

Temporary Pricing

In our [July newsletter](#) we discussed how to enable the temporary pricing feature in Estimating Link.

Based on the input from users like you, we have decided to have the temporary pricing enabled all the time. This feature is included in release 3.0.766 (76).

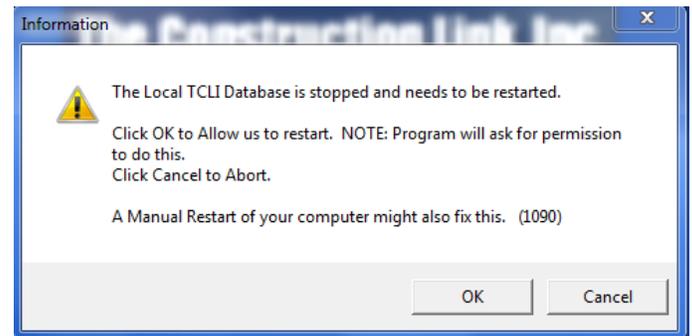
Modifying a bid unit

The asterisk next to the bid unit on the bid sheet indicates that the number has not been rounded to dollars and cents or finalized. **Auto bid Unit** will round every bid unit, or you can manually enter a bid unit. Once the bid unit has been rounded or finalized, adding cost to the item sheet will not affect the bid unit because the bid unit has been previously accepted. You need to reset the bid unit for changes to the item sheet to be reflected.

Of course Services > Global Reset will return every bid unit to the computer generated value which is extended to 12 decimal places, but you may only want to modify one or a few bid items. To remove rounding on only one bid unit, simply point to the bid unit, right mouse click and select **Reset Bid Unit** or select the bid unit and hit the F4 button on your keyboard.

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Remove Item	Del
Calculator	F8
Metric Calculator	Ctrl+F8
Mark As Open Item	
Alternate and Fixed Price	
Reset Bid Unit	F4
Reset Manual Entries	
New Move Money	F5
View Item	F2
Insert Section	Ctrl+H
Display Open Items	F7
Manual Recalc	F9
Paste	Ctrl+V
Hide Column	
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Possible Error Message



If you see the above error message appear when starting Estimating Link, please keep reading. We have traced this to Windows Updates shutting off the Services which disables the SQL Server (TCLI). We have taken measures to restart the services in the event this occurs.

If you continue to see an error message stating that there was an error logging into SQL Server (local) please be sure you are up to date with the most current release by logging into the [Customer Support section of our website](#) or give support a call at 1-800-448-0741.

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