

The Raiser's Edge™

7.96 New Features Guide

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New Features and Enhancements



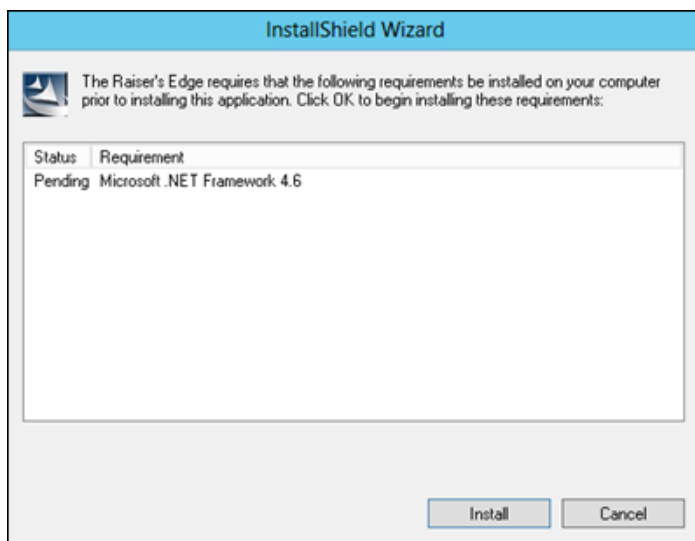
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Raiser's Edge 7.96 includes changes to the installation process, compatibility with *Mastercard*, and an update to *Import*. This chapter includes an overview of all the new features in **Raiser's Edge**.

.NET Framework 4.6

When you install **Raiser's Edge**, the process diagnoses your system and has the ability to install any pre-requisite programs for proper use of **Raiser's Edge**, such as compatible versions of *SQL Server*.

The installation of **Raiser's Edge 7.96** automatically prompts you to install .NET Framework 4.6, which includes full compatibility with TLS (Transport Layer Security) 1.2 encryption. TLS 1.2 encryption allows you to continue to communicate securely with **Blackbaud Payment Services** (BBPS) when processing payments.



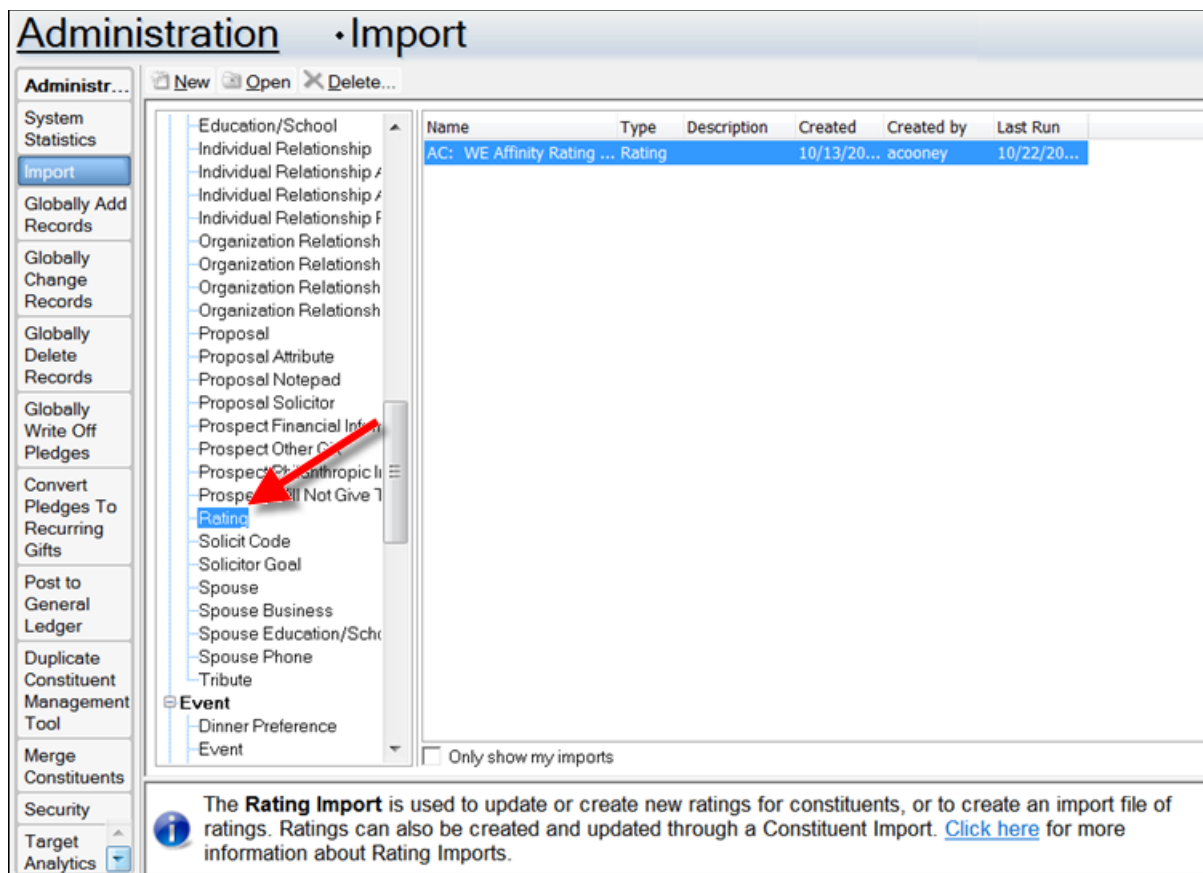
Mastercard Compatibility

When you enter a credit card number, such as on a gift record or the Bio 2 tab of a constituent record, **Raiser's Edge** can identify the card carrier based on that number. **Raiser's Edge** can now identify new *Mastercard* numbers, which begin with 222100-272099.

Import Ratings

To utilize wealth ratings and better target fundraising efforts, you can now import ratings in *Import* without the requirement of having the *RE:Search* module unlocked.

To import ratings, from *Administration*, select **Import**. Under **Constituent**, select **Ratings**.



Administration • Import

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System Statistics

Import

Globally Add Records

Globally Change Records

Globally Delete Records

Globally Write Off Pledges

Convert Pledges To Recurring Gifts

Post to General Ledger

Duplicate Constituent Management Tool

Merge Constituents

Security

Target Analytics

Education/School

Individual Relationship

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Proposal

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Rating

Solicit Code

Solicitor Goal

Spouse

Spouse Business

Spouse Education/Sch

Spouse Phone

Tribute

Event

Dinner Preference

Event

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Name	Type	Description	Created	Created by	Last Run
AC: WE Affinity Rating ...	Rating		10/13/20...	acooney	10/22/20...

The Rating Import is used to update or create new ratings for constituents, or to create an import file of ratings. Ratings can also be created and updated through a Constituent Import. [Click here](#) for more information about Rating Imports.