



Tracking Seasonal Rent Payments

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Overview

This document explains how to track payment progress for future rent.

A seasonal renter is normally required to pay their rent in full prior to occupancy. Some renters may pay it off over several payments. The normal process is to receive payments against future rent charges as open credits. Then when the rent charge is posted the open credits will be used and the owner will be credited.

If there is a need to track the payment progress against the amount due without having the payments go to the owner, the following procedure can be followed. It involves treating the payments as deposits (similar to Last Month's Rent) and then releasing the amount to open credits prior to charging the rent.

To find out the status of any tenant, go to AR, Tenant History. For a report on all seasonal tenants, run the unpaid charge details report limited to the category Future Rent Payments. You can further restrict the report to tenants whose balance is not equal to zero if you want only those who haven't paid in full.

One Time

Set up an account code and charge code

1. Go to <<Setup, Account Codes>>
2. Click <New>
3. Type in an ID of FutureRent
4. Type in a long description of Future Rent Payment
5. Type in a [Ledger code], e.g.9999
6. Select an [Account Type] of Current Liability
7. Click <Save>.

Future Rent Payment [Account]

ID: FUTURERENT | Description: Future Rent Payment | Ledger Code: 9999 | Active

Account Type: Current Liabilities | Bank Account

Classification: | Checking Account

| Escrow Deposit Analysis

| Impound Account

Account Sections

Balance Sheet: LIAB CUR: Current Liabilities

Other Financial Statements: LIAB CUR: Current Liabilities

8. Go to <<Setup, Charge Codes>>.
9. Click <New>.
10. Enter an ID of FutureRent
11. When you hit the <Tab> key or click into the Long Description field, the information from the Account Code will fill in.
12. Mark the checkbox [Use to Track Deposits]
13. Click <Save>

Future Rent Payment [Charge]

ID: FUTUREMENT Future Rent Payment Active

Account: FUTUREMENT: Future Rent Payment

Payoff Priority: Normal

Subject to Late Charges
 Subject to Management Fees
 Taxable
 Use to Track Deposits
 Earns Interest as a Deposit
 Pay Management Group

Set up a Category

- Go to <<Setup, Categories>>
- Click on <New>.
- Make the category name Future Rent Payments.
- Assign that category to each appropriate tenant.

[Category]

Name: Future Rent Payments Sort Position: _____

Section: _____

Category Type: General

Alert Type: None

Reminder Type: None

Category is a Label
 Category is a Note
 Profile Specific
 Hero PM Code: _____

Thomas J. Stieffel [Tenant]

ID: STIEFFEL Thomas J. Stieffel No Payments Status: Future

Upload Manager

All | General | Comment | Emergency | Inspection | Listing | Maintenance | Welcome | Edit

General
Future Rent Payments

1. Tenant / 2. Lease / 3. Rent Changes / 4. Recurring Charges / 5. Categories / 6. Documentation

Each Time

Charge Future Rent

1. Go to <<AR, Charge Tenant>>
2. Charge the tenant using the Future Rent charge code with the due date the day prior to their lease start date.

To find out the status of any tenant, go to AR, Tenant History.

For a report on all seasonal tenants, run the unpaid charge details report.

- Click the <Filter> button, highlight Status and Mark Future.
- Limit to the category Future Rent Payments.
- You can further restrict the report to tenants whose balance is not equal to zero if you want only those who haven't paid in full.

Tenant Unpaid Charges			
June 27, 2019			
Date	Description	Amount	Amount Due
Thomas J. Stieffel at Willow Brooke 201			
5/31/2019	Future Rent Payment to NUZIG Inc.	\$5,000.00	\$2,500.00
		\$5,000.00	\$2,500.00

When ready to use the Future Rent

1. Go to <<AR, Release Deposit>>. Release the future rent amount. The amount is then in open credits.
2. Go to <<AR, Charge Tenant>>. Charge the rent amount using the Rent charge code. The money you released will pay off the Rent charge and go to the owner at that time.

Tenant Move Out
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Profile Search

Dashboard

Internet Publishing

All Tasks

Charge Tenant

Unit	WB201: Willow Brooke 201	
Tenant	STIEFFEL: Thomas J. Stieffel	
Date	3/27/2019	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Distribute
Withhold		<input type="checkbox"/> Write Refund Check
Memo		
Comment		
Starting Deposits	\$5,000.00	Starting Charges
Final Deposits		Final Charges

Starting Open Credits	
Released Deposits	\$5,000.00
Interest	
Less Charges Paid	
Less Refund Check	
Final Open Credits	\$5,000.00

3/27/2019	Future Rent Payment	\$2,500.00	Release	\$2,500.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Pay Interest
4/27/2019	Future Rent Payment	\$2,500.00	Release	\$2,500.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Pay Interest

Tenant History
Charge Tenant

Date	6/1/2019				Total Charges	\$5,000.00
Due By		Unit	WB201: Willow Brooke 201	Tenant	STIEFFEL: Thomas J. Stieffel	
Charge	RENT: Rent	Amount	\$5,000.00			
Memo						
Comment						

Deposit
 Taxable
 Pay Management Group