

Adding a Rebate

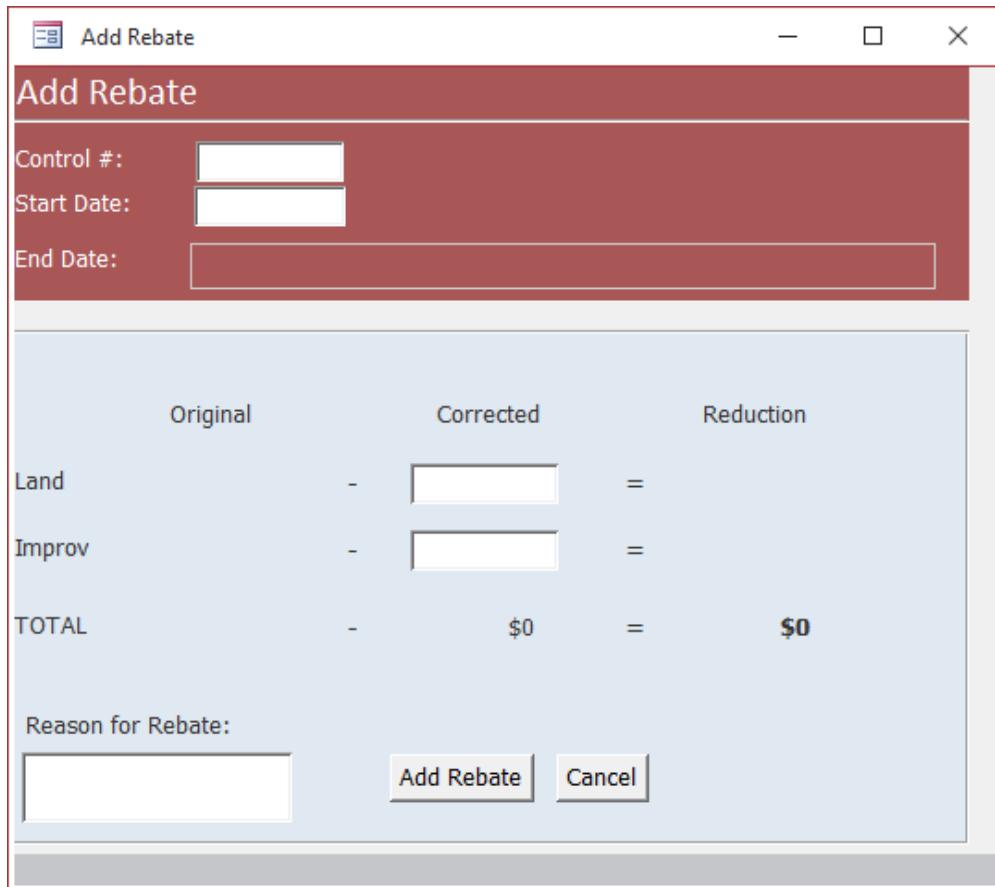
Opening "Add Rebate" Form

To add a rebate, you must first open the "Add Rebate" form.

1. Navigate to the bottom-left corner of the "Rebate Search Results" lookup form.
2. Click on the grey "Add Rebate" button.



3. The following form should appear:



The screenshot shows a Windows-style application window titled "Add Rebate". The window has a red header bar and a light gray body. At the top left, there are three small icons: a grid, a plus sign, and a minus sign. The main body is divided into sections. The first section, with a red background, contains three text input fields: "Control #:", "Start Date:", and "End Date:". Below this is a table with three columns: "Original", "Corrected", and "Reduction". The table has four rows: "Land" (with a minus sign before the original value), "Improv" (with a minus sign before the original value), and "TOTAL" (with a minus sign before the original value and the reduction value shown as "\$0"). The last row is a thin gray line. Below the table is a text input field for "Reason for Rebate:" with a placeholder text "Reason for Rebate: [REDACTED]". At the bottom right are two buttons: "Add Rebate" and "Cancel".

A Look at the "Add Rebate" Form

Let's take a look at the "Add Rebate" form and all of its fields.

The Red Section:

Add Rebate

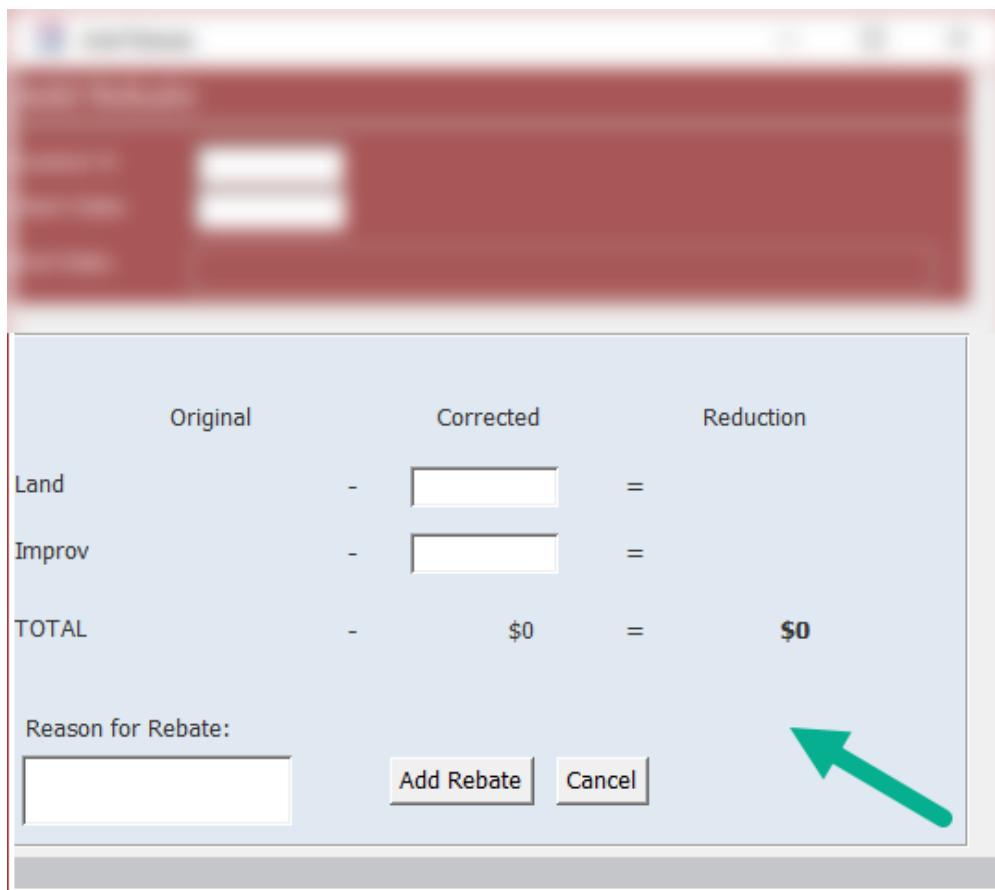
Control #:	<input type="text"/>
Start Date:	<input type="text"/>
End Date:	<input type="text"/>



The "red section" or top section of the form contains the following:

- A field to input the property owner's control number
- The start date (effective date) of the rebate
- An uneditable end date that is calculated based on the next assessment, next tax period, or if the parcel has been eliminated/merged.

The Blue Section:



The screenshot shows a software interface for adding a rebate. The top portion is redacted. The main form area has a red border and contains the following data:

	Original	Corrected	Reduction
Land	-	<input type="text"/>	=
Improv	-	<input type="text"/>	=
TOTAL	-	\$0	\$0

Below this is a section labeled "Reason for Rebate:" with a text input field. At the bottom are "Add Rebate" and "Cancel" buttons. A large green arrow points to the "Add Rebate" button.

The "blue section" or lower section of the form contains the following:

- A matrix that stores the Original, Corrected, and Reduction amounts of the assessment that a rebate is being created on.
- Within the matrix, two corrected value fields: one for corrected land value and one for corrected improvement value.
- A field to input the reason for the rebate.
- An "Add Rebate" button (cannot add the rebate until all fields on the form are filled).
- A "Cancel" button (closes the form).

Entering Owner Information

Let's add a new rebate.

1. Enter a Control Number into the "Control #" field.

Add Rebate

Control #:	<input type="text" value="109150"/>
Start Date:	<input type="text"/>
End Date:	<input type="text"/>

2. Enter a Start Date into the "Start Date" field. For this demonstration, let's imagine a rebate needed to take effect starting at the beginning of the 2015 municipal tax billing year.

Add Rebate

Control #:	<input type="text" value="109150"/>
Start Date:	<input type="text" value="1/1/2015"/> <input type="button" value="..."/>
End Date:	<input type="text"/>

3. Press Enter and the current assessment information will load into the form:

Add Rebate

Control #:	<input type="text" value="109150"/>	MICHAEL J & ALLISON M WOLFE
Start Date:	<input type="text" value="1/1/2015"/>	Current Assessment Effective: 7/1/2008 House
End Date:	<input type="text" value="6/30/2016"/>	New Assessment Effective: 7/1/2016 Wood deck

House

	Original	Corrected	Reduction
Land	\$31,700	-	<input type="text"/>
Improv	\$140,500	-	<input type="text"/>
TOTAL	\$172,200	-	\$0

Reason for Rebate:

Original Assessment Information

Let's analyze the information the "Add Rebate" form displayed.

Add Rebate

Control #:	109150	MICHAEL J & ALLISON M WOLFE
Start Date:	1/1/2015	Current Assessment Effective: 7/1/2008 House
End Date:	6/30/2016	New Assessment Effective: 7/1/2016 Wood deck

House

	Original	Corrected	Reduction
Land	\$31,700	-	=
Improv	\$140,500	-	=
TOTAL	\$172,200	-	\$0

Reason for Rebate:

Add Rebate **Cancel**

In the Cyan Box: The property owner(s)' full name.

In the Yellow Box: The date and reason of the current assessment the rebate is taking effect on (in this case, the property owner's house whose assessment took effect on 7/1/2008).

In the Purple Box: The current assessment's end date and the reason for the particular end date (In this case, the end date for the current assessment is 6/30/2016 because the software found a new assessment effective as of 7/1/2016 for the addition of a wood deck).

In the Red Box: The original land and improvement assessment values and their total sum.

Entering Corrected Values

For this demonstration, let's imagine a large, dead tree fell during a heavy snowstorm and landed on the property owner's house. The house suffered severe damages and needs to be re-roofed. Upon reevaluation of the property, its improvement value has been reassessed to \$125,000.

In the Blue Matrix:

The land assessment has not changed, so we can enter the same value as the original value into the "Corrected Land" field.

Add Rebate

Control #: MICHAEL J & ALLISON M WOLFE
 Start Date: Current Assessment Effective: 7/1/2008 House
 End Date: New Assessment Effective: 7/1/2016 Wood deck

House

	Original	Corrected	Reduction
Land	\$31,700	<input type="text" value="\$31,700"/>	\$0
Improv	\$140,500	<input type="text"/>	=
TOTAL	\$172,200	<input type="text" value="\$31,700"/>	\$0

Reason for Rebate:

The improvement assessment *has* changed, so we can enter the new, corrected value of \$125,000 into the "Corrected Improvement" field

Add Rebate

Control #: MICHAEL J & ALLISON M WOLFE
 Start Date: Current Assessment Effective: 7/1/2008 House
 End Date: New Assessment Effective: 7/1/2016 Wood deck

House

	Original	Corrected	Reduction
Land	\$31,700	<input type="text" value="\$31,700"/>	\$0
Improv	\$140,500	<input type="text" value="\$125,000"/>	\$15,500
TOTAL	\$172,200	<input type="text" value="\$156,700"/>	\$15,500

Reason for Rebate:

Notice how the running "Reduction" total is displayed in bold as this is the amount the rebate will be calculated on.

Add Rebate

Control #:	109150	MICHAEL J & ALLISON M WOLFE
Start Date:	1/1/2015	Current Assessment Effective: 7/1/2008 House
End Date:	6 /30/2016	New Assessment Effective: 7/1/2016 Wood deck

House

	Original	Corrected	Reduction
Land	\$31,700	-	\$31,700
Improv	\$140,500	-	\$125,000
TOTAL	\$172,200	-	\$156,700

Reason for Rebate:

Entering Reason for Rebate and Adding the Rebate

At the bottom-left corner of the blue matrix, we can add our reason for the rebate in the field. Let's put, "tree collapsed roof, storm damage."

House					
	Original		Corrected		Reduction
Land	\$31,700	-	\$31,700	=	\$0
Improv	\$140,500	-	\$125,000	=	\$15,500
TOTAL	\$172,200	-	\$156,700	=	\$15,500

Reason for Rebate:
tree collapsed roof,
storm damage.

Add Rebate | Cancel

Before clicking "Add Rebate," let's ensure we filled in all the information we need:

- The Control Number
- The Rebate Start Date
- The Corrected Land Value
- The Corrected Improvement Value
- The Reason for Rebate

Add Rebate

Control #:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 109150	MICHAEL J & ALLISON M WOLFE
Start Date:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1/1/2015	Current Assessment Effective: 7/1/2008 House
End Date:	6/30/2016	New Assessment Effective: 7/1/2016 Wood deck

House

	Original		Corrected		Reduction
Land	\$31,700	-	\$31,700	=	\$0
Improv	\$140,500	-	\$125,000	=	\$15,500
TOTAL	\$172,200	-	\$156,700	=	\$15,500

Reason for Rebate:
tree collapsed roof,
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If you have filled all the required fields you can click the grey "Add Rebate" button.

Note: This will cause the "Edit Rebate" form to open.

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