

IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF OREGON CITY

CLACKAMAS COUNTY, OREGON

City of Oregon City,)
Plaintiff,) Case No. _____
vs.)
) **APPEAL RIGHTS**
_____)
_____) Defendant)

Everyone convicted of a crime has a right to appeal.

If you appeal from a GUILTY PLEA, NO CONTEST PLEA, PROBATION VIOLATION HEARING, or RESENTENCING HEARING, your appeal is limited to whether the **SENTENCE** is unlawful or is cruel and unusual.

If you went to trial and were found guilty, your appeal could be based on whether the **trial** contained legal errors and whether the **sentence** is unlawful or is cruel and unusual.

If you cannot afford an attorney, one may be appointed for your appeal. If you are **NOT IN CUSTODY**, contact the Court Clerk at 503-657-8154. If you are **in custody**, ask the jail staff for the application. **If you are convicted of a violation (a traffic ticket or City Code violation), you are NOT entitled to a court appointed attorney.**

To begin an appeal, you must file a **Notice of Appeal** with the Clerk of the Municipal Court, 320 Warner Milne Road, Oregon City, OR 97045 within 30 days of the date of the judgment.

If you are in custody, the trial judge may decide whether to release you or allow you to post bail during your appeal.

If your appeal is from a judgment involving a traffic violation or city code violation, you will be **required** to pay a \$265.00 filing fee, **which is nonrefundable**, payable by money order/cashier's check to the State of Oregon (ORS 21.135(1, (2)(b), 21.285(1).

BY SIGNING THIS FORM YOU ARE TELLING THE COURT YOU UNDERSTAND YOUR RIGHTS.

Dated this _____ day, of _____, 20_____.

Signature of Defendant : _____
Print Name _____

Signature of Defendant's Attorney : _____
Print Name: _____