Sign Management Software Survey Results At-a-Glance, Survey conducted by Kansas LTAP, Fall 2010

Sign Management Product	3M Sign	Baker Sign	CitiTech	GBA
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Available as stand-alone?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Asset management or cost accounting?	Neither	Baker Public Work System if desired	Yes	Asset Management
Type of database	Internet	Access 2007	MS SQL or Oracle	Access, SQL, Oracle
Preloaded?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Number of customizable fields	7+	10	2,000	100+
Single or multi user	Multi-user	Both	Both	Multi-user
Field Data Entry Options	Laptop, handheld	Laptop, pocket PC, paper	Any	Laptop, tablet, paper
Mapping Capability	GIS mapping software	Free version of Google Earth/Maps	GIS	Interface with ESRI ArcGIS Solutions
Standard reports provided	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Custom reports?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Automatic upload from GPS?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Initial Cost?	$7,500	$1, 500	$15,000 and up	$3,000
Annual maintenance fee?	No	250	Yes	Yes

Sign Management Product	LTAP	RoadSoft	SignIT	SignMaster
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Available as stand-alone?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Asset management or cost accounting?	No	Yes	Asset Management, some of both	Asset management
Type of database	Microsoft Excel	SQL and TATUK GIS	SQL	FoxPro
Preloaded?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Number of customizable fields	add as needed	13	None	Many
Single or multi user	Multi-user	Both	Multi-user	Both
Field Data Entry Options	Paper, Laptop	Laptop	Laptop, barcode, tags, GPS, Bluetooth	Laptop, Paper
Mapping Capability	No	Yes	Yes	GPS, GIS
Standard reports provided	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Custom reports?	Yes	Yes	Coming soon	Yes
Automatic upload from GPS?	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Initial Cost?	Free to municipalities in PA	$5,995	$1,200	$1,500-$10,000
Annual maintenance fee?	No	Yes	No	Yes

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Available as stand-alone?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Asset management or cost accounting?	No	No	Both	Yes	Asset Management
Type of database	SQL and Access	MS Access	Access 2000-2010	Access	Web-based
Preloaded?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Number of customizable fields	N/A	10	10+	Several	As-needed
Single or multi user	Multi-user	Single, with accomodations for multi	Multi-user	Single	Multi-user
Field Data Entry Options	Laptop, handheld or paper	Laptop	Laptop, Richo camera, paper	Laptop, paper, handheld	PC, Laptop, Handheld
Mapping Capability	Google Earth or BingMap from database	ERSI-based customizable GIS software	Richo camera or STAR Road Program	MapWindows GIS	Google Earth, Bing
Standard reports provided	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Custom reports?	Yes	Yes	By request	Yes	Yes
Automatic upload from GPS?	N/A	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Initial Cost?	$3,000-5,000	$1,500	$4,000-5,000	$500	$1200-$5000
Annual maintenance fee?	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes