



# The Financial Information Repository (FIR)

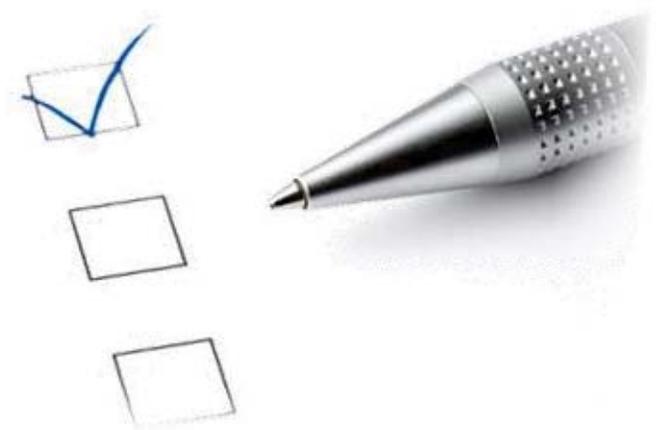
Increasing Transparency of Government Data

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# Agenda

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- FIR Overview
- User Engagement and Feedback
- Upcoming Enhancements
- Private & Public Portal Demonstration
- Q & A



# What is the FIR?

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- The FIR Private Portal promotes operational efficiency by providing secure access to Fiscal Service financial data in a single location
- The FIR Public Portal supports transparency and accountability by providing open access to approved information
- Information is provided through interactive reports, dashboards, and visualizations that will continue to expand over time



# Why use the FIR?

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The FIR Private Portal connects pieces of an agency's financial puzzle



# How is FIR Used Today?

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## Private Portal

*Supports views for authorized users of Fiscal Service financial information for improved decision making and operational efficiencies*

[fir.fms.treas.gov](http://fir.fms.treas.gov)

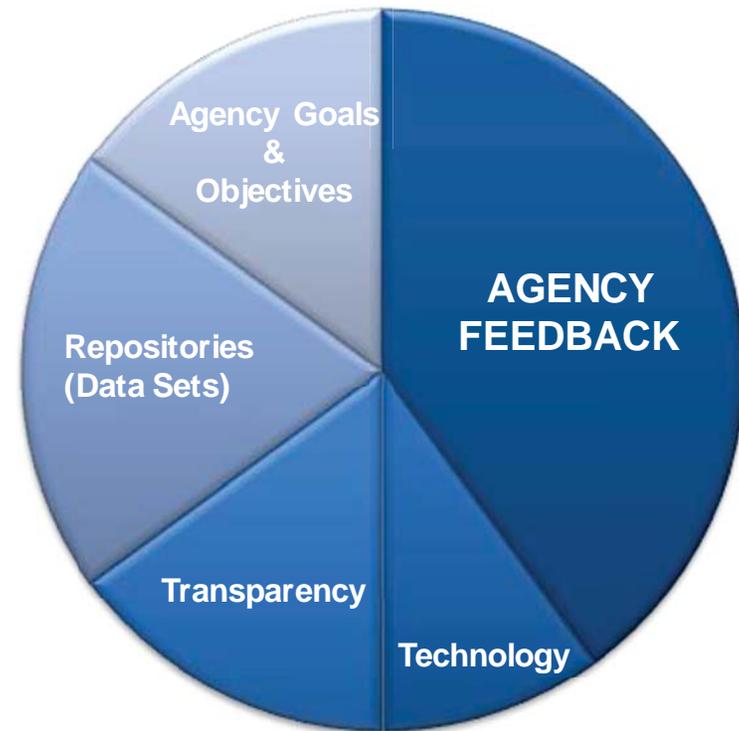
## Public Website

*Provides views for the general public of Fiscal Service financial information, and supports Fiscal Service's transparency efforts*

[transparency.treasury.gov](http://transparency.treasury.gov)

# What drives the FIR?

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# What are users saying?

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“I got an executive level request for TROR data today (due immediately) and was able to use the FIR to quickly collect the required information, saving me lots of time. I used the analytics portion and was very happy with it!”

-VA User

“Drill down functionality is very interesting and would help me gain better insights to FSA information.”

-Dept. of Ed User



“FIR tool is definitely a huge step in the right direction in taming the *‘TROR beast’*. The dashboards are amazing.”

-United States Coast Guard

# Portal Demonstrations

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# Upcoming Release 6.0

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- Our next release, Release 6.0, is scheduled for December 2015
- Key updates include:
  - Private Portal:
    - TROR Delinquent Debt Definitions Alignment With DATA Act (120 days vs. 180 days)
    - User Experience Enhancements
  - Public Portal:
    - TOP Collections Dashboard
    - Open Data Expansion



# Engaging Users

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# How can I learn more?

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- Contact the FIR Outreach team by email ([FIR@stls.frb.org](mailto:FIR@stls.frb.org)) or phone (1-855-464-4191)
- You can also reach out to me as the Fiscal Service FIR Project Manager:  
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# Questions?