

**CHEYENNE COUNTY ATTORNEY'S AMENDMENT
PROGRAM FOR TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS**

The Cheyenne County Attorney's office does not have a diversion program for traffic infractions. We do, however offer a program where a traffic infraction may be amended to a violation of K.S.A. 8-1569, improper parking, a non-moving violation. If you have questions about how your citation for a traffic infraction or a non-moving violation would impact your insurance, please contact your insurance agent.

To be eligible for our amendment program, the following criteria must be met:

- Driver had a valid, state-issued driver's license and current proof of insurance at the time of the receipt of the citation;
- Driver was not using a radar detector at the time of receipt of the citation
- Driver was not driving in an active construction zone or school zone at the time of the receipt of the citation.
- Driver was not issued a citation involving a school bus or emergency vehicle.
- Driver was not traveling in excess of 25 m.p.h. over the speed limit and was not travelling in excess of 100 m.p.h.
- Driver has not had any other tickets of any kind, or diversion for any ticket, within the last year.
- Driver does not hold a commercial driver's license.
- Driver was not operating a commercial vehicle at the time of the receipt of the citation.
- Driver was not involved in an accident at the time of the receipt of the citation in which another person was injured or another person's property was damaged as a result of the accident.

If you do not meet the above criteria, you will not be granted an amendment. If you would like to make an application for an amended ticket, please follow the process outlined below.

APPLICATION BY MAIL:

Send a written request seeking a traffic amendment, including a legible copy of the ticket, a self-addressed stamped envelope, name, address and phone number, by mail to:

Cheyenne County Attorney
P.O. Box 762
St. Francis, KS 67756

APPLICATION BY EMAIL OR FAX:

In the alternative, you may send written request seeking a traffic amendment, including a legible copy of the ticket, name, address and phone number by email at attorney@cncoks.us or by fax at (888)511-7049.

NO PHONE REQUESTS FOR AMENDED TICKETS WILL BE CONSIDERED.

All requests which do not have all the required information enclosed will be denied. The amendment of a ticket is ultimately at the discretion of the County Attorney. You will be notified of either a decision to amend or denial of an amendment by the same method you applied. If you are granted an amendment, you will have to pay the costs and fines indicated on the ticket, along with a donation to the prosecutor's charitable trust.

If you are granted an amendment, you will be notified as to the amount of the donation and the steps to take to complete the amendment program. Please ensure your amendment is completed prior to the court date on your ticket. You may request a one-time 30-day extension of time, prior to the appearance date noted on the ticket by calling the Clerk of the Court's office at (785)332-8850.