

City of Edgerton Municipal Court – Amendment Policy

The City Prosecutor’s Office has implemented a policy to allow requests and payments for traffic violation amendments to be processed without a court appearance for certain standard-fine traffic offenses. The cost of the amendment will be double the fine for the violation plus court costs. Full payment of all fines on the ticket plus the amendment will be due at the time the amendment is requested. If you cannot pay in full, you must appear on your court date and speak with the City Prosecutor.

In order for an amendment to be considered without a court appearance, the following requirements must be met:

1. The Defendant is 18 years of age or older.
2. There was no accident.
3. The occurrence was not in a school zone.
4. The occurrence was not in a construction zone.
5. The Defendant is not a commercial driver using their CDL permit while driving a commercial vehicle at the time of the occurrence.
6. The Defendant has not had any amendments with the City of Edgerton within the past 12 months.
7. There is no objection by an officer, city staff, or the Prosecutor.
8. The Defendant was not going more than 15 miles per hour over the posted speed limit.
9. The Defendant has no unpaid or unresolved fines or costs from previous tickets.
10. No bench warrants have been issued for failure to appear.

If you meet all of the above requirements, you may be eligible for an amendment. Please keep in mind that an amendment is a privilege, not a right. Whether or not to grant the amendment is entirely within the discretion of the Prosecutor.

If you meet all of the above requirements and are interested in having your ticket amended, you must contact the Edgerton Municipal Court prior to your scheduled court date. If the amendment is granted, payment may be made to the Clerk of the Municipal Court, the City Administrator, or the City Clerk.

Violations which may be eligible for amendment without a court appearance:

- § 12 Traffic Control Device
- §13 Disobey Traffic Signal
- § 15 Flashing Traffic Signal
- § 33 Speeding (no more than 15 mph over limit)
- § 48 Divided Highways
- § 49 Illegal Turns
- § 50 Illegal turns
- § 51 U-turns
- § 56 Failure to Signal
- § 59 Failure to Stop or Yield