



#### SOFTWARE FOR THE ACTIVE REAL ESTATE OFFICE





# **OVERVIEW**

The Listings Manager was designed in conjunction with busy Real Estate offices with one goal in mind: a fast, user friendly method of managing your listings and presenting them to your clientele.

Written in the powerful Microsoft Access database, the Listings Manager integrates with the Microsoft Office Suite, allowing sharing of your listings for mail merges, queries and reporting from any Office product or virtually any product that can run in Windows.

Our professional staff of programmers, analysts, consultants and technicians is available to insure proper installation, configuration and training of your staff.

Utilizing state-of-the-art technology the Listings Manager will work in today's busy real estate office and will grow as your business grows. Inherently upscaleable, the Real Estate Manager will work in a one person office, or in an office of hundreds of agents and brokers, on a Local or Wide Area Network.

The following pages demonstrate the sample screens and reports that are available from the system.



Logon Security					
Listings Manager					
Please Enter Name and Password:					
User ID: administrator					
Password:					
OK Exit					

This is the Security Logon Screen. Your rights to add, change, delete and search information are determined by your password.



This is the main menu, showing the various system options.





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Street		
Subdiv/Complex		
BEDROOMS	BATHROOMS	
Waterfront/View		
Pool	Heated 🗮	
Tennis	Activity 💽	
Listing #	Internet #	
Starting Date Listing Added	Starting Date	
Rental Period	Rent Range	то

This is the Listings Search Screen. In addition to the search criteria offered on this form, users can take advantage of the queries, searches and sorts that are built into Microsoft Access.

The FOR RENT, FOR SALE, Off Market, Sign and MLS controls are triple-state controls. The three states are selected (dot or check mark), blank or gray. For example, if the FOR SALE control is selected then the list will be limited to listings that are for sale. If the FOR SALE control is blank then the list will be limited to listings. The Local Towns button will fill the town selections from the town list that have the selected box checked (see Supporting Tables | Towns for town list entry). After you have setup the search parameters you can save these settings by selecting the Save Search button. Each user can save their own search settings and recall them using the Load Search button. The Load Search button shows a list of saved searches the current user has saved. The Search button will display the matching records in the data-sheet view. The Rental Search button will display only matching rental/lease records, displaying one record per rental/lease period.



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The results of your search are first displayed in 'data-sheet' mode. You can search, sort, move columns or print some or all of the listings displayed in this mode. Selecting a listing and clicking the FORM button on the toolbar will display the detailed form based information on that listing, as displayed below.



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This is the Detailed Listings Screen. From this screen, listings are added, modified, viewed and printed. Three printed listing reports are available, one single listing report for the customer, one single listing report for internal office use and one list of all matching records. The View Tax Map Data button will display the Tax Map form showing the applicable record if available. Selecting the Owner button displays the Owner form where an owner's information can be edited or a new owner can be added. An existing owner can be selected for the listing. Commercial listings will display the Income / Expense button (not shown). When this button is selected a form is displayed allowing income and expenses to be itemized to aid in calculating the cash flow of a commercial venture. A double-click on the picture display will display a form with an expanded view of the image. A click on this expanded view will cycle though a series of images associated with the listing; a virtual walk through can be setup. For more detailed explanation on setting up images reference the Images section.









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CUSTOMER#	740 🔽 ACTIVE	AGENT AB			
LAST NAME	CUSTOMER	REFERRAL REFERRAL Bedrooms 5			
FIRST NAME	ANOTHER	CATEGORY House Baths 3			
ADDRESS	8832 Main Street	PRICE RANGE \$1,000,000 TO \$4,000,000			
	NEW YORK, NY 10028	WATERFRONT/VIEW			
СІТҮ		DATE ENTERED 1/7/87 DATE OUT			
STATE	ZIP				
HOME PHONE	631-234-121	Town Zip Code			
LOCAL PHONE	631-235-121	Westhampton Beach <u>▼</u> 11978-			
OFFICE NUMBE	631-236-121	Amagansett			
COMMENTS					
Need property quickly.					
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A customer file is maintained with important customer information and preferences. A listing agent (broker) is selected. Only an administrator has rights to view all the customers. Each broker can only view his or her own customers. The find button (binoculars) facilitates quick location of a particular customer. The print button will display a print option dialog to print customer information. The Search Listings button will activate the Select Criteria form and load it with the customer's preferences.





Optional tax map information is integrated directly into each listing, or available as an aggregate search function against all available tax map data.



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	Owners
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The Supporting Tables menu allows you to select forms that maintain the lower level data in the system. Much of this data is used in the lists displayed in the drop-down selectors on the Customer and Listings forms.

88	BROKERS	
	BROKER ID	AB EXT:
	BROKER LAST NAME	
	FIRST NAME	Biery
	ADDRESS	123 MOCKING BIRD LANE Westhampton, NY 11977
	NOTE	631-555-1212
	PHONE	631-555-1212
	PAGER	631-555-1212
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When adding a new broker, a user is chosen for the Broker ID. Once the record is saved this choice is locked in.



#### The Supporting Tables forms are shown here.

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	COBROKER	Beach Realty
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	State	Zip
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	Home	631-555-1212
	Office	631-555-1212
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	Zone	25
	Town	Amagansett
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The Towns form's Selected check box allows you to select which towns will be included in the "Local Area". On the Select Criteria form these selections will be added to the Towns selections when the Local Area button is clicked.



The Supporting Tables | Misc. forms are shown here.

	Income/Expense	
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The Income/Expense form allows you to add or modify income or expense items.

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The Categories form allows you to add or modify the listings type categories. Categories 1 - 4 are predetermined and locked in. Categories 5 and up can be user defined categories and the Listings form and report mode will be the same as for the House category.

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Security	
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The security menu allows access to user settings and the rights each type of user has.

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The Users form allows user information to be are added and modified. A user type is selected from the three standard types: receptionist, broker and administrator. This type is used to determine the access rights for the user.



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				Customers	add mode							
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		1	4	Supporting Tables	edit mode	<u>·</u>						
		1	5	Security	disabled	-						
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This form modifies the basic security settings for the Listings Manager. It is suggested that these settings be left at their default values unless you are an advanced user. The Tasks form allows the addition and modification of the tasks (user types) except for #3 – administrator. The access rights for each task and each switchboard (menu) item can be modified. It is recommended that the administrator have edit mode access rights to all switchboard items. The first item on each switchboard page cannot be disabled for technical reasons.



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The Listings Manager's custom tool bar allows instant access to commonly used features. These features are from left to right: Undo, Find, Find Next, Cut, Copy, Paste, Form View, Datasheet View, Sort Ascending, Sort Descending, Filter By Selection, Filter Excluding Selection, Advanced Filter/Sort, Apply/Remove Filter, Apply Filter/Sort, Remove Filter/Sort, Go To Field, Unhide Columns, Spelling, Mortgage Calculator.

#### Images

Images in .jpg or .bmp format are added to the Listings manager by naming them with the appropriate listing number and copying them to the image library folder location. The Listings Manager's Company Settings module sets the location of the image library; see installation instructions for further information. For example if your image format is .jpg and the image is for listing # 101 then the file should be named 101.jpg. To take advantage of the virtual walk though feature, additional images for listing #101 are added as 101a.jpg, 101b.jpg, 101c.jpg, ...



# Installation

### **Server Installation**

One computer on a network will be considered the data server for the Listings Manager. The Server Setup program located on the Listings manager install disk in the LM Server Install Package folder

- 1. Insert the CD into your CD ROM drive.
- 2. Choose **run** from the Windows **start** menu. Enter **<X:\LM Server Install Package\SETUP>** and press **<ENTER>** (substitute **<X>** for your CD ROM drive letter designation).
- 3. The installation of Listings Manager software is automatic. The only question you will be asked is where to install the application. The default will be C:\Program Files\Listings Manager Server. If you wish to change the target directory, choose the option to install to an alternate directory. If the directory does not exist, you will be asked if you wish to create the directory.
- 4. When the installation is complete, you must launch the Listings Manager Server | Listings Manager Setup software from the **programs** option on the Windows **start** menu.

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Image Type	JPG 🗾	

5. Fill in the requested information. Click the Find button for the Logo location and Image library and navigate to the proper folder. Select the C:\Program Files\Listings Manager Server\ibglogo.jpg if you do not have a logo available for your company. You can use the C:\Program Files\Listings Manager Server\ibglogo.jpg if you do not have a folder already setup for listing images.



#### **Client Installation**

Each computer on a network that will run the Listings Manager application must have the client installed on it. The Client Setup program located on the Listings manager install disk in the LM Client Install Package folder.

- 1. Insert the CD into your CD ROM drive.
- 2. Choose **run** from the Windows **start** menu. Enter <**X:\ LM Client Install Package\SETUP**> and press <**ENTER**> (substitute <**X**> for your CD ROM drive letter designation).
- 3. The installation of Listings Manager software is automatic. The only question you will be asked is where to install the application. The default will be C:\Program Files\Listings Manager. If you wish to change the target directory, choose the option to install to an alternate directory. If the directory does not exist, you will be asked if you wish to create the directory.
- 4. When the installation is complete, you must launch the Listings Manager | Listings Manager software from the **programs** option on the Windows **start** menu.

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	Setup Information					
Data Location:	C:\My Documents\Listing Manager\Last Version	Find				
Authorization code:	DEMO					
License code:	79877738	ue				

5. The first time the application is launched the Setup Information form is displayed. This form can be launched from the Logon Security form by entering 'Setup' as the user ID and leaving the password blank. Click on the Find button next to the Data Location box. Navigate to the server's data location, and then click the OK button. The authorization code "**DEMO**" can be used to evaluate the Listings Manager. The demo version allows a maximum of 10 listing to be entered and will not attach to a database if the maximum has been exceeded. For a fully functional install an authorization code must be acquired from Island Business Group, Inc.