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Join us for an in-depth 2 day training seminar and user conference in San Antonio next April! This will be a great opportunity to network with fellow Contract Collector users and increase your productivity by learning the new techniques and capabilities of Contract Collector v5.

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GENERAL RELEASE: FEBRUARY 15th, 2009

For about the last 6 months a dedicated group of beta-testers have been working hard, testing the version 5 release of Contract Collector. During this time, our programmer has been working long hours correcting reported issues and putting the final touches on the version 5 release. Therefore, Graveco Software is very pleased to announce that Contract Collector v5 will be ready for general release on **February 15th, 2009**.

Contract Collector v5 will be installed as a separate software application on your computer or network. An integrated conversion process will convert a copy of your version 4 data to the new version 5. This will allow you to run both v4 and v5, until you are fully satisfied and comfortable with the new functionality and capabilities of the new release. Please be aware that there are some significant differences with version 5, and it may take you some time to become comfortable in this new environment. As always, our technical support staff is ready to help you whenever needed. Please do not hesitate to give us a call. We can also arrange an online training session for you and your staff to facilitate this transition for your office, if needed.

Best of all, this update is available for **no charge**, as long as you have a current support/ maintenance plan. However, we are asking that you complete a short questionnaire (see the order form) and complete and sign the new software license agreement (see below). In order to ensure that you get this new release as soon as it becomes available, please complete and return both the questionnaire and license agreement **as soon as possible**. Once we have received these documents, we will provide you with your Authorization Codes so that you will be able to activate the v5 software as soon as you receive it. There are a significant number of new features in v5, and we think that you are going to be very pleased with this new release!

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NEW “EDITIONS” TO CONTRACT COLLECTOR

Contract Collector has always been a very powerful software tool for both small loan servicing agencies and large collection companies, and everything in between. In an effort to better tailor the features of Contract Collector to each of these market sizes, new “editions” of Contract Collector will be available starting in 2009. Specifically, a Small Office Edition, a Standard Edition and a Professional Edition (and also possibly an Enterprise Edition in the future) will be marketed for Contract Collector v5. All current Contract Collector customers will receive the Standard Edition, at no charge. The Standard Edition will include all of the capabilities that v4 users are accustomed to. The Professional Edition will include all of the modules that were available separately on v4 (electronic banking, Auto Pay, check scanning, import process, etc.), as well as many new features, such as: advanced reporting, enhanced email capabilities, save reports to PDF files, enhanced Excel reports, plus many more. **For a limited time only**, we are offering the upgrade from the Standard Edition to the **Professional Edition** to all current users for only **\$698**. After March 31st, 2009 this upgrade will return to its regular price of \$1,000.



SAN ANTONIO 2009: TRAINING SEMINAR & USER CONFERENCE

On Thursday and Friday, **April 16th and 17th, 2009**, Graveco Software will be holding a training seminar and user conference in San Antonio, Texas. The seminar will be held in the Crowne Plaza Hotel located on San Antonio's famous Riverwalk. This two day training will focus entirely on the newly released Contract Collector v5. The emphasis will be to provide users with in-depth instruction and knowledge on the basic and advanced concepts, features, and capabilities of version 5. This will be a great opportunity to increase your productivity, learn new techniques, and discover how to utilize the full potential of your Contract Collector software. It will also be a fantastic opportunity to meet and network with other Contract Collector customers from across the country. You will not want to miss this 2 day training event.

Here are just *some* of the topics that will be covered during this training seminar:

- **Advanced Reporting:** Master all of the new Advanced Reporting features: Add/ Remove columns from the reports, customize layouts, change fonts, save reports, print to a PDF file, etc.
- **Email:** Save paper and postage by emailing receipts, letters and reports. Learn how integrated email distribution lists can be used to easily send reports and notices with the push of a button.
- **Forms Maintenance:** Discover how to overcome the complexities of the Report Designer, how to use the data environment and formulas, and other techniques to create specialized letters and notices. We will also cover the new Word mail merge functionality.
- **Data Entry Tips and Tricks:** Improve productivity and efficiency by learning how to best manipulate and navigate the work environment and the data entry screens.
- **User Conference:** Get tips and advice directly from other Contract Collector users and discuss potential future improvements for the software.

The **Crowne Plaza Riverwalk Hotel** in San Antonio has been carefully selected as the location for this event. It is ideally located along the north area of the Riverwalk and is a quick stroll to the Rivercenter Mall, shops, art galleries, restaurants, and the Alamo.

The early-registration price for attending this event will be \$798 for the training seminar and user conference, nearly half the price of our standard 2 day training. We have also secured a great group rate from the hotel of \$149 per night. **Space is limited**, so if you are interested in attending this great event, please do not hesitate to reserve your seat today! A second employee or co-worker from your company can also join you for this event for a reduced price of \$298, a \$500 discount! Early registration ends on March 17th, 2009, registration fees will increase \$200 after this date (the cut-off date for the group rate at the hotel is same date). To register for this event, please complete and return the attached order form, payment in full is required to hold your seat. Please contact the hotel to reserve your guest room. We really hope that you will join us for this event.

Hotel Reservations: Online Reservations: <https://resweb.passkey.com/go/HM4>

Telephone Reservations: **1-888-233-9527** (mention Graveco Software Group Rate or Block Code: HM4.)

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Contract Collector v5 Upgrade Questionnaire:

Please complete the following questionnaire with this order form. These responses will be used for determining future development efforts, as we continue to develop and improve Contract Collector v5. Please check all of the aspects of the software that your organization uses, if an aspect is not used or only used very rarely, please leave it unchecked:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> General Ledger | <input type="checkbox"/> Client Disbursement | <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Bureau Reporting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Data Import Process | <input type="checkbox"/> Data Export Process | <input type="checkbox"/> Payment Import Process |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Auto Pay Process | <input type="checkbox"/> Report Writer | <input type="checkbox"/> Forms Maintenance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Check/ Barcode Scanner | <input type="checkbox"/> IRS 1098 Reports | <input type="checkbox"/> IRS 1099 Reports |

Which of the following new features would be of interest for your organization, if they were made available in a future release of the software: (select all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ACH Payments | <input type="checkbox"/> IRS eFile (1098s or 1099s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll Interface |
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THANK YOU for taking the time to complete this short questionnaire!!

Contract Collector v5 Upgrade & San Antonio Seminar Order Form

Description:	Cost:	✓	Amount:
Contract Collector v5: Standard Edition * No Charge for Customers on a current Support Plan.	\$0: FREE*		
Contract Collector v5: Professional Edition Get all the powerful new features of version 5. Order the Professional Edition before March 31 st , 2009 for a \$302 discount.	\$1,000 Now only: \$698		
San Antonio Training Seminar & User Conference: Price includes seminar seats only, please contact hotel for room reservations. Pre-register by March 17 th , 2009. Price after 3/17/09: \$998.	\$798		
One Additional Seat at the San Antonio Training Seminar: Bring a co-worker from your organization and get \$500 off the 2 nd registration.	\$298		
Tax 8.2% (WA only)			
Total Payment Due			

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