

A Tale of Two Phases – Live Lab

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THE ABC'S OF LEAN: TRANSFORMATION THROUGH ACTIONS, BEST PRACTICES AND COACHING

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Superintendents Weekly Meeting

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Problem Statement

- SAFETY ISSUES Led by Safety Rep (5 mins)
- **REVIEW THIS WEEK'S WORK Led by Senior Field Rep (10 mins)**
 - a. Each foreman report out tasks that were completed this week
 - i. What were your tasks? What were your goals? Were all of your tasks made ready as planned (why not)?
 - ii. What was the actual production? How many hours did you use? Did you stay on budget for each cost code?
 - **III.** Did you fully complete 100% of your goals?
 - iv. (If you did not hit your goal) What were the reasons for variance? (If you hit your goal) What made you successful?
 - v. Did you work on any tasks that were not planned? If so, add to WWP
 - vi. What are your lessons learned that can help us do better next week?
 - b. Review waste walks, PPC/Prod Rate/TMR charts, and suggestions from field
 - i. Did each foreman complete daily waste walks? What needs to be addressed?
 - ii. Analyze PPC chart. Analyze Prod Rate Chart. Analyze TMR. What needs to be addressed?
 - iii. What suggestions for improvement does the field have? What needs to be addressed?
- **CREATE NEXT WEEK'S PLAN Led by Senior Field Rep (15 mins)**
 - i. Review task descriptions from WWP that need to be completed next week and assign to foreman
 - ii. Add any task descriptions to WWP that were not completed this week and assign to foreman
 - iii. Is task/subtask ready to be worked on? What are the current constraints that need to be cleared?
 - iv. Select correct costcode and subtask for each task description
 - v. What is the production goal for the

- **Review Pertinent Key Performance Indicators Led by Project Manager (25 mins)**
- i. Labor Variance
 - 1. Review hours:
 - a. Using the current FSP, compare % Man Hours Complete vs. % JTD Complete
 - b. Compare the total hours burned on Labor Hours Report to Total Hours Used for the same week on the Weekly Work Plan
 - 2. Discuss discrepancies.
- ii. Production Rates
 - 1. Review actual production rates compared to budgeted production rates
 - 2. Discuss discrepancies.
- iii. Purchase Management
- iv. Job Progressing
- v. Change Order/EWA Management
- Plus/Delta Led by Project Manager (5 mins)

KHS&S superintendent meetings were data focused and not solution driven.

We had to turn an agenda heavy meeting into impactful conversations.

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The Cycle

Field Staff
Reports out daily

Foreman/Super Reports to Field Foreman/Super Inputs into WWP

PM
Reviews & Updates
Team

Safety – Led by Safety Rep

- Safety First
- Collaboration
- Trust between Safety Rep/Field



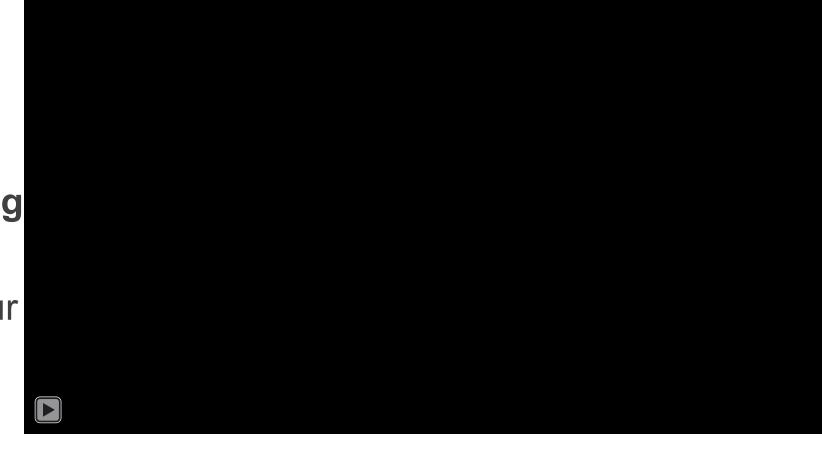
Project Manager (PM) is the timekeeper!

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Review This Week's Work

Each foreman reports out:

- What were your goals?
- What was the actual production?
- Did you fully complete your goals?
- What were your reasons for not hitting your goals?
- What made you successful in hitting your goals?
- What suggestions for improvement are there?



Parking lot larger discussions

Create Next Week's Plan – Led by Senior Field Rep

- Review tasks that did not finish this week that need to be completed next week
- Is the task ready to be worked on?
- What are the current constraints to a task?
- What is the production goal?



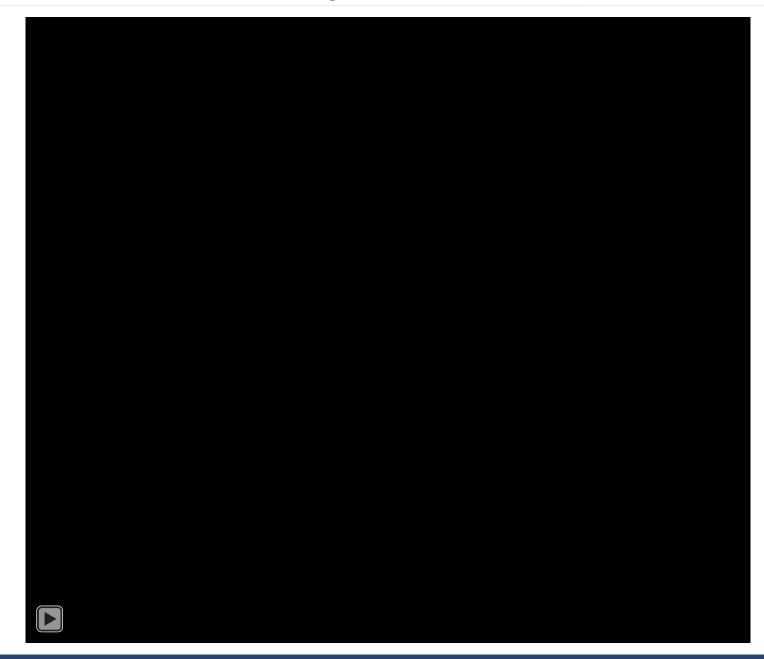
Help foreman speak to their constraints

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Review Key Performance Indicators – Led by PM

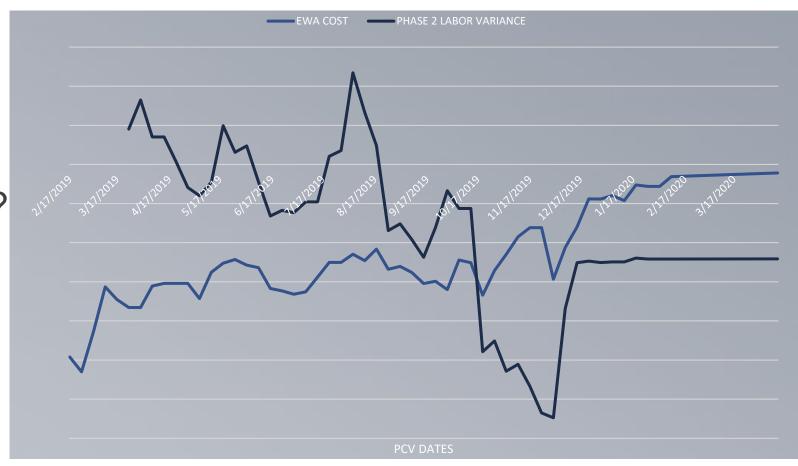
- Review waste walks (gemba walks)
 - What needs to be addressed?

Respect each others voice



Review Key Performance Indicators

- Review labor variance
 - Why did we lose or make money?
 - What can we do this week to improve?
- Notify the team of any Request for Information (RFI's), extra work, new drawings



Plus/Delta - Led by PM

- Review deltas from previous meeting, have we improved upon them?
- Record plus and deltas and ask for deltas in improvement language



Plan, Do, Check, Adjust

How can you apply this tomorrow?

- 1. Implement Superintendents Weekly Meeting with all significant field personnel (general foreman, foreman, lead man.)
- **2. Discipline & Patience!** Start with shorter, more often meetings to start the communication.
- 3. Request field personnel to provide their improvement ideas
- 4. Drop the ego, use employee creativity.
- 5. Create visual management that sparks conversation.

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