

I understand that I have a right to trial by court or by a jury, if I should so choose, that the Prosecuting Attorney has the burden of proving my guilt beyond a reasonable doubt, and that the jury would have to be unanimous in their finding of guilt in order for me to be convicted.

I understand that at a trial I would have the right to assistance of counsel, the right to confront and cross-examine witnesses who would testify against me, the right to subpoena witnesses to testify in my defense, and the right not to be compelled to incriminate myself.

I understand that by entering this plea of guilty I waive the right to trial, there will not be a further trial of any kind, and there is no right to appeal a finding of guilt based upon a plea of guilty.

I waive the rights mentioned above and request that the court and prosecuting attorney agree that I need not be present and that the case proceed in my absence.

I understand that the Missouri Department of Revenue State License Bureau will be notified of all convictions involving driving violations which will result in applicable points being assessed against my drivers license.

I am entering this plea of guilty voluntarily and of my own free will and not as the result of force or threats or promises (other than the plea agreement).

DEFENDANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20__.

Notary Public

My commission expires:

The (Assistant) Prosecuting Attorney hereby consents to hearing said cause in the absence of the defendant.

(Assistant) Prosecuting Attorney
County _____

The Judge of this Court hereby consents to the cause being heard on the written guilty plea in the absence of the defendant.

Judge, Division _____