

# GWINNETT COUNTY, GEORGIA

## CITATION FOR NON-CRIMINAL TRAFFIC SIGNAL VIOLATION

The vehicle described and pictured on the reverse of this citation violated Ordinance No. 110-85 by failing to stop for the circular red or red arrow traffic signal at the place, date and time specified. You are liable for this traffic light violation as the registered owner of this vehicle and must take action before the payment deadline listed on the citation. **The civil monetary penalty for this violation is \$70.00.**

You must either pay the civil monetary penalty or contest liability as outlined below before the payment deadline, which appears on the reverse side of this citation. You may pay by mail (cashier's check or money order only) or in person (cash, money order, cashier's check, Visa, MasterCard or Discover) at the Recorder's Court. PERSONAL CHECKS ARE NOT ACCEPTED.

**Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center  
Attn: Recorder's Court  
75 Langley Drive  
Lawrenceville, GA 30045**

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*By paying the civil monetary penalty and not personally appearing before the Court,  
you are waiving your right to contest liability for this citation.*

This traffic light violation is deemed non-criminal and is not considered a moving violation for the purposes of points assessed under **O.C.G.A. § 40-5-7**. The imposition of a civil monetary penalty for this violation shall not be deemed a criminal conviction and shall not be made a part of the operating record of the person upon whom such liability is imposed, nor shall it be used for insurance purposes in the provision of motor vehicle insurance coverage.

Liability for violations of this ordinance shall be determined based upon preponderance of the evidence. Prima-facie evidence that the vehicle described in the citation was operated in violation of Ordinance No. 110-85, together with proof that the defendant was at the time of such violation the registered owner of the vehicle, shall permit the court in its discretion to infer that such owner of the vehicle was the driver of the vehicle at the time of the alleged violation.

To rebut this inference and **contest liability** you may:

- (1) Testify under oath that you were not the operator of the vehicle at the time of the alleged violation;
- (2) Present to the court prior to the payment deadline a certified copy of a police report showing that the vehicle had been reported to the police as stolen, prior to the time of the alleged violation;
- (3) Submit to the court prior to the return date established on the citation, a sworn notarized statement identifying the name and address of the operator of the vehicle at the time of the alleged violation;
- (4) Present evidence to the Recorder's Court prior to the due date that you were not the registered owner of the vehicle at the time and date that the alleged violation occurred; or
- (5) If a commercially licensed vehicle: Within ten (10) days of receipt of this notice, the owner shall provide written notice to the Recorder's Court of the name and address of the driver of the vehicle on the date and time of the violation. Failure of the owner to provide such information within ten (10) days shall cause the owner to be held responsible for penalties imposed.

### **Questions?**

Call 770-822-8281 or visit the Gwinnett County website at [www.gwinnettstops.com](http://www.gwinnettstops.com)

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### PAY THE FINE:

Detach along perforation and return this receipt with payment prior to the date to contest liability. Please enclose a cashiers check or money order only payable to Gwinnett County's Recorders Court.

**FINE AMOUNT: \$70.00**

<b>CITATION NUMBER</b>
RLXXXXXXA

<b>PAYMENT DEADLINE</b>
June 1, 2005

Mr. John Doe  
111 Main Street  
Lilburn, GA 30047

**NO PERSONAL CHECKS ACCEPTED - CERTIFIED CHECK OR MONEY ORDER ONLY!**  
**VISA, MASTERCARD, OR CASH MAY BE USED IF YOU PAY IN PERSON!**

### CONTESTING LIABILITY

The following date to contest liability has been assigned to you if you wish to appeal the Traffic Signal Violation. Please see the reverse side of this citation for information on contesting liability.

<b>CITATION NUMBER</b>
RLXXXXXXA

<b>DATE TO CONTEST LIABILITY</b>
June 1, 2005



Image #1, Light Has Been Red for 0.19 seconds



Image #2, Light Has Been Red for 0.49 seconds



Image #3, Light Has Been Red for 0.77 seconds

<b>File:</b> 4416	<b>Amber Duration:</b> 4.14 (sec.)	<b>Lane Number:</b> T1
<b>State:</b> GA	<b>License Plate:</b> AEM XXXX	<b>Speed:</b> 37 (mph)
<b>Time:</b> 18:24:56	<b>Date:</b> Friday, April 1, 2005	
<b>Location:</b> Jimmy Carter (WB) at Singleton Road		

Based on inspection of the recorded images shown above, the motor vehicle was operated in violation of Gwinnett Ordinance 110-85 as evidenced by the above images. Sworn to or affirmed by:

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Officer Name (Print)

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Badge #

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Officer Signature

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Date