

CIRCUIT COURT OF ILLINOIS

SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

_____ COUNTY, ILLINOIS

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO MONITORING DEVICE DRIVING PERMIT (MDDP)

If you are a “first offender” as defined below you may apply for a Monitoring Device Driving Permit (MDDP).

“First Offender” means:

(1) Any person who has not had a previous conviction or court assigned supervision for violating Section 11-501 (Driving Under the Influence), or a similar provision of a local ordinance, or a conviction in any other state for a violation of driving while under the influence or a similar offense where the cause of action is the same or substantially similar to this Code or similar offenses committed on a military installation.

(2) Any person who has not had a driver’s license suspension for violating Section 11-501.1 (Suspension of Driver’s License Statutory Summary Suspension), within 5 years prior to the date of the current offense, except in cases where the driver submitted to chemical testing resulting in an alcohol concentration of 0.08 or more, or any amount of a drug, substance, or compound in such person’s blood or urine resulting from the unlawful use or consumption of cannabis listed in the Cannabis Control Act, a controlled substance listed in the Illinois Controlled Substance Act, or an intoxicating compound listed in the Use of Intoxicating Compounds Act, or methamphetamine as listed in the Methamphetamine Control and Community Protection Act and was subsequently found not guilty of violating Section 11-501 (Driving Under the Influence), or a similar provision of a local ordinance.

1. If the Court determines you are entitled to an MDDP you must pay the Secretary of State an MDDP Administration Fee of \$30.00 per month.

2. You must have a Breath Alcohol Ignition Interlock Device (BAIID) installed within 14 days of the date the Secretary of State issues the MDDP. The ignition interlock device provider (installer) must notify the Secretary of State of the installation. If the Secretary of State does not receive notice of installation, the Secretary of State will cancel the MDDP. An MDDP does not become effective prior to the 31st day of the original summary suspension.

3. You have a right to decline to request an MDDP. If you decline, you must sign a document declining a request for an MDDP. You do, however, have a right to change your mind and request an MDDP at a later date.

4. If an MDDP is issued to you, you may drive for any purpose and at any time subject to rules adopted by the Secretary of State. You may drive only vehicles equipped with an ignition interlock device, but in no event can you drive a commercial motor vehicle.

5. Persons who are issued an MDDP, and must drive employer-owned vehicles in the course of their employment duties, may seek permission from the Secretary of State.

6. If the Court determines that you are unable to pay for the installation, the Court will provide you with a written document for you to give to the installer as evidence of that determination, and the ignition interlock device will be installed at no cost to you.