ASI Annouces Veri-Shred™ Shredding System

New Shredding Software Improvements

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In July 2004, Andrews Software, Inc. introduced Veri-Shred™, the newest addition to its family of performance-driven commercial records center software products. Already robust, ASI continues to tailor Veri-Shred to drive profits, reduce costs and streamline service. Combining know-how with state-of-the-art technology, Veri-Shred innovatively manages your destruction business needs from A to Z.

If you are adding records management to your destruction business or vice versa, it is important to note that Veri-Shred is the only shredding software solution that integrates seamlessly with records center management software – namely ASI's Visual Corporate Keeper®. For records centers offering or considering shredding as part of their business, or destruction facilities that provide or are contemplating records storage as part of their business, Veri-Shred software, combined with ASI's proven records management software grows with your business needs.

One of the most powerful enhancements developed since its launch, is Veri-Shred's improved scanner functionality. Says ASI's General Manager Scott Bidwell, "By utilizing software technology such as, Microsoft's Pocket PC software, SQL Server CE and VB.NET, we've developed superior scanning applications, ensuring accountability and accuracy of each and every transaction, right down to capturing the customer's signature at point of service."

Veri-Shred also boasts exceptional scheduling options, having added bi-monthly, six-week and eight-week cycles to an already powerful scheduling application. The scheduling feature enables service to be scheduled at many levels, starting at the customer level to the bin level. It also allows pre-scheduling of one-time pickups and clean outs. A feature appreciated by customer service representatives is its ability to schedule letters of reminder for those customers who require one cleanout annually.

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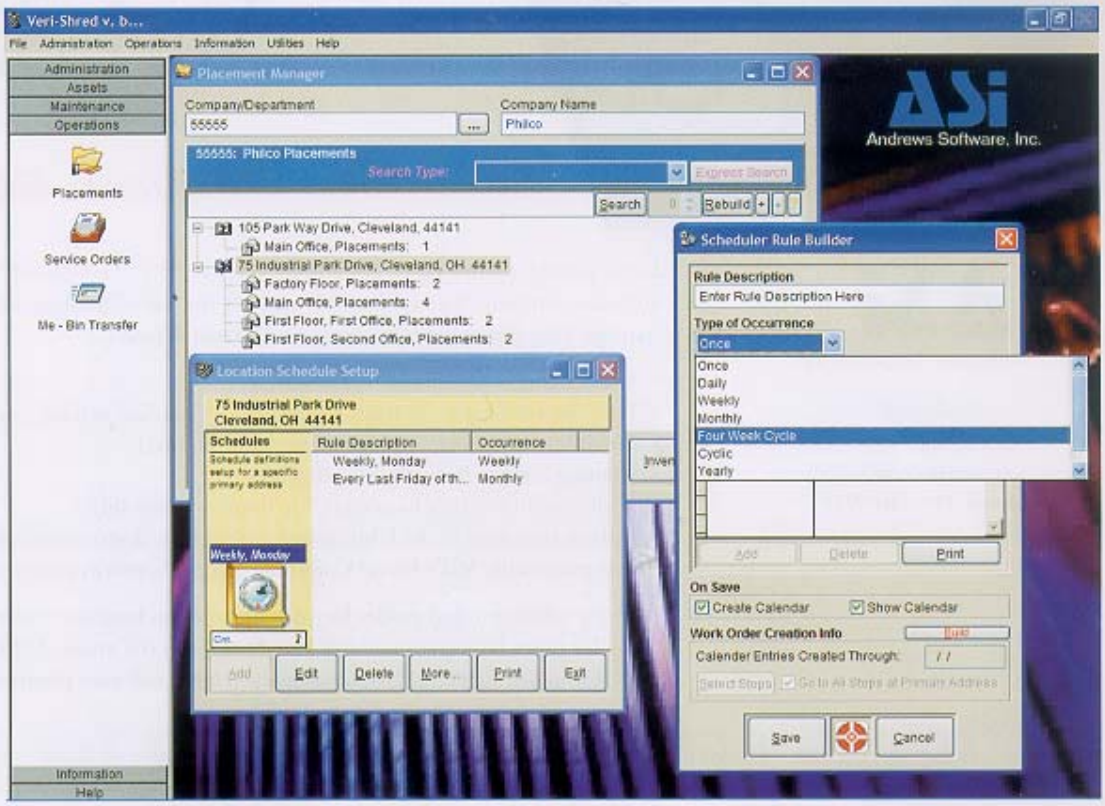

Considerable attention has also been paid to improving route analysis and management reporting capabilities to track bin activity, inventory, destruction certificates and much more. Veri-Shred allows customers to be assigned routes which are assigned to drivers. Service orders are created by route, taking into account service activity levels by driver and route.

Veri-Shred's barcode verification feature also ensures an accurate bin activity history. The driver scans the work order barcode, then the barcode label on the bin at point-of-service. Additional bins serviced during the visit will be automatically added to the service receipt, as well as to the work order and invoice. Activity histories can be created, outlining bins tipped by customer location and mail stop. During service, the driver has the option to enter the amount of paper in the bin (1/4 full, 1/2 full, 3/4 full, full), providing additional activity detail and enabling more streamlined service by adding or removing bins as needed, or modifying the service schedule to better suit client needs.

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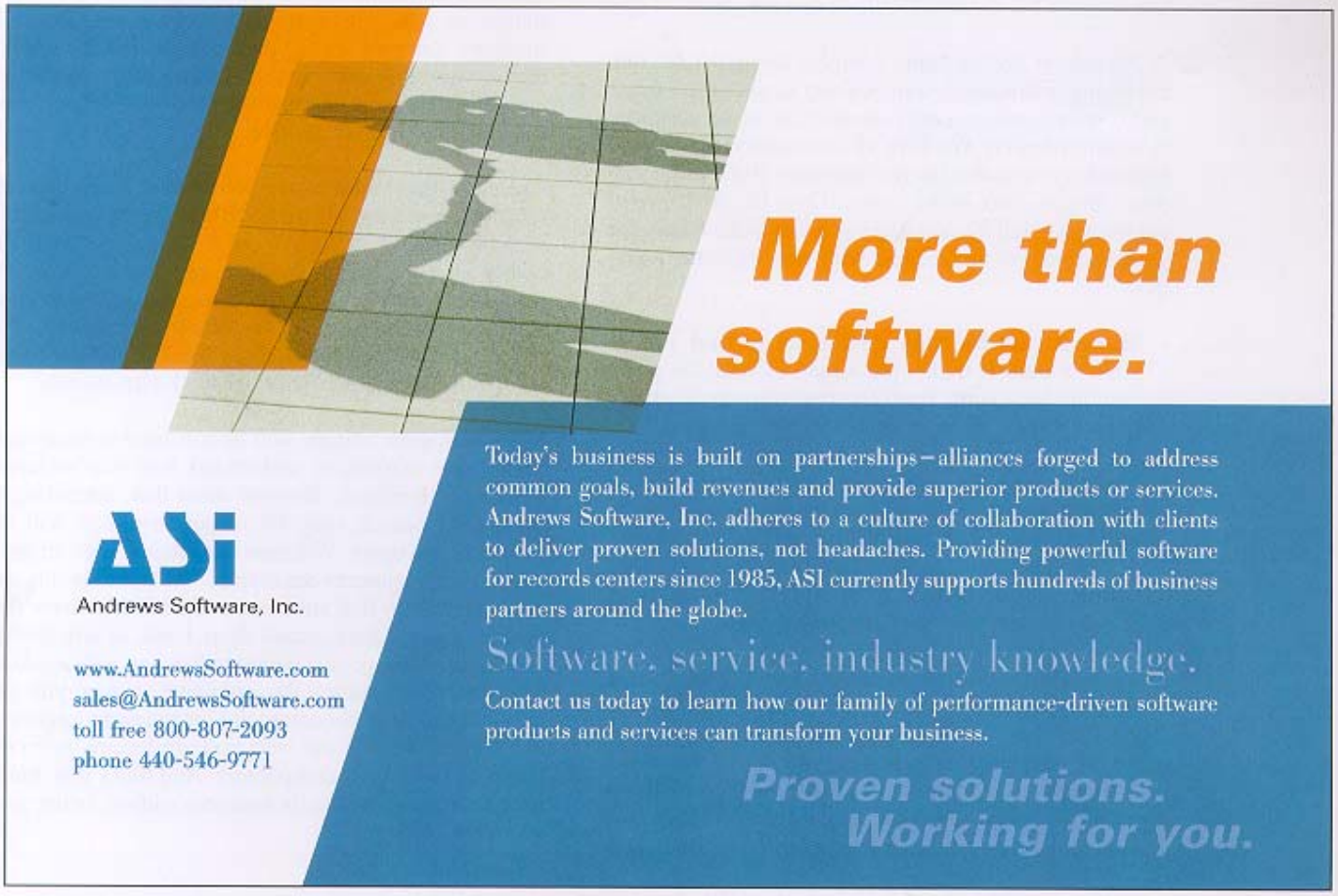
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