



# Next-Generation Procure to Pay



*"Clear enables our workforce to quickly create purchase orders and automates peripheral tasks such as email approvals and punchout integration with our vendors. The redesigned process helps our people do their jobs more efficiently and effectively, all without the software development associated with a traditional IT initiative."*

—John Gellhausen, Vice President of Business Process and Planning, Rush Enterprises

## THE PROBLEM: TIME-CONSUMING AND FRUSTRATING PURCHASING PROCESS

Rush Enterprises, the largest commercial vehicle dealer group in North America, was experiencing a common set of problems with Procure To Pay across its 100+ locations. Users had to work through up to 20 screens to create just one purchase order. Placing orders through vendor web sites required manually copying order details into SAP, resulting in frequent data entry errors. The process was so frustrating that users would enter blank orders as placeholders, then fill in details to match invoices once the items were received which created many headaches from a record-keeping standpoint. For managers, the requisition approval process was time-consuming since requisitions often had numerous errors.

## THE SOLUTION: CLEARUI®

By partnering with Clear Software, Rush Enterprises was able to simplify the procurement process and consolidate it into a single screen. The re-designed process with Clear drastically reduces data errors and leverages Clear's built-in punch-out integration, universal mobile device support, and robust email approval capabilities to deliver a remarkable ROI in less than a year.



**2.5X**

Increase in employee productivity

**20**

Screens and tabs eliminated

**9**

Months to ROI

**5**

Disparate processes streamlined