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Post-parking package in case of unpaid parking

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The post-parking package (FPS) replaces the fine of **€17** in the case of unpaid or insufficiently paid parking. The amount of FPS varies from one commune to another. It is to be paid within 3 months. The amount can be reduced if you pay quickly. The amount is increased if you pay late. You can challenge the SGF through a mandatory prior administrative appeal (Rapo). If the Rapo is not successful, you can refer the matter to the Commission du contentieux du parking payant (CCSP).

What is it about?

The FPS applies in an area where parking is charged.

It concerns the following 2 situations:

- You park your vehicle without paying
- You're over the time you paid

However, you do not have to pay the SGF if you paid your parking fee and provide proof of it or if you have a free parking permit.

Example :

mobility card inclusion ([https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F34049?](https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F34049?lang=en)
You have lang=en)
parking card for a disabled person.

marked parking for disabled people or a valid

Please note

dangerous or inconvenient parking ([https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F34212?](https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F34212?lang=en)
Different rules apply in the event of lang=en)

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How is the SPF informed?

The FPS you notified by notice of payment.

The notice of payment can be notified in 3 ways:

- Deposit on the windscreen of the vehicle
- Mail to the gray card holder
- Email to the gray card holder

The notice of payment of FPS includes the following information:

- Community and service provider controlling paid parking
- Date and time of report
- Parking finding address
- Vehicle registration number
- Amount of SGF to be paid, reduced if necessary by amounts already paid before the check
- FPS End Time
- Service to which the SPF is to be paid
- Possibility of reduced SPF
- Means of payment and settlement deadline
- Remedies and deadlines

What is the price of the SPF?

The amount of FPS varies from one commune to another.

The FPS also varies according to the parking areas of the same municipality.

The price can be adjusted according to several criteria: duration of parking, surface occupied by the vehicle, impact of the vehicle on pollution...

The rate may be reduced depending on the level of income of users, their status or the number of people living in their homes.

Example :

The tariff may provide for a fixed-term free range and specific pricing for certain categories of users, including residents.

The FPS may not be more than the amount of the charge due for the maximum authorized parking period in the area where you have parked your vehicle.

Example :

Where parking is limited to 1 hour, the amount of the SPF may not exceed the amount due for 1 hour of parking.

To find out how much FPS in your municipality, visit their website or contact them.

You did not pay for parking

You must pay the amount of FPS fixed by the municipality.

You've exceeded your paid time

The FPS is reduced by the amount already paid.

However, the following 2 conditions must be met:

- The proof of the sum already paid must be placed in the front of the vehicle or must have been transmitted by dematerialized means
- The parked vehicle shall not have exceeded the maximum authorized parking time in the area concerned

What are the deadlines for paying the SGF?

There are several payment deadlines.

Quick payment (5 days at +)

In some communes, if you pay quickly, the amount of the SPF is **underrated**..

For example, if you pay within 5 days.

Check the payment notice received or deposited on your vehicle to find out when and how to pay.

Payment within 3 months

You must pay FPS within **3 months** from notification the notice of payment.

The payment deadline is indicated on the payment notice.

Payment after 3 months

If you exceed the 3 month period, the amount of FPS shall be increased by at least **€50**..

One enforceable title is issued and you receive a warning.

- In the event of voluntary payment of the enforceable document within 1 month of the sending of the warning, the amount of the mark-up shall be reduced by 20 %.
- If you do not pay within 1 month, the administration can implement actions in recovery.. You risk prosecution of your property, bank accounts, wages, vehicles...

FYI

If you have financial difficulties, you can apply for a graceful discount the municipality or the Treasury. The contact details are indicated on the payment notice. If your application is refused, contact the Commission du contentieux du parking payant (CCSP).

How to pay?

Post-parking package

Practical information to pay the FPS shall be indicated on the notice of payment.

Internet

Pay Post-Parking Package (SPF) on parking.gov (<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/R49631>)

By phone

By mail

By check, made payable to the Treasury, accompanied by the payment card.

Send the check and payment card in the return envelope provided.

On site

At the counter of a public finance center.

Post-parking fee plus (enforceable)

Internet

You will be able to pay the amount of the PSF plus:

on site



fines.gouv.fr

or on smartphone, after downloading the app



fines.gov

on App Store or Google Play.

Pay your fine on fines.gouv.fr (<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/R11026>)

FYI

In some communes, you can pay FPS on the municipality's website. Ask the town hall that established the SPF.

By phone

By mail

By check, made payable to the Treasury, accompanied by the payment card.

Send the check and payment card in the return envelope provided.

On site

At the public finance center counter whose address is listed on the warning.

If you go to another public finance center, only payment by credit card is possible.

FPS protest: 2-step approach

Step 1: prior administrative appeal

challenge (<https://www.accueil.ccsf.fr/inlinedocs/a283217c53d5ab6af119f23c5a25a0c7/cheminement-de-la-requete-If20200910.pdf>)

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compulsory prior administrative appeal (Rapo) (<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F2474?lang=en>)

You have 1 month following notification SPF to do the Rapo.

Consult the SPF payment notice to find out who to send your Rapo (commune, mixed union...) and how (registered letter with AR or electronically).

You must attach the following documents to your appeal:

- Copy of the disputed payment notice
- Copy of the gray card of the vehicle (now called *certificate of registration*)
- If necessary, copies of the declaration of transfer of the vehicle and the acknowledgement of registration of your application for registration certificate (<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F1050?lang=en>)
- Statement of facts and evidence justifying the appeal. For example, copy of the parking ticket, copy of a resident subscription, copy of an inclusive mobility card, photos, complaint.

Your appeal must be examined within one month of receipt. The date shall be indicated on the acknowledgement.

- If your appeal is accepted, the notice of payment is canceled. You will receive a corrective payment notice to €0 (refund of paid PSF).
- If your appeal is refused in whole or in part, or if no reply is received within the 1 month period, you may refer the matter to the Commission du contentieux du parking payant (CCSP).

Please note

The Rapo does not interrupt the payment period of the SGF. After 3 months, the absence of payment results in an increase.

Step 4: referral to the Parking Litigation Commission

In the event of a refusal or an unsatisfactory response to your Rapo, you may refer the matter to the Commission du contentieux du parking payant (CCSP).

In order for your application to be considered, you must submit your application to the CPSC within 1 month of the notification Rapo's decision.

Online

You need to create an account on the CPSC website and then take the step from your personal space.

By mail

You must complete and sign the form cerfa n°15817.

A notice is available to help you complete the form.

Be careful to fill out the exact part 4 of the "Statement of Fact and Law" form.

Application to the Commission du contentieux du parking payant (CCSP) (<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/R49753>)

Attach the following 4 documents to the form:

Copy of the payment notice FPS contested

Copy of your Rapo (protest letter or form addressed to the municipality or its service provider)

Copy of the postal or electronic acknowledgement of receipt of the Rapo

Copy of the decision of the municipality or company which established the SGF following your appeal

Send your file to the Parking Litigation Commission (PSAB):

Please note

If you dispute several FPS, you must send a file per contested FPS. Otherwise, the CPSC only takes into account the 1st FPS contested.

Increased SPF challenge

If you wish to challenge the increased PSF, you can refer the matter directly to the Commission du contentieux du parking payant (CCCS).

In order for your application to be considered, you must submit your application to the CPSC within 1 month of the notification of the warning.

Online

You need to create an account on the CPSC website and then take the step from your personal space.

By mail

You must complete and sign the form cerfa n°15817.

A notice is available to help you complete the form.

Be careful to fill out the exact part 4 of the "Statement of Fact and Law" form.

Application to the Commission du contentié du parking payant (CCSP)(<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/R49753>)

Attach a copy of the FPS disputed (or, if you do not have it, a copy of enforceable title).

Send your file to the Parking Litigation Commission (PSAB):

Please note

If you dispute several FPS plus, you must send a file by disputed plus SPF. Otherwise, the CPSC only takes into account the ¹ FPS raised contested.

Statute and miscellaneous references

- Decision No. 2020-855 QPC of 9 September 2020 (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichTexte.do?cidTexte=JORFTEXT000042320355&dateTexte=&categorieLien=id>)
- General code of local authorities: Articles L2213-1 to L2213-6-1 (<http://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichCode.do?idSectionTA=LEGISCTA000006180977&cidTexte=LEGITEXT000006070633>)
Powers of the Mayor in traffic matters
- General code of local authorities: Article L2333-87 (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichCode.do?idSectionTA=LEGISCTA000030467097&cidTexte=LEGITEXT000006070633>)
Parking Fee and Post-Parking Package (FPS)
- General code of local authorities: Articles L2333-87-5 to L2333-87-11 (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichCode.do?idSectionTA=LEGISCTA000030467094&cidTexte=LEGITEXT000006070633>)
Action before the Parking Litigation Committee
- General code of local authorities: R2333-120-3 (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichCode.do?idSectionTA=LEGISCTA000030623314&cidTexte=LEGITEXT000006070633>)
Proof of immediate payment of parking fee
- General code of territorial authorities: items R2333-120-4 to R2333-120-7 (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichCode.do?idSectionTA=LEGISCTA000030623312&cidTexte=LEGITEXT000006070633&dateTexte=20190723>)
Notice of payment of the SGF
- General code of local authorities: items R2333-120-13 to R2333-120-15 (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichCode.do?idSectionTA=LEGISCTA000030623299&cidTexte=LEGITEXT000006070633>)
Prior administrative action (Rapo)
- General code of local authorities: Items R2333-120-16 to R2333-120-17-4 (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichCode.do?idSectionTA=LEGISCTA000030623295&cidTexte=LEGITEXT000006070633>)
Increase of the SGF and recovery of the unpaid SGF
- General code of local authorities: items R2333-120-29 to R2333-120-37 (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichCode.do?idSectionTA=LEGISCTA000030714371&cidTexte=LEGITEXT000006070633>)
Action before the Parking Litigation Committee
- General code of ownership of public persons: Articles L2323-7 to L2323-7-1 (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichCode.do?idSectionTA=LEGISCTA000006192188&cidTexte=LEGITEXT000006070299>)
Unpaid SPF warning (Article L2323-7-1)
- Decree of 15 December 2016 on the enforceability and warning in the event of an unpaid post-parking package (<https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr/affichTexte.do?cidTexte=LEGITEXT000036567067>)
- Ministerial reply of 21 July 2020 on the remedy in the event of loss of the post-parking pass (<http://questions.assemblee-nationale.fr/q15/15-23597QE.htm>)

Online services and forms

- Pay Post-Parking Package (SPF) on parking.gov (<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/R49631?lang=en>)
Online service
- Pay your fine on fines.gouv.fr (<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/R11026?lang=en>)
Online service
- Application to the Commission du contentié du parking payant (CCSP)(<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/R49753?lang=en>)
Form

Additional topics

- Gracious, hierarchical, compulsory (Rapo) ([https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F2474?](https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F2474?lang=en)
lang=en)
Service-Public.fr
- Gray card: register a used vehicle ([https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F1050?](https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/vosdroits/F1050?lang=en)
lang=en)
Service-Public.fr
- Paid Parking Litigation Commission (PSAB) website
(<https://www.accueil.ccsp.fr/>)
Parking Litigation Commission (PSAB)
- Diagram of the procedure for challenging a post-parking package (FPS) (PDF - 298.6 KB)
(<https://www.accueil.ccsp.fr/inlinedocs/a283217c53d5ab6af119f23c5a25a0c7/cheminement-de-la-requete-20200910.pdf>)
Parking Litigation Commission (PSAB)

News

- **Stationnement : la preuve du paiement immédiat de la redevance peut être établie par tout moyen**(<https://www.service-public.fr/particuliers/actualites/A15128>)

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