

P. O. Box 565
Charlotte, North Carolina

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Chief of Police
City of Atlanta
Georgia

Dear Sir:

Over a year ago I was in Atlanta and was going south on Peachtree. When I came to I 85, I was in the right hand lane and made a right turn and had to wait to get back into the traffic lane on I85. I waited for traffic to clear so I could get on I 85 and was given a ticket for this. I wrote you about this and explained what happened. This morning again I was going south on Peachtree and made a special effort to get in the second lane to where I could turn to get on the Expressway and when I got to the Expressway, I turned off of Peachtree. A Police Officer on a motor cycle pulled me over and said I had broken the law and gave me a citation for it. Honestly, I don't understand how to get on or off of Peachtree to the expres-way, because I have done both ways and have gotten a ticket for it both times. My thinking on it is this; I was using good horse sense judgement to keep traffic moving and stay out of trouble too, but I hate to be classified as not knowing how to drive, because I have been driving many, many years, and it seems I can't do anything right at Peachtree and I 85. I explained to the Officer what happened before and told him I thought he should have given me a warning ticket instead of giving me a ticket; however he didn't agree, so I am turning the ticket over to you and hope that you will take this ticket of the records because I honestly do not feel that I should pay for doing something that I had done the way it had to be done before. Let me hear from you in regards to this.

Very truly yours,



Troy Whitehead

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CC Municipal Traffic Court
CC Mayor Ivan Allen

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