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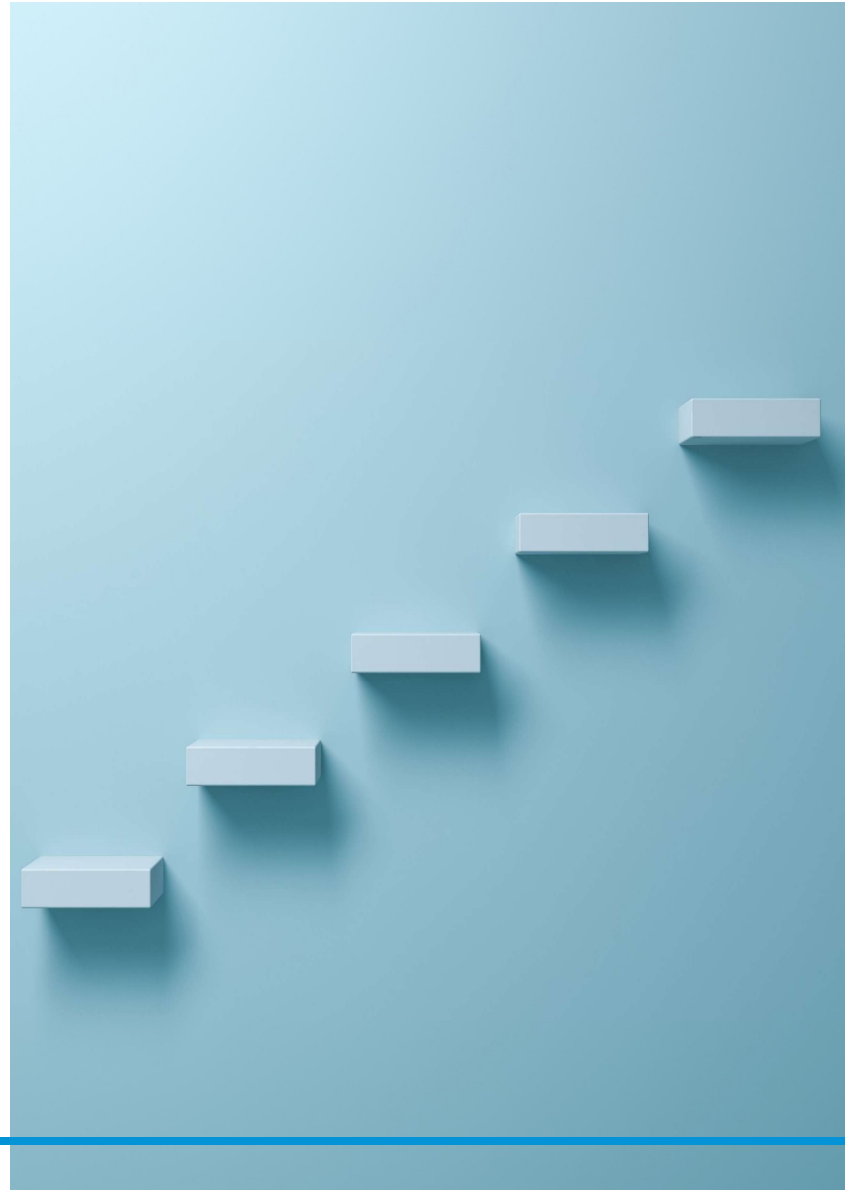
TRAVEL & PCARD SYSTEM

# Timely PCard Processing

November 20, 2025

# AGENDA

- Housekeeping
- Schedule for Past Due Transactions
- PCard Approval Timelines
- Exceptions
- Processing Recommendations
- Reporting



# HOUSEKEEPING

- Slides + Processing Guide
- Questions
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- Contact Us: [PCard & Travel Support](#)



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# SCHEDULE FOR PAST DUE TRANSACTIONS

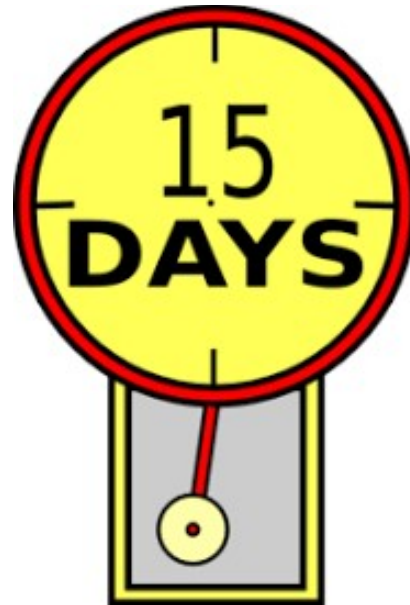
- **Monday, Nov. 17:** Cardholders/users, delegates, and financial approvers notified of past due transactions
- **Friday, Dec. 12:** Past due transactions should be department approved by close of business
- **Monday, Dec 15:** PCards with unreconciled transactions 30 days and older will be suspended



# **PCard Approval Timelines**

## PCARD APPROVAL TIMELINE

PCard transactions should be approved in 15 calendar days from either the posted date (non-travel) or travel end date (travel)

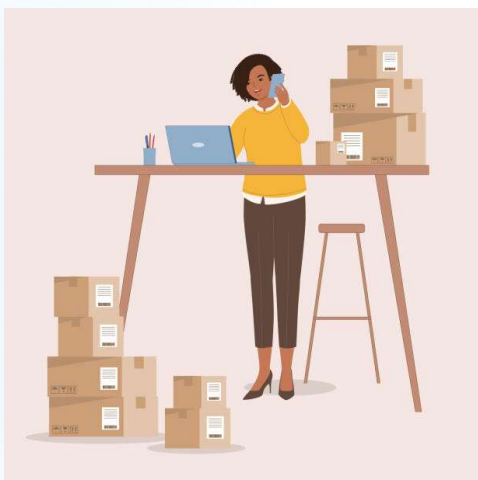


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# NON-TRAVEL VS TRAVEL TRANSACTIONS

## Non-Travel PCard Transactions

- Approve within 15 days of the **posted date**



## Travel PCard + Air Card Transactions

- Add to trip-specific Travel Report within 15 days of the posted date
- Approve within 15 days of the **travel end date**



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## WHAT IF TRAVEL HAS NOT HAPPENED YET?

**Unassigned transactions** are considered past due and grounds for suspension 30 days from the posted dated regardless of expense type.

Travel-related PCard and Air Card transactions should be:

- Assigned to a **trip-specific** Travel Report within 15 days of the Posted Date
  - Report header must have the correct travel end date
- Approved within 15 days of the **travel end date**



# WHY 15 DAYS?

## Practicality & Efficiency

- Better memory of purchases
- Documentation is readily available



## Allows Time for Disputes and Fraud Reporting

- Cardholders should make a reasonable attempt to resolve issues with the merchant prior to filing a dispute with the bank
- The bank gives cardholders 60 days from the transaction posted date to file a dispute or report fraud
  - This is bank policy: the PCard Team **cannot** make exceptions

# CONSEQUENCES FOR PAST DUE TRANSACTIONS

- PCard suspension
  - PCards with transactions 30 days and older are at risk of suspension
  - The standard suspension for (a) past due transaction(s) is 4 weeks
  - If a card still has past due transactions at the end of the suspension, the card would be suspended for another 4 weeks
- Not eligible for limit increases and exceptions (temporary and permanent)
- Chronically past due PCards are at risk of cancellation
- Departments with chronically past due Air Card transactions risk having the PCards in their unit suspended



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# Exceptions

## ALLOWABLE EXCEPTIONS

- Dispute in process with the merchant
  - Pending refund, partial refund, etc.
  - Resolution is either expected imminently, or charge is under 30 days old
- Dispute in process with the bank (merchant resolution failed)
  - If a merchant cannot provide an adequate resolution within 30 days, a formal dispute with the bank is recommended
- Fraud reported to bank & pending bank resolution



**All exceptions should be documented in UF GO.**

# NON-ALLOWABLE EXCEPTIONS

- Waiting for funding/CAS Exemption/budget transfer
  - Expense should be charged to a placeholder account and journaled in myUFL when funds become available
  
- Charged sales tax
  - Seek a refund when reasonable but continue to process timely
  - When charged, tax becomes valid per Florida state law



# NON-ALLOWABLE EXCEPTIONS

- Order not yet received
  - If you expect to receive the order, process the charge
  - If you don't expect to receive the order, cancel and request a refund
- Waiting on additional travel expenses (past 30 days)
  - Submit a second report if additional transactions come in after the initial report is approved



# NON-ALLOWABLE EXCEPTIONS

## ➤ Missing receipt

- Try to obtain a copy of the receipt from the merchant
- Use an alternate form of documentation (see the [PCard Receipt Requirements](#) for more information on allowable substitutes)
- Use the Missing Receipt Declaration in UF GO (see the [UF GO Toolkit for Expense](#) for a guide)



# **Processing Recommendations**



# PCARD PROCESSING RECOMMENDATIONS

- All PCard transactions (non-travel & travel) should be reviewed routinely and added to an expense report as they post to UF GO
  - “Routinely” depends on individual card usage
  - Could be as often as daily but should be no less than weekly

## Available Expenses

Drag and drop files to upload a new receipt. Valid file types for upload are .png, .jpg, .jpeg, .pdf, .tif or .tiff.

View: All Expenses

[Upload Receipt](#)

[View](#)

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[Delete](#)

[Combine Expenses](#)

[Move](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Receipt	Payment Type↓↑	Expense Source	Expense Type↓↑	Vendor Details↓↑	Date↓↑	Amount↓↑	
<input type="checkbox"/>		UFLOR PCard	Corporate Card	Parking/Tolls/Road Charges	ETOLLAVIS U299476682	12/07/2024	\$4.43	...

To find missing transactions: [Card Transactions](#)

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# PCARD PROCESSING RECOMMENDATIONS

- Transactions should start being worked as soon as they are added to a report, i.e.:
  - Select Expense Type
  - Upload documentation
  - Contact cardholder or stakeholders for additional information
  - Add comments
- If there are any concerns about the accuracy or validity of a charge, appropriate action should be taken immediately



# TRAVEL TRANSACTIONS ON PCARD / AIR CARD

- Travel-related PCard & Air Card transactions should be added to the corresponding Travel Report within 15 days of the posted date.


- Travel end date should be entered on report header



- Transactions in Available Expenses are considered past due 15 days after the posted date, regardless of expense type.

- Once added to a Travel Report, travel transactions will not be considered past due until 15 days after the travel end date

# DISPUTED OR FRAUDULENT TRANSACTIONS

- Disputed or fraudulent PCard transactions should not be processed until the dispute or fraud case has been resolved with the bank
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- If an offsetting credit has been issued by the bank or merchant
    - **Non-travel expense:** process the original transaction(s) and corresponding credit(s) on a PCard expense report
    - **Travel expense:** process the original transaction(s) and corresponding credit(s) on either the original Travel report (if not yet submitted) or a second Travel report for the same trip

# DISPUTED OR FRAUDULENT TRANSACTIONS

➤ If a resolution is pending:

- Put the charge(s) on a separate PCard or Travel expense report
- Select the Expense Type “Fraudulent/Disputed PCard Charge”
- Include as much detail as possible in the Purchase Description/Justification and Comment fields, e.g.:
  - Communication log with merchant
  - Date reported to the bank
- Follow-up with the merchant or bank regularly



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# **Special Circumstances**

# WHAT IF THE CARDHOLDER IS NOT AVAILABLE?

- **Problem:**

A cardholder cannot process their own transactions because they are:

- A terminated employee
- On extended leave



**CONTINGENCY**

- **Solution:**

A delegate can submit expenses on behalf of the cardholder.

# WHAT IF THE CARDHOLDER IS NOT AVAILABLE?

- This process should be used **infrequently**
- Whenever possible, transactions should be submitted by the cardholder prior to their termination or leave





## IF THE CARDHOLDER IS TERMINATED



- Employee's job record should be updated with HR to show terminated
- Termination will inactivate their user profile in UF GO
- Once inactivated, a delegate can submit expenses on their behalf
  - Note: person who submits cannot approve the report
- Please contact the PCard Team for assistance with:
  - Adding a delegate (provide name and UF ID for both the departed employee and the delegate)
  - Acceptable documentation if original receipts are not available

## IF THE CARDHOLDER IS ON EXTENDED LEAVE

- The PCard Team can temporarily inactivate a UF GO account to allow a delegate to process on their behalf
- Contact the [PCard Team](#) with the information below:
  - Cardholder name and UF ID
  - Delegate name and UF ID (if not already assigned)
  - Justification for inactivating the account
  - Length of time needed to process (preferably a week or less)
  - Whether receipts are available for the outstanding charges
    - Only the cardholder can use the Missing Receipt Declaration in UF GO; this cannot be used by a delegate, even if the user is inactive.
    - Every attempt should be made to obtain receipts if the cardholder is still an employee.

# Reporting

# REPORTS

- **UF GO Unreconciled PCard & Air Card Transactions**
  - Use to identify outstanding transactions in UF GO (1-2 day delay)
  - Navigation:
    - myUFL > Main Menu > Enterprise Analytics > Access Enterprise Analytics > Team Content > Financial Information > UF GO Reports
  - Includes an aging column that calculates on posted date (PCard Only Reports) or travel end date (Travel Reports)
  - Replaced the old UF GO Unassigned Transactions report
  - Additional guidance:
    - [Report Guide](#) (via [UF GO Toolkit for Expense](#), “Reports” section)
    - [Enterprise Analytics Toolkit](#)

# REPORTS

- **PCard Aging Report**

- Use to review aging trends by cardholder

- Navigation:

- myUFL > Main Menu > Enterprise Analytics > Access Enterprise Analytics > Team Content > Financial Information > UF GO Reports

- Approved/vouchered transactions by cardholder for a given time frame

- Includes age of transactions at approval

- Additional guidance:

- [Enterprise Analytics Toolkit](#)

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1	09/24/24	09/27/24	10/28/24	31 days	S.
1	10/29/24	11/01/24	12/02/24	31 days	NI
1	07/31/24	08/01/24	08/30/24	29 days	El

**Questions?**

# CONTACT US!

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***We are happy to help!***

