



THE LAW OFFICE OF
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TRUST LOCAL EXPERIENCE
WITH YOUR TRAFFIC TICKET



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Taking care of a **traffic ticket** can be **incredibly costly** and **time consuming** if not handled properly. If you hire my firm to represent you, I will be **laser-focused** on two things: (1) **SAVING YOU MONEY**, and (2) **SAVING YOU TIME**. My goal, if possible, will be to resolve your case in a way that:

- **Prevents points** from being charged to your **license** OR **insurance**; and
- Saves you from having to **appear in court** OR **attend a defensive driving class**.

WHY YOU SHOULDN'T TAKE CARE OF YOUR TICKET YOURSELF

You may be asking yourself, **"why shouldn't I just take care of this myself? It's just a traffic ticket."** Here are three reasons why you shouldn't:

1. Paying **court costs** can be only a **small part of the expense**. Even a minor traffic ticket can cause your **insurance premium to skyrocket** (see the chart on the right);
2. Just **paying off** your ticket or having it **reduced** can cause your **license to be revoked**; and
3. You will have to **personally appear in court** and spend what can be an entire day there.

HERE'S HOW I CAN HELP

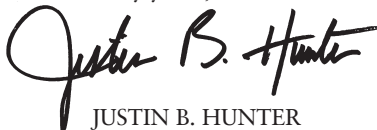
For most traffic tickets, the best reduction possible is to the infraction of **"improper equipment"** (see N.C. Gen. Stat § 20-132.2). This reduction will **not cause points** to be charged to your **license** or **insurance**. **Without** the assistance of a **lawyer**, you would **not qualify** for this reduction **without** personally **appearing in court** at least twice and also taking a **defensive driving class**. If you don't qualify for this reduction, you deserve to have a lawyer who can look for other possible ways to resolve your case that would also prevent points from being charged to your license or insurance. **The bottom line:** I can **save you time**, I can **save you money**, and I will take care of your ticket the same way I would a **family** member's.

TRUST LOCAL EXPERIENCE

My firm isn't a traveling road show that takes cases here, there, and everywhere. The simple truth is this is a **Duplin County law office**. I was **born and raised here**, and this is where I have **chosen to raise my family**. My office is in a historic building in downtown Kenansville that is **100 yards from the Duplin County Courthouse**. If there's a day when traffic court is being held in Duplin County, odds are that **I will be there, not somewhere else**. I have found that I can provide **better service** to my clients by **taking care of them in just one place - Duplin County**.

Please contact us for a free consultation before your court date and I'll explain in detail how I can help. Thank you for your time and for considering my firm. With best wishes, I remain

Truly yours,



JUSTIN B. HUNTER
Attorney at Law



MAINTAINING A CLEAN DRIVING RECORD CAN PAY OFF. To reward safe drivers with the lowest possible insurance rates, the General Assembly enacted the North Carolina Safe Driver Incentive Plan (SDIP). Drivers who are convicted of moving traffic violations will be charged higher premiums in accordance with their driving records. SDIP points are charged as follows for convictions occurring during the three year period immediately preceding either the date of application (for individuals applying for coverage), or the preparation of the policy renewal (when an insurance company is preparing to renew an existing policy):

OFFENSE	SDIP POINTS	% INSURANCE INCREASE	IF ORIGINAL INSURANCE PREMIUM WAS \$300, NEW PREMIUM IF CONVICTED
• Prearranged Highway Racing	12	340%	\$1,320
• Highway Racing	10	260%	\$1,080
• Speeding To Elude Arrest			
• Driving While License Revoked	8	195%	\$885
• Aggressive Driving			
• Reckless Driving	4	80%	\$540
• Passing Stopped School Bus			
• Speeding In Excess Of 75 Mph When Speed Limit Is Less Than 70 Mph			
• Speeding In Excess Of 80 Mph In 70 Mph Zone			
• Illegal Passing	2	45%	\$435
• Following Too Closely			
• Driving On Wrong Side Of Road			
• Speeding More Than 10 Mph Over The Speed Limit Provided The Total Speed Is In Excess Of 55 Mph But Less Than 76 Mph			
• All Other Moving Violations	1	30%	\$390
• Speeding 10 Mph Or Less In Excess Of Speed Limit Of Less Than 55 Mph			

SPECIAL EXEMPTIONS

NO SDIP POINTS WILL BE CHARGED FOR:

- Speeding 10 mph or less over the posted speed limit; provided all of the following are true:
 - o The violation did not occur in a school zone; and
 - o There is not another moving traffic violation for the experience period
 - An isolated Prayer for Judgment Continued [PJC] will not count as a prior conviction for the purpose of this exception.
- One PJC for each household every three years; however:
 - o A second PJC may cause points to be charged according to the underlying convictions.

MEET YOUR ATTORNEY

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The son of two educators, Justin B. Hunter was born and raised in the Duplin County town of Beulaville. He received his undergraduate degrees from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 2004 and his Juris Doctor from Campbell University in 2007. After working in Onslow County until the fall of 2008, Justin returned home to Duplin County to focus his practice on criminal defense and personal injury litigation.



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