

WORDPRESS PLUGIN FOR WOOCOMMERCE

Stripe security deposit holds for WooCommerce

Accept the booking first. Create the authorization hold when it is actually needed.

Works with **WooCommerce**

Holds created through **Stripe**

Capture in full or in part, or release

TOTAL HOLDS CREATED
5
All time volume

ACTIVE HOLDS AMOUNT
\$0.00
0 active deposits

TOTAL CAPTURED
\$0.00
0 Funds collected

RELEASED DEPOSITS
\$1,500.00
3 released deposits

SEARCH

STATUS

All

STRATEGY

All

FROM

jj/mm/aaaa

TO

jj/mm/aaaa

Apply Filters

5 deposits

ORDER ID	CUSTOMER	AMOUNT	STATUS	CREATED	EXPIRES	ACTIONS
#18	Alex Morgan	\$0.00	PENDING MANUAL	September 2, 2026	—	⋮
#17	Alex Morgan	\$0.00	PENDING MANUAL	September 2, 2026	—	⋮
#15	Alex Demo	\$500.00	RELEASED	August 31, 2026	September 7, 2026	⋮
#19	Alex Morgan	\$500.00	RELEASED	August 14, 2026	September 10, 2026	⋮
#21	Alex Morgan	\$500.00	RELEASED	August 14, 2026	September 10, 2026	⋮

The Deposits screen in the WordPress admin. Demonstration store, test mode.

A hold is not a charge

The deposit is authorized on the customer card. Funds move only if you capture.

You decide when

Create the hold immediately after the order, or manually when your workflow requires it.

Capture or release

Capture any amount up to the authorized total, or release the hold and charge nothing.

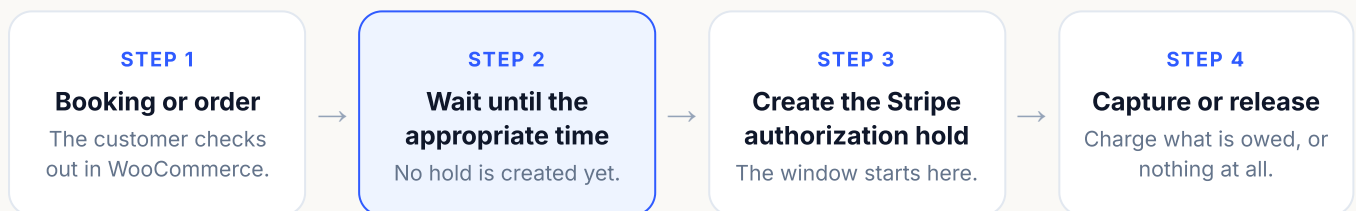
Requires WooCommerce and the WooCommerce Stripe Gateway plugin, plus a Stripe account.

secureholdwp.com

WHY TIMING MATTERS

The authorization hold does not have to start on the booking date

- A booking is often placed days or weeks before the rental or the service actually starts.
- Stripe authorization windows are limited, and they depend on the card network and the payment method.
- Creating the authorization at the moment of the booking opens that window early, sometimes long before you need it.
- SecureHold separates the moment of the order or booking from the moment the Stripe authorization is created.
- The authorization window starts when the hold is actually created, not necessarily when the customer books.



What SecureHold does not do. Authorization windows are limited and depend on the card network and the payment method. SecureHold cannot extend an existing Stripe authorization and does not remove any Stripe limit. It changes when the window opens, not how long it lasts.

🕒 **Default Automation Strategy**

✓
Immediate

⌛
Delayed

📅
Scheduled

🕒
By Status

👤
Manual

Automation Disabled

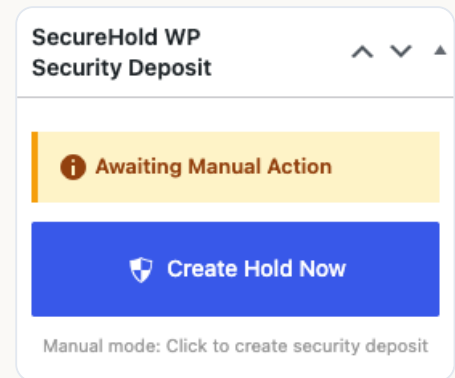
No security deposits will be created automatically. You must click "Create Hold Now" on each order page.

Hold creation timing, configured in the plugin settings. Immediate and Manual are included in the free plugin. Delayed, Scheduled and By Status are part of SecureHold PRO.

THE WORKFLOW

A complete hold workflow inside WooCommerce

- 1 The customer places the order or the booking in WooCommerce.
- 2 In manual mode, **no authorization hold is created automatically**. The order screen shows Awaiting Manual Action.
- 3 The merchant clicks **Create Hold Now** when the hold is needed. Stripe authorizes the deposit on the card the customer already used.
- 4 The authorized amount can be **captured in full or in part**, up to the amount originally authorized.
- 5 If nothing is owed, the merchant **releases the hold**. Nothing is charged and the reserved funds are freed.



On the WooCommerce order screen.

STATUS	AMOUNT	CREATED	EXPIRES
AUTHORIZED	\$500.00	August 14, 2026 10:12 am	September 10, 2026 10:37 pm
<button>Capture</button><button>Release Hold</button>View OrderView in Stripe			

The deposit detail view: status, amount, expiry, and the Capture and Release Hold actions.

Capture Security Deposit

Total Authorized:500.00 USD

Already Captured:0.00 USD

Remaining:500.00 USD

Amount to Capture

USD

500,00

CancelCapture Now

Capture dialog: any amount up to the authorized total.

One capture or one release

Stripe closes the authorization after a capture, in full or in part, and releases any remaining amount. Each hold supports one capture or one release.

EVENT 1

WooCommerce order

The order and its own payment, handled by your existing checkout.

EVENT 2

Stripe authorization hold

A separate PaymentIntent that reserves the deposit. No funds move.

EVENT 3

Capture

Funds move from the customer card to your Stripe balance.

EVENT 4

Release

The authorization is cancelled. Nothing is charged, so there is nothing to refund.

The deposit hold is a separate Stripe PaymentIntent, distinct from the order payment. It uses the payment method the customer already provided, so no second card entry is required.

USE CASES

Built for businesses that need a security deposit

WooCommerce businesses that hand over valuable items may use a Stripe authorization hold as a security deposit, without charging the deposit upfront.

Equipment rental

Event furniture and party equipment

Camera and audiovisual equipment

Tool rental

Bicycle and sports equipment rental

Costume and accessory rental

Other WooCommerce businesses requiring a card authorization before fulfilment

For WooCommerce agencies

SecureHold gives agencies a specialist option for clients who need Stripe authorization holds without creating the hold too early in the booking lifecycle. It builds on the WooCommerce Stripe Gateway your client already uses, so it adds deposits without replacing the existing checkout flow. The plugin is published on WordPress.org, and a PRO extension adds per product and per category deposit rules, additional timing strategies, email branding and extended diagnostics.

See SecureHold in action

Watch the short demonstration:

youtube.com/watch?v=j1f9O4sKTkE

Learn more: secureholdwp.com



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