
\$1,000,000 Upgrade of Old System Avoided through SQL Server Data Warehouse, SharePoint, Advanced Workflow, Advanced Forms*

\$500,000+ in IT and Operations Cost Saved Over Five Years by Providing 70 Solutions to Business Users with No-Code Solutions

Example: 153 Step Process Reduced to 89 Steps in 30 Days

Business Users No Longer Forced to “Just Use Excel to Work Around the Problems in the Old System”

“No-Code Solutions” Prevent Delay, Waiting, Scope Creep, Undefined Requirements, Lack of User Participation, User and Executive Frustration, Cost of Conventional IT Solutions

Process Improvement with No-Code Solutions Tools Including SharePoint, Designer, Nintex Workflows, InfoPath, Nintex Forms, SQL Server Queries, Lookups, Data Warehouse

Documentation, Discipline Avoids Risks of “Run and Gun, Heroes and Firefighter” IT Types

Better, Faster Cheaper

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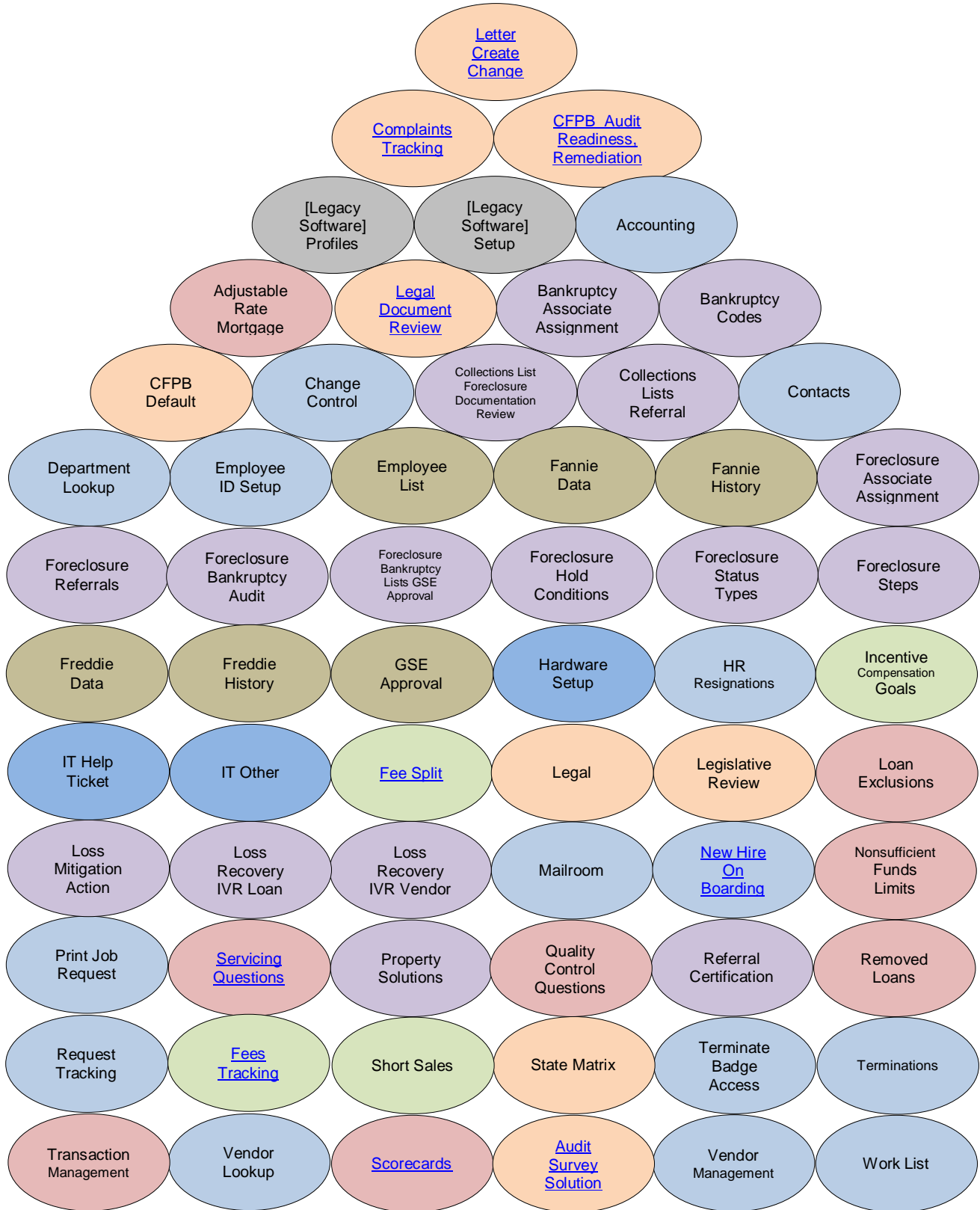
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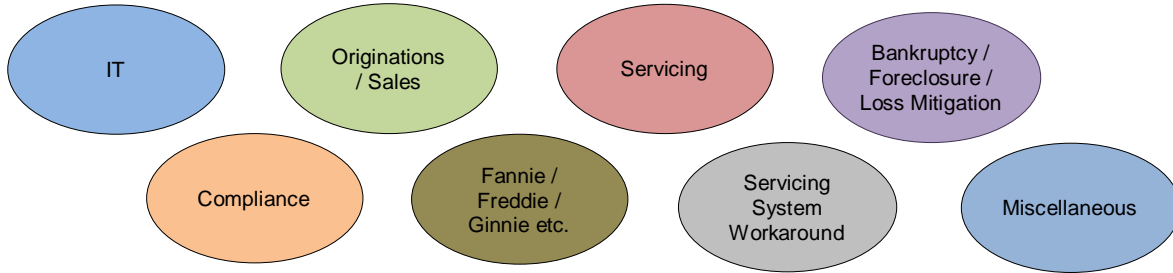
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The “Bowling Alley” of No Code Solutions



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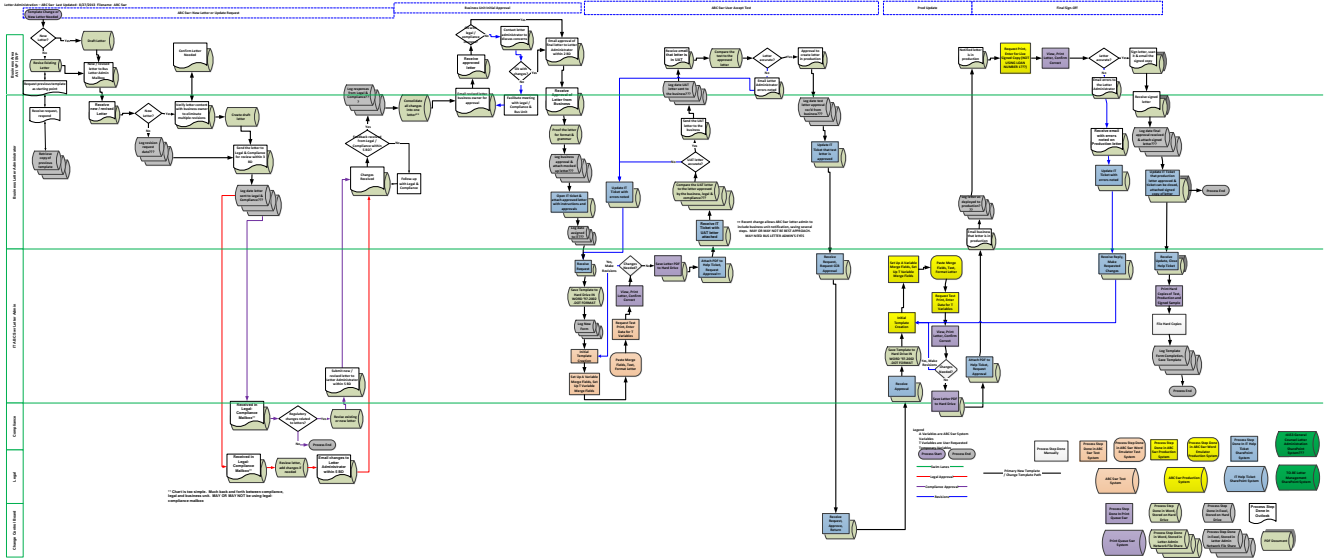


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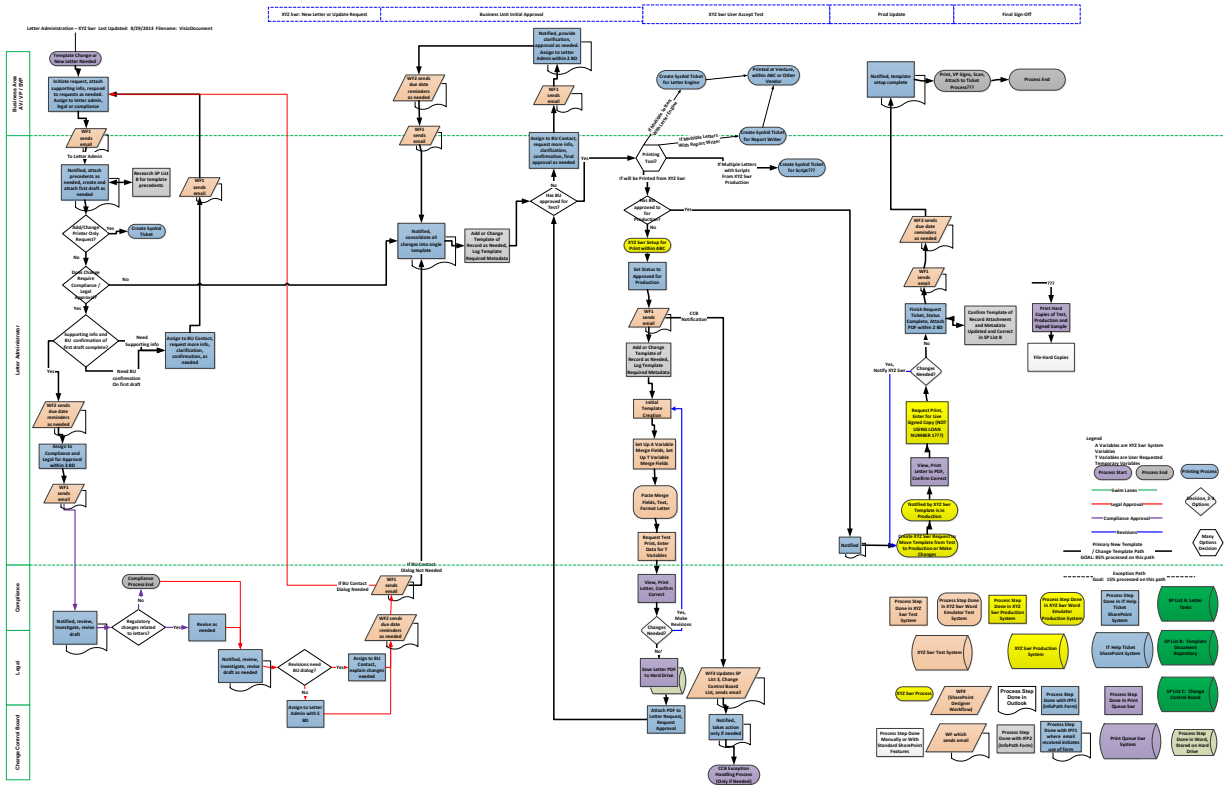
Major No-Code Solutions, Process Before and After, Work Samples:

Letter Creation Approval Production Tracking

- Before Process Chart

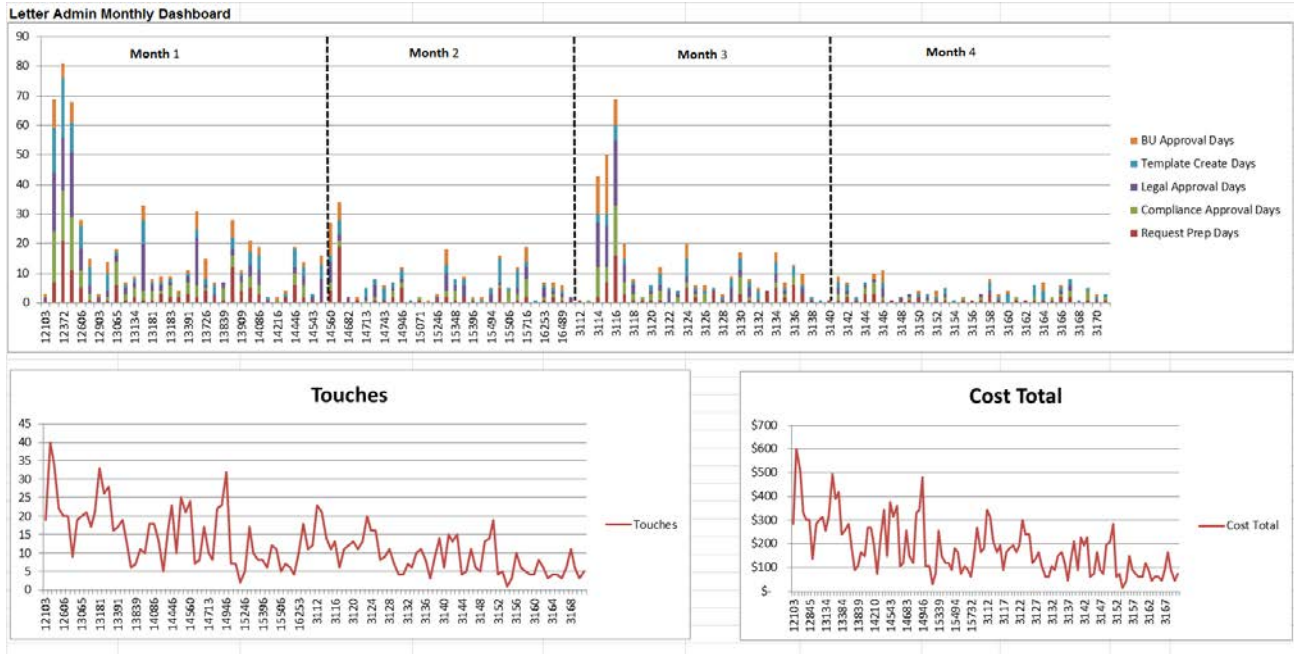


- After Process Chart



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- [Dashboard Showing Reduction in Cost and “Touches” Over Four Months](#)



- Full Application [Video](#) and [PDF](#)
- Additional Application Details [Video](#) and [PDF](#)
- InfoPath Form Documentation [Video](#) and [PDF](#) shows **EXCELLENT TASK TRACKING** among multiple parties

Complaints Tracking Handling

- Full Application SQL Query lookup InfoPath form [Video](#) and [PDF](#)
- Synchronizing updates from SharePoint to SQL Server [Video](#) and [PDF](#)
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Audit Readiness, Remediation Task Tracking

- [One Page Executive Outcomes Process Chart](#)
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- Full Application [Video](#) and [PDF](#)
- [Status Dashboard with Red Green Yellow Lights](#)
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How Cost Savings Were Estimated:

The old system had not been substantially upgraded for over five years due to both cost and lack of enhancements from the software vendor. Software, hardware, IT services, training and business user time costs to switch such a big software package would easily have cost over \$1,000,000. This cost is being deferred for multiple years by creating “no-code solutions” to work around the deficiencies of the old system. I worked on three of the advanced no-code solutions, one of which will easily produce \$100,000 in savings over five years. The two other solutions will prevent another \$100,000 in regulatory penalties alone. If we assume just \$5,000 each in IT and operations cost savings for the other 67 no-code solutions, the total savings exceeds \$500,000.

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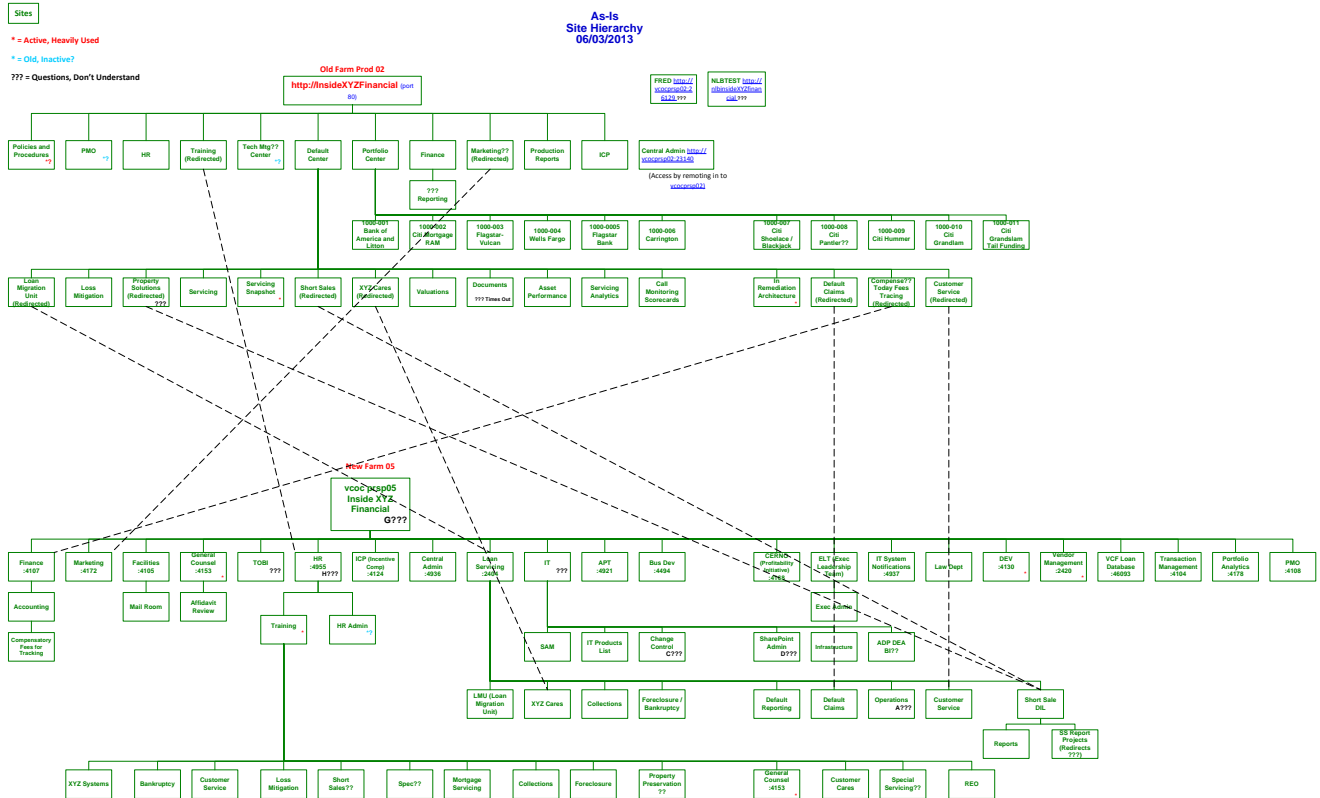
I train business users to think of SharePoint as Excel on steroids. By attempting this approach to meet the business need first, several benefits arise:

- **1/3 of business problems will be successfully solved**
- **1/3 will result in defined processes, outcomes and prototypes for more advanced IT solutions**
- **1/3 of requests will go away on their own**
- **Prevents conventional IT problems: Scope creep, “we can program anything”, lack of user participation, undefined and continually changing processes, big bang approach to problems, lack of executive sponsor.**

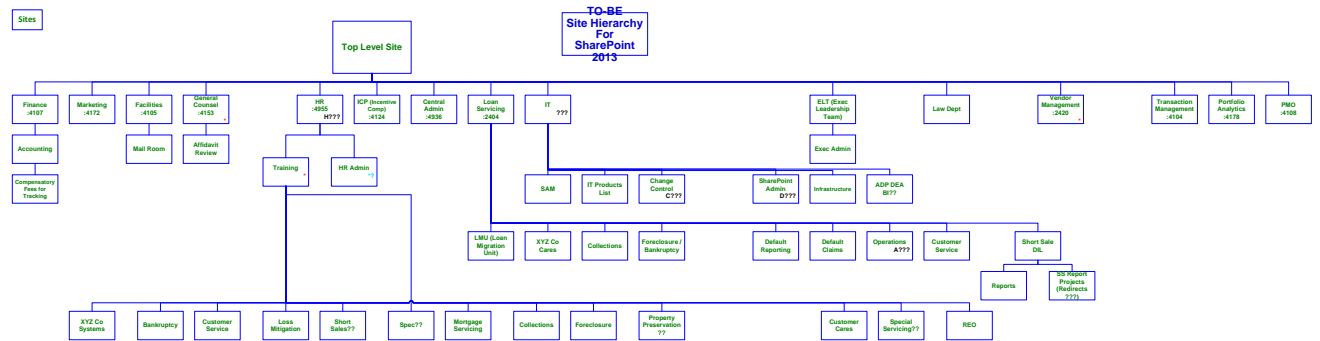
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SharePoint Cleanup, Documentation, Migration from 2010 to 2013

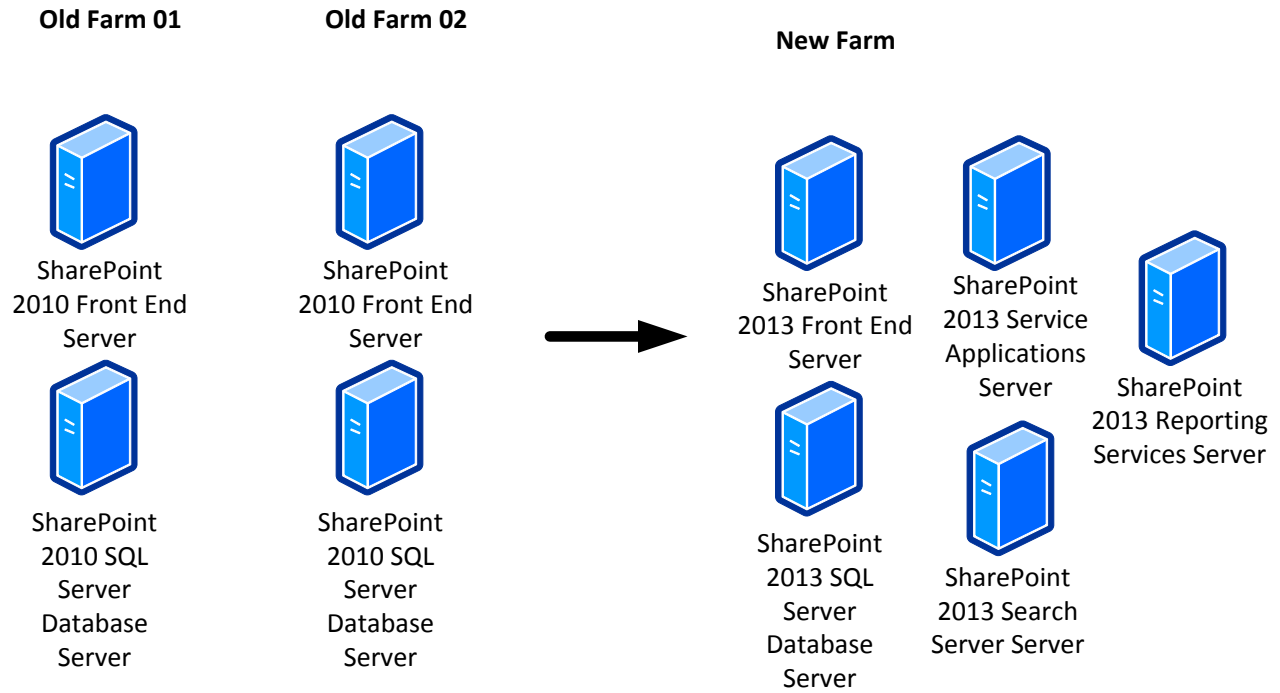
Site Hierarchy Before



Site Hierarchy After



Server Farm Configuration, Before and After



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Additional Major SharePoint Applications

New Hire Request

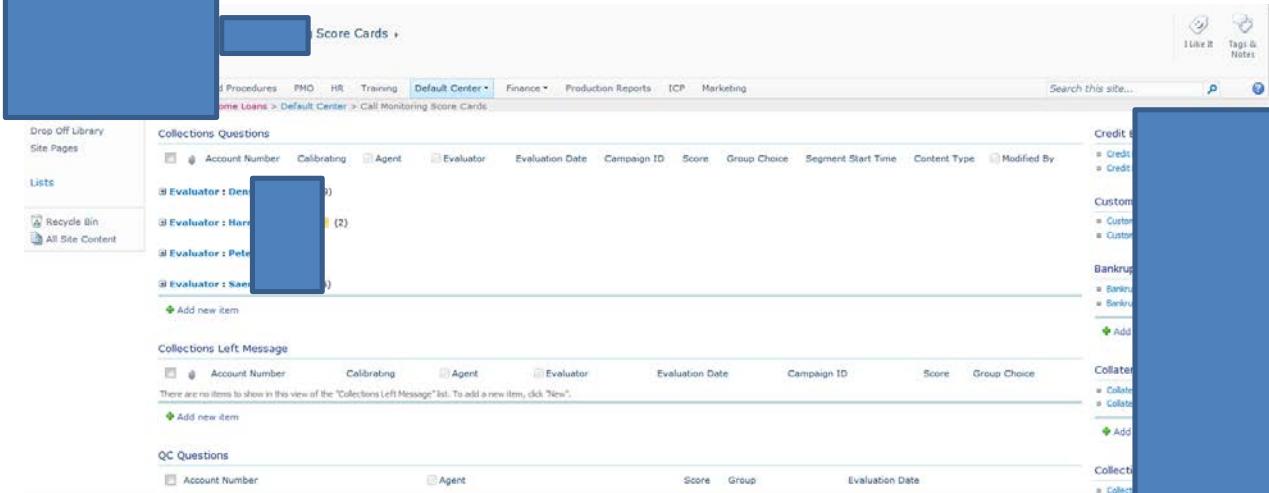
The screenshot shows a SharePoint 'Request' form with several fields. The fields are: Full Name, Job Title, Department, Respons (respons system a require notified complet), Manage, SVP Name, Exec. As, Cost Cen, Start Da, Training, Training, and Training. The right side of the form includes: Preferred, Requisite, Job Type, Primary, Badge A, and Add'l En. The fields are mostly redacted with blue boxes. A status bar at the bottom right of the form area reads 'Local intranet | Protected V'.

Review

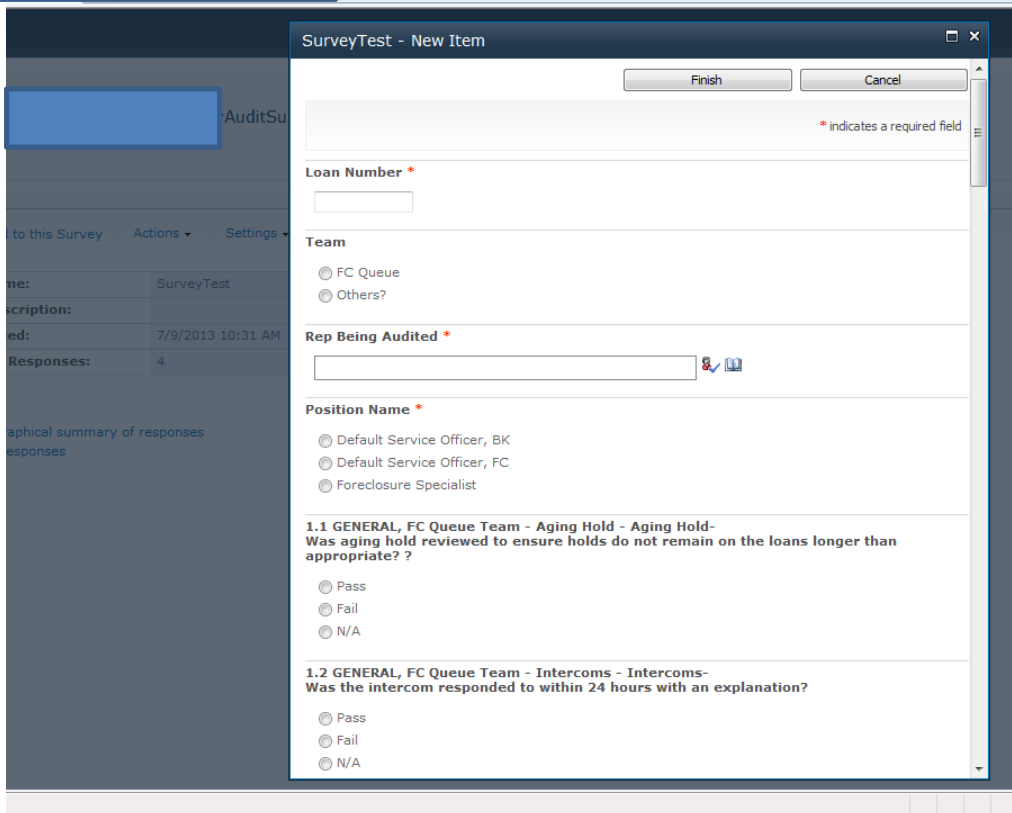
The screenshot shows a SharePoint 'Review' table with the following columns: Review Type, Current Status, Assigned To, Review #, Date Submitted, Account Number, Last Name, State, Document Name, Executed By, Assigned FC/BK Rep, DateSubmitted1, DateSubmitted2, and DateSubr. The table contains two rows: 'Current Status : Closed (130)' and 'Current Status : No Exception (8190)'. There is an 'Add new item' link below the table. The content is mostly redacted with blue boxes.

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Scorecards



Audit Survey Solution



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Fees Tracking

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Servicing Questions

Loan Number	Where intercoms responded to, within (1) business day?	Did the Rep., resolve the intercom?	Did the Rep., work their assigned work Que's	Where the loans documented properly?	Does the file maintain the correct hold?	Does the hol
980	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	N/A
980	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Yes	Yes	Yes	
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Add new item

Fee Split

Edit	Term	FC_DSO	BK_DSO	FC_DSO_Doc	FC_SA_Doc	FC_Doc	BK_Doc	Notary	Title
00	Kevin	Tai	Nat	Ashli	Ose	Kyle	As	1	
01	Kevin	Tai	Nat	Ashli	Ose	Kyle	As	2	
02	Kevin	Tai	Nat	Ashli	Ose	Kyle	As	3	
03	Kevin	Tai	Nat	Ashli	Ose	Kyle	As	4	
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* Success stories, client quotes and payback estimates are provided as general illustrations of past performance and represent summaries of long term, complex efforts. They are often used to teach concepts and lessons learned, and may have been simplified considerably. Estimates of financial impact are estimates only, and not intended to convey exact financial information. Some have been altered to protect confidential information. We ask that prospective clients contact our references and request specific details of relevant success stories prior to any decision to use our services.