

## NHA Leadership Institute: Picotte Session

# Analyzing Performance Issues

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#### Introductions

- Who am I?
- Why are we here?
- How are you doing?



# How does an effective LEADER get employees to perform?



### Contingency Model: Leader-Member Exchange (LMX)

| In-Group            | Out-Group                                 |  |
|---------------------|---|--|
| More attention      | Less attention                            |  |
| Challenging tasks   | Redundant or menial tasks                 |  |
| More socialization  | Formal reporting                          |  |
| More responsibility | Reliance on formal job structures         |  |
| More communication  | Need to know – and YOU don't need to know |  |
| More satisfaction   | More resistance                           |  |

### Contingency Model: Situational Leadership

| Unwilling and<br>Unable  | Unwilling and Able   | Willing and<br>Unable  | Willing and Able   |
|--|--|--|--|
| Decisions are made<br>by the leader and<br>announced, so<br>communication is<br>one way. | Decisions remain<br>the leader's<br>prerogative, but<br>communication is<br>much more two-<br>way. | The leader facilitates the follower's participation in decisions, but control remains with the leader. | The leader is still involved in decisions and problem-solving, but control is with the follower. |
| Telling  | Coaching   | Participating  | Delegating   |
| Authoritative  |  | Participative  |  |

### **Analyzing Performance Issues**

# What's the difference between a DISCREPANCY and a DEFICIENCY?



#### Performance Issues

- 1. Whose performance is at issue?
- 2. Why do I think there's a problem?
- 3. What is the actual performance issue?
- 4. What is the desired performance?



#### **Performance Discrepancy Clues**

- A. They don't know what's expected of them
- B. They don't have the tools, space or authority
- C. They don't get feedback about quality
- D. They're punished when they do it right
- E. They're rewarded when they do it wrong
- F. They're ignored whether they do it right or not
- G. They don't know how to do it



<sup>&</sup>quot;Analyzing Problems or You Really Oughta Wanna," by Mager & Pipe

#### **Performance Discrepancies**

- 1. They don't know why they should do it
- 2. They don't know how to do it
- 3. They don't know what they're supposed to do
- 4. They think your way will not work
- 5. They think their way is better
- 6. They think something else is more important

"Why Employees Don't Do What They're Supposed To Do and What To Do About It," by Ferdinand F. Fournies



#### Continued

- 7. There is no benefit/reward for doing it
- 8. They think they are doing it
- 9. They are rewarded for not doing it
- 10. They are punished for doing it
- 11. They anticipate a negative consequence for doing it
- 12. There is no negative consequence to them for poor performance



# Analyzing Performance Case Study 1

Review the Analyzing Performance Case Study in your groups and answer the following questions:

- 1. What was the performance discrepancy? Was there more than one?
- 2. What is a possible solution to the discrepancy?
- 3. What's the cost of the solution?
- 4. What's your action plan for implementing the solution? Who's involved?



# Analyzing Performance Case Study 2

The Case of the Stolen Sales



#### **Leadership Execution**

Begin with the end in mind

— What are the desired results/outcomes?

Generate innovative solutions

– What is innovation?

Make sound decisions

What happens if you make a bad decision?

Understand business operations

Could you be a leader in another department?

Increase productivity/improve processes

– How/what impediments?



#### **Results-Oriented Leadership**

Define execution.

- Execution is a discipline integral to strategy
- It's the major job of the business leader
- It must be a core element of culture

 Can you identify gaps between performance and execution?



#### **Three Core Processes**

Number One: The People Process



#### **Three Core Processes**

#### Number Two:

The Strategy Process

- Levels of Strategy:
  - corporate
  - divisional
  - functional

**Strategy Video** 



#### **Three Core Processes**

Number Three:

The Operations Process

 Where's the disconnect between operations and strategy?



#### ...to achieve results.

- Clear goals goal attainment is foremost!
- Proaction
- Cooperation
- Proper priorities
- Organizational coordination
- Adaptable organization
- Accomplishment
- High reliability organizations



### BREAK



## **Group Discussion: Motivating Performance**

- How do managers motivate employees?
- What do managers get in return? What do they want?
- A happy employee is a productive employee, right?
- Can a leader really motivate an employee?

Does money motivate? We'll find out.



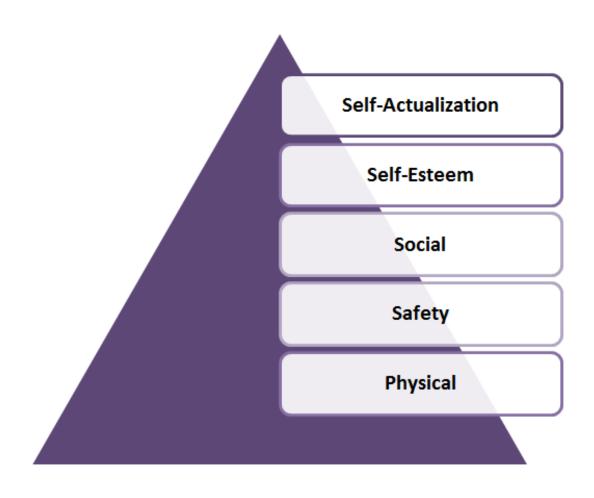
#### **Motivation Theories**

Why do you need to know about motivation theories and research?

- Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs
- Herzberg's 2-Factor Theory
- Expectancy Theory
  - The WRONG motivation discussion!



#### **Maslow's Hierarchy of NEEDS**





#### **Herzberg's 2-Factor Theory**

**Motivation Factors** 

Achievement
Recognition
Work itself
Responsibility
Advancement
Personal growth

THE BAR

Status Work conditions

Security Relationship with supervisor

Relationships (subords/peers) Company policy and administration

Personal life Supervision

Salary

**Hygiene Factors** 



#### Job Design

# JOB BREADTH



#### **Expectancy Theory**

#### Desire vs. Likelihood







#### Managers must recognize that:

- Employees work for a variety of reasons.
- These reasons, or expected outcomes, may change over time.
- It's necessary to clearly show employees how they can attain the outcomes they desire.



#### **Motivating Performance**

How is employee motivation built into annual performance reviews?

Should it be?



#### **Motivating Performance**

Now... does money motivate?





#### **The Research**

#### **Motivation Video**



#### **Motivating Performance**

3 Gimme's of Human Behavior – Feedback Activity

Giving precise and immediate feedback is sometimes all an employee needs to stay motivated to perform. In this exercise, the facilitator will take you though a series of steps that demonstrate how feedback affects motivation and human behavior.



### Wrap Up

QUESTIONS





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