**THE MAIN QUESTION EVERYONE WHO HAS NOT RECEIVED THEIR 2ND STIMULUS PAYMENT IS ASKING:**

**Will and WHEN should I expect my second Economic Impact Payment?**

**ANSWER:**

**Maybe.** IRS updated Get My Payment (GMP) for individuals who are receiving the second Economic Impact Payment on January 5, 2021. If you checked GMP on or after January 5 then:

* If GMP reflects a direct deposit date and partial account information, then your payment is deposited there.
* If GMP reflects a date your payment was mailed, it may take up to 3 – 4 weeks for you to receive the payment. Watch your mail carefully for a check or debit card. (See the FAQ for EIP Card)
* If GMP shows “Payment Status #2 – Not Available,” then you will not receive a second Economic Impact Payment and instead you need to claim the Recovery Rebate Credit on your 2020 Tax Return.

Because of the speed at which the law required the IRS to issue the second round of Economic Impact Payments, some payments may have been sent to an account that may be closed or, is or no longer active, or unfamiliar. By law, the financial institution must return the payment to the IRS; they cannot hold and issue the payment to an individual when the account is no longer active. If Get My Payment shows “Payment Status #2 – Not Available” you will not receive a second EIP.

The IRS advises people that if they don’t receive their Economic Impact Payment, they should file their 2020 tax return electronically and claim the Recovery Rebate Credit on their tax return to get their payment and any refund as quickly as possible.

**FOR MORE QUESTIONS & ANSWERS, CLICK HERE -->>>** [**https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus/second-eip-faqs**](https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus/second-eip-faqs)

**Economic Impact Payment Status & the Recovery Rebate Credit**

Most of you received your first Economic Impact Payment, however, if you have not, you may be able to claim the [recovery rebate credit](https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/recovery-rebate-credit) if you met the [eligibility requirements](https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/economic-impact-payment-information-center-topic-a-eip-eligibility) in 2020 and one of the following applies to you:

* You didn't receive an Economic Impact Payment in 2020.
* You are single and their payment was less than $1,200.
* You are married, filed jointly for 2018 or 2019 and their payment was less than $2,400.
* You didn't receive $500 for each qualifying child.

You can check the status of both your Stimulus payments at: <https://sa.www4.irs.gov/irfof-wmsp/login>

Get My Payment will let you confirm:

* That the IRS sent your second Economic Impact payment, also known as a stimulus payment.
* That the IRS sent your first payment. Some of you may have received your first Economic Impact Payment in partial payments. If you received partial payments, the application will show only the most recent.
* Your payment type: direct deposit or mail.

**IRS ONLY UPDATES THIS PAYMENT TRACKER ONCE PER DAY OVERNIGHT, SO THERE IS NO NEED TO CHECKMORE THAN ONCE PER DAY.**