

## How Much Does a Change Order During a Construction Project Really Cost You?

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The missing link in new restaurant openings is a project manager. The architect and equipment suppliers cover their work but are not responsible for the future success of your business nor are they responsible for coordinating all additional suppliers such as soft drink, POS, AV/TV, surveillance etc. Without proper coordination in planning you will be charged for change orders as these suppliers arrive and find that areas aren't defined and are not prepared.

Suppliers will provide low cost alternatives to equipment but remember, "Cheap isn't usually cheap". Short-terms savings will not save you money over time. A specialist will guide you through the most effective choices.

## Who is watching out for your interests?

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