOLATIONS.            |  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YOU ARE CHARGED WITH SPEEDING IN A WORK ZONE.                         |  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YOU HAVE AN OUT OF STATE DRIVER'S LICENSE.                            |  |

\* A "**Prayer for Judgment Continued (PJC)**" means the determination of guilt by the court though no sentence has been imposed. With respect to a **PJC** for any moving violation, there shall be no insurance premium surcharge nor any assessment of points unless the vehicle owner, principal operator, or any licensed operator in the owner's household has a driving record consisting of a **PJC** for any moving traffic violation during the three years immediately preceding the date of application or the preparation of the renewal. **GS 58-36-75(f)**

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**\$\$ Insurance Points Cost You Money \$\$**

Points	% Rate	Cost if Basic Rate is \$300
1	25%	\$375
2	45%	\$435
3	65%	\$495
4	90%	\$570
5	120%	\$660
6	150%	\$750

**TO REGISTER, you must have your Drivers License Number & Citation (ticket).**

**(704) 644-4201**

Office Hours: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm Mon. - Fri.

**On-line at [www.safetync.org](http://www.safetync.org)**

Click on "NC Traffic Violations".

Your class choice will be confirmed by e-mail.

**Class sizes are limited - Register Early!**

**GENERAL CLASS SCHEDULE**

**Mornings**

8am - Noon (Mon, Fri, Sat)

**Afternoons**

1pm - 5pm (Fri, Sat)

**Evenings**

6pm - 10pm (Mon, Tues, Wed)

**LATE ARRIVALS**

**WILL NOT BE ADMITTED!**

**"NO SHOWS" PAY**

**\$25 PENALTY**

**Safety and Health Council of North Carolina**

2709 Water Ridge Parkway, Suite 120 - Charlotte, NC 28217

**From Interstate 85:**

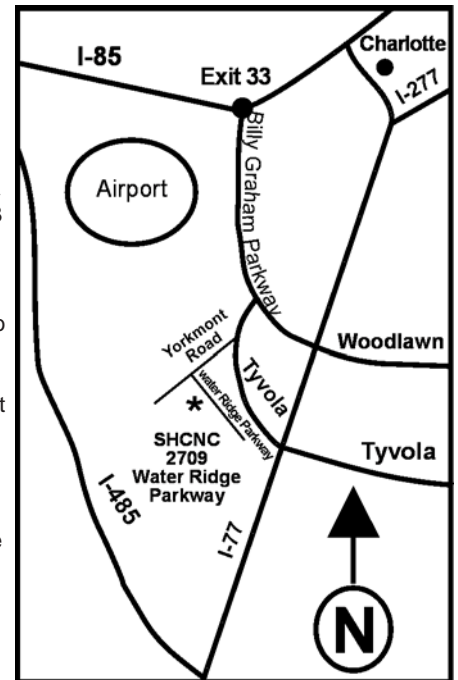
Take Billy Graham Parkway Exit 33 toward Charlotte Douglas International Airport. Continue for 3 miles then bear right onto the Farmers Market/Tyvola Road exit. Go 1/2 mile to the first traffic light, take a right on Yorkmont Road. After 2/10 mile, turn left onto Water Ridge Parkway. Go 2/10 mile then turn right and park in the lot behind Five Lake Pointe five-story building. Enter front door of building, the Council office is on the left, ground floor.

**From Highway 74/Independence Boulevard:**

Bear left onto I-277 John Belk Freeway/South. Go 2.7 miles then take Interstate 77 Exit 1B South to Columbia. Travel 4.3 miles on I-77 South then take Exit 5 Tyvola Road. Bear right, go 3 miles to 4th traffic light. Take left onto Yorkmont Road. After 2/10 mile, turn left onto Water Ridge Parkway. Go 2/10 mile then turn right and park in the lot behind Five Lake Pointe five-story building. Enter front door of building, the Council office is on the left, ground floor.

**From Interstate 77:**

Take Exit 5 Tyvola Road, go west toward airport. Go 3 miles, take left onto Yorkmont Road (at traffic light). After 2/10 mile, turn left onto Water Ridge Parkway. Go 2/10 mile then turn Right and park in the lot behind Five LakePointe five-story building. Enter front door of building, the Council office is on the left, ground floor.



**Bring to class:**

- 1) Your Citation (ticket); 2) Your Driver's License or Photo Identification; and
- 3) Payment: \$60 class cost plus current court costs - can be made in one combined payment by the following: **VISA, MC, AMEX, debit card, certified bank check, or money order. CASH-NOT ACCEPTED**