



## Customer Profile



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Active Users



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## Increasing Productive Time

MAC Contracting Group is a small but growing contractor. To stay lean and profitable while growing MAC has been strategically adding technology to keep the company efficient.

Mike Estess an owner in the company said “a big expense for any construction business is buying tools. We went looking for a system to save money on the tools that people lose and to buy less duplicate stuff.”

MAC uses a tool management setup where tools are kept both onsite in a Conex box as well as in a central company tool trailer when not in use. Tools with a value of under \$1,000 are usually purchased for each job foreman and stored onsite. Tools with a higher value are purchased at the company level and shared between jobs.



In order to stay efficient MAC needed the foreman to:

- 1) Take responsibility for what was onsite.
- 2) Have an easy way to search and find the shared tools as needed.

ShareMyToolbox met these needs by allowing each foreman to “accept” each tool assigned at the beginning of the job. This gave the foreman responsibility for each tool that started in the conex box.

As the job progressed the foreman could then use the ShareMyToolbox app to search for any shared tools that were needed. In the app the foreman could request a tool from the central inventory or from another jobsite. The tool manager would then deliver a tool to the job and “transfer” it to the foreman. The foreman would “accept” and that tool would now be the foreman’s responsibility.



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"We are expanding quickly and the app has helped keep our tool costs down."

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This quick process increased accountability for tools across the company. Now everyone knows who has a tools and who is responsible.

One surprising benefit was the increase in productivity having a good tool tracking system provided.

The indirect labor time associated with tool management was reduced by:

- 1) Having the tool manager do the drop offs which kept the site foreman from wasting time driving to pick things up.
- 2) Eliminating the paperwork of requesting and fulfilling tools by making it an easy swipe and tap in the app.
- 3) Making it easy for foreman to search and request a tool saved them time calling or driving around looking for things.

Having the tools organized and easily available has increased the productivity of the direct labor guys on the job.

### Why did you choose ShareMyToolbox?

- 1) To increase visibility for field workers into what tools we have available.
- 2) To get organized and have an accurate list of what we own.
- 3) To save on tool costs by only buying what we really need.

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