ACT NOW AND SAVE! Avoid a set-up fee by transitioning to API now!

If you subscribe to a RETS data feed via RANW MLS- you are at risk of losing your MLS data feed.

RETS access for RANW MLS data feeds will only be available until May 31, 2023 with the exception of WIREX feeds. If you have not transitioned to API by May 31, 2023 you will lose your MLS data feed! If there is a reason you cannot be transitioned to API by that date, please contact us immediately.

In order to regain your data feed after the cutoff date, you will have to apply for an API data feed and will be charged a set-up fee. RANW MLS is <u>not</u> charging MLS Participants a set-up fee for <u>existing</u> RETS feeds that transition to API with the same information (vendor, URL, feed type, data use). So, transition now and save money!

Contact your Vendor NOW to ensure you are transitioned to API in a timely fashion to avoid a set-up fee or disruption of your data feed.

RANW MLS has aligned with a company called MLS GRID for Data Feed Management. MLS GRID is currently being used by many of the Vendors that our members are using today. Vendors may already be familiar with them and this new process. If your Vendor is not already part of the GRID, they can visit mlsgrid.com/resources for How-To information.

Members should transfer their IDX and VOW data feeds to MLS Grid, and don't forget about your other feeds! Back-office Replication and Firm-Specific feeds also need to be transitioned from RETS to API.

Members must begin the transition process for Firm Specific feeds. To do this, offices need to set up an account on MLS Grid and invite your vendor to use your company listings.

Here is a how-to based on MLS Grid's instructions. MLS Grid for Firm Specific Feeds

<u>REMINDER</u>: When you have transitioned to API, you will want to cancel your RETS feed so you are no longer charged for it. When you and your vendor have successfully switched your website or software to the API feed from MLS Grid, don't forget to cancel your RETS feed! To avoid any interruption in data service, no data feed will be cancelled without written notice from our member. The easiest way to cancel a data feed is to send an email to support@ranw.org with the details.

<u>Data Agreements</u> – New RANW MLS Data Agreements for Data Feeds via RETS have been updated to comply with the new NAR MLS Policies and Rules. The new Data Agreements for API will also comply with the newest NAR MLS policies and can be found on mlsgrid.com.

Data Feed Fee Schedule – A restructured fee schedule has begun for all MLS Data Services. The fee schedule for RETS and API are the same. New fees are in effect as of February 1, 2023.

More information or questions:

- MLSGRID.com/resources
- Email: datafeed@ranw.org
- Call: RANW MLS (920) 739-9108

Thank you for your participation and support of RANW MLS ~ we look forward to serving you!