ROSS Version 2.2.1 Maintenance Release Notes

The following is a synopsis of the fixes included in ROSS version 2.2.1. The primary objective of this version was to correct critical software problems and implement changes to requirements.

Contract

The ‘Remove’ button was incorrectly enabled when the user’s dispatch center was an ‘Organization Managing Resources’ on a contract but not the creator of the contract. This software problem has been addressed so that only the dispatch center that created a contract may remove it.

Pending Request

When using the Fill with EFF / AD or Fill with Agreement option on the Pending Request screen, users are permitted to search for and select any single government (non-dispatch) organization in ROSS as the provider.

Request Status

Users were unable to cancel a pending request when an associated non-local support request had been created and control of the support request was maintained by the non-local office. This issue occurred even if the support request had been cancelled. This software problem has been fixed.

View Request

Requests filled using the Fill with Agreement or Fill with EFF / AD options were incorrectly displaying vendor information in the field for provider organization. This has been corrected.

View Resource

Requests filled using the Fill with Agreement or Fill with EFF / AD options were incorrectly displaying vendor information in the provider organization field. This has been corrected.

Merge Resources

A ‘null pointer’ error was generated if users attempted to merge a resource item that had an existing Unavailability Period into another master record. This software problem has been fixed.

Resource Item

- A removed resource item that had been assigned to existing (open or closed) incident(s) incorrectly displayed ‘No’ in the Referenced column of the View Resource Item Usage screen. This software problem has been resolved.
• When adding a new service users are now required to select a provider organization. If not designated by the user, the Home Unit and Owner will default to the selected provider. This functionality was unintentionally omitted from version 2.2.

• Users are not permitted to transfer resource items identified as Services. The pick button for Home Dispatch is disabled when the selected item is a service. If an existing service needs to be moved between two dispatch centers it must be deleted at one and reentered at the other.

• The 2.2 release inadvertently omitted the new Remove / Restore / Delete functionality for services on the resource item screen. This functionality has been implemented.

• A ‘null pointer’ error was generated if users attempted to delete a removed resource item that had an existing Unavailability Period. This software problem has been fixed.

• A software problem allowed external resources associated with a removed non-ROSS dispatch center to be displayed via the ‘Add External Resource to Inventory’ dialog on the Resource Item screen. This has been resolved. When an external dispatch center is removed any associated external resources become Unavailable (Removed) and cannot be added to inventory.

Known Issue: If the removed external dispatch center is subsequently restored, the associated external resources are not restored. This will be addressed in a future version.

Workaround: If needed to fill a request, the external resource(s) must be reentered.

• External resources were not being correctly referenced to their associated non-ROSS dispatch center. This allowed a non-ROSS dispatch center to be removed even while an associated external resource was assigned to an internal incident. This software problem has been fixed.

• A software problem that sometimes resulted in an ‘optimistic failure’ error when users attempted to add external resources to their inventory on the Resource Item screen has been resolved.

• Users received an error when attempting to designate a jetport while creating a new crew resource item. Because jetport is a required field this software problem prevented creation of crew resources. This has been fixed.

View Resource

Requests filled using the Fill with Agreement or Fill with EFF / AD options were incorrectly displaying vendor information in the provider organization field. This has been corrected.