Tech Tip Tuesday—April 3, 2018

Extra PO fields

While Livery Coach has always had a Purchase Order (PO) field, sometimes that isn't enough.

For example, you might have a law firm as a client, and they might have specific requirements such as:

- 1. Every booker has an employee number, which has to appear on every trip (and receipt/invoice).
- 2. There has to be a Client ID on every trip (provided at booking).
- 3. There has to be a Matter number on every trip (also provided at booking).

Fortunately, Livery Coach can handle this with ease.

As some of you may have noticed, there are already 5 additional PO fields in the Payment Method screen, which are by default labeled PO1 through PO5.

Account Group:	•	PO:	•	Farm Res #:	Dept #	:
PO 1	PO 2		PO 3	PO 4	PO 5	

So you remember what you are using these extra fields for, they can be relabeled in System Default Config...General Settings...System Label tab. Type in what you want to call them (note that these are global labels):

General Settings 🗵						
Syste	em Setting				System Label	
	Tax Label:	Tax				
Gr	atuity Label:	Recommended Gratuity				
Standa	ard Gratuity:	Gratuity				
Spe	cial Gratuity:	Special Gratuity				
	Canceled:	Canceled				
	Chauffeur:	Chauffeur				
24-Ho	ur Reminder:	24-Hour Reminder				
	PO 1:	Employee #				
	PO 2:	Client #				
	PO 3:	Matter #				
	PO 4:	PO 4				
	PO 5:	PO 5				
Speci	al Requests:	iChauffeur Notes				

Now, to enable the auto-fill, open the contact record and navigate to the UDF (User Defined Fields) tab. In the example below, I filled out UDF 1, and I checked the box next to the field. The check-box means that UDF 1 will auto-fill the PO 1 field in a reservation.

Contact Info Chauffe	eur Vehicle	Misc	Messages !	Web Access	UDF	iGroup
UDF 1: 12-345		UDF 4:				
UDF 2:		UDF 5:				
UDF 3:						

Now, when you enter a new reservation, your re-labeled PO field will automatically be filled out.

Account Group:	- PC	0: 🗸	Farm Res #:	Dept #	#:
Employee #	Client #	Matter #	PO 4	PO 5	
12-345					

You can add the Client # and Matter # as needed.

This data will flow over to QuickBooks when the trip is closed. If you want the information on the confirmations and receipts as well, simply turn on the CF variables (Maintain...Reports..Labels) and they will appear! (For a review of report labels, visit liverycoach.tech and reference the two-part tech tip in June 2014.)

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		Billing
	Reference:	12-345 LCS 0001
Routing Inf	ormation :	
Pickup At :	Phila. Intl Airport - F	PHL AA1824, 8000 Essington Ave # Philade
Dropoff At :	Livery Coach Office	e 1530 McDaniel Drive # West Chester PA
Reference :	12-345 LCS 0001	