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MetroList Services, Inc. is the First MLS in The Nation To Achieve RESO's Highest Data Dictionary Certification

MetroList is 100% 1.4 Data Dictionary Compliant and is Platinum Certified

Sacramento, California [September 8, 2015] - MetroList Services, Inc. (MetroList®) is once again at the forefront of setting the MLS industry data standards by becoming the first MLS in the nation to achieve Data Dictionary 1.4 Platinum Certification by The Real Estate Standards Organization (RESO). Two months ago, MetroList set the standard by becoming the first MLS to achieve Data Dictionary 1.3 Core Certification, the new industry standard that allows third-party vendors and services to access data from different MLS systems in a standard format without having to create a unique mapping for each MLS. The Platinum designation attests to an organization being 100% compliant.

"MetroList has set the standard of how important accurate data mapping is to the entire industry," said

Jeremy Crawford, Executive Director of RESO. "We owe them a great debt of gratitude for going above and beyond
the base requirements of certification as their entire team worked tirelessly to achieve platinum certification, the
highest level of RESO certification."

RESO Data Dictionary Certification sets the highest industry standards for data collection and how that data is disseminated to real estate agents and brokers. The National Association of REALTORS® requires MLSs to be RESO Data Dictionary compliant by January 2016 through the RESO Certification Process. The RESO Data Dictionary Certification Process requires "Core" certification on either version 1.3 or 1.4 of the Data Dictionary. Platinum certification level requirement is currently scheduled for 2020 and an MLS will need to gain certification on the two most recent versions of the Data Dictionary. Data Dictionary Version 1.5 is scheduled for release in Q2 2016 and RESO plans on one version release per year.



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"MetroList and Rapattoni worked side-by-side to obtain the platinum designation. It was not so much for the designation as it was to implement the highest quality mapping of the MLS Data to meet the stringent RESO testing rules," said Rick Trevino, IT Director for MetroList. "I am very proud of our team for their hard work and dedication on this project and MetroList's commitment to delivering the very best technology and tools."

This new level of certification benefits MetroList Subscribers so that they have the best information and technology to serve a new generation of homebuyers and sellers. "RESO data dictionary is solving the business problems of local brokerage and associated technology vendors as it relates to integrating MLS data into broker platforms," added Crawford.

"Rapattoni is committed to helping the real estate industry establish standards that facilitate integration between the many products and services that today's realtors rely upon," said Brian Tepfer, Chief Technology Officer at Rapattoni Corporation. "The RESO Data Dictionary represents a significant step forward in standardizing these integrations and we're thrilled to have MetroList running the new 1.4 specification with Platinum certification."

MetroList is a leader in delivering the latest technology and the most accurate/timely real estate data which allows MetroList Subscribers to focus on helping their clients buy and sell property.

For more information about RESO and the Data Dictionary, www.reso.org.

About MetroList Services, Inc.

MetroList Services Inc. is the largest multiple listing service in Northern California headquartered in Sacramento, the state's capital. Formed in 1985 by the Sacramento Association of REALTORS®, the Placer County Association of REALTORS® and the El Dorado County Association of REALTORS®, MetroList's ownership group has grown to include the Lodi Association of REALTORS® and the Yolo County Association of REALTORS®, and California Real Estate Brokers, Inc. MetroList acts as a seamless real estate information network serving more than 17,000 real estate professionals in seven counties: Sacramento, Placer, El Dorado, San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced and Yolo.