



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

JODY HOLYST FARISS
JUDGE

Buckingham County
General District Court
Buckingham, Virginia 23921

DANA L. FRANKLIN
CLERK
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PAYMENT AGREEMENT Effective July 1, 2021

- Fines and costs are due in full on the day of court.
- Any defendant who is tried in absence or who is unable to pay on the day of court will have ninety (90) days to pay in full. If payment in full is received, no further action is required.
- If at the end of 90 days additional time to pay is needed, defendant may enter into a deferred payment agreement for a period of up to six (6) months (initial six month period). A ONE-TIME fee of \$10.00 will be assessed to defendant's account. Initial deferred payment agreements must be made in person at the Clerk's Office.
- If at the end of the initial 6-month period defendant needs additional time to pay, defendant may enter into a second deferred payment agreement for an additional six (6) month period (second six-month period). Subsequent deferred payment agreements must be made in person at the Clerk's Office and must be made prior to the expiration of the initial six-month period.
- If at the end of the second six-month period defendant needs additional time to pay, a request may be made to the General District Court Judge. Defendant must contact the Clerk to request a date and time to appear before the Judge. The Judge will review defendant's financial resources and obligations and will determine a new payment schedule.

This court does not suspend your drivers license for unpaid fines and costs. If your license was suspended for unpaid fines and costs, please contact DMV immediately.

For questions regarding payment agreements, please contact the General District Court Clerk's Office.



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Clerk	Clerk's Office Hours
Ms Dana Lynn Franklin	8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
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General District Judges

- Hon. Calvin S. Spencer Jr., Chief Judge
- Hon. Jody H. Fariss
- Hon. Darrel W. Puckett

Juvenile and Domestic Relations Judges

- Hon. Marvin H. Dunkum Jr., Presiding Judge, Chief Judge
- Hon. Nora J. Miller
- Hon. Robert H. Morrison

Court Schedule

Civil
 4th Fri., 1:30 p.m.
 Small Claims
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 Traffic
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 Juvenile & Domestic Relations
 1st, 3rd, & 4th Tues., 9:30 a.m.
 2nd & 4th Mon., 9:30 a.m.

Change to: 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th starting at 9:00 AM
~~1st Monday~~ 1st Monday, 9:00 AM

Continuance Policy

One continuance granted by Clerk. Others granted by Judge.

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