



## **The 4 Major Benefits of Outsourcing Your Business Processes**

Today, as technology allows business owners the opportunity to acquire customers from around the globe, it is more important than ever to consider the use of outsourced solutions. Outsourcing is certainly a term that most business owners and managers have heard, however, many may not be entirely sure of what exactly outsourcing entails or what major benefits it has to offer, especially to those operating small to mid-size businesses.

Outsourcing is the practice of hiring workers or firms outside of a given company to perform various operations, projects or tasks. Whether it's for accounting, customer service, fulfilling orders or assistance with a large project, outsourcing can be a light in the dark for small to mid-size businesses for 4 key reasons.

### **1) Financial Control**

The search for new employees to manage a critical operational aspect of your business can be daunting and overwhelmingly time consuming. While you may find employees that are suitable for the job, most new workers need extensive training and supervision. The training hours and resources can be costly and those costs add up very quickly. With outsourcing, you can eliminate these costs and benefit from experienced and trained professionals. The decision to outsource also avoids the cost of additional space, software or other infrastructure needs. With a trusted outsource provider in place, a business owner can focus their time on the most critical aspect of their business, which of course is profitably growing their business!

### **2) Increased Efficiency**

Making the decision to outsource your business to may take some time and diligence but once you have done so, the outsource provider can deliver results immediately. Most outsourcing agencies will be ready to take on your project as soon as you assign it since you're hiring them to do things they already do. It won't take long to see that an experienced quality outsource provider can confidently hit the ground running and operate at a superior level of efficiency and quality. This confidence allows you to scale your business!



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### **3) Economies of Scale**

Making the decision to outsource functions such as fulfillment, customer engagement, order management, packaging or other business needs also provides you the opportunity to save money. There is no question that in all businesses volume drives price. When a business chooses to work with an outsource provider each business shares in the volume pricing that the provider is able to negotiate with their suppliers. Remember, that volume comes from the combined volume of all its outsourced businesses. This is clearly a win-win!

### **4) Prioritization**

Once you've handed over parts of your business to an outsource provider, you'll put first things first. No longer having to devote time and resources to day to day operational responsibilities, you now have more time to focus on the most critical aspect of all, which of course is maintaining and growing your business. With a trusted outsourced service provider, you will know you are covered!

### **In Closing:**

It's certainly advisable for businesses everywhere to research and evaluate outsourcing on a case by case basis. Be sure to investigate your options thoroughly. Be honest with yourself and take the long view. Good luck!

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