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### **SharePoint**

We have an opportunity to increase our revenue by \$1,846,250 over a three-year period by using SharePoint. SharePoint is a web application framework and platform developed by Microsoft. By using this technology, we can improve the productivity of our PMPs team by 20%. That will increase our revenue by \$700,000 annually.

“SharePoint is a collaboration platform for customized Web services” (Rouse). It provides a simple user experience and expands capabilities for website management including shared calendars, blogs, wikis, surveys and documents. It is a collaboration platform for helping people work together in more effective ways, while controlling costs and reducing risks. SharePoint can allow our team to build custom applications and components with ease, which can save their time for unfamiliar operations. Therefore, SharePoint is a high level tool that help our team improve their work productivity and effectively.

SharePoint can increase our team's billable hours by 400 hours per PMP per year, which will allow us to increase our revenue from \$7,875,000 to \$9,975,000 over a three-year period, an increase of \$2,100,000. By implementing SharePoint, we will initially spend \$100,000 for the hardware and software. Also, we will spend \$54,000 for the maintenance as well as \$99,750 to administer and support this system. Thus, our total cost will be \$253,750. By using this technology, we will see a \$1,846,250 net benefit over a three-year period.

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	3-Year Period Total
Hardware and Software	\$100,000	\$0	\$0	\$100,000
Annual Maintenance	\$18,000	\$18,000	\$18,000	\$54,000
Administering and Supporting	\$33,250	\$33,250	\$33,250	\$99,750
Annual Increasing Revenue	\$700,000	\$700,000	\$700,000	\$2,100,000
Net Benefits				<b><u>\$1,846,250</u></b>

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