

# **Forfeiture Mobile App**

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#### 1.1 TREASURER

#### 1.1.1 FORFEITURE DATA COLLECTION

### PROBLEM AND ANALYSIS

## Background

Treasurer department has an annual responsibility to properly document the tax forfeiture process. The LIS Department built an application in MS Access and MapInfo that consumed a daily export from BSA and was deployed to the field on a laptop. A digital camera was used for site photos and later imported into the laptop.

#### Statement of Problem

The current Tax Forfeiture workflow is built on MapInfo software and MS Access amd executed on a laptop pc. Both MapInfo and MS Access are no longer supported in county workflows. ESRI software can be used to rebuild the workflow. *Forfeiture Data Collector Application*, (**Forfeiture App**) must be recreated in the ESRI framework.

### **Analysis**

Forfeiture App will facilitate: Mobile data collection on a handheld device,: (Mobile Interface) and an in office workflow to complete data processing, (Pre and PostProcessing)

#### Mobile Interface

- Synchronize with data in the office (online)
- Collect data and photos of forfeiture sites (offline)
- > Synchronize the collected data with data in the office (online)

#### **Pre & Post Processing**

Produce and print a form for each site visited with required data and images

# Forfeiture App Summary

### There are three parts to the daily routine:

- 1. Preprocessing (in the office):
  - > Export current forfeiture list from BSA
  - Update Forfeiture Parcels with BSA export
  - > Update Forfeiture Parcels with contaminated sites information
  - > Synchronize Forfeiture Parcels to Mobile Interface
- 2. Field data collection with Mobile Interface:
  - > Aids in navigation
  - > Provides a Checklist of data points for each site
  - > Attaches photos for each site
  - > Save results for synchronization in post-processing
- 3. **Post-processing** (in the office)
  - Synchronize data and images collected in Mobile Interface to Forfeiture Parcels
  - > Export form for each site
  - > Print form for each site
  - Update BSA data

### Push Next

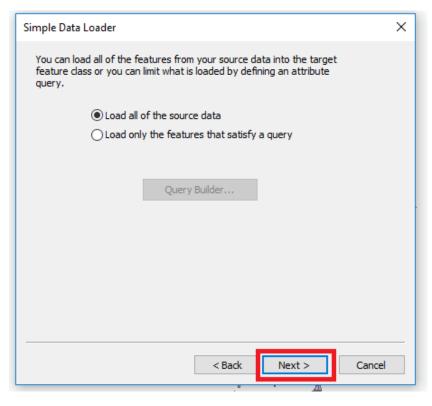


Figure 1.1: Load Data 3

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