

# Keeping Crews Moving

## A Job Readiness Procurement Checklist

This checklist focuses on how procurement affects job readiness and the ability to keep crews productive.

### ✓ Check all that apply:

- Job starts are occasionally delayed due to material readiness**  
Even when schedules are set, materials aren't always ready on time
- Procurement timing varies by job**  
Some jobs move smoothly, while others stall due to sourcing delays
- Material availability changes disrupt schedules**  
Shifts in availability force rescheduling or sequencing changes
- Crews wait for materials or instructions**  
Field teams experience downtime due to procurement gaps
- Communication between procurement and field teams is fragmented**  
Updates don't always reach the right people at the right time
- Procurement issues require frequent escalation**  
Managers regularly intervene to unblock sourcing or purchasing issues
- Job readiness depends on individual effort**  
Smooth execution relies on specific people rather than a consistent approach

**If you checked 3 or more**, procurement may be creating unnecessary friction in job execution.



## What These Results Typically Indicate

When job readiness depends heavily on individual effort, procurement becomes a risk factor rather than a support function.

Delays, crew downtime, and schedule changes are often symptoms of procurement not keeping pace with execution.



## How Contractors Are Addressing This

Procurement-as-a-Service helps support job readiness by ensuring sourcing, availability, and alternates are handled consistently as work moves forward.

Raiven supports procurement in a way that helps crews stay productive and jobs stay on schedule, without adding process or overhead.



## Next Step

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See how procurement drives job readiness and keeps work moving.