Tech Tip Tuesday—April 26, 2022

Airports and ERDS (Electronic Reservation Delivery Systems)

Many of you receive some of your reservations via ERDS (Electronic Reservation Delivery Systems) such as DEEM and/or Groundspan.

When an ERDS reservation that contains an airport comes in, if it's a commercial flight, the ERDS system only provides the airport code, and not the entire airport address. (Private flights to FBOs are handled differently).

In order to know what address to use for the trip, you will need to make sure that there is an airport address associated with that airport code in Livery Coach.

The first step is to make sure that the airport has been entered as a Location in your Points of Interest. Be sure to make sure that the Airport Code is populated. An example is below:

Edit Location							x				
Location Information				Detail Info	Terminal	Hub Area	Attribute				
Category				Directions							
Airports - Local 👻				Parking Lot A							
Name											
Philadelphia International Airport (PHL)											
Color Code											
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Street											
8000 Essington Ave				Airport Code: PHL							
City		State/Province	Zip/Postal Cd								
Philadelphia		PA	19153	Private Airport							
Country		Phone		Intl Airport Code Search:							
USA	*	(215) 937-6937		Note: Select the airport code ONLY if the location is an airport.							
				Group Manifest Location							
				Sub Location							
Verified				☑ Display In Website Location List							
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Keep in mind that there is no limit to how many Points of Interest (Locations) that can be tied to the same airport code (common when there are FBOs at a commercial airport).

Therefore, the 2nd step is to tie the airport code back to a "default" address.

Navigate to Setup->Maintain->Airports, and select the desired Point of Interest from the drop down in the "Location Address" field, and click save. Once this is done, your ERDS airport reservations will populate with a full airport address. Screen shot below.

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General			Termina	l List		
Airport Name:	Airport Code:		International Airport Code:		Usage (%):	
Philadelphia International Airport	PHL					80
Not Verifiable						
Elights from here go through customs when arriving.			Meeting Procedure	: See Notes		*
Location Address:						
Philadelphia International Airport (PHL)						*
City:		State/Provin	ce: u	ountry:		_
Philadelphia		PA		-		+
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(GMT -05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)	12	Mins				
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Display in Website Airport List						
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