

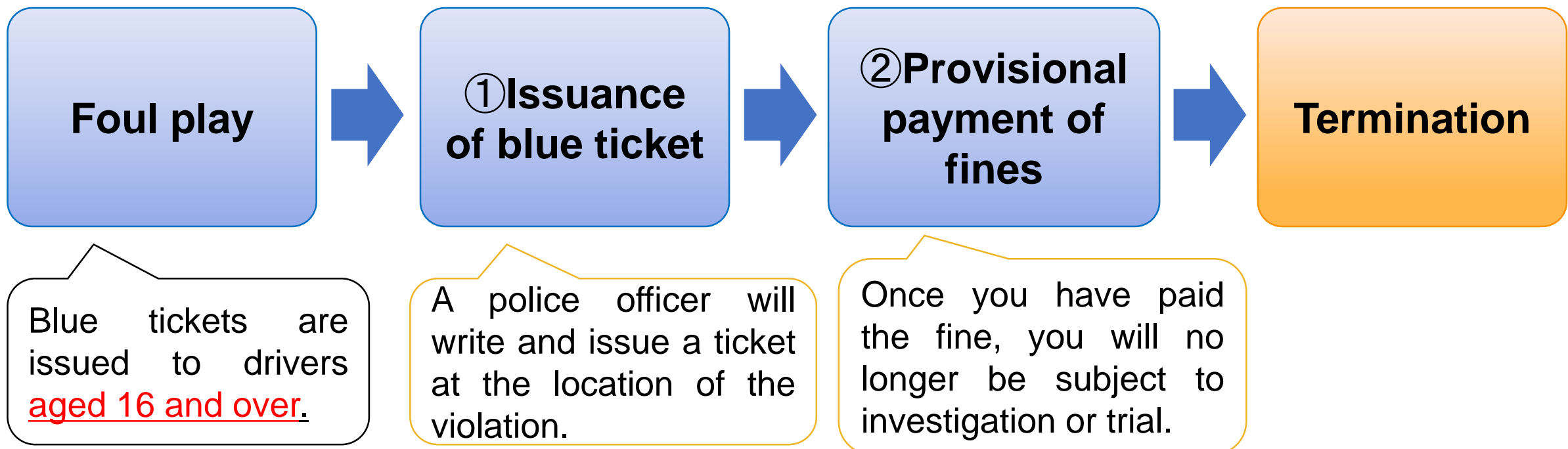


Notice from Nagahama Kinomoto Police Station

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Bicycle Traffic Violation Notification System
Starting April 1, 2026, "Blue Tickets" will also be applicable to bicycles!

What happens if I violate the rules?



For violations by persons under the age of 16, we will continue to **issue warnings and guidance in the form of warning tickets and bicycle safety instruction cards**.

※ Serious and dangerous traffic violations such as drunk driving, driving under the influence of alcohol, and obstructive driving will result in criminal proceedings such as issuing a red ticket.


What happens if I repeat the violation?


If a person **aged 14 or over is repeatedly arrested for certain traffic violations or causes a traffic accident two or more times within three years**, the Prefectural Public Safety Commission (hereinafter referred to as the "Public Safety Commission") will order the person to **take a "Bicycle Driver's Course."**

【Eligible Persons】

- Anyone aged 14 or older
- Anyone who has been arrested for a dangerous traffic violation two or more times within the past three years.

※ Those who have caused a traffic accident due to a dangerous traffic violation may also be included in the list of those arrested.





【Attendance Instructions】
Course Length: 3 hours
Course Fee: 6,000 yen

Attend → **Risk Improvement**

Not attend → **Failure to comply with the order to take the course will result in a fine of 50,000 yen.**

※ Course fees are subject to change due to changes in regulations.

【Targeted dangerous traffic violations (16 items)】

Ignoring traffic signals, violating no-entry rules, violating vehicle obligations on pedestrian roads, violating traffic division rules, obstructing pedestrians while using the shoulder, entering a blocked railroad crossing, violating the obligation to promote safety at intersections, obstructing vehicles with priority at intersections, violating the obligation to promote safety at roundabouts, failing to stop temporarily at designated locations, violating the rules of passage when using the sidewalk, riding a bicycle with a faulty brake, driving under the influence of alcohol, violating the obligation to drive safely, using a mobile phone, obstructive driving

For more information, check here 

