

Project Plant Pals Operations & Training Plan January 15th

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Executive Summary:

Our goal is to develop a service that provides low-maintenance plants suitable for office settings to high-volume clients

Project Goal

SMART: Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Relevant, and Time-bound

- Create a plant delivery, and logistics plan to deliver 95% of orders on time within one month of launch.
- Develop and launch an employee training program and train 90% of employees before the official service launch.

Deliverables

- 1. Purchase delivery trucks, hire drivers, and calculate delivery fees.
- 2. Select, install, and maintain efficient order processing and supply chain management software.
- 3. Maintain excellent service standards by developing and launching an employee training program.
- 4. Create a communications plan, prepare training lessons, and schedule and conduct training sessions.

Business Case / Background

Why are we doing this?

 It marks a new stage of our company's project and will improve our service's sustainability and quality.

Benefits, Costs, and Budget

Benefits:

- Support new service leading to a 5% revenue increase, reduce late shipments and related costs, and increase customer satisfaction
- Additional benefits (optional):

Costs:

- Price of software, installation fees, time spent on hiring and training
- Additional cost areas (optional):

Budget needed:

• \$75,000

Scope and Exclusion

In-Scope:

- Customer service standards, delivery processes, training protocols
- Other in-scope items (optional):

Out-of-Scope:

- Product development, vendor contracts
- Other out-of-scope items (optional):

Project Team

Project Sponsor: Director of Operations

Project Lead: Project Manager (You!)

Project Team: Fulfillment Director, Quality Assurance Tester, Inventory Manager,

Financial Analyst, Human Resources Specialist, Training Manager

Additional Stakeholders: VP of Customer Success, Account Manager, Receptionist, Sales Director, Sales Team, Marketing Director, Investors

Measuring Success

What is acceptable:

- 1. Deliver 95% of orders on time within one month of launch
- 2. All orders are to be packaged and ready for shipment within two business days of being placed
- 3. 90% of employees are trained before the official service launch
- 4. Achieving a 5% increase in revenue by the end of the year.
- 5. Expect a 5% improvement in customer satisfaction (from 90% to 95%) within three months after launch.