



## Customer Case Study

# Standard Drywall, Inc. increases check security with SecurePay.

## SecurePay™

*Since being founded in 1955, Standard Drywall, Inc. has completed projects all over the United States, Mexico, Samoa, and Africa. At approximately \$250 million in annual revenue, Standard Drywall ranks as one of the largest lath, plaster and drywall subcontractors in the United States. Based in Southern California, Standard Drywall, Inc. prints an average of 4,500 payroll and 650 accounts payable checks per month.*

### **Business Situation**

Standard Drywall, Inc. saw an increase in business in 2004. As business increased, so did the number of checks being issued and printed. Due to the nature of the construction industry, SDI found themselves dealing with a number of misplaced or lost checks, which led to several incidences of check fraud. Faced with the negative impacts of check fraud, Standard Drywall Inc. contacted their bank in search of a solution that would prevent fraudulent checks from being cashed against their accounts.

### **The Solution: SecurePay**

Based on the strong recommendation of Wells Fargo Bank, Standard Drywall Inc. chose SecurePay software from AP Technology to meet their positive pay transmission needs. SecurePay is a client-side solution for positive pay file conversion and transmission that functions with all accounting applications, operating environments and platforms. SecurePay gathers the check issue file, converts it and automates transmission directly to the bank. The software is pre-configured with the client's bank positive pay file specifications. SecurePay requires no additional software to be installed, and a typical installation is completed within 45 minutes.

"SecurePay is so easy to use and to learn. The software makes our process extremely secure. It's that simple!" states Barbara Berg, Controller, SDI. Regarding the benefits SDI has found with SecurePay, Berg says, "The value is that we feel safe, no matter what is going on out there. On a daily basis, I know what is going on, and if I need to place a stop payment, I know

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*- Barbara Berg, Controller  
Standard Drywall, Inc.*

there is no way that the check is going to hit our account. It makes our checks very secure." SecurePay has already prevented multiple fraud attempts for Standard Drywall Inc. "We've had a couple of attempted fraud hits against our account, but because we have SecurePay, we were able to stop it. I placed a call to the bank and they took it over from there." Standard Drywall Inc has installed their SecurePay software on a Windows OS to use with their Starbuilder accounting package.

### **About AP Technology**

AP Technology is one of the original pioneers of MICR laser check printing systems. AP Technology develops leading solutions for MICR laser check printing (SecureCheck), positive pay (SecurePay), secure signatures and graphics (ezSigner), and MICR toner and blank check stock (TruPrint). For more information on the company's check printing solution suite, visit [www.aptechnology.com](http://www.aptechnology.com)

