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Municity Cloud software upgrade.

1. What are the issues we are addressing?

The Department of Inspections currently uses Municity Enterprise software. The software is a complete department management software used to create applications, issue and track permits, track licenses and insurance, schedule inspections and appointments, track mileage and stores all documents in electronic records. The system is installed and runs on our town hall server. Network reliance has been problematic at times. Municity Cloud was developed several years ago, removing the need for in-house servers along with creating a much higher level of functionality. Municity Cloud can be launched from any computer with web access. Accessory to Municity Cloud, is a mobile application. Municity Mobile can be accessed from any ipad, tablet, or handheld device with web access. All stored documents are fully viewable from the field, including building and site plans, applications, contractor info, etc. Photos of installations, violations, etc. can be taken from the device and uploaded immediately. Municity Cloud will greatly improve the efficiency, reliability, and security of Permits, Operations, and Records.

2. What is the current situation?

The current software is functional, however is no longer being upgraded by the developer, as they now focus on the web based product. They do continue to provide limited support for the enterprise based product.

3. Proposed Solution

The proposed solution is to upgrade the department software to Web Based Municity plus Municity Mobile. The cost is \$8000 for purchase and installation.

4. Metrics

Municity was originally purchased with funds appropriated at the October 24, 2011 Special Town Meeting, and was launched on January 1, 2012. The cost was approximately \$25,000, which included software, setup, training, and data import for approximately 10,000 parcels. Municity Cloud is an upgrade of the existing product, and is significantly less than the initial Purchase. Annual maintenance contract will be reduced slightly.

5. Alternatives Investigated

In the summer of 2011, 5 products were reviewed and demoed by the Department of Inspections. Of the 5, Municity was clearly the superior product for the needs of the department, and at a cost of ¼ of the nearest competitor with equivalent features. Effectively, the alternative would be to continue without an upgrade. Purchasing of another product would be more costly and less effective for the department.



MUNICITY- CLOUD SOFTWARE PROPOSAL FOR THE

TOWN OF MILFORD, MA

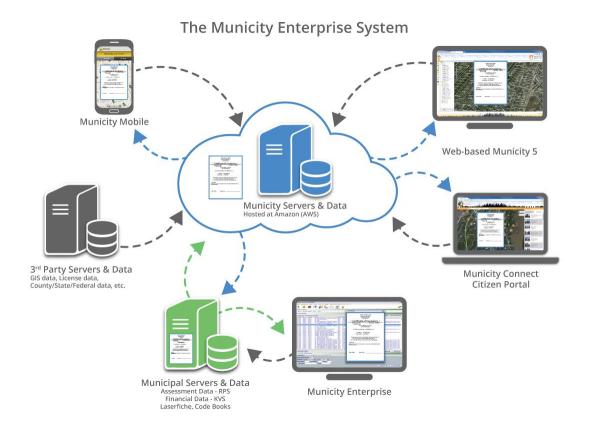
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THE MUNICITY SOFTWARE SUITE

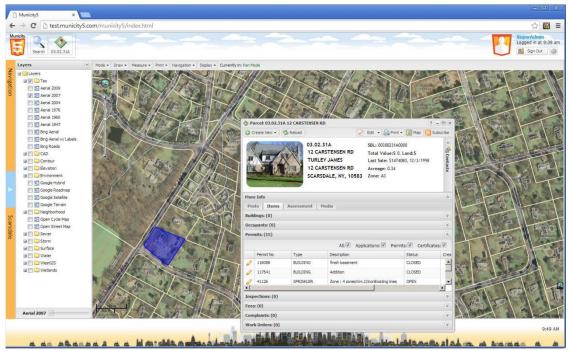


MUNICITY - CLOUD

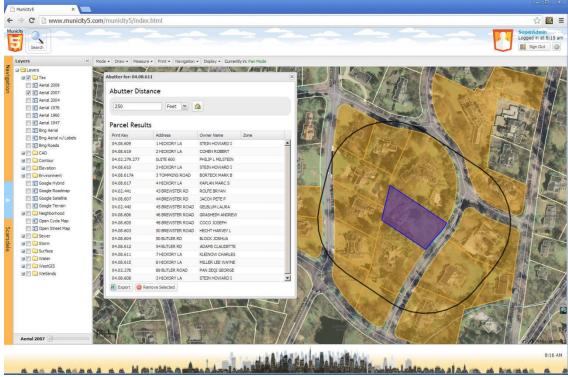
The Municity - Cloud System is a fully web-based parcel management, building, code enforcement, licensing, and inspection software product that will automate nearly all the functions of your Construction Code office. Municity Cloud uses the latest technology to provide extensive functionality and an easy to navigate user interface.

GIS Integration

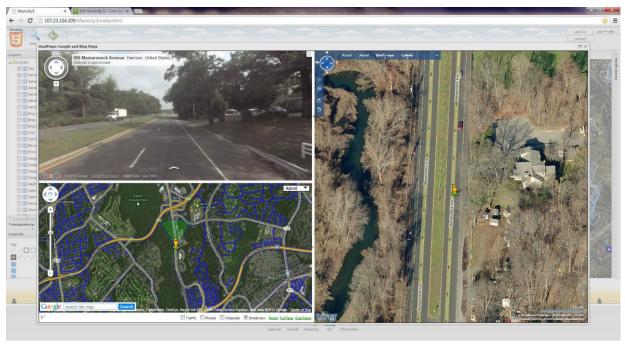
Municity Cloud has a fully integrated GIS module that enables the visualization of all of your Municity data via a geographic interface. Municity GIS utilizes geospatial layer data from a variety of sources (the municipality, the County, the State and even some generally available layers from the federal government.



Municity GIS / Mapping System

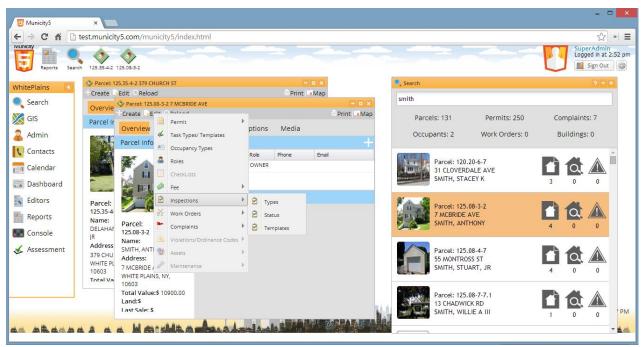


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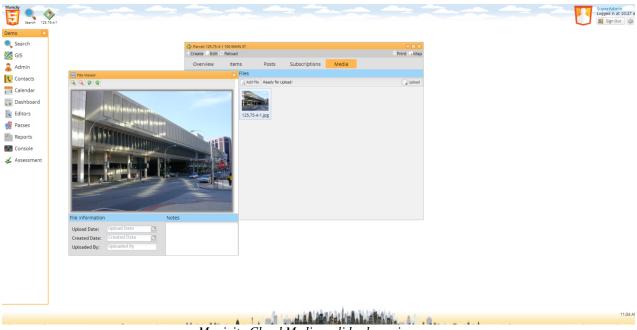
Municity Cloud Web-Based Integrated GIS w/ Streetview (Note: Streetview not available in some areas).

Parcel Information - Search for parcels by owner, address, parcel number and then view all parcel information such as owner, owner's address, zoning, property class, acreage, etc.



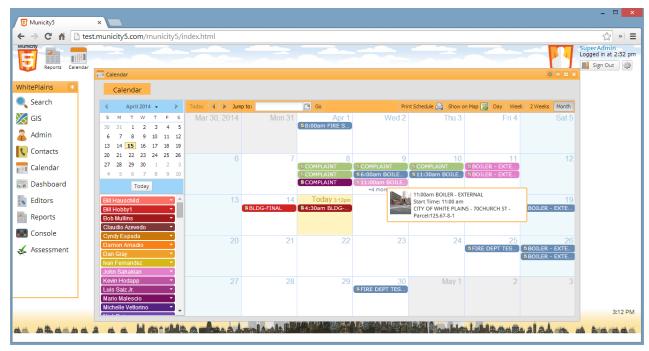
Municity Cloud showing two parcel editors

Media – Attach any electronic files to you parcels, permits, inspections or complaints. Upload pictures, documents, pdf files, and videos, whatever and then rearrange into subdirectories. Print or email the files. View all pictures in a slideshow, add notes, or download to your computer.



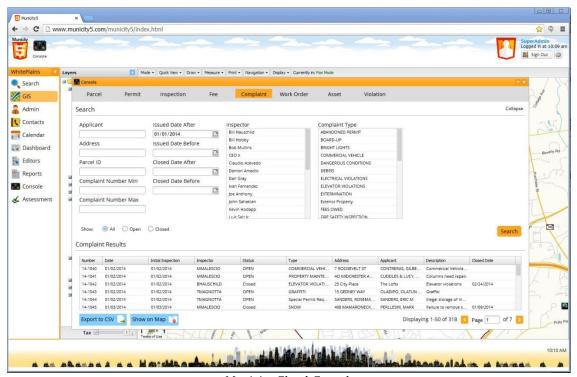
Municity Cloud Media – slide show viewer

Appointment Calendar - Fully integrated appointment calendar for scheduling of inspections. With appropriate user rights you can view multiple inspectors from one calendar and re-assign or reschedule inspections. Completing inspections from the calendar automatically completes the inspections on the associated permit.



Municity Cloud – Appointment Calendar

Console Module - The Municity Console is an extremely powerful way to view and interpret your municipality's data. View permits, inspections, violations, licenses, fees and more in customizable spreadsheet layout. Filter and search based on type, dates, status, inspector, names or addresses. Print reports, export to Excel or create Microsoft Word mail merged documents, or plot the data on a GIS map.



Municity Cloud Console



Municity Cloud - Plotting of Complaint Activity in the municipality

Optional Items

MUNICITY MOBILE

The Municity Mobile application allows users to interact directly with the Municity database via any mobile device, including smart phones and tablets (no need to synchronize once you get back to the office – you are working with live data).





- Create Complaints, Appointments, Violations, and more.
- Schedule and complete inspections.
- View your inspections schedule in a list or multipane view with Google street view.
- Pull up information on any parcel in your municipality.

- Search for items and parcels in the database using the advanced search option.
- Search items can be projected on the map and color-coded based on status.



Connect via Bluetooth to any wireless printer to print out violations, inspection notices, tickets, appearance tickets and more. Take a picture and it automatically attaches to the item you are working with. We also offer Square credit card reader integration for processing payments in the field. We do not provide the hardware directly to the municipality — we let you choose. However, the program can work on any modern platform.



INVESTMENT

Municity Cloud – Web Based Municity

[] Municity Cloud	
	Base software	\$ 5,000
	Setup, Installation and Training	\$ 1,000
	Total for Municity Cloud	\$ 6,000
	Annual Maintenance, Support and Hosting	\$ 1,300

Optional Items

Municity Mobile

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Initial Setup	\$	500-Included				
Additional Users	\$	500 / User				
Annual Maintenance, Support and Hosting	\$	200 / user				
Note: Customer is responsible for procuring their own Android dev	Note: Customer is responsible for procuring their own Android device(s) (phone or tablet) and data plan.					

Number of Municity Android App. Users

AUTHORIZATION

The Town of Milford, MA hereby agrees to the procedures outlined above and the "Terms and Conditions" attached hereto and made a part hereof, and authorizes Software Consulting Associates to proceed with the project.

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