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## How to Obtain a Marriage License

Lamar County requires that both the Bride and the Groom be present when filling out the Application to Obtain a Marriage License. Both parties will need to provide proof of identification (State Driver's License, State Identification Card, Certified Birth Certificate or Passport.)

A Marriage License can be obtained at the Lamar County Clerk's Office (located on the bottom floor) between the hours of:

8:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday thru Friday

## Applicable Fees:

The fee for Obtaining a Marriage License is \$82.00

• Type of Payments Accepted: cash, checks (local checks only), money order or credit card.

## Information:

The marriage license is valid for 90 days. If it is  $\underline{\text{not}}$  used within that 90 day period it will expire and a new license will need to be obtained (fee required).

After the marriage license is obtained there is a 72 hour waiting period before it can be used.

If recently divorced there is a 30 day waiting period from the date the Judge signs the Decree of Divorce.

Twogether In Texas: To take this marriage class call 512-206-5594 or visit the website <a href="www.twogetherintexas.com">www.twogetherintexas.com</a>. By taking this marriage class it will waive the 72 hour waiting period and the marriage license fee will only be \$22.00.



Active Military: If either the Bride or the Groom is active military then the 72 hour waiting period is WAIVED.