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ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS

MAS 90

Customer Profile

Cook Paging

Authorized Reseller

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Corporate Profile

Headquarters
San Rafael, California

Type of Business
Unified Messaging Service

Number of Locations
Five

Number of employees
30

System Profile

MAS 90 Modules in operation
- Accounts Payable
- Bank Reconciliation
- Business Objects Interface
- General Ledger
- FRx Report Writer
- Visual Integrator

Cook Paging Stays Connected with MAS 90

CUSTOMER SUCCESS STORY

Cook Paging, a privately owned corporation, is a West Coast Provider of messaging and pager service in Washington, Oregon, California, and Arizona. The company's mission is to provide reliable services at a low cost and to maintain exceptional customer service.

To meet its growing business needs Cook Paging decided to switch from a DOS package to a Windows based software. After reviewing industry ratings and features of several software solutions, Cook Paging implemented MAS 90 in 2005. "It seemed to fit our needs as the best solution," states David Yam, Controller, adding "We liked the feel of the software, the ability to navigate easily, and the report-writing features with drill-down options." The report-writing features are a great advantage as the supporting reports needed to be prepared by hand prior to implementing MAS 90. Yam makes great use of the FRx Reporting capabilities noting that he can now "prepare a variety of financial reports and then send specific information to multiple users via email." Additionally, the reports can be printed or exported into popular formats resulting in timely and accurate processing of information.

In addition to the MAS 90 modules, Cook Paging took advantage of custom enhancements such as the PAS AP Repetitive Invoice Processor. The MAS 90 screen requires the user to complete information about the Cycle, Vendor No., and Reference for each invoice to be processed. Unless the invoices to be selected have common attributes such as Cycle or Reference, each invoice has to be selected one at a time.

Cook Paging has telephone and rent vendors, each with a large number of accounts and therefore selecting one invoice at a time is laborious and time-consuming. The PAS Repetitive Invoice Processor allows the user to see all the repetitive invoices on one screen and make desired selections for as many or few invoices at the same time in one process. This was the selling point for Yam who notes that the enhancement has allowed invoice information to be more accessible and the selection process less cumbersome.

"Working with Jon and the PAS team has been very enjoyable. I always get an immediate response and a resolution to any issues encountered," concludes Yam.

CHALLENGE	SOLUTION	RESULTS
Time consuming and cumbersome manual reports	Parkinson Accounting Systems and Sage MAS 90	Timely and accurate information processing and flexibility