

### HOW HOAs MAXIMIZE AP EFFICIENCY WITH AVID-STRONGROOM





### **Educational Topics for Today - Agenda**

### **Accounts Payable Advantage with Avid-Strongroom**

- About Avid-Strongroom!
- How does it work?
- What will my experience be like?
- Is it secure?
- Q&A

## About AvidXchange/Strongroom!

#### ABOUT AVIDXCHANGE STRONGROOM

- Strongroom was founded in 2007, pioneering HOA payables optimization with 750+ HOA Management clients and growing
- In 2015 it was purchased by "AvidXchange, Inc.", a leader in AP Automation
- The legacy Strongroom product is now called "Avid Strongroom"
- Avid Strongroom is a Software as a Service (SaaS) which provides a mix of software and service
- The cloud-based application allows users to review & approve invoices anytime, anywhere, from any device with internet access.
- Avid Strongroom is compliant & represents clients in all 50 states
- AvidXchange undergoes a yearly SSAE 16 SOC 1 Type II Audit and has a Money Transmitter License for your security

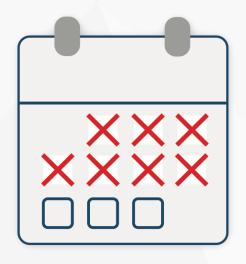


### Manage Your Transactions with Ease





### IMPACT OF STREAMLINING PAYABLES



days it takes to process an invoice before automation

Make Smarter Decisions!

Drive your organization to financial success!



### How does this all work?

### STRONGROOM PROCESS







FLEXIBLE ONLINE INVOICE APPROVAL PROCESS



**Strongroom** 





MONITOR INVOICE STATUS AND SEND PAYMENTS SECURELY



AvidXchange Payment Network



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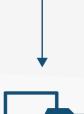
Card



INVOICES AND PAYMENTS POSTED TO THE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM



**Strongroom Sync** 



Accounting System

Check

#### INVOICES RECEIVED BY AVID STRONGROOM

- Dedicated email and postal address for vendors to submit invoices to process for payment.
- Invoices received by 6PM (Eastern) will be processed same-day into a PDF image with invoice header data extraction.
- The prepared invoice image and data will be routed to the first approver's queue the following morning.



#### **INVOICE APPROVALS**

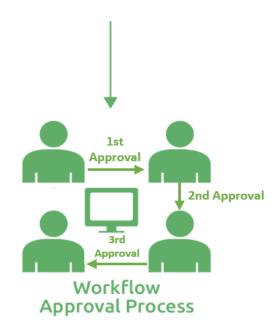
- Users are emailed when an invoice needs their approval on a daily basis.
- Users will see their list of invoices and by clicking the invoice number, they'll see the invoice image, data, notes, and history.
- Once approved or rejected, the invoice will immediately route to the next appropriate workflow approver (Rejects require an explanation for audit and quick resolution)
- Users can view approved or rejected invoice images, data, and history with a minimum 7year archive for complete transparency.



### FLEXIBLE ONLINE INVOICE APPROVAL PROCESS



#### **Strongroom**



#### **INVOICE PAYMENTS**

- \*\* Once all required approvals have occurred, invoices are paid on final approval by default, or they can be scheduled with a future pay date.
- Checks are the default payment method, or vendors can opt in for electronic payment (ACH or Virtual Card).
- Payments can be sent out daily except Sundays.
- Vendors can change their payment methods daily or set limits on a particular payment type.
- Full visibility is available for board members to search, view, and export payment records and reports with AvidStrongroom.





### AUTOMATED ACCOUNTING SYSTEM INTEGRATION

- Nightly, automated integration with your accounting system.
- Invoice & payment data, along with images will import nightly.
- All your current accounting system reporting will remain intact and available.
- AvidStrongroom provides additional AP reports and dashboards.



INVOICES AND PAYMENTS POSTED TO THE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM



**Strongroom Sync** 





## What will my experience be like?

### You've Got Mail

You have 4 Invoices in Payables Lockbox Inbox ×





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4:12 AM (4 hours ago)





to me 🕶



You have 4 Invoices in Payables Lockbox

You have 4 invoices to approve.

Please go to https://srspropmgmt2.payableslockbox.com/InvoiceSummary.aspx to approve the following invoices.

Association	Vendor	Number	Date	Due	Amount	Status	Last Change
Maple Tree Association	Calvin Martin & Co	852361	Nov-01-2018	Nov-30-2018	\$225.00	Board Approval	Update by Erin Rapp on Nov-01-2018
Maple Tree Association	Texas Aquatic Enterprises	48177881	Nov-01-2018	Nov-30-2018	\$246.91	Board Approval	Approve by Erin Mitchell on Nov-01-2018
Maple Tree Association	Allied Waste Services #852	1011-4465257-5-B	Nov-01-2018	Nov-15-2018	\$1,807.46	Board Approval	Update by Erin Rapp on Nov-01-2018
Maple Tree Association	All Season Services	120953	Nov-01-2018	Nov-30-2018	\$510.00	Board Approval	EditImage by Erin Rapp on Nov-01-2018

Please be sure to add the email address noreply@strongroomsolutions.com to your contact and safe senders list to ensure you receive all future emails from Payables Lockbox.

This email was sent to elcholdings@gmail.com.



### Logging into Strongroom



#### Forgot Password | Forgot Username

Please note, your username is not your email addresses.

Have you been locked out? In the event that you have been locked out of the system due to too many invalid logon attempts, you must contact your administrator to unlock your account. For security reasons the contact information of your administrator cannot be provided on this page.



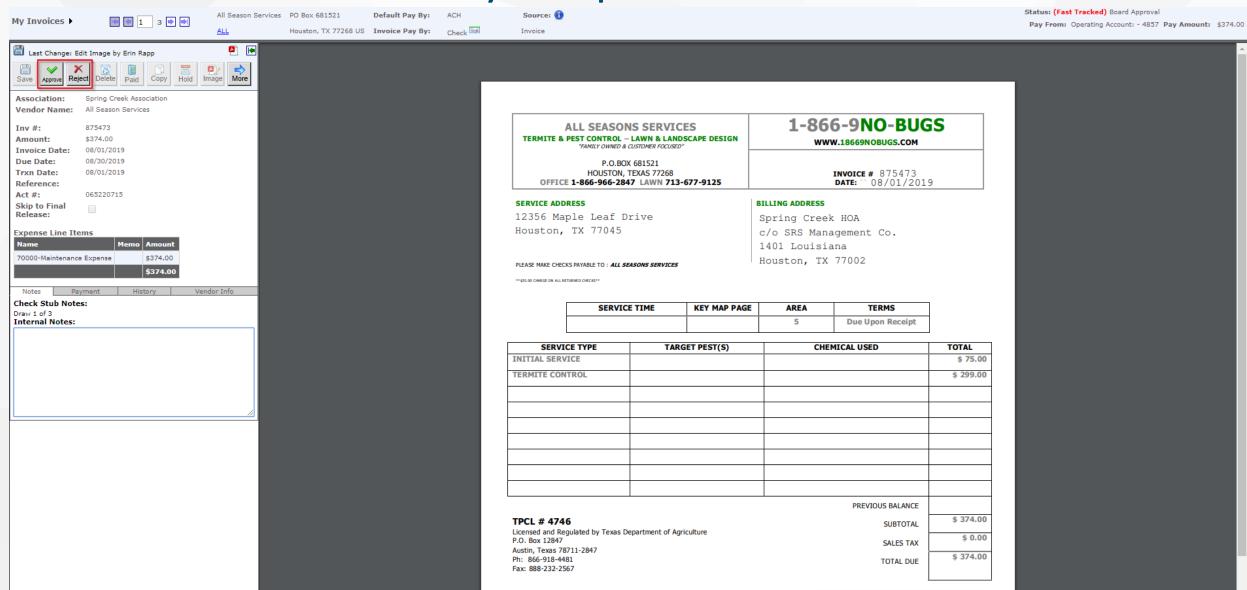
### What Do I Need To Work On Today?





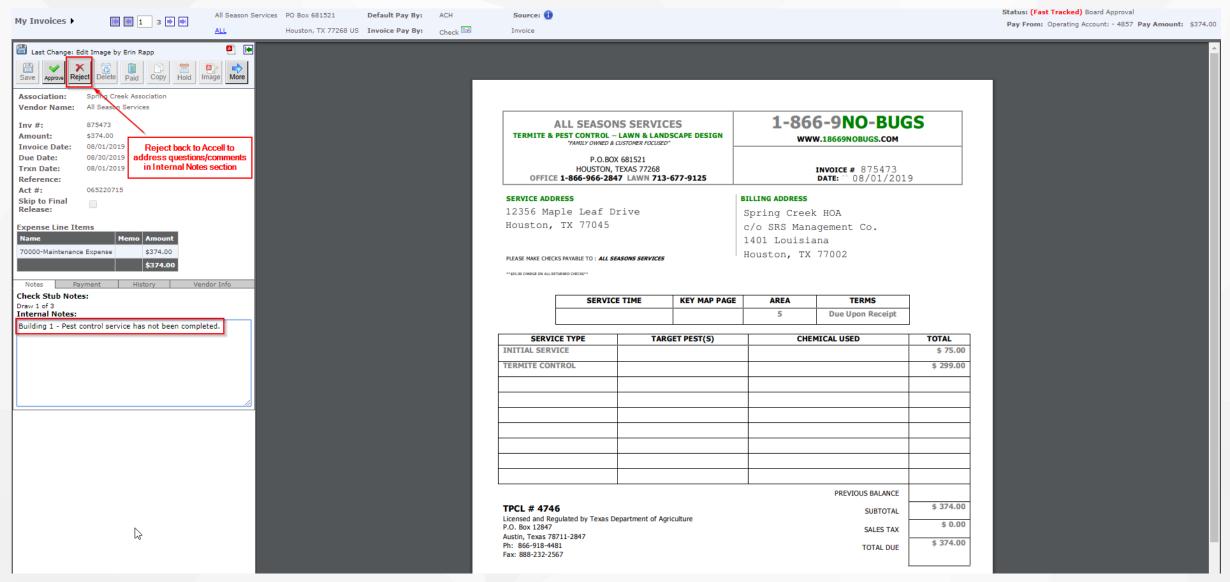


### View the invoices in your queue





### Communicate with Ease Regarding Any Questions Before Approving



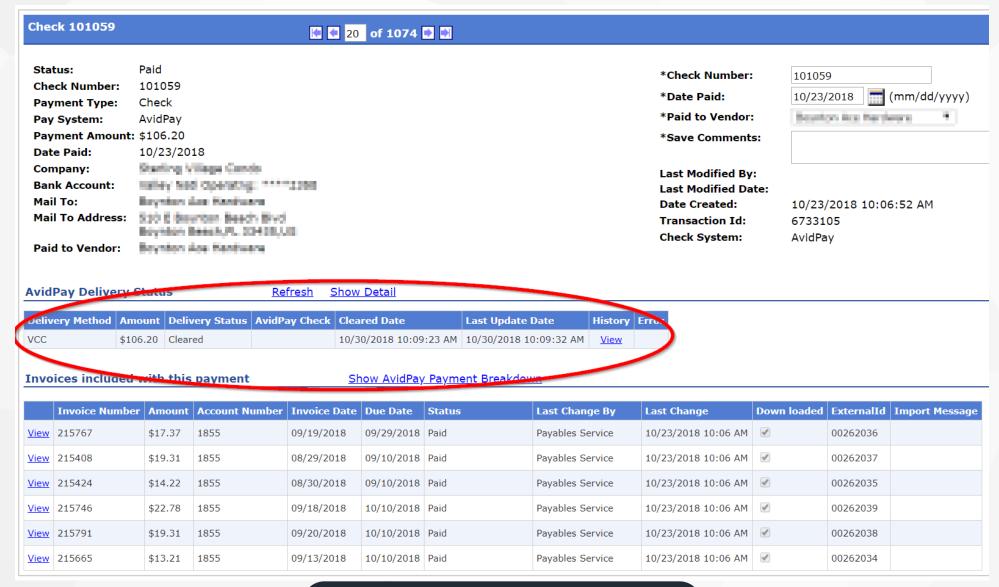
### Make Audits & Research Projects Easy



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### Research Payment Status & Approval





# Security & Confidentiality

### Security FAQs:

- Each user has their own user profile, username and password that they set when they first register.
- Each user will be assigned to specific role(s) and to their assigned property/properties. Users only see items related to their specific property/properties.
- There is a complete audit history on each invoice which shows every action (Update, Approve, Reject, etc) that has occurred on the invoice since it's inception into Strongroom (with the name of the user and a date/time stamp).
- There's an option of setting up Multi-Factor Authentication for login verifications (2, 3, and 4 way) as well as Data Access verifications (SMS).

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Q & A