

# OPERATING COST MANAGEMENT

## Fuel Expense Management from PHH Arval

National brands, wide acceptance. PHH Arval offers the industry's largest network of fuel suppliers for your fleet cars and trucks. With locations throughout North America and Puerto Rico, there's bound to be a PHH Service Card fuel supplier nearby.

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### Fuel is one of the largest fleet expenses, second only to depreciation.

While gas prices are only one component of total fuel costs, the true cost of a fuel program is the time and effort necessary to complete and approve expense reports, manage gas company card programs, and cut checks to employees and multiple suppliers.

PHH's Fuel Expense Management program delivers value through reduced driver downtime and controlled fuel purchases

- **Centralized billing.** Fuel expenses – with or without cost center allocations – are included in a single invoice, consolidated with your other fleet expenses. No more processing and auditing multiple vendor invoices.
- **Reduced expense report processing.** Companies that do not use centralized fuel programs typically use cash reimbursement, which is the least effective and most costly option available for handling fuel expenses.
- **Extensive supplier network.** The PHH Service Card offers the largest fuel network in North America, with over 200,000 national, regional, and independent suppliers – 98% of which use electronic processing to expedite fuel transactions and increase driver productivity.
- **Fast, secure access to your fuel data.** PHH InterActive®, our internet-based information management system, provides secure access to fuel transaction data, including PHH Service Card number, unit number, date, name and location of fuel supplier, fuel grade, gallons/litres purchased, cost per gallon/litre, total purchase amount, and odometer reading (where available).
- **Flexible controls to restrict fleet spending.** Through supplier limits or personal identification numbers (PINs), PHH can help you control spending and track compliance with your fleet policy (e.g., purchasing only regular-grade fuel). Without the reporting capabilities of a managed fuel program, it is almost impossible to implement effective controls around fuel expenses.
- **Expert consulting.** PHH can benchmark your fleet against others in your industry and provide fuel policy recommendations to maximize your fleet's productivity.
- **Fraud protection.** Information in PHH InterActive enables you to monitor unusual card activity.
- **Convenient card administration.** Easily order, cancel, or replace service cards online via PHH InterActive.

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## **PHH Service Card capabilities support effective cost management and increased driver productivity.\***

Provide your employees with the fuel card that makes purchasing fuel convenient and managing costs easy. The PHH Service Card offers one-card convenience and enhanced information capture to help you manage fuel expenses effectively.

### ***Effective control features***

- Restrict transactions to fuel and automotive products only
- Limit daily number of transactions
- Establish daily dollar limits at the account or provider level
- Receive discounts at preferred suppliers
- Identify purchase time of day and day of week
- Monitor driving expenses

### ***Convenience***

- Combination fuel-maintenance card available for “one card” convenience
- Customer service representatives available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- Timely delivery of replacement cards
- Tax-exempt program available for eligible fleets

### ***Advanced technology and reporting***

- The most advanced service card transaction processing features with each use of the card
- Advanced security features and controls
- Expense data capture from onsite fueling facilities
- Detailed, real-time reporting on fuel expenses, transactions, and exceptions via PHH InterActive’s Report Catalog

### ***Consulting***

- Industry benchmarking
- Fuel policy recommendations
- Periodic fuel price updates and benchmarking by region and grade
- Frequent communications regarding fuel efficiency and industry trend

\*Services may vary in the United States and Canada. Contact your PHH representative for details of services in your area.

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## **For more information**

PHH Arval provides customized fleet management solutions to companies of all sizes, in all industries. Contact us to learn more about how our powerful ideas can create amazing results for your company.

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