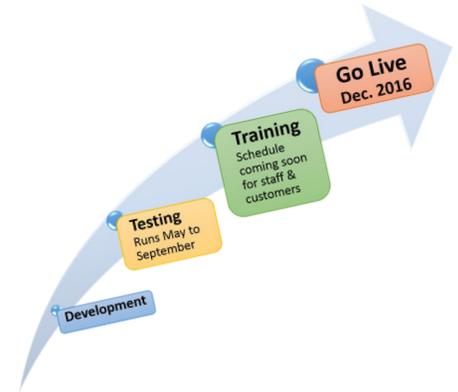


Testing, testing, and more testing!

The BuildSA Team began testing in May and will continue to test the product throughout June, July, August, and September. During these 5 months of testing there are three types of testing that will occur prior to each Go Live date: Unit Testing, System Testing, and User Acceptance Testing. With the various levels of testing, BuildSA is thoroughly assessed, inspected, and evaluated to make sure all is working as required before the system is released to the final go live / production state.

- ⇒ **Unit Testing** validates that the **individual units of source code** work as designed. Unit tests are written by the Accela developers responsible for writing the code related to that test.
- ⇒ **System Testing** is the next level of testing; this level validates the **entire Accela application including all required functionality and information flow**. System testing indicates to the Users that the system is behaving as required and **verifies that a system is ready for production use**. System testers will be comprised of Accela and City staff familiar with the system design and configuration.
- ⇒ **User Acceptance Testing (UAT)** is the final test conducted and validates the **end-to-end business processes**, comparing actual vs. expected results. This level of testing will include system setup for transactions and user access, verifies performance on business-critical functions, and confirms application integrity. Project change agents as well as members of the Development Community who are unfamiliar with the Accela application will participate in UAT.

Land Development — Timeline



While testing takes place, the project team will continue to perform data assessment, migration and cleansing activities for Land Development Phase 1 and gather requirements for Plan Review and Field Services Phase 2.

Exciting News!

With BuildSA, the new Record ID gives you a preview to what type of application you are working. Each Record ID will include the business area, application type, year and unique number generated by the system. The examples below show what a Record ID will look like:

Zoning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Change of Zoning • ZONING-Z-2016-000001
Addressing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certificate of Determination • ADDR-COD-16-000001
Land Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major Plat • LAND-PLAT-16-000002
Streets and Traffic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Traffic Impact Analysis • LAND-TIA-16-000001
Board of Adjustment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Board of Adjustment • BOA-16-000001

Top 5 BuildSA features:

- Application submittal and payment of fees online available 24/7.
- Maximize our communications - All BuildSA users will be able to share and have access to more information.
- With integrated Electronic Document Review, we will reduce the use of paper.
- System automated email alerts and notifications to customers.
- Electronic management of your tasks and performance tracking for customers and staff.

Have you heard?

Change Agents are hosting meetings to share the latest on BuildSA—be sure to attend your Change Agent’s scheduled session! See your Change Agent for more details.



We want to hear from you!

Please send your questions, comments, and suggestions to BuildSAOCMTeam@sanantonio.gov.