## **Requesting Defensive Driving**

To request the option to complete a Texas state approved defensive driving course to dismiss a ticket, you will need to present the following information either by mail or in person no later than the appearance date on your citation.

- 1. Enter a plea of "guilty" or "no contest" to the charge.
- 2. State that you have not taken defensive driving to dismiss a ticket in the past twelve months.
- 3. Proof of current liability insurance.
- 4. Pay fees in the amount of \$135.00(if you received your citation on or before **DECEMBER 31, 2019**) or \$145.00(if you received your citation on or after **JANUARY 1, 2020**) by money order or cashier's check made payable to Justice of the Peace, Pct. 2.

If cited for driving 25 MPH or more over posted speed limit, if you possess a Commercial Driver's license, or if you have taken Defensive Driving under Section 143A (a) (2) within 1 year prior to the date of this ticket, you are not eligible to take DDC at this time. If you request to take DDC, DO NOT PAY THE FINE.

Once the court has received your request we will send you a receipt, affidavit and application for copy of your driving record. Your defensive driving must be completed and the "court" certificate submitted to this office along with the notarized affidavit and driving record within 90 days from the date of the receipt. No extensions will be given.

You can mail your request to: JP#2 2241 N. 1<sup>St</sup> Street Conroe, Texas 77301