

# 2023 Lunch and Learn Derrick Club





#### **WELCOME!**

- Thanks for coming
- Housekeeping
- **Team** introductions
- How to get the most from today
  - Ask Questions there are no dumb questions
  - Interact with the team members
  - Take notes and follow up
  - Stay awake
  - Stay until the end







## Why Stay Until the End?

## Prize draw - you have to be here to win!

- Backpacks and mice
- Gift Basket
- Ticket Options





Survey: <a href="http://bitly.ws/Hjft">http://bitly.ws/Hjft</a> (bottom of agenda)





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- Dynamics Roadmaps Rick
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- DynamicPoint Leveraging your Office/Microsoft 365 for Expenses, AP and more Mike Marcin
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## **Dynamics Updates**

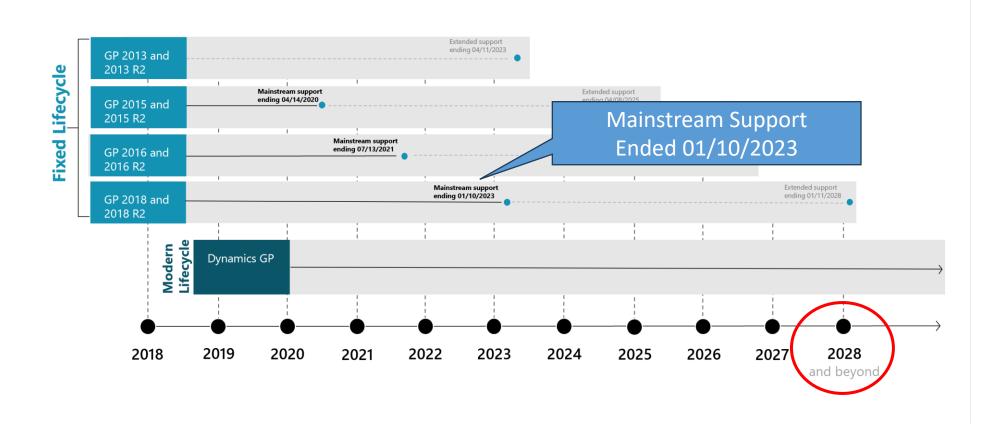
- Roadmaps
  - Dynamics GP
  - Dynamics 365 Sales / CRM
  - Dynamics 365 Business Central
- Updates via Joesoftware.com
- Summit 2023





## Microsoft Commitment to GP to at Least 2028

#### Dynamics GP versions governed by Fixed and Modern Lifecycle







# **Modern Support Policy**

- The Modern Lifecycle Policy covers products and services that are serviced and supported continuously. Under this policy, the product or service remains in support if the following criteria are met:
- Customers must stay current as per the servicing and system requirements published for the product or service.
- Customers must be licensed to use the product or service.
- Microsoft must currently offer support for the product or service.
- For products governed by the Modern Lifecycle Policy, Microsoft will provide a minimum of 12 months' notification prior to ending support if no successor product or service is offered—excluding free services or preview releases.
- For products under existing lifecycle policies (such as the Fixed Lifecycle Policy), Microsoft will continue to provide servicing and support for a fixed amount of time. Products that have already launched with existing lifecycle policies will continue to be supported according to the published end of support dates.





## **Dynamics GP Recent Facts**

- There will be a mid-year update, the Canada T4127 released and changes for **Manitoba** The release date is targeted for week of 6/12/2023
- As of April 1, 2026 (so 3 years from now) there will be no new customer sales of Dynamics GP.
- This has no implications for existing customers as they can continue to purchase new licenses and modules beyond 2026.
- License prices going up in October 2023 with annual enhancement (maintenance) plan rates are increasing from 17% to 18% ex. for \$10k of original purchase price licensing, move from \$1700 to \$1800/year.
- There will still be tax and other product updates for Dynamics GP, including some awesome features already planned for 18.6 due to release October 2023..
- "For existing customers there are no changes. We will continue to provide regulatory (tax) updates, security updates, and hotfixes to ensure the current version of Dynamics GP remains up to date, including any usability and reliability updates needed to address top customer issues that are critical in ensuring businesses run successfully on Dynamics GP. "





# **Updates Through Joesoftware.com**



Year Archive 🔻



Access Business Central data through Microsoft Teams

Posted April 18, 2023

For employees in your organization that only need to occasionally view data in Business Central, did you know that they access
Business Central data and information through Microsoft Teams? If your organization has both a Dynamics 365 Business Central and



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## **Dynamics 365 Release Wave 1 2023**



- Contains 791pages of Wave 1 2023 release details
- Includes what is new and planned
- Deals with everything in the D365 world including Business Central, CRM Solutions, Power Apps,
   Power Automate, Micorosoft Dataverse,
   Microsoft Cloud and much more

## **Common Theme:**

Do More with Al



https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/dynamics365/release-plan/2023wave1/





## Microsoft Focused on the Value of the Stack

#### **SECURITY**



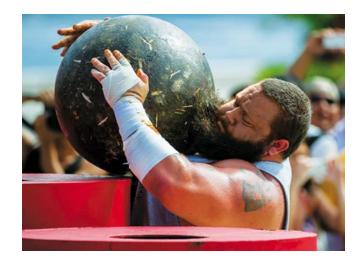




# **Top 7 Business Central Feature Releases**

- 1. Easily set up and sync master data across companies
- 2. Post multiple transfer orders at the same time
- 3. New audit file export for better compliance
- 4. New Statistical Accounts feature to collect data for financial reports
- 5. New function to preview item journals before posting
- 6. New feature to analyze, group, and pivot data directly on list pages
- 7. Improved approval workflow experience in Power Automate

Bottom Line: The heavy lifting is on BC







# **Bridge to the Cloud 2 Promotion**

This promotion enables existing Dynamics on-premises customers with an active Enhancement Plan (EP) to obtain discounted cloud licenses i.e. moving from GP to Business Central

- Provides a -40% discount off the standard retail pricing
- Promotion ends December 31, 2024
- Fixed 3-year term.
- Customer must have an active EP plan for the on-premises system being migrated at the promotion enrollment.
- Customer must purchase eligible Dynamics online licenses with an annualized value greater than or equal to the annual EP renewal amount of their existing Dynamics on-premises license.

Bottom Line: It is a pretty good incentive





# **Dynamics Summit 2023**







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