

Texas CourTools Measure 7a Legal Financial Obligations Survey

This court aims to serve the best interests of both you and the public. Your feedback will help us do so. Please know that your responses are confidential. Nothing you say will be tied to your case. Your answers will not affect the actions of the court in your case now or in the future.

Section I: About Your Court Hearing

Court Name:

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
The judge listened to my side of the story before deciding the method of satisfying my fine/fees.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I was treated the same as everyone else.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I got a chance to tell the judge about my ability to pay fines and fees.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The judge made a fair and impartial decision about fines and fees related to my case, based on the facts.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
As I leave the court, I know what to do next with respect to my obligation to pay any fines and fees.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Section II: About You and Your Case

What type of case brought you to court today?

- Traffic (examples: speeding, running a stop sign, without insurance)
- Non traffic misdemeanor (examples: theft, assault)
- City ordinance violation (example: excessive noise)
- Alcohol-related offense
- I don't know

The total amount in fees and fines you are required to pay as you leave today is:

- None, all fines and fees were waived
- Less than \$100
- Between \$100 and \$500
- Greater than \$500
- I am not sure

If you were not able to pay in full on the day of your hearing, please indicate which were ordered in your case:

	Yes	No
Installment Payment plan or extension of time to pay	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community service	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Waiver of fines, fees and costs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

What is your gender?

- Male
- Female

How do identify yourself?

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Hispanic or Latino
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White
- Multiracial/Multiethnic
- Other:

How often are you typically in this court?

- First time in this court
- Once a year or less
- Several times a year
- Regularly