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Providing Access to the World's Legacy Data

Who should consider RAMS?

- Companies not creating new data with a legacy backup system but still need to locate the backed up data
- Companies wanting to reduce footprint, licensing, support and other IT costs
- Companies needing faster, more accurate response to data requests
- Companies wanting to reduce their overall costs of off-site media storage

Restoration as Managed Services

It is often the case that “created data” must be retained long after the system that created the data is still used. The legacy systems are often maintained with software licensing, hardware support costs and staff just to enable the occasional restore requested by the legal or compliance department. The obvious inefficiencies with this scenario are:

- Unnecessarily high costs of software licensing, hardware support, space and staffing
- The Increased unreliability of the systems involved, and lack of operating knowledge
- Slow responses to requests for information about data or for the data itself
- Off-site storage, handling and movement costs for the media

RAMS can solve the problem

SullivanStrickler has a solution set that reduces costs, improves functionality and speeds up time to data for its clients that are struggling with legacy backup systems.

- We emulate and/or virtualize backup systems and host them in our High Availability Vault (HAV). The client no longer needs the legacy backup system, but still has access to the system.
- We receive all off-site tape media and host in the HAV also, removing tape movement and handling costs and reducing time to data significantly.
- We populate all backup media and/or backup system database metadata to Invenire, our browser based file metadata review platform, enabling files/mailboxes/databases to be located in seconds so that the exact tape or tape set can be called for restore.
- Our TRACS (Tape Restore & Cataloging System) software can scan, catalog, restore files from the legacy backup tapes without the original software.
- Message archives can be migrated to LEAR (Legacy Email Archive Review), our platform that consolidates messages from tape or other message archives to enable a lower cost single platform that creates filtered PST's on demand for legal, compliance or business needs.