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... using Windows 7 is putting your data at risk?

On January 14, 2020, Microsoft's Windows 7 Operating System reached its EOL (End of Life) and is no longer being supported. If you are still using Windows 7, and it seems your computer is still functioning as it always has, know that EOL means you are no longer receiving any software or security updates that keep your system secure. With those updates gone, your system becomes an easy target to the new computer threats hackers are constantly creating, leaving you vulnerable. Below are just a few reasons you should be extremely concerned and should consider upgrading your system right away:

- You are at a much greater risk for viruses, malware (including ransomware) and cyber-attacks;
- Any sensitive client data that you are storing or accessing is vulnerable to hackers, leading to the potential of compromising your client data;
- Businesses and individuals who are victims of ransomware can pay hundreds of thousands of dollars to unlock their data.

Here's where MuniMetriX comes in! We are here to help protect your documents in our secure, SEC-compliant, cloud-based storage system. Your documents will ALWAYS be safe! However, to keep up with the ever-changing technology, we also must move forward. If you are still using Windows 7, eventually the methodology of our system, along with most other devices and programs on your computer (i.e., printers, scanners, automatically updated software) will become limited.

We will always do our best to find workarounds and offer alternative solutions for our system to those still on Windows 7. However, it will get to the point that even our outstanding support team will not be able to find innovative ways to keep you working. We are encouraging those still on Windows 7 to upgrade your system as soon as possible for your own protection.

We encourage you, as a valued customer, to reach out to us should you have any suggestions or ideas you feel would be a benefit in your use of Silo. Please call us at 800-457-3733 or e-mail us at support@munimetrix.com *any time! We appreciate your loyalty!*

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