

# Financial Affairs Procedures Document

Purpose of Procedure:	Documentation of automatic advance payment authorizations
Who Processes:	kNEXT; Finance Business Centers (FBCs)
How often:	As needed
What is Processed:	Invoices requiring a payment prior to receiving goods or
	services
Where are the results distributed:	Workday
Date:	Initial: 09/01/2017; Revised 05/08/2020; 08/16/2021; 7/22/2024
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# **Summary:**

Documentation of the university's procedures for advanced supplier payments.

### **Background Information:**

Although section 215.422(15), Florida Statutes concerning advance payments made by other state agencies do not apply to the Florida public universities, it is best practice to document the university's position and procedures for approving certain advance payments when the benefits outweigh the risks. Advance payments are a common business practice and are required by suppliers for a variety of reasons. However, the risk that the supplier will not provide the agreed-upon goods or services at an acceptable standard of quality must be considered prior to any prepayments.

Examples of items and services that may require advance payments include:

- operating capital for a specialized piece of equipment
- catering
- monthly rent or lease payments

The following are examples of items and services that are qualified for automatic prepayment approval:

- 1) a continuous need for the maintenance or service of a research project
- 2) a mission-critical need of the department
- 3) customized equipment or furnishings
- 4) software licenses
- 5) insurance premiums

- 6) rent according to payment terms as evidenced by a lease with an external entity
- 7) other (justification provided by the requesting department)

The following are examples of goods and services that are strictly prohibited from advance payments:

- 1) internal UCF charges, other than monthly contracts. Example:
  - Department X receives an invoice in April for May's copier lease. Payment for the copier lease in April for May is allowable. Payment for next fiscal year's anticipated copier invoices is prohibited.
- 2) Any payment with the intent to expend current year operating budget prior to fiscal year close.

### **Procedures:**

- I. Review of payment terms
  - A. Non-research project invoices which include payment terms requiring a payment prior to the requesting cost-center receiving the requested goods or services, will be automatically approved for an advanced payment by Financial Affairs (FA), if the prepayment terms are documented on the invoice, or other agreement between the university and the payee. The advance payments must meet the criteria listed, above.
  - B. FA will review the prepayment during the expense submission process to ensure the payment meets the prepayment terms. Examples of allowable prepayment terms are provided below.
  - C. For research projects requesting an advance payment, FA will consider the prepayment approved after review and approval by the Office of Research & Commercialization (ORC).
- II. kNEXT or the local FBC is required to mark the prepayment in the Workday system, if the payment meets both of criteria A and B, below. It is important to note Worktags associated with Grant funding, goods capitalized under the capital asset policy or leases / rentals in excess of 12 months should not be marked as prepaid in Workday.
  - (https://www.myworkday.com/ucf/d/inst/0092824c0cd91000c1f6c06bea720000/reltask/2998\$40834.htmld)
  - A. The prepayment is for a term of service, or for goods expected to be received after a fiscal year end in which the payment occurs.
  - B. The payment is for \$5,000 or more.
- III. Any exceptions to this procedure must be approved in writing in advance of the purchase by the Assistant Vice President for Tax, Payables, and Procurement.

# **Examples of allowable prepayment terms:**

## BACKSTAGE EQUIPMENT, INC.

8052 Lankershim Bl. North Hollywood, CA 91605

# Sales Order

Tel: (818) 504-6026 Fax: (818) 504-6180 Customer No.: UCF Order No.: 26725

Bill To: University Of Central Florida 12405 Aquarius Agora Drive Bldg 75, NSC 157 Film Orlando, FL 32816 Ship To: University Of Central Florida 12405 Aquarius Agora Drive Bldg 75, NSC 157 Film Orlando, FL 32816

Date         Ship Via           05/25/17         Pilot Freight		F.O.B.		Terms			
		reight	Origin		-Prepaid-		
Purchase Order	der Number Required Date		e Sales F	Person	Our Order Number		
Verbal		06/15/17	Zulema	Flores	26725		
Quantity Req Shipped B.O	Item	Number	Description Serial Numbe		Unit Price	Amount	
1	G-02		er Duz-All Cart s. L63" x W29" x H68" 324 lbs	5.	\$1,995.00	\$1,995.00	
1	E-15		ger Cart (Complete) ' x W26" x H38" 79 lbs		\$495.00	\$495.00	
1	GE-13	Cart		\$995.00	\$995.00		
1	E-01	Elec	s. L36" x W26" x H60" 100 lbs trician's Cart s. L61" x W29" x H64" 255 lbs	\$1,575.00	\$1,575.00		
6	B-03	Milk	Crate w/ Ring	\$20.00	\$120.00		
4	B-05	Scho	ool Crate		\$20.00	\$80.00	
6	B-04	********	Crate Liner-Metal s. L19" x W13" x H11" 4 lbs.		\$10.50	\$63.00	
4	B-06		ool Crate Liner 3/4" x W11 3/4" x H4 7/8		\$10.00	\$40.00	
1	PACK		king Charge charge of the net price		\$268.15	\$268.15	
		(407	n Bowen ) 823-3803 athan.bowen@ucf.edu				
				er subtotal ght charges		\$5,631.15 \$931.46	
			Orde	er total		\$6,562.63	



#### PRIVATE EVENT AGREEMENT

EVENT: UCF

DATE OF EVENT: August 03, 2017

 ROOM
 TIME IN
 TIME OUT
 ROOM FEE

 Hamlin
 08/03/2017 06:00 pm
 08/03/2017 09:00 pm
 \$0.00

ESTIMATED ATTENDEES: 35 FOOD AND BEVERAGE MINIMUM: \$1,500.00
ESTIMATED COST: \$1,948.95 NONREFUNDABLE DEPOSIT: \$1,000.00

ESTIMATED COST: \$1,948.95 NONREFUNDABL
MEMBER/CLIENT: UCF Executive Development Center

PHONE: (407) 235-3914 EMAIL: rwagoner@bus.ucf.edu

CLIENT REP: Becky Wagoner

PHONE: (407) 235-3914 EMAIL: rwagoner@bus.ucf.edu

This Agreement is not binding upon the Club unless it is signed by both parties and any deposit paid by: 02/28/2017

This Private Event Agreement (this "Agreement") is between <u>Citrus Club, Inc.</u> ("Club"), located at <u>255</u> <u>South</u>

<u>Orange Ave, Orlando, FL, 32801-3481</u> and <u>UCF Executive Development Center</u> ("Member/Client").

Member/Client has requested that Club reserve a portion of Club's facilities for an event, party, banquet, or function (the "Event"). Member/Client has selected the arrangement summarized above, which will be more specifically described on <a href="Exhibit "A"">Exhibit "A"</a> to be attached hereto (the "Banquet Event Order"). Member/Client understands and agrees that the following are express terms and conditions applicable to the Event:

1. Payment Schedule. At the time of execution of this Agreement by both parties, Member/Client shall pay to Club a nonrefundable deposit of \$1,000.00 to secure the Event. This nonrefundable deposit will be applied to the total cost of the Event. No later than 06/04/2017 (or, if blank, 60 days prior to the Event), Member/Client will pay an additional deposit equal to 50% of the estimated cost for the Event set forth above (the "Estimated Cost"). The remaining 50%, less the nonrefundable deposit, is due no later than 07/27/2017 (or, if blank, 7 days prior to the Event). In the event of an overpayment, the Club shall issue a refund check to Member/Client for the difference within 20 days after the Event. Any outstanding amounts and any additional charges incurred with respect to the Event will be charged to Member/Client's authorized credit card. If any payment is not made when due, the Club may, at its option, deem the Event canceled, in which case cancellation charges will apply.



**CUSTOMER ORDER** 

**ORIGINAL INVOICE** 

SEND SERVICE INQUIRIES TO

SAN# 200-254x

128011928001 04-MAY-2023 INVOICE NO DATE

P.O. BOX 182605 COLUMBUS, OH, 43218-2605 UNITED STATES

SEND RETURNS TO McGraw Hill LLC 860 TAYLOR STATION ROAD BLACKLICK OH 43004 UNITED STATES

PHONE: 1-888-307-5984 1-800-953-8691 FAX:

ORDERED BY:

SHIP TO ACCT: 566334 EDI/SAN: BILL TO ACCT: 566334 + EDI/SAN:

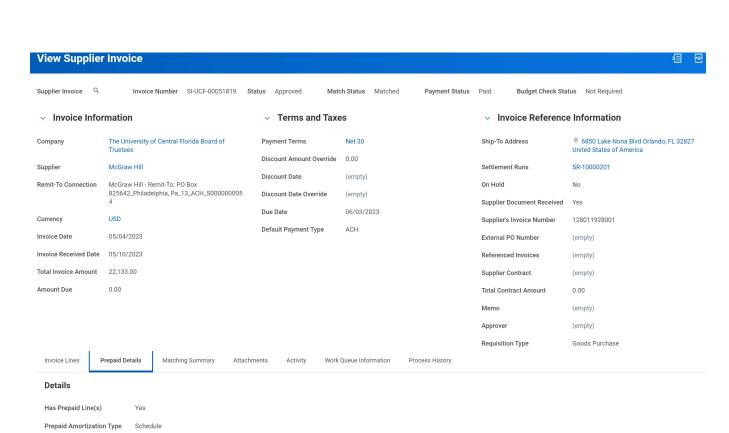
UNIV OF CENTRAL FLORIDA ORLANDO 6850 LAKE NONA BLVD STE 210

ORLANDO FL 32827-7408

ATTN: DEEDRA WALTON UNIV OF CENTRAL FLORIDA ORLANDO 6850 LAKE NONA BLVD

STE 210 ORLANDO FL 32827-7408

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1 item		
Prepaid Spend Amortization Schedule	Schedule Status	Count of Supplier Invoice Lines or Splits
Schedule for Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 (Monthly 12 installments)	Complete	1

Expected Amortization Date (empty)

12 items

Prepaid Spend Amortization	Prepaid Amortization Type	Schedule	Accounting Date	Amortization Amount
Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 on 06/01/2023 for \$1,844.42	Schedule	Schedule for Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 (Monthly 12 installments)	06/01/2023	1,844.42
Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 on 07/01/2023 for \$1,844.42	Schedule	Schedule for Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 (Monthly 12 installments)	07/01/2023	1,844.42
Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 on 08/01/2023 for \$1,844.42	Schedule	Schedule for Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 (Monthly 12 installments)	08/01/2023	1,844.42
Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 on 09/01/2023 for \$1,844.42	Schedule	Schedule for Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 (Monthly 12 installments)	09/01/2023	1,844.42
Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 on 10/01/2023 for \$1,844.42	Schedule	Schedule for Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 (Monthly 12 installments)	10/01/2023	1,844.42
Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 on 11/01/2023 for \$1,844.41	Schedule	Schedule for Supplier Invoice: SI-UCF-00051819 (Monthly 12 installments)	11/01/2023	1,844.41