



U.S. Bank Access[®] Online User Guide

Cardholder

Transaction Approval Process
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Icons

As you read this document, you will notice the following icons:

➤ *Tip!* Tips contain additional information to help you complete your work more efficiently.

➤ *Learn More:* Additional information explains a business concept in more detail.

Web Addresses

Live System

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Introduction

The transaction approval process (TAP) lets your organization use U.S. Bank Access® Online to approve and audit transactions using your existing internal approval hierarchy and procedures. By using the TAP function, you no longer have to create and submit paper approvals for your transactions. You can easily process your transactions for approval and view the approval history. The TAP function mirrors your organization's internal auditing procedures.

Two basic users will use the TAP function:

- **Cardholders**—As a cardholder, you use TAP to approve and forward transactions to an approval manager.
- **Approval managers**—Your assigned approval manager uses TAP to review, final approve, and forward (if needed) your transactions to another approval manager.

The system lets only one user modify a transaction at a given point in time. In other words, the same transaction will never be in the work queue of more than one user. This feature reduces the chance of fraud and ensures that only one person can modify a transaction at a time.

Approval managers and cardholders can perform the same basic procedures:

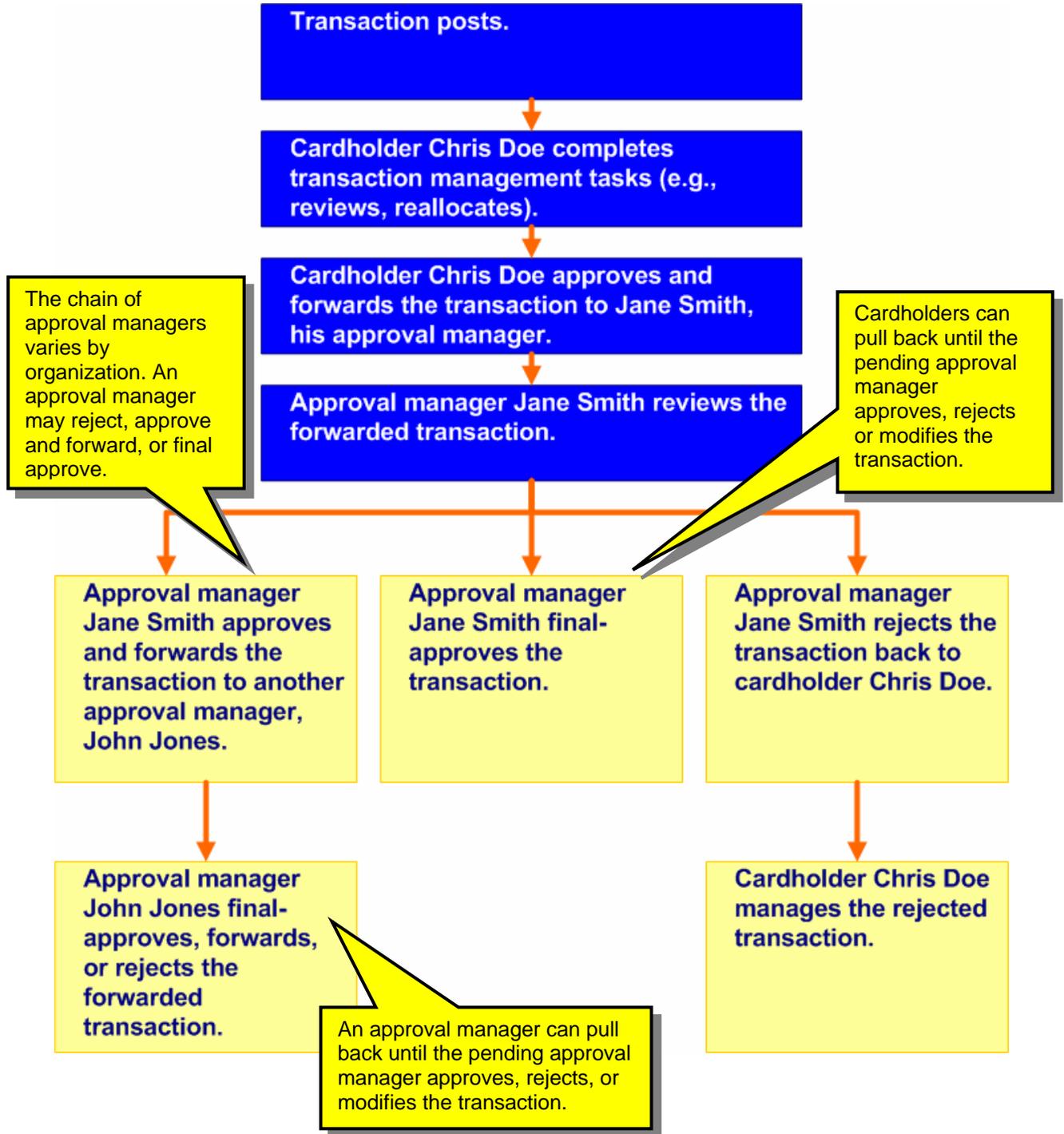
- **Approve transactions**—Cardholders and approval managers can approve transactions and forward them to an approval manager for additional approval. Cardholders approve and forward only their own transactions, while approval managers approve and forward transactions from cardholders and other approval managers.
- **Pull back transactions**—Cardholders and approval managers can pull back transactions that an approval manager has not approved, rejected, or modified (e.g. reallocated) yet. Both cardholders and approval managers can pull back transactions they previously approved as long as the pending approval managers have not yet approved, rejected or modified the transactions (e.g., reallocated, added comments, changed user line items).
- **Manage rejected transactions**—Both cardholders and approval managers can manage transactions that approval managers reject back to them.

In addition, approval managers can:

- **Reject transactions**—Approval managers can reject transactions and send them back to the cardholder, previous approval manager, or to another approval manager. The rejecting approval manager must specify a rejection reason so that the cardholder or approval manager receiving the rejected transaction knows how to manage the rejected transaction.

The flow chart on the following page provides an overview of the entire process.

TAP Overview Flow Chart



Cardholder Transaction Approval Process

As a cardholder, you can:

- View a list your transactions, filtered by approval status (e.g., pending, pulled back) and other parameters
- Approve and forward a transaction to an approval manager
- Pull back a transaction as long as your approval manager (also called the *pending approver*) has not approved, rejected, or modified the transaction (e.g., reallocated, added comments, changed user line items).
- Manage a rejected transaction if your approval manager sends it back to you
- View the approval history to see the current approval status of the transaction, along with each user who approved a transaction, the date and time of each approval, and whether or not each user modified the transaction's allocation, comments, or line items.

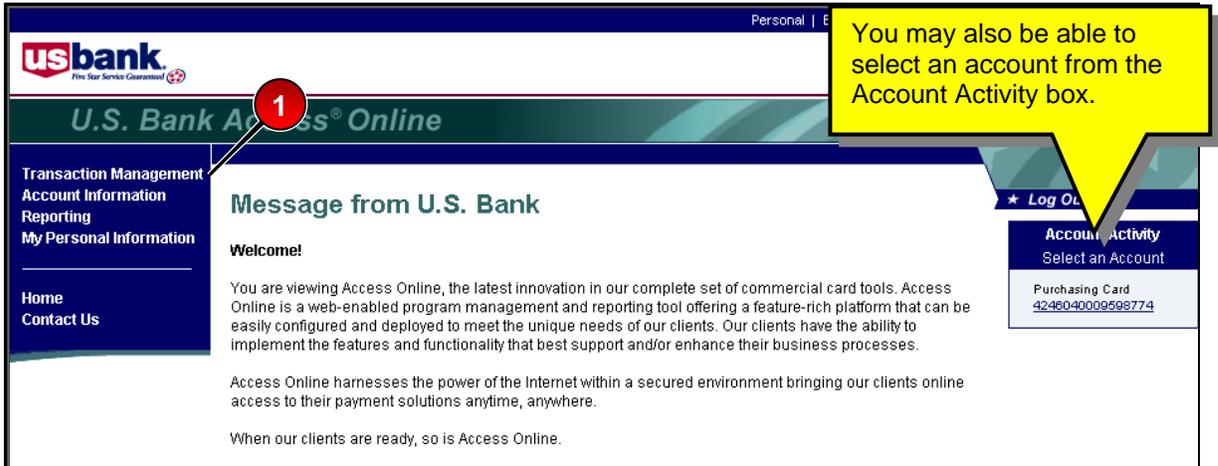
These procedures are described in detail on the following pages.

View-Only Access

Also, you may only be able to view transaction approval screens without being able to perform any approval tasks. Your organization may have set you up with this view-only access so that you can see the transactions and their approval status in the system, without being able to make any changes to the information. For example, if you are an internal auditor in your organization, you might have such view-only access. The screens and tasks will display as shown in this user guide, but the action buttons for performing tasks will not be active. In this way, your program manager can give you the access to the information you need, while maintaining control over who can modify the information in the system, leading to greater overall program control.

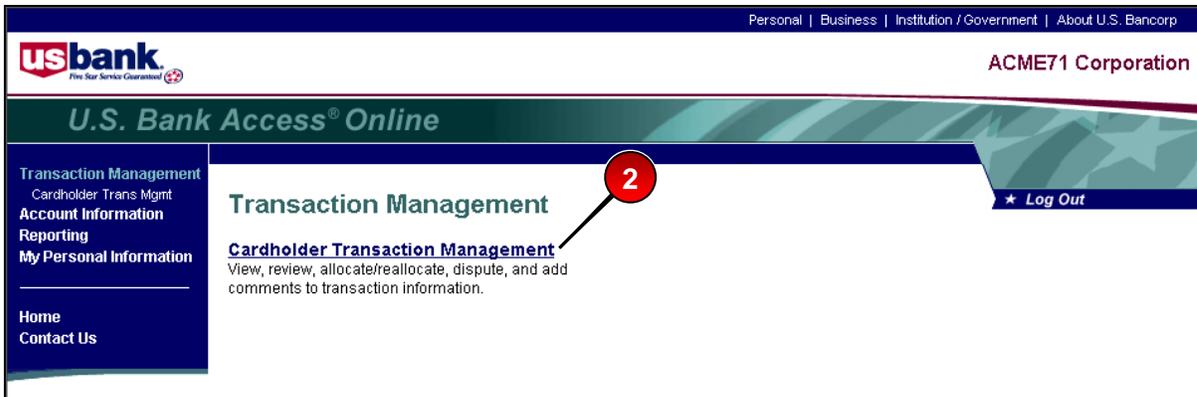
Viewing Transactions

As cardholder, the first step in using the TAP function is to access a list of your transactions, as you do for other transaction management functions.



To view transactions:

1. Select the **Transaction Management** high-level task. The *Transaction Management* screen displays.



2. Click the **Cardholder Transaction Management** link. The *Transaction Management: Cardholder Transaction List* screen displays.

Note:

If you have access to only one account you will go directly to the *Transaction Management: Transaction List* screen after selecting the **Cardholder Transaction Management** link. If you have multiple accounts, you will need to select which account you want to work with.

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Click the Advanced Search link to search for a specific transaction or set of transactions. Click Switch Accounts to switch accounts

Transaction Management
Cardholder Transaction List

Account Number: 4718555512345678, JANE SMITH [Switch Accounts](#)

Filter the transactions by [any](#) of the search criteria. [Advanced Search](#)

Billing Cycle End Date: Approval Status: Purchase ID:

Transaction States: Transaction Amount: \$

Show only those transactions awaiting approval

Show only those transactions eligible for pull back

Display Transactions per page

The following transactions have been posted to your account. Please select the transactions you would like to act on and click the appropriate button.

If you would like to view or modify specific transaction data, please click on the transaction's approval status, date or accounting code link.

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Select	Status	Approval	Tran Date	Posting Date	Merchant	City/State	Amount	Purchase ID	Accounting Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	04/08	04/10	04/10	SAKURA-BANA JAPANESE	617-542-4311, MA	\$80.93	00000876076175424311	Accounting Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	04/10	04/10	04/10	TELEPAY PAYMENT		\$52.00 PY		Accounting Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	11/03	01/04	01/04	VIA A	BOSTON, MA	\$45.00	0000000000000000	Accounting Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	12/19	12/21	12/21	FRIENDS PARK 3545	BOSTON, MA	\$30.00		Accounting Code

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3. Filter your transactions by any of the following criteria:

- a. Select a cycle date from the *Billing Cycle End Date* drop-down list. You can view transaction lists for the current cycle and the past six cycles.

➤ **Tip!** To see transactions for all cycles, select **All** from above **Open** on the *Billing Cycle End Date* drop-down list.

- b. To filter by approval status, select a status from the *Approval Status* drop-down list.
- c. To filter by purchase ID, enter a purchase ID in the *Purchase ID* field.
- d. To filter by transaction status, select a status from the *Transaction Status* drop-down list.
- e. To filter by transaction amount, select a qualifier (e.g., **<=**, **>=**, **Exact**, or **All**) from the *Transaction Amount* drop-down list and type an amount in the *Transaction Amount \$* field.
- f. To filter by approval status, select the *Show only those transactions awaiting approval* check box.
- g. To filter by pull-back status, select the *Show only those transactions eligible for pull back* check box.

4. Select the number of transactions to display from the *Display* drop-down list.

5. Click the **Search** button. The transactions that match your filtering criteria display.

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➤ *Learn More:* Your screen may also have additional icons displayed to indicate the availability of Level II and Level III data and/or to indicate if the transaction has been extracted. Note the **II** icons and the **E** icons in the sample screen below. If a transaction does not have a **II** or **III** icon, then only basic, Level I data is available. For detailed information, refer to the *Access Online: Transaction Management User Guide*.

[-] Transaction List Return to top										
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Check All Shown Uncheck All Shown										
Select	Status	Approval Match	Trans Date	Posting Date	Merchant	City/State	Amount	Detail	Purchase ID	Accounting Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		07/06	07/10	TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM	866-8152701, MD	\$60.37	II	VJHE0A34F982	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		06/23	06/26	USERMART.COM	800-5528227, AZ	\$25.03	II	201405808SZS00OQLNOLF	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		06/22	06/23	AMZ*SUPERSTORE	AMZN.COM/BILL, WA	\$25.27	II	102-8447389-73833	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		06/21	06/22	AMZ*SUPERSTORE	AMZN.COM/BILL, WA	\$219.09	II	102-8447389-73833	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		06/21	06/22	AMZ*AMAZON PAYMENTS	AMZN.COM/BILL, WA	\$157.57	II	102-9777191-42721	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		06/07	06/09	BUSINESS CARDS	859-5253300, KY	\$37.68	II	367337	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		06/07	06/09	BUSINESS CARDS	859-5253300, KY	\$37.68	II	367336	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		06/03	06/05	TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM	866-8152701, MD	\$60.37	II	VDME1DEEBD89	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		05/31	06/01	CINTIBELL STORE DC	513-3977815, OH	\$136.30	II E	282060100310001	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		05/28	05/29	EPSON *STORE	800-873-7766, CA	\$115.18		0000000000000000	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		05/04	05/08	TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM	866-8152701, MD	\$60.37	E	VKVE1CBFF719	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		04/12	04/14	AWARDS BY DESIGN LLC	CINCINNATI, OH	\$50.62			allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		04/04	04/06	TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM	866-8152701, MD	\$60.37	E	VDME1C0E2A86	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		04/04	04/05	AMZ*AMAZON PAYMENTS	AMZN.COM/BILL, WA	\$10.13		55026752017477	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		03/31	04/03	STERLING CUT GLASS	8005431317, KY	\$327.88		09910008	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		03/06	03/08	BUSINESS CARDS	859-5253300, KY	\$37.68		357793	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		03/04	03/06	TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM	866-8152701, MD	\$60.37		VKYE1AE09AF0	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		02/28	03/02	TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM	866-8152701, MD	\$60.37		ZVE1ABC121D	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		01/24	01/26	TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM	410-2637616, MD	\$60.37		VE0FDB42E4	allIII80611207
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		12/21	12/22	ALC*ALTMAN LUGGAGE CO	800-372-3377, NY				allIII80611207

Disputed
 Matched
 Exception
 Reallocated
 II, III Trans Detail Level

These icons indicate the type additional detail available and if the transaction has been extracted.

For detailed information on marking transactions for extract (if you are responsible for that task), refer to the *Access Online: Marking Transactions for Extract User Guide*.

Transaction Approval Process

➤ *Tip!* If your organization is using the client system validation (CSV) function, on the list of transactions, you can see the validation status icon for each transaction. You can also sort by validation status. CSV provides a real-time validation of accounting codes and flags each transaction with one of the icons shown below.

Validation Status Icons Table

Icon	Status	Description
	Not Validated	The accounting code has not been validated, so the validation status (valid or invalid) is not known.
	Valid	The accounting code is valid.
	Invalid	The accounting code is invalid.

Approving a Transaction

As a cardholder, you can approve a transaction from the list of transactions on the *Transaction Management: Cardholder Transaction List* screen. You can also approve a group of transactions together, as long as you are forwarding them to the same approval manager.

Transaction Management ★ Log Out

Cardholder Transaction List

Account Number: 471655512345678, JANE SMITH [Switch Accounts](#)

Filter the transactions by using any of the search criteria. [Advanced Search](#)

Billing Cycle End Date: Approval Status: Purchase ID:

Transaction Status: Transaction Amount: \$

Show only those transactions awaiting approval
 Show only those transactions eligible for pull back

Display Transactions per page

The following transactions have been posted to your account. Please select the transactions you would like to act on and click the appropriate button.

If you would like to view or modify specific transaction data, please click on the transaction's approval status, date or accounting code link.

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Select	Status	Approval	Tran Date	Posting Date	Merchant	City/State	Amount	Purchase ID	Accounting Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	04/08	04/10	04/10	SAKURA-BANA JAPANESE	617-542-4311, MA	\$80.93	00000876076175424311	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	04/10	04/10	04/10	TELEPAY PAYMENT		\$52.00 PY		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	11/03	01/04	01/04	V.I.A	BOSTON, MA	\$45.00	0000000000000000	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	12/19	12/21	12/21	FRIENDS PARK 3545	BOSTON, MA	\$30.00		

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To approve a transaction from the transaction list:

1. Select a check box for a transaction with a *Pending* or *Pulled Back* status.

➤ **Tip!** You can select multiple transactions, but be sure they are all going to the same place. Also, you can select the **Check all shown** link if you want to approve all the displayed transactions and they are all going to the same approval manager.

2. Click the **Approve** button. The *Transaction Management: Approve Transaction(s)* screen displays.

Transaction Approval Process

Transaction Management

Approve Transaction(s)

Please select an approver to forward these transaction(s) to or "Cancel" if you do not want to approve / forward these transactions at this time:

* = required

Approver's Name:* [Select Approver](#)

Summary of Transactions to be Approved

Number of Transactions:	1
Total Dollar Amount:	\$80.93

[Approve](#) [Cancel](#)

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If you select multiple transactions, the number and dollar value of all the transactions display.

➤ **Tip!** If you are selecting an approval manager for the first time, you will need to search and select an approval manager. As you select approval managers, the system builds a drop-down list for you. Once the system creates this list, you can simply select an approval manager name from it. Also, once you select the same approval manager four times, the system will set that approval manager as your default approval manager. You can also manually specify a default approval manager.

3. Click the **Select Approver** link. The *Approve Transaction(s): Search and Select an Approver* screen displays.

Transaction Approval Process

Approve Transaction(s)

Search & Select an Approver

Enter the approvers full or partial name, or leave blank to view all users. Then click the "Search" button.

Last Name: First Name:

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4. To search for an approval manager:
 - a. Type search criteria in the *Last Name* field and/or the *First Name* field.
 - b. Click the **Search** button. A list of approval managers who match your search criteria displays.

–Or–

 - c. Leave the *Last Name* and *First Name* fields blank and click **Search** to display a complete list of all possible approval managers.

Transaction Approval Process

Approve Transaction(s)

Search & Select an Approver

Enter the approvers full or partial name, or leave blank to view all users. Then click the "Search" button.

Last Name: First Name:

Please select an approver from the results list below.

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Select	Approver Name	Email Address
<input type="radio"/>	Jones, Kate	
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Anderson, Richard	
<input type="radio"/>	Lopez, Mark	
<input type="radio"/>	Johnson, Donald	
<input type="radio"/>	O'Malley, Erin	
<input type="radio"/>	Schmidt, Henry	
<input type="radio"/>	James, Anne	

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Set selection as your default approver

[<< Back to Approve Transactions](#)

5. Select the radio button for the approval manager you want to forward your approved transaction to.
6. If desired, select the *Set selection as your default approver* check box to make the selected person your default approval manager.
7. Click the **Select Approver** button. The *Transaction Management: Approve Transaction(s)* screen displays with your selected approval manager in the *Approver's Name* field.

Transaction Approval Process

Transaction Management

Approve Transaction(s)

Please select an approver to forward these transaction(s) to or "Cancel" if you do not want to approve / forward these transactions at this time:

* = required

Approver's Name:* Anderson, Richard [Switch Approver](#)

Summary of Transactions to be Approved

Number of Transactions: 1
Total Dollar Amount: \$80.93

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Click Switch Approver if the name in the Approver's Name field is incorrect.

➤ **Tip!** If you had selected multiple transactions, they will all go to the listed approval manager. Also, if you selected a group of transactions, but decide at this point to send to different approval managers, click the **Cancel** button to return to the transaction list and revise your selections.

8. Click the **Approve** button. The system forwards the approved transaction(s) to the specified approval manager and includes your transaction in the e-mail summary of transactions that goes to the approval manager. You return to the *Transaction Management: Cardholder Transaction List* screen, on which a confirmation message displays and the transaction's status displays as *Approved*.

➤ **Tip!** You cannot approve a transaction without selecting an approval manager. If you try to, the system displays an error message. Simply select an approval manager and then click **Approve**.

Transaction Management

Approve Transaction(s)

▲ No approver has been selected. Please select an approver and resubmit.

Please select an approver to forward these transaction(s) to, "Final" if no further approval is needed, or "Cancel" if you do not want to approve / forward these transactions at this time:

* = required

Approval Action

Approver's Name:* [Select Approver](#)

No further approval needed for these transactions

Summary of Transactions to be Approved

Number of Transactions: 3
Total Dollar Amount: \$5.92

Note the error message.

Transaction Approval Process

Transaction Management
[* Log Out](#)

Cardholder Transaction List

Account Number: 4716555512345678, JANE SMITH

Request has been successfully completed.

Note the confirmation message.

Filter the transactions by using any of the search criteria.

Billing Cycle End Date: Approval Status: Purchase ID:

Transaction Status: Transaction Amount: \$

Show only those transactions awaiting approval

Show only those transactions eligible for pull back

Display Transactions per page

The following transactions have been posted to your account. Please select the transactions you would like to act on and click the appropriate button.

If you would like to view or modify specific transaction data, please click on the transaction's approval status, date or accounting code link.

Note the Approved status.

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Select	Status	Approval Status	Tran Date	Posting Date	City/State	Amount	Purchase ID	Accounting Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	Approved	04/06	04/10	04/10	SAKURA-BANA JAPANESE	\$80.93	00000876076175424311	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	04/10	04/10	04/10	TELEPAY PAYMENT	\$52.00 PY		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Funding	11/03	01/04	01/04	VISA	\$45.00	000000000000000000	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	12/19	12/21	12/21	FRIENDS PARK 3545	\$30.00		

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9. Repeat steps 1–8 for all remaining transactions you wish to approve and forward.

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➤ *Learn More:* Also, if your organization uses CSV, then you can only approve and forward transactions based on the parameters your program administrator set up. For example, you may not be able to approve transactions with an Invalid accounting code status or a Not Validated accounting code status. Some program administrators set up their programs to allow approving Not Validated and/or Invalid accounting codes to enable their cardholders to continue processing transactions. However, your program may be set up to not allow approving transactions with Invalid and/or Not Validated accounting codes. In that case, when you attempt to save the approval, an error message displays.

Transaction Management

Cardholder Transaction List

[★ Log Out](#)

Account Number: 4246040009598774, CHASTIN J DORDING [Switch Accounts](#)

⚠ You are not allowed to approve a transaction that has a "Not Validated" Accounting Code. Please correct the allocation Accounting Code before approving the transaction.

Filter the transactions by using any of the search criteria. [Advanced Search](#)

Billing Cycle End Date: Transaction Amount: [Purchase](#)

Transaction Status: Approval Status:

Accounting Code Validation Status:

Show only those transactions awaiting approval
 Show only those transactions eligible for pull back

Display Transactions per page

[Search](#) [Reset](#)

The following transactions have been posted to your account. Please select the transactions you would like to act on and click the appropriate button.

If you would like to view or modify specific transaction data, please click on the transaction's date or accounting code link.

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Select	Status	Approval	Trans Date	Posting Date	Merchant	City/State	Amount	Purchase ID	Accounting Code
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Pending	05/06	05/07	MUSKA LIGHTING CENTER	ST PAUL, MN	\$917.46	000000000000000000	OSLB7264	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	05/05	05/07	FASTENAL COMPANY MNSTC	320-252-3655, MN	\$805.43	342	OSLB7264	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	04/28	05/03	FASTENAL COMPANY MNSTC	320-252-3655, MN	\$801.72	80088	OSLB7264	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	04/28	05/03	FASTENAL COMPANY MNSTC	320-252-3655, MN	\$570.05	56352	OSLB7264	

Reviewed Disputed Reallocated Not Validated Accounting Code

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[Reallocate](#) [Mass Reallocate](#) [Change Review Status](#) [Approve](#) [Pull Back](#)

If your program administrator specified to not allow you to approve transactions with a Not Validated and/or Invalid accounting code, then an error message displays when you try to approve the transaction.

Note the Not Validated icons.

Pulling Back a Transaction

You can pull back a transaction before the approval manager you forwarded the transaction to has approved, rejected, or modified (e.g., reallocated) the transaction. After an approval manager takes action on a transaction, the transaction belongs to the current approval manager and you can no longer pull it back.

The screenshot shows the 'Transaction Management' interface for a cardholder. At the top, it displays the account number '471655512345678, JANE SMITH' and a 'Log Out' link. A message states 'Request has been successfully completed.' Below this, there are search filters for 'Billing Cycle End Date', 'Approval Status', 'Purchase ID', 'Transaction Status', and 'Transaction Amount'. A 'Search' button is highlighted with a red circle labeled '2'. Below the filters, there are checkboxes for 'Show only those transactions awaiting approval' and 'Show only those transactions eligible for pull back'. A 'Display 25 Transactions per page' dropdown is also present. The main table lists transactions with columns for 'Select', 'Status', 'Approval Date', 'Posting Date', 'Merchant', 'City/State', 'Amount', 'Purchase ID', and 'Accounting Code'. A red circle labeled '3' points to the 'Status' column. The table shows several transactions, including one with a status of 'Approved' and another with 'Pending'. At the bottom, there are buttons for 'Reallocate', 'Mass Reallocate', 'Change Review Status', 'Approve', and 'Pull Back', with the 'Pull Back' button highlighted by a red circle labeled '4'.

To pull back a transaction:

1. On the *Transaction Management: Cardholder Transaction List* screen, select the *Show only those transactions eligible for pull back* check box.
2. Click the **Search** button. Transactions that you can pull back display at the bottom of the screen.
3. From the list of transactions, select a check box for a transaction with an *Approved* status.
4. Click the **Pull Back** button. A confirmation message displays and the status changes to *Pulled Back*.

Transaction Approval Process

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Cardholder Transaction List

[★ Log Out](#)

Account Number: 4716555512345678, JANE SMITH [Switch Accounts](#)

Request has been successfully completed.

Filter the transactions by using any of the search criteria. [Advanced Search](#)

Billing Cycle End Date: Approval Status: Purchase ID:

Transaction Status: Transaction Amount: \$

Show only those transactions awaiting approval

Show only those transactions eligible for pull back

Display Transactions per page

[Search](#) [Reset](#)

The following transactions have been posted to your account. Please select the transactions you would like to act on and click the appropriate button.

If you would like to view or modify a transaction's approval status, date or accounting code link.

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Select	Status	Approval Status	Transaction Date	Merchant	City/State	Amount	Purchase ID	Accounting Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pulled Back	04/10	04/10	SAKURA-BANA JAPANESE	617-542-4311, MA	\$80.93	00000876076175424311	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	04/10	04/10	TELEPAY PAYMENT		\$52.00 PY		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pulled Back	04/07	04/09	FRIENDS PARK 3545	BOSTON, MA	\$7.00		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	11/03	01/04	VISA	BOSTON, MA	\$45.00	000000000000000000	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending	12/19	12/21	FRIENDS PARK 3545	BOSTON, MA	\$30.00		

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[Reallocate](#) [Mass Reallocate](#) [Change Review Status](#) [Approve](#) [Pull Back](#)

Note the Pulled Back approval status.

➤ *Learn More:* You can now modify the transaction (e.g., reallocate, add line item information) as described in the *Access Online: Transaction Management User Guide*. After you modify the transaction, repeat the steps in *Approving a Transaction* on page 12 to approve and forward the transaction again.

Managing a Rejected Transaction

The approval manager may reject a transaction that you forwarded. When an approval manager rejects a transaction, the system requires the rejecting approval manager to provide a reason and/or comments, so you know how to modify the transaction to make it acceptable. After you modify the transaction, using the transaction management functions (refer to the *Access Online: Transaction Management User Guide*), you can re-approve and forward the transaction. Depending on your organization's internal procedures, you may send the transaction back to whomever rejected it you, or you may send it back up the chain, beginning with your approval manager.

For example, you send a transaction to your approval manager, Richard Anderson, and he approves it and sends it to Kate Jones, who rejects it back to you, the cardholder, to reallocate. Once you reallocate the transaction, you might need to send it to Richard again for approval or you might send to back directly to Kate for final approval. Whether you send to Richard or Kate depends entirely on how your organization handles its internal transaction approval procedures. If you are uncertain which approval manager to resend a rejected transaction to, check with your program administrator.

The screenshot shows the 'Transaction Management' interface. At the top, there is a 'Log Out' button. Below it, the 'Cardholder Transaction List' is displayed for account number 471655512345678, JANE SMITH. A search filter for 'Approval Status' is set to 'Rejected' (marked with a red circle '1'). Below the filters, there are checkboxes for 'Show only transactions awaiting approval' and 'Show only transactions eligible for pull back', and a 'Display' dropdown set to '25 Transactions per page' (marked with a red circle '2'). A 'Search' button is highlighted. Below the search area, there is a table of transactions. The first transaction is 'Rejected' (marked with a red circle '3') with a date of 01/13 and a merchant 'MINNESOTA WILD - TICKETS MINNEAPOLIS, MN'. The table has columns for 'Select Status', 'Approval Status', 'Match', 'Tran Date', 'Posting Date', 'Merchant', 'City/State', 'Amount', 'Purchase ID', and 'Accounting Code'. At the bottom, there are buttons for 'Reallocate', 'Mass Reallocate', 'Change Review Status', 'Approve', and 'Pull Back'.

To manage a rejected transaction:

1. Select **Rejected** from the *Approval Status* drop-down list.
2. Click the **Search** button.
3. Clicked the **Rejected** link for the transaction you want to work with. The *Transaction Management: Transaction Detail* screen displays.

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Transaction Management

Transaction Detail

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Account Number: 4716555512345678, JANE SMITH [Switch Accounts](#)

Transaction Summary

Status	Match	Tran Date	Posting Date	Merchant	City/State	Amount	Purchase ID	Accounting Code
(R)		01/13	01/13	MINNESOTA WILD - TICKETS	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	\$268.12	121101B180000412	EPMNBGFD

(R) Reviewed
(D) Disputed
(M) Matched (Auto)
(MM) Matched (Manual)
(A) Exception
(A) Reallocated
(L) Reallocation Locked

Summary | Matched Order | Allocations | User Line Items | Tax Data | Comments | Approval History

The Approval History tab displays approval actions taken on a transaction.

Cardholder Approver: Smith, Jane
Current Pending Approver: Smith, Jane

Approval Actions

Approver	Date/Time	Approval Action	Approver Modifications
Anderson, Richard	03/18 1:21 PM CST	Rejected 1,7	(Reallocate to Sales)
Smith, Jane	01/20 2:51 PM CST	Forwarded	

Key for Rejection Reasons:

- 1 Incorrect accounting code allocation
- 2 Incorrect approver sequence / additional approval needed
- 3 Incorrect or insufficient transaction comments information
- 4 Incorrect or not enough user line item data
- 5 Unauthorized / non-preferred vendor
- 6 Incorrect order match
- 7 Other

Key for Approver Modifications:

- A Changed Allocation
- C Changed Transaction Comments
- U Changed User Line Items

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This transaction has been rejected for 1–Incorrect accounting code allocation and 7–Other with comments (reallocate to sales).

These keys explain the approval action and approver modification codes.

4. Review the codes (e.g., 1, 2, 3), modifications (e.g., A, C, U) and comments for the transaction using the on-screen keys.
5. Click the **Back to Transaction List** link. You return to the *Transaction Management: Cardholder Transaction List* screen.
6. Follow the instructions from the approval manager (e.g., reallocate the transaction to the sales department). Refer to the *Access Online: Transaction Management User Guide* if you need assistance with transaction management functions.
7. Follow the steps in *Approving a Transaction* on page 12 to re-approve and forward the modified transaction.

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Viewing Approval History

If you want to see the history of a transaction, you can view the approval history for a specific transaction on the *Approval History* tab. The *Approval History* tab provides an audit trail, including the name of each approval manager and what action each approval manager took related to the transaction.

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Cardholder Transaction List

Account Number: 4716555512345678, JANE SMITH [Switch Account](#)

Filter the transactions by using any of the search criteria. [Advanced Search](#)

Billing Cycle End Date: Approval Status: Purchase ID:

Transaction Status: Transaction Amount: Order Match Status:

Show only those transactions awaiting approval
 Show only those transactions eligible for pull back

Display Transactions per page

[Search](#) [Reset](#)

The following transactions have been posted to your account. Please select the transactions you would like to act on and click the appropriate button.

If you would like to view or modify specific transaction data, please click on the transaction's approval status, date or accounting code link.

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[Check All Shown](#) | [Uncheck All Shown](#)

Select	Status	Match	Tran Date	Posting Date	Merchant	City/State	Amount	Purchase ID	Accounting Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	Final Approved		03/06	03/08	MIDWEST TRANSIT SYSTEMS	PALOS HEIGHTS, IL	\$270.44	123301C200001966	EPMNBGFD
<input type="checkbox"/>	Final Approved		03/06	03/08	LA BTTRY WHSL 30600340	W MONROE, LA	\$500.44	123101C200001965	EPMNBGFD
<input type="checkbox"/>	Approved		03/06	03/08	DELTA AIRLINES	EDINA, MN	\$67.66	123301C200001964	ACC964
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		03/06	03/08	AMERICAN FRIE CO OP	MEAD, CO	\$239.35	123101C100001934	EPMNBGFD
<input type="checkbox"/>	Final Approved		03/06	03/08	AMERICAN AIRLINES	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	\$107.62	123101C100001933	EPMNBGFD
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pending		03/06	03/08	MIDWEST TRANSIT SYSTEMS	PALOS HEIGHTS, IL	\$260.44	123301C200001966	EPMNBGFD

Reviewed Disputed Matched (Manual) Matched (Auto) Exception Reallocated Reallocation Locked

[Check All Shown](#) | [Uncheck All Shown](#)

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[Reallocate](#) [Mass Reallocate](#) [Change Review Status](#) [Approve](#) [Pull Back](#)

To view approval history:

1. Select the link in the *Approval Status* column for the transaction you want to view the approving history of. The *Transaction Management: Transaction Detail* screen displays with the *Approval History* tab open.

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Transaction Management ★ Log Out

Transaction Detail

Account Number: 4716555512345678, JANE SMITH [Switch Accounts](#)

Transaction Summary

Status	Match	Tran Date	Posting Date	Merchant	City/State	Amount	Purchase ID	Accounting Code
		03/06	03/08	MIDWEST TRANSIT SYSTEMS	PALOS HEIGHTS, IL	\$270.44	123301C200001966	EPMNBGFD

Ⓡ Reviewed Ⓣ Disputed Ⓜ Matched (Auto) Ⓜ Matched (Manual) ⚠ Exception ⏪ Reallocated Ⓛ Reallocation Locked

Summary | Matched Order | Allocations | User Line Items | Tax Data | Comments | Approval History

The Approval History tab displays approval actions taken on a transaction.

Cardholder Approver: Smith, Jane
Current Pending Approver: Final

Approval Actions

Approver	Date/Time	Approval Action	Approver Modifications
Jones, Kate	03/18 2:38 PM CST	Final Approved	
Anderson, Richard	03/18 2:37 PM CST	Pulled Back	
Anderson, Richard	03/18 2:20 PM CST	Rejected 1	U
Smith, Jane	03/18 2:14 PM CST	Forwarded	

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- 5 Unauthorized / non-preferred vendor
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- 7 Other

Key for Approver Modifications:

- A Changed Allocation
- C Changed Transaction Comments
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Note the cardholder approver and the current pending approver.

The Approval Actions table lists all approvers, their actions, and the date and time of their actions.

2. Review the approval action information.
3. Click the **Back to Transaction List** link. You return to the *Transaction Management: Cardholder Transaction List* screen.

➤ *Learn More:* Your approval manager has the responsibility for the final approvals.

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