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ElectSys Content Filter Admin Guide

1) To manage your account, go to <https://redwood.electsys.biz> and click on Accounts > Login

User: **yourusername**

Pswd: **yourpassword**

In this portal you can change your password. If you are the owner of your company you will also have access to the Redwood console where you can configure your content filter behavior. Restrictions to your ability to change the behavior of your content filter may apply. For example. You may be able to add websites to your Yourcompany_Deny category but not be able to add websites to Yourcompany_Allow category.

2) To install the security certificate

Go to https://redwood.electsys.biz/sslcerts/ssl_cacert and follow the instructions to install our certificate in your computer's trusted root. Note that Firefox browser needs to be done independently of Windows because it has independent certificate management.

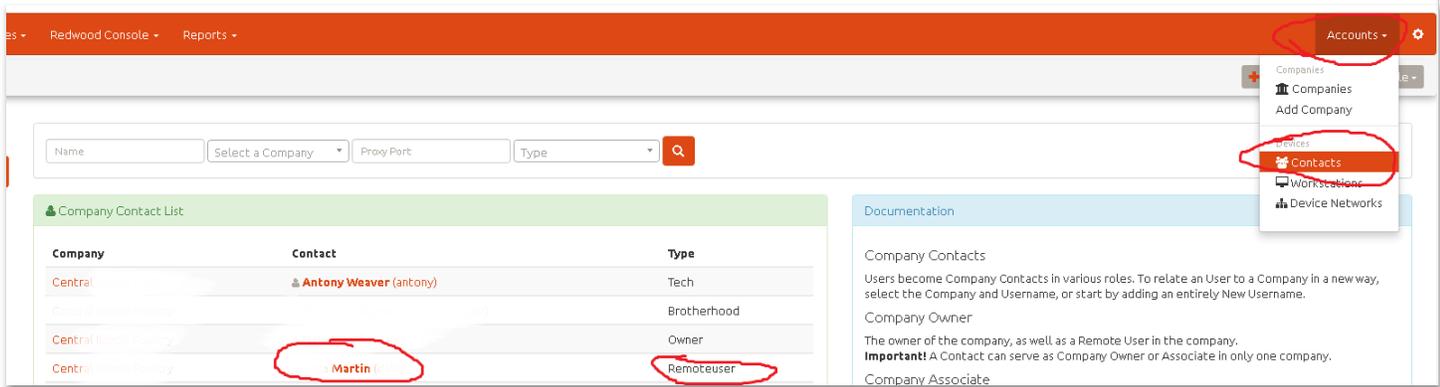
3) To activate the filter on your Windows Computer

Download a configuration file at http://electsys.biz/downloads/ElectWood_Proxy-On.zip and run the file. When prompted for "Do you want to allow the following program to make changes to your computer, click "yes". When prompted "Are you sure you want to continue" click "yes".

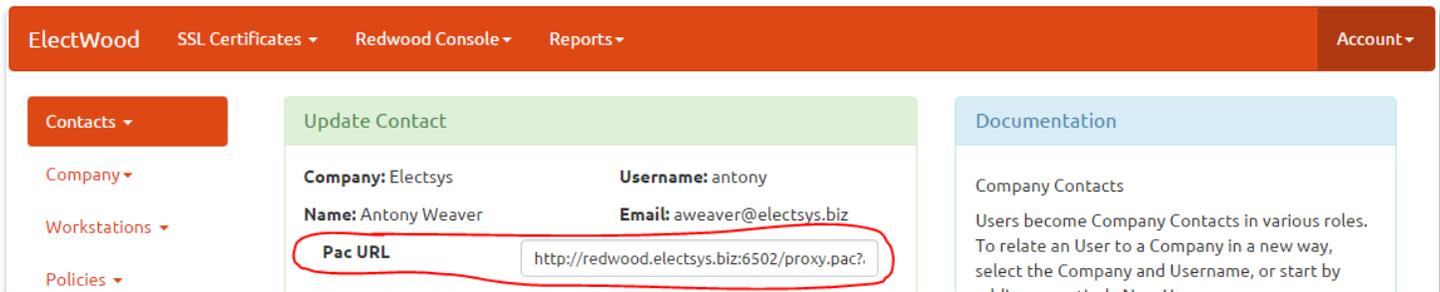
Note: (This will configure Internet Explorer, Edge and Chrome but not Firefox)

4) Set your PAC URL

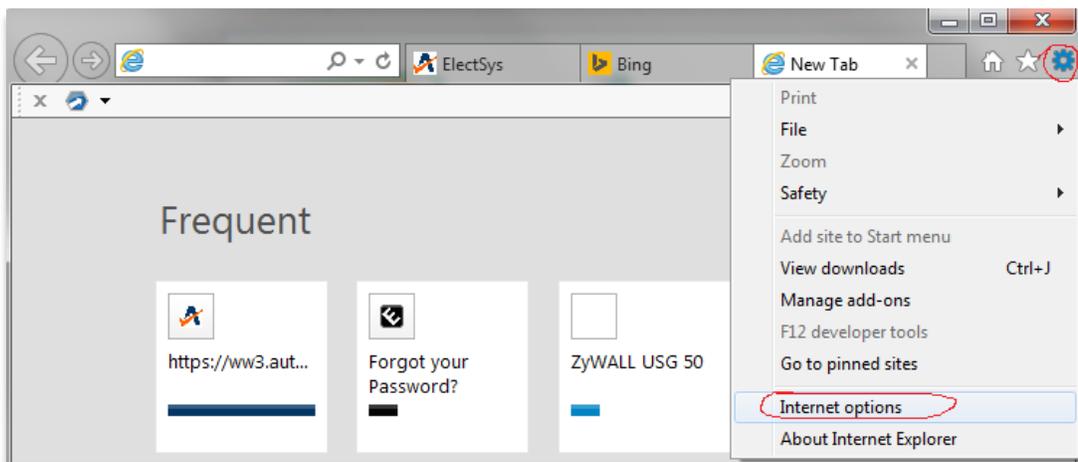
This step is not required but is recommended. Setting your PAC URL will allow software that cannot authenticate with the content filter to work properly. Each user on redwood has a unique PAC URL. You can find the PAC URL by logging in to <https://redwood.electsys.biz> and click on Accounts > Contacts > Find the RemoteUser of interest and click on his name.



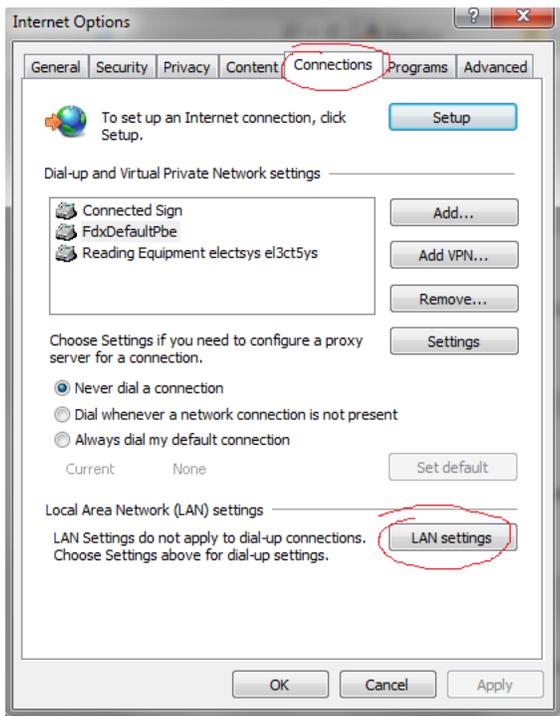
Find the user's PAC URL > and copy the full string



Open Internet Explorer and click on Tools > Internet Options



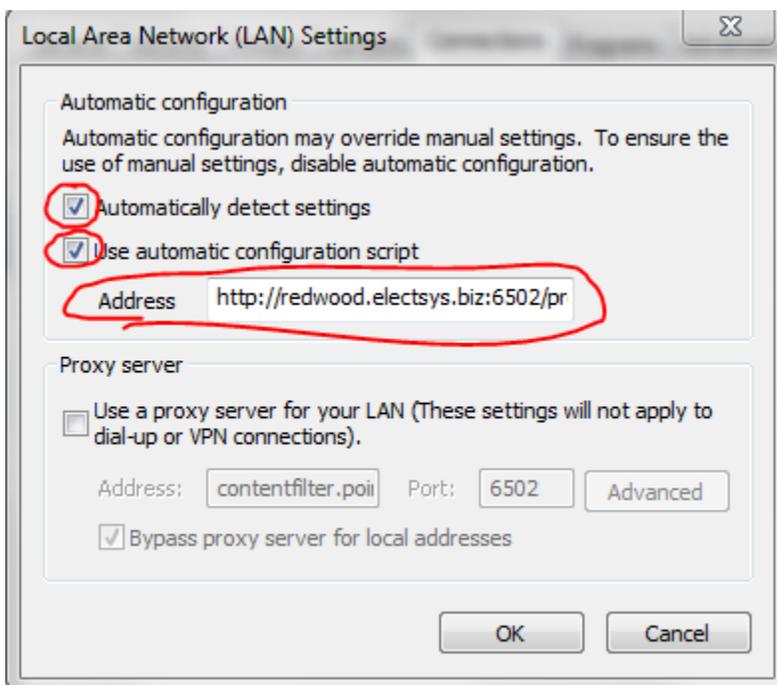
Click the connections tab > LAN settings



Uncheck "automatically detect settings "

Check "Use automatic configuration script"

Paste the URL that you copied from your user profile into the address field

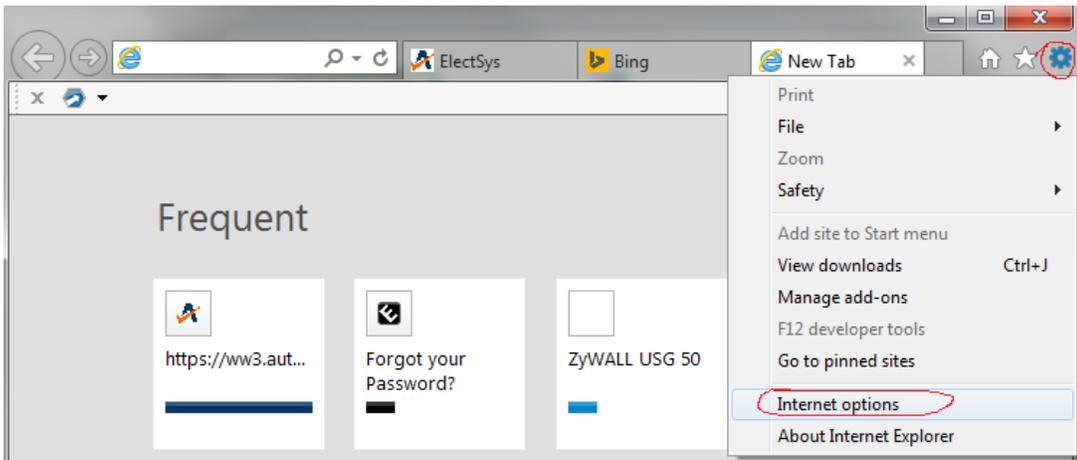


5) Alternative to Step 3. Manual proxy configuration

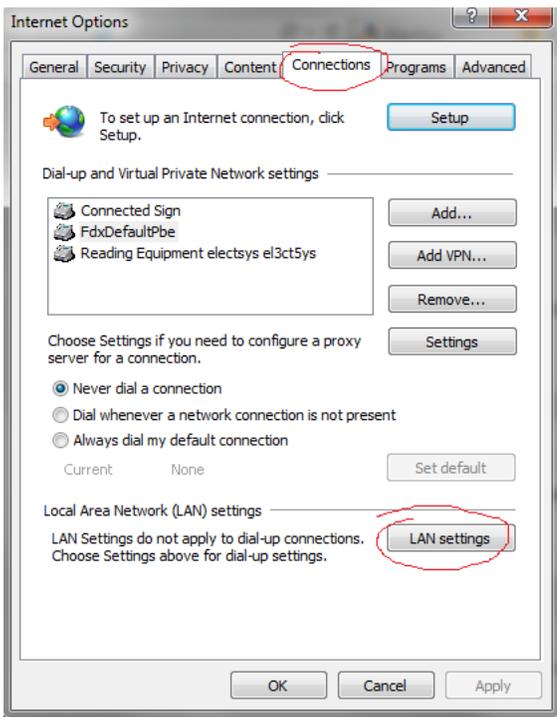
If for any reason, you prefer to set your proxy server settings manually; follow these steps.

(This will take care of Internet Explorer, Edge and Chrome but will not take care of Firefox)

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Click the connections tab > LAN settings

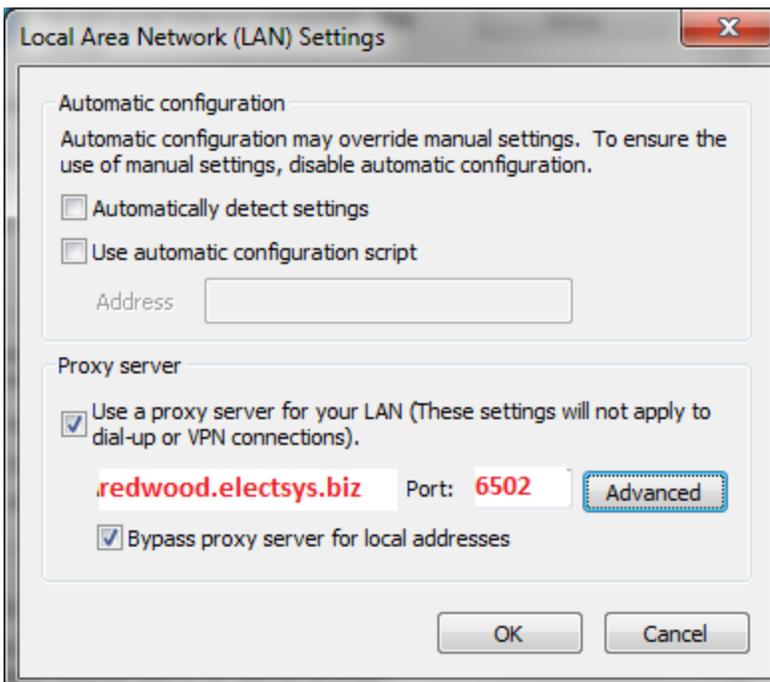


Check "use a proxy server"

Enter Proxy server of: **redwood.electsys.biz** Port **6502**

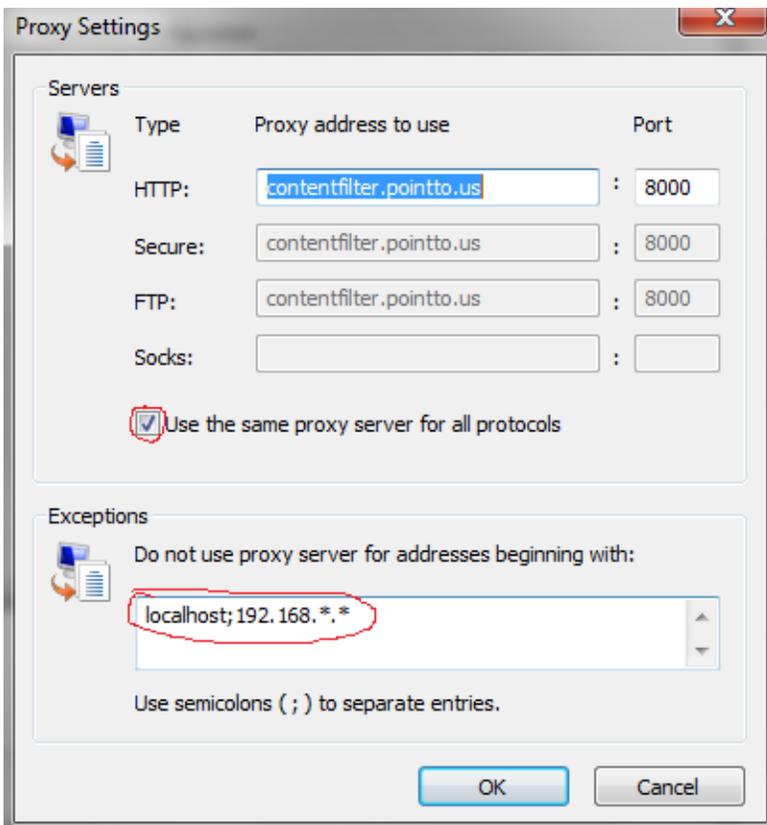
Check "bypass proxy server for local addresses"

Click "Advanced"



Make sure “use the same proxy for all protocols” is checked

Enter the following string in the exceptions table: localhost;192.168.*.*



Now click OK until you're completely out of IE options

Try browsing the internet and a username and password should pop up

Your username is: **yourusername**

Password: **yourpassword**



That's it! OK your way out of these Windows > Close and reopen IE and you should now be filtered.

If you want your computer locked down so that these settings cannot be removed (and the filter bypassed) please connect to our help desk at <http://electsys.biz/phone-systems-support.php> and call 717-665-2141 for further assistance.

We can also assist with the initial setup if you have difficulty.