**Special Management Series** 

#### Time Management Checklist

This is a series of Training for your Management TEAM

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#### Organize your time... the money hours

Organize your day around the *money hours*-- the hours you can and should be talking with prospects and customers

**non-revenue generating activities** are before or after the *money hours* 

#### Organize your time... Prospecting Hours

Dedicate a certain percentage of money hours to prospecting

Vary the time of day you prospect to increase the probability of reaching prospects

#### schedule it, do it, love it

#### Organize your time... Follow Up

**Queue up and standardize** your most frequently used follow-up pieces for easy production and distribution

Document follow up **immediately**-- do not set aside to document later

Organize your time... Professional Development

Schedule non-money hours for sales skill development or improving industry and/ or product knowledge

### Organize your time...

# Understand the value of your time...

### Organize your time... Sales Days

- Be aware of the sales days for each month and quarter
- Know where you are in the sales timeline and plan accordingly
- Download the sales day calendar

#### Organize your time... Sales Stats

- Understand and track your sales stats so you may plan effectively
- Dials to contacts
- Contacts to qualified leads
- Qualified leads to proposals
- Proposals to contracts
- Contracts to customers
- Calls or dials per hour
- Follow up calls per hour
- Follow up attempts before dropping

#### ...extra time

Choose a reasonable **extra amount of time** to dedicate to sales each day

(23 minutes each sales day adds one extra sales day each month)

#### ...Productive Down Time

- Always have something to read... always... for flight delays, waiting rooms and lines
- Use drive time for sales development and phone calls

(get a headset if you can)



#### ••• the extra call

#### One **extra call a day is more than** 250 extra contacts in a year

## **Remember** time management basics...

#### **Start Early**

- not only for the day, but also for the week, month and quarter
- start early on projects and sales appointments

Remember time management basics... Plan Ahead

- Understand time for the month, week and quarter
- Look ahead to sales days around holidays, end of the month and end of the quarter and plan accordingly
- Be aware of the sales "timeline" for your product-where you are in the month and where you are with the prospect

**Remember** time management basics...

#### **Prepare Yourself**

 You're a sales professional-- prepare yourself for sales greatness with the sales checklist tool

#### Remember time management basics... Respect Time

- Your time, your prospect's time, and customer's time
- Professionals don't waste time and prospects and customers respect those who understand this...



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