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### **Four More California School Districts Sign with OPRA**

Marina del Rey, CA - The Adelanto, Cajon Valley, Palos Verdes and San Ysidro school districts have all signed up to utilize one or more of OPRA modules. But signing an agreement to utilize the OPRA suite of Internet/Intranet is “no big deal”, says Warren Wagner of Package Products & Services, Inc., (PPS) developers of OPRA. “Back in the ‘old days’ (9 years ago), we had a two year contract term. We realized that we have never lost a CMMS customer, so we dropped that requirement years ago. We know and they (customers) know that OPRA is a great value. As long as we continue to stay on top of the technology, and provided unbeatable service, we will never drop a customer, only add them.”

All four districts have opted to utilize OPRA servers for deployment. Using this ASP model (Application Service Provider), the applications can be deployed, maintained and updated more efficiently than utilizing in house IT resources. Customers may also utilize their own servers for this function and there is no difference in the pricing.

PPS has passed its nine year anniversary in June and has amassed an impressive client list, including both government agencies and private companies. The company first deployed its browser based OPRA CMMS (Computerized Maintenance Management System) and other modules in 1996 and was the first in the world to deploy such a 100% web based CMMS system. The OPRA suite of modules has expand beyond CMMS to CRM (Customer Relations Management), Purchase Requisition Management, Enterprise Calendar and more.

The OPRA browser based system uses familiar Internet buttons, navigation conventions and forms which make training less of an issue than with traditional stand alone systems. Clients may utilize OPRA’s server sites which feature carrier redundancy, system redundancy and ultra-high security. OPRA users may at any time elect to run the software from its own local servers from a menu of operating system and database configurations including LINUX, MS-NT/2000/2003 using MS-SQL, MYSQL or even MS-ACCESS.

PPS Systems, Inc. is a privately held company with headquarters in Marina del Rey, California. The service that is described above relates to a natural expansion of the utilization of the company’s expertise and services available. Interested parties may contact PPS at 800-545-4888 or email at [sales@opras.net](mailto:sales@opras.net).

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