

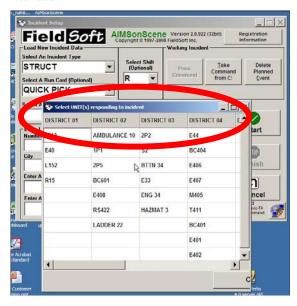
Customer Newsletter

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Did You Know That

The new AIMSonScene "Quick Pick" feature is the middle ground between manually adding units to the software with "Run Cards", and having an automated interface to your computer aided dispatching (CAD) system. How so?

Imagine that your department has experienced a large call volume in the last 30 minutes. So much so in fact that many units (AKA – individual resources) are not only out of their stations, but also out of their districts or beats. The described scenario is no big deal with an AIMSonScene CAD interface. CAD would automatically assign available units via a dispatch message to mobile computers. The CAD interface running on those computers would then insert the units into AIMSonScene. Unfortunately, the method for adding units is not as simple if you are a larger agency without CAD or a CAD interface.



Prior to the Quick Pick feature for example, a user might need to select one or more Run Cards. The user would then scroll through Run Card resource lists selecting those that might, or might not, be available. Quick Pick changes things.

Quick Pick can for example, be configured to display all community fire stations or police beats, or just a subset of fire stations or beats (as shown above) within a particular area.

In either event, AIMSonScene workload is substantially reduced. So much so in fact, that the new

GSA to Better Support Local and State First Responders

The Local Preparedness Acquisition Act, signed by President Bush on June 26, 2008, allows state and local agencies to purchase supplies and services through a program implemented by the General Services Administration (GSA).

The Cooperative Purchasing Program allows state and local agencies to buy law enforcement, security, and first responder goods and services off a GSA contract known as Schedule 84.

The GSA Cooperative Purchasing Program was started in 2003 to allow state and local governments to procure information technology equipment, software, and services found under GSA Schedule 70 and Consolidated Schedule contracts containing IT Special Item Numbers. Under the expanded Cooperative Purchasing Program, state and local governments can also buy total solutions for law enforcement, security, facilities management, fire, rescue, clothing, marine craft and emergency/disaster response equipment from Schedule 84 as well.

Visit <u>www.gsa.gov/cooperativepurchasing</u> or <u>www.gsa.gov/stateandlocal</u> for information on all GSA state and local programs.

FieldSoft Training Around The World

FieldSoft has been traveling across the country and around the world over the last few months. Travel purpose has been to deliver refresher software training to a customer that has rolled out AIMSonScene at over 14 sites in the U.S. and overseas.



The customer wishes to remain nameless.

Quick Pick Feature (continued from Page 1)

Quick Pick feature is probably the next best thing to a CAD interface. See so for yourself by running the feature within your software.

What if you don't own an AIMSonScene license? No problem. Contact FieldSoft if you're east of the Mississippi or KBKI Inc. (www.kbki.net) if west of the Mississippi, and we'll show you how the feature actually works.

See FieldSoft in San Diego

FieldSoft will be in exhibit booth # 5557 November 9th through the 11th during the 115th Annual IACP (International Association of Chiefs of Police) Conference and Exposition.

The conference and Exhibit booths will be in the San Diego, CA., Convention Center.

Please stop by the booth if you wish to see AIMSonScene software in action.

Future Software Releases

The next AIMSonScene software release is scheduled for, or about, December 31, 2008.

New AIMSonScene Customers

Recent customers new to FieldSoft's AIMSon-Scene software include the University of Alabama, Police; Dousman, WI., Fire District; Fort Bliss, TX., MABAS (Mutual Aid Box Alarm system) Division 10 in the Chicago suburbs, and the Western Springs, IL., Fire and EMS Department.

FieldSoft will conduct training for MABAS 10, Bolingbrook, IL Fire (an existing AIMSonScene customer) and the Western Springs Fire and EMS Department. Training will take place in either December or January.

Information That The Company Lawyer Makes Us Include

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Training (continued from Page 1)

The training took Gary Vender, FieldSoft Customer Training Specialist, from the east coast of the United States to Asia and back. Gary even sent the photo shown on page 1 to ensure that everyone was aware of his location at one point during the trip.

Any other customers interested in refresher training should contact FieldSoft's Mark Bouchard or your AIMSonScene software VAR or Reseller.

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