

Sample article for organizations to use to reach customers (388 word count).

Post the following article on your websites and/or use in other communication vehicles to help your customers learn about IRS payment options.

Choose a convenient IRS payment option

It's never been easier to make a tax payment. You can pay online, by phone or with the [IRS2Go app](#). You can view your options at [IRS.gov/payments](#). The October 16 deadline for extension filers is near. If you need to pay your taxes, consider one of these payment options.

With IRS [Direct Pay](#), you can pay with your checking or savings account immediately or schedule your payment in one single online session that's secure, easy and free. You can opt in to receive email notifications about your payment each time you submit a payment with Direct Pay.

Another option for both businesses and individuals is the [Electronic Federal Tax Payment System](#). You must enroll to use this system. You can pay online or by phone at 1-800-555-3453. With EFTPS, you can opt in to receive email notifications about your electronic payments.

Direct Pay and EFTPS taxpayers who opt in will receive notification messages that show: payment scheduled, payment cancellation, return of a payment, reminder for a scheduled payment, payment modified, and address change confirmation. The IRS continues to remind taxpayers to watch out for [email schemes](#). Taxpayers will only receive an email from IRS Direct Pay or EFTPS if they have requested the service.

If you prefer to pay with a [debit or credit card](#), you can pay online or by phone through any of the authorized processors. Though the IRS does not charge a fee for this service, the card processors do.

When paying with your mobile device use the IRS2Go app. Simply download IRS2Go from Google Play, the Apple App Store or Amazon, and make your payments anytime, anywhere.

All [electronic payment options](#) are quick, easy, secure and much faster than mailing a check or money order.

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NOTE TO EDITOR: Below are links to help taxpayers find the information they need.

IRS.gov:

- [Payment Options](#)
- [Publication 5034 Need to Make a Tax Payment?](#)

On Twitter? Send these Tweets:

- Try #IRS electronic payment options. <http://go.usa.gov/3B9jk> #taxpayment
- Need to make a tax payment? flyer is available in English and Spanish. #IRSDirectPay #EFTPS <http://go.usa.gov/3B9Bh>