

# The Costly No Decision,...Decision

## Problem:

Small companies often have difficulty implementing an entirely new ERP, doing an upgrade, or deploying important add ons. Consequently, they stick with an old, outdated system that nag users and miss out on beneficial improvements.

## There's a Solution:

If this describes you, consider outside help. Start with an ERP Project manager.

### Why do I need a Project Manager for ERP deployment?

#### Leadership

Respected based on proven success and experience.

#### Communications

Keeps stakeholders informed and provides an honest assessment.

#### Organization

Keeps track of critical key project aspects, schedules, budgets, resources, records for timely retrieval.

#### Critical Thinking and External Perspective

Remains focused on the goal and treats problems as a challenge to help the team develop a creative solution to remain on task and on track. Brings experience from other implementations

#### Sense of Humor

Strong "People Skills", motivates your team to succeed and enjoy what they are doing, knowing its transformative.

### What can I expect from a dedicated ERP Project Manager? He or She...

- 1 Keeps the project On-Focus, On-Time and On-Budget; Minimize Risk.
- 2 Reduces "Direct Cost" by maintaining project momentum and not re-tracing old ground
- 3 Reduces "Lost Opportunity Cost"; meaning deploying in a timely manner by holding the team accountable to their assignments.
- 4 Manages both internal and external project resources.
- 5 Protects your investment by getting the most out of your ERP deployment
- 6 Help C level principles grow the Business through timely reporting, tracking trends, and providing information that steers the business forward.