

Aerotronics Moves Time & Attendance Management to the Cloud, Providing Anytime, Anywhere Access

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### Overview

Aerotronics is a Billings, Mont.-based company in the avionics industry that provides sales, installation and service for the electronic systems used on aircraft. Its 23 hourly employees are often in the field visiting customers, so an office-based time and attendance system doesn't work well for them. That's why they chose Lathem's cloud-based time and attendance system, the PC600 Touch Screen System, to manage time and attendance for their employees.

# **Business Challenge**

Aerotronics' crew needed a management tool that could quickly and efficiently manage time and attendance and give employees easy access to their records.

"The PC600 Touch Screen System saves us hours of time, and gets us out of the back office. Management is freed up and lets us spend more time in front of the customer, which is what matters most," said Jake Jovanovich, accounting manager at Aerotronics.

# **Business Solution**

Unlike a traditional time clock that is attached to a computer and client-based software, Lathem uses cloud computing to allow business owners the flexibility of managing time and attendance anywhere and anytime. It lets employees "punch" in and out from a time clock, web browser or phone. Unlike other systems, all the punch data is aggregated online for easy editing and reconciliation.

"With the PC600 Cloud, all your information can be accessed instantly, from anywhere. All you need is an Internet connection," Jovanovich said.



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Users still clock in and out at the Touch Screen station at the office, but now they can log in from a computer anywhere to see their own time card, and not rely on management to pull their records. Supervisors can choose what data each user can access and what is restricted to management.

The cloud-based Touch Screen System brings with it more functionality, more options and more customization. Jovanovich created some of his own pay codes specific to his company, such as the after-hours maintenance category.

"There's no need to worry about fitting your organization's pay structure into a standard template. You just create your own categories," he said.

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#### **Results**

The cloud-based PC600 Touch Screen System offers key advantages in managing time and attendance:

- Can access data from any computer, to be anywhere, with Internet connection
- Displays a full-color touch screen for employee and supervisor interaction
- Uses PIN numbers or proximity badges to clock in and out, transfer departments or enter tips and amounts
- Automatically calculates worked hours, including overtime
- Supports single or multiple terminals in local or remote locations
- Exports to popular payroll software, i.e. ADP, Paychex and QuickBooks
- Controls labor costs: reduces time theft from late arrivals, early departures, overextended breaks and unauthorized overtime
- Reduces total payroll costs by 2-3% while cutting payroll preparation time in half

# SUCCESS STORY Aerotronics

SOLUTION Lathem PC600



## **About Lathem**

Headquartered in Atlanta, Georgia, Lathem is one of the world's leading designers and manufacturers of time, labor and security products for business. The company specializes in three primary lines of business: time and attendance products, synchronized clock systems, and small business security solutions. Founded in 1919, Lathem remains a family-owned and operated US manufacturer. More than 300,000 companies worldwide use a Lathem product every day to help manage their business. More information can be found online at www.lathem.com.

