Manager SE Inspections User's Guide

Setting up and using Manager SE Inspections / Inspections+

MANAGER SE / SHOPKEY SHOP MANAGEMENTSE

VERSION 9.2 or newer required

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Requirements

- Manager SE 9.2.0 or later with Job View enabled
- Browsers Chrome, Firefox and Edge
- Mobile Devices:
 - o iOS current version + 2 previous versions supported
 - o Android current + 2 previous versions supported

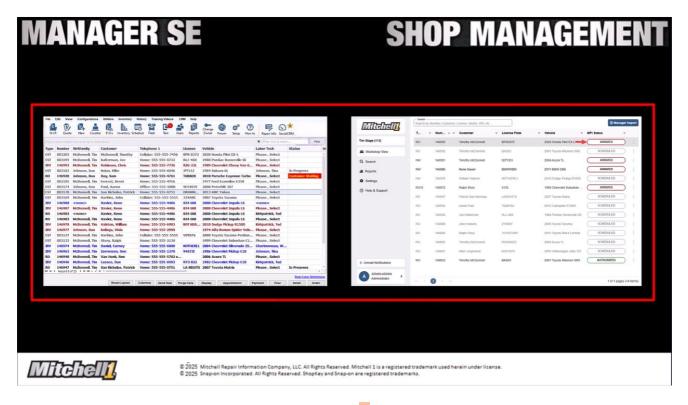
Introduction

Manager SE Inspections is a comprehensive vehicle inspection system designed to streamline 'in-house' communication between Service Writers, Technicians, and Management. It enables you to document upsell opportunities, share findings with customers to gain approvals faster and facilitates the sale of additional services. Additionally, Manager SE Inspections allows you to track unsold work and take follow-up action when necessary.

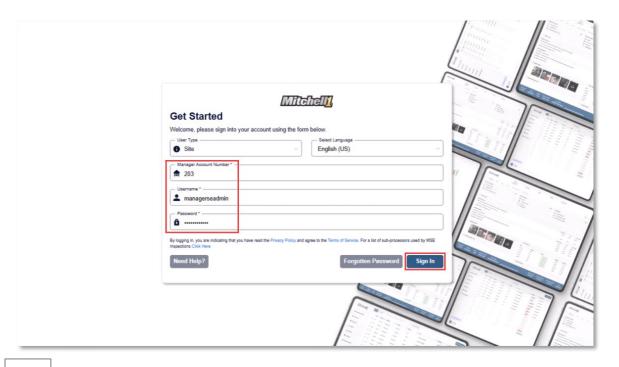
This guide offers detailed step-by-step instructions to help each user make efficient use of the Manager SE Inspections system.

1. Configuration WIZARD

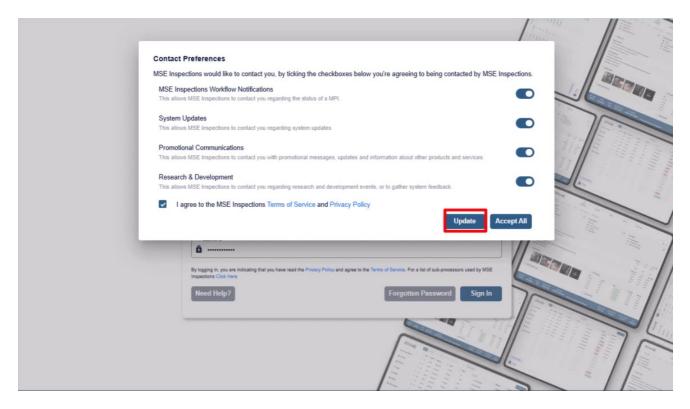
The Configuration Wizard is provided to expedite the process of integrating Manager SE Inspections to your Manager SE database. This process requires the email reply with login credentials for mseinspections.com.



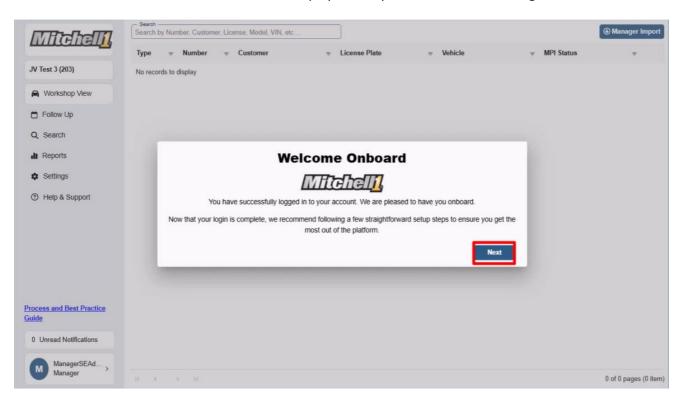
1. Starting in the Manager SE Inspection System browser screen, enter your Manager account number, along with the Username and Password provided. Once entered, click on **Sign In**.



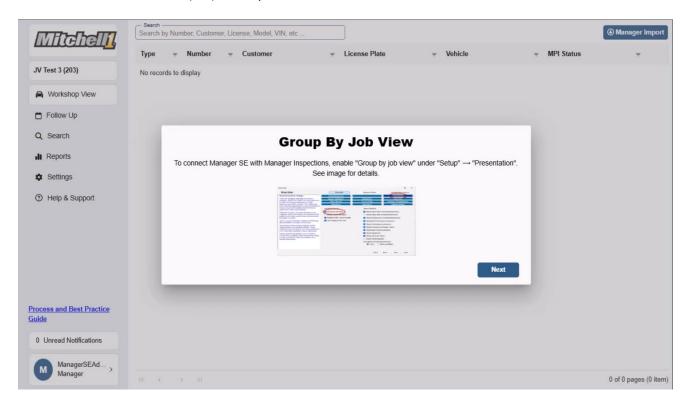
2. Once logged into Manager SE Inspections, you will first be required to consider your Contact Preferences. When complete, click on **Update**.



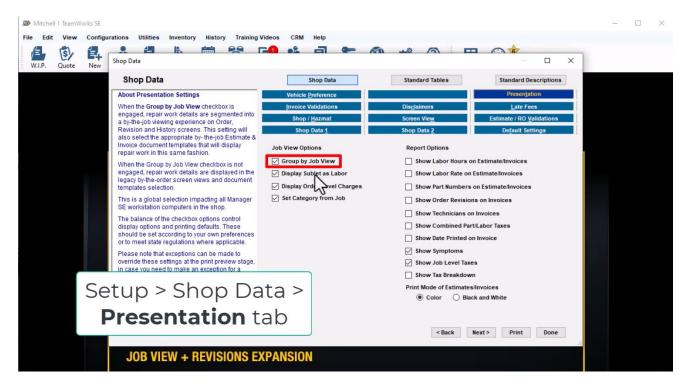
3. The Welcome Onboard Wizard screen displays. Once you have read the message click on Next.



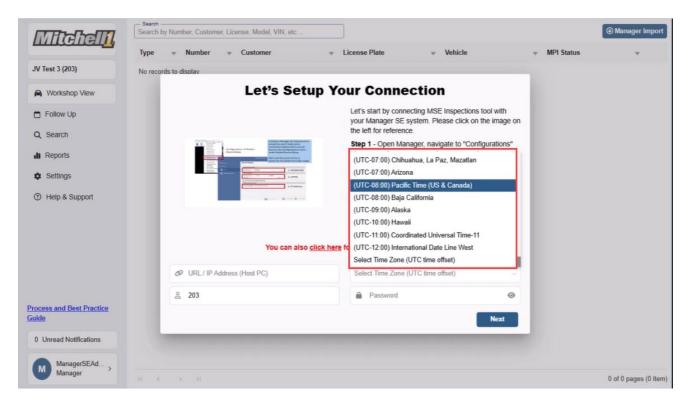
4. To ensure proper results from this inspection integration, **Group by Job View** checkbox in Manager SE must be checked (ON). Once you've read this notice, click on **Next**.



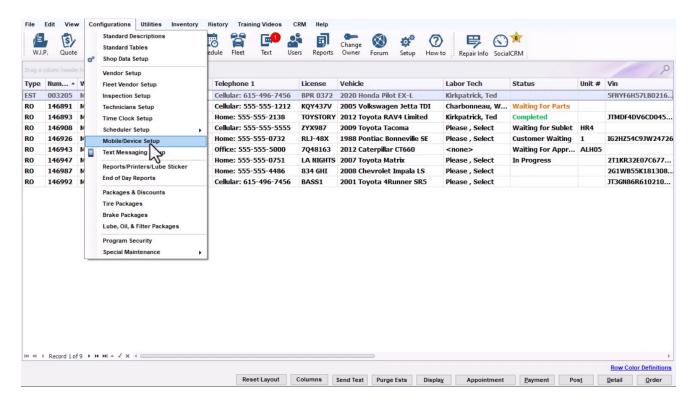
NOTE: Manager SE Setup > Shop Data > Presentation tab – Group By Job View check box shown below. If you're a new Manager SE user, this was checked by default. [as shown in <u>Configuration Wizard</u> video]



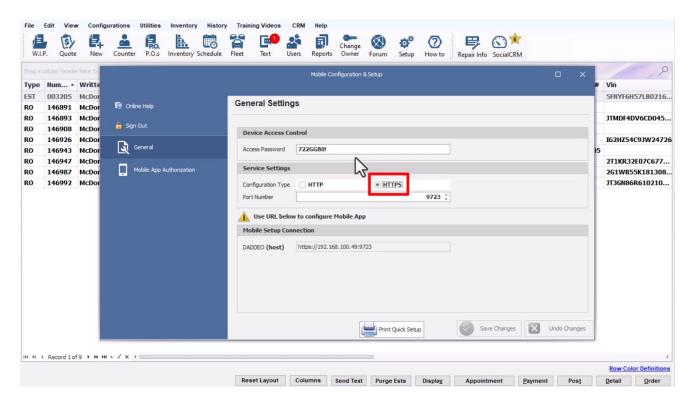
5. This window is for entering required information, starting with setting to your local Time Zone. After reading screen notes, return to your Manager SE system. [TIP: **Use Alt + Tab keys to swap screens**]



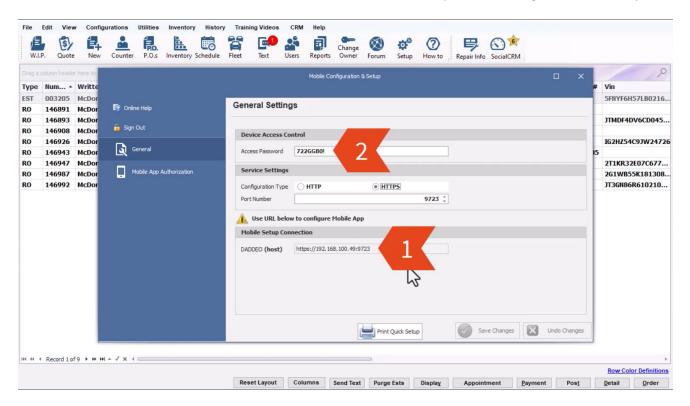
6. From the Configurations menu, select the Mobile Device Setup option.



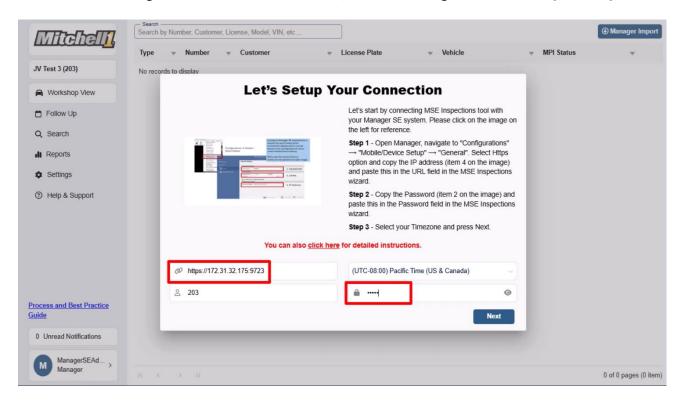
7. Select General from the left menu to open this settings panel. Make sure the HTTPS option is selected.



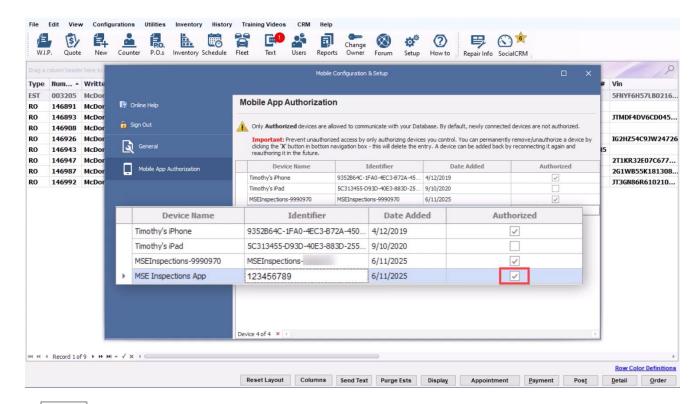
8. While here, make note of (1) the Mobile Setup Connection URL and (2) your Device Access Control Password. These values will be entered into the Wizard screen. Keep Mobile Configuration screen open.



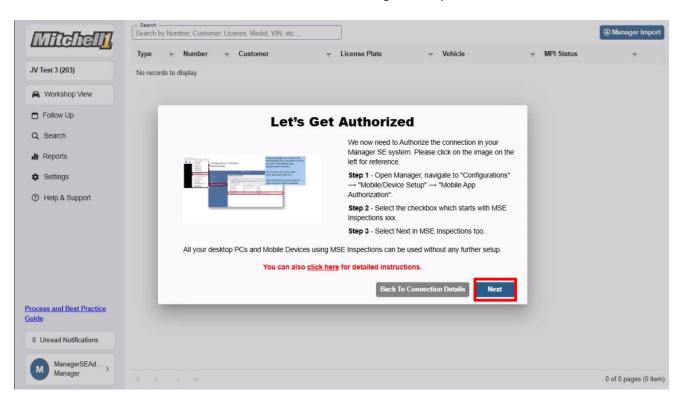
9. Switching back to Manager SE Inspections Wizard, enter the copied URL and Password. For these connection settings to be allowed database access, return to Manager SE once more. [Alt + Tab]



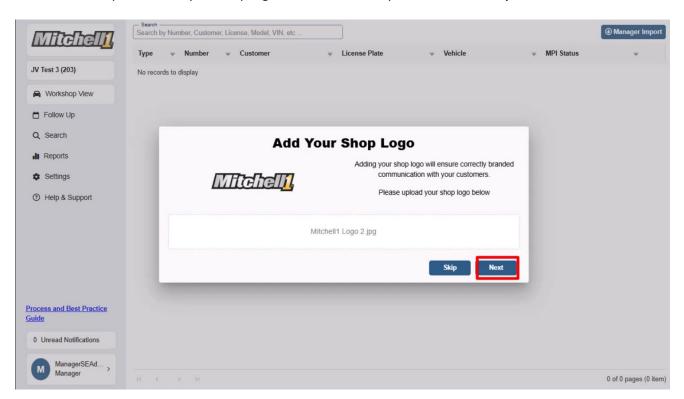
10. Switch to **Mobile App Authorization** and scroll down to bottom of the Device Name list. Check the box next to the last entry that you have just added. Click the 'X' to close the Mobile App Authorization screen.



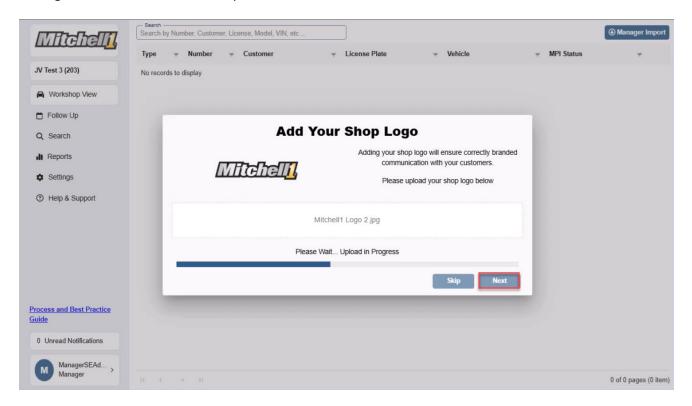
11. With this connection authorized, switch back to the Manager SE Inspections Wizard, click on Next.



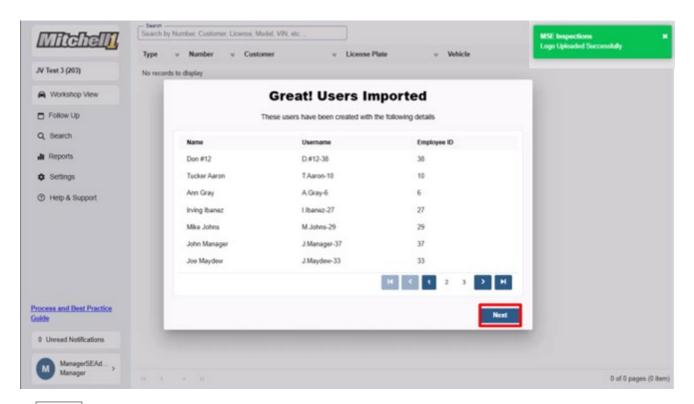
12. Here's the option to add your shop logo, if that file is handy. If not, click on **Skip** for now and add it later.



13. To add your logo, click on **Next**, then locate and click on the logo file you would like to add. With your logo selected, click on **Next** to upload it.



14. Once uploaded, the setup Wizard will auto import all your Manager SE Users. This includes your manager, service advisors and technicians. Then click **Next**.

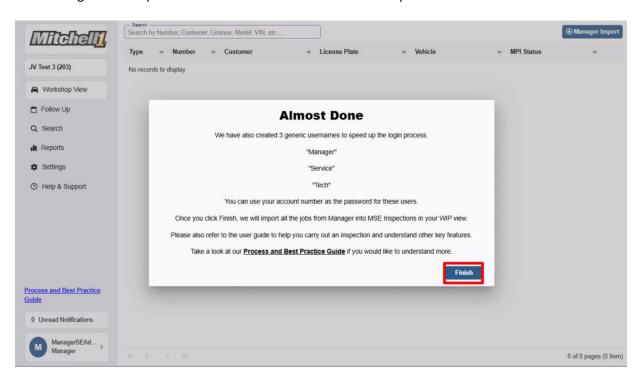


15. The Wizard now displays two app store QR codes to download the Manager SE Inspections app to Apple or Android mobile devices. If your devices are handy, use this shortcut to get them set up. Click on **Next**.

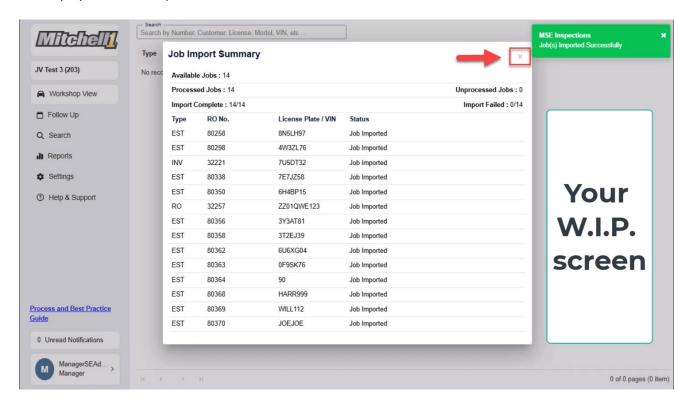


IMPORTANT: - To ensure proper communication of inspections data, make sure that your mobile devices are connected to the <u>exact same network as your Manager SE system</u>

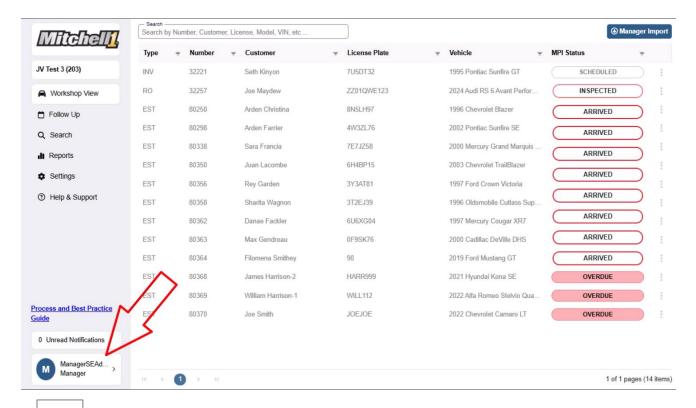
16. Three general shop users were also added. Wizard screen explains more about these. Click on Finish.



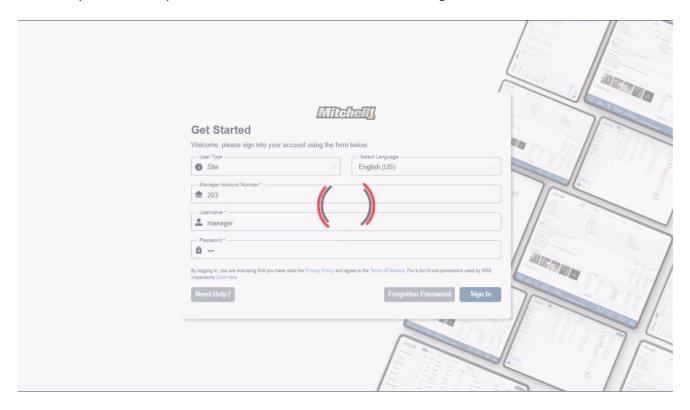
17. The Wizard loads the WIP screen data from your Manager SE system. Click on the 'X' to wrap up and display the Workshop View.



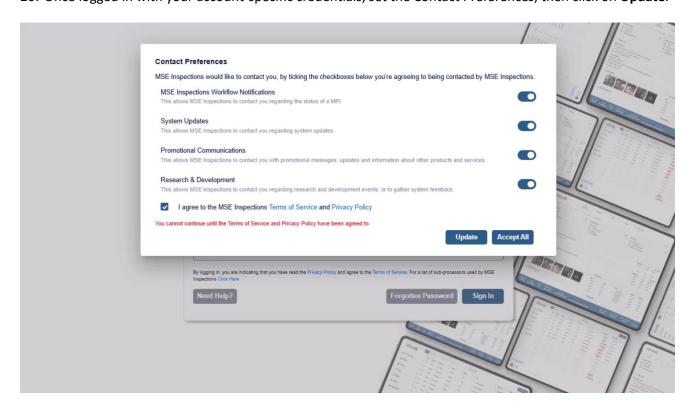
18. Click here (arrow in lower left corner) to log out of Manager SE Inspections. Then log back in, using your specific Username and Password.



19. Enter your account-specific Username and Password. Then click Log In.



20. Once logged in with your account-specific credentials, set the Contact Preferences, then click on **Update**.



Your Manager SE Inspections system is now ready to use.

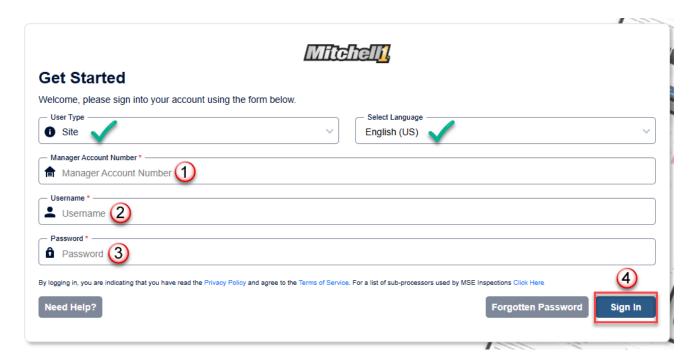
2. Logging In - Browser (Advisor - Workshop View)

Navigate to https://mseinspections.com/login

Note: 'User Type' & 'Select Language' should already be defaulted to correct values. The first-time data you enter here will be remembered by your browser for future logins.

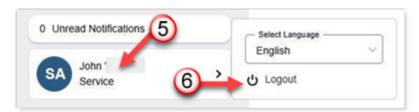
Enter the credentials from your MSE Inspections email as follows:

- 1. Enter your Manager Account Number. [Mitchell 1 account #]
- **2.** Enter your **Username**.
- 3. Enter your Password.
- 4. Now click on Sign In.



You are now logged into your Manager SE Inspections – Workshop View.

- 5. To exit Manager SE Inspections, click on your name in the bottom left corner of the screen.
- 6. Select the Logout option.

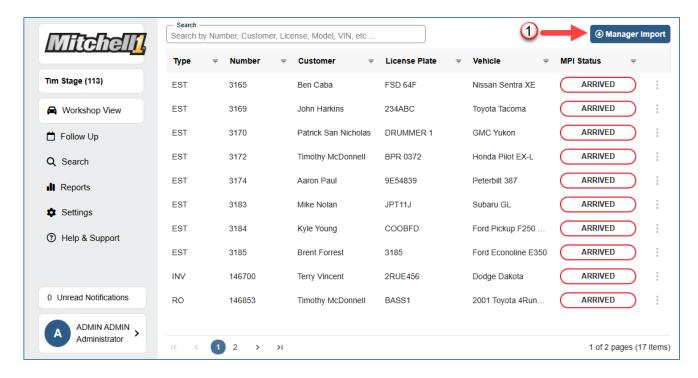


NEXT: Proceed to Importing Jobs.

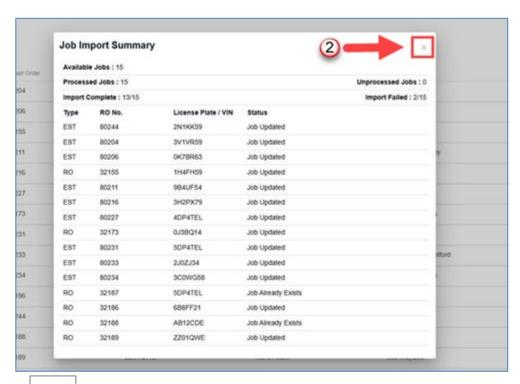
3. Importing Jobs (From Manager SE WIP Screen)

Starting from logged into Manager SE Inspections in the browser and opened to Workshop View.

1. Select 'Manager Import' in the top right corner.



2. The Repair Orders imported will display as shown. Now exit using 'X' in top right corner.

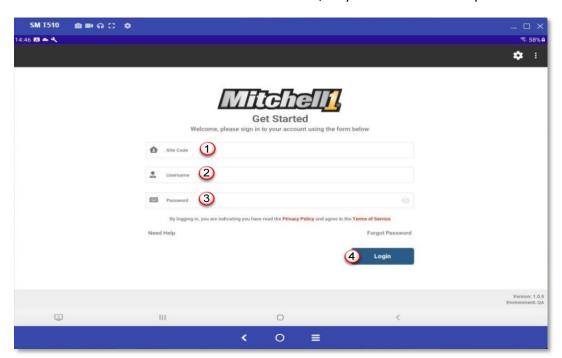


4. Logging In – App on Mobile Device [Technician for MPI]

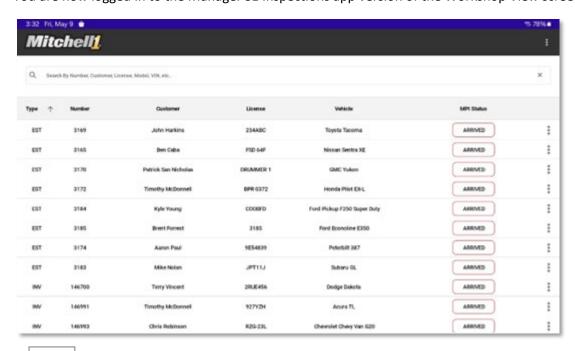
With Manager SE Inspections open on mobile device, enter the following:

- 1. Confirm Sitecode is displayed. (Mitchell 1 account # only needs to be entered once)
- 2. Username
- 3. Password
- 4. Now select 'Login'.

NOTE: Once Site Code and Username are confirmed, only Password will be required on future logins.



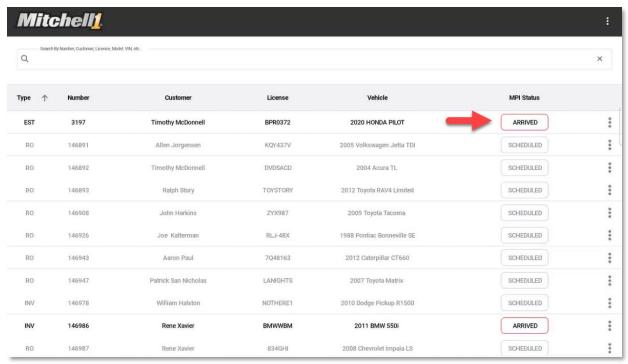
You are now logged in to the Manager SE Inspections app version of the Workshop View screen.



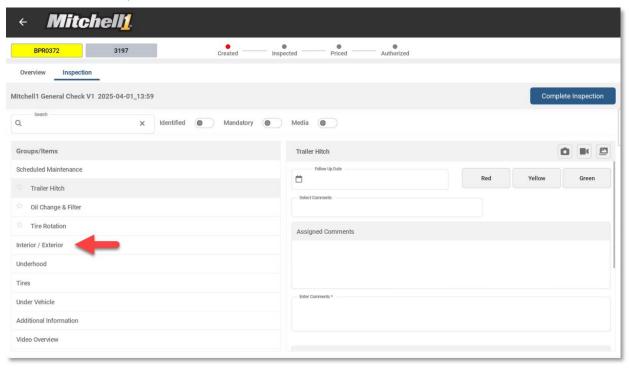
5. Performing an Inspection [Mobile Device]

The Inspection template is divided into three levels. First, <u>GROUPS</u> which contain a drop-down list of <u>ITEMS</u>. users can enter typed or narrated <u>COMMENT</u> or select a stored entry to use per item from a drop-down list.

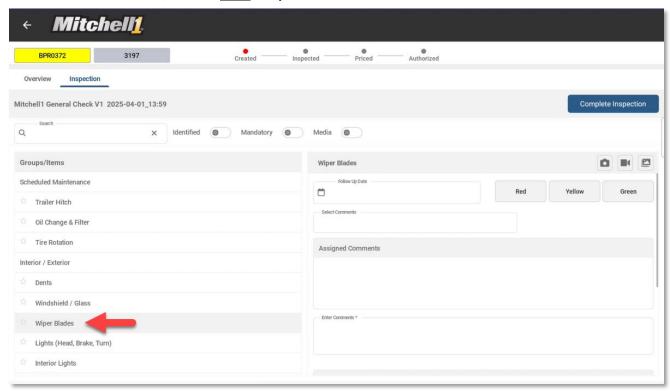
1. Once logged into your tablet, **double tap a record** to begin your Manager SE estimate inspection.



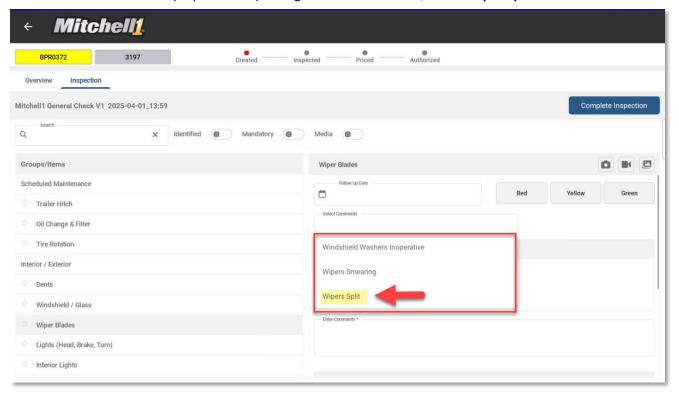
2. Next, select a inspection GROUP; 'Interior/Exterior'.



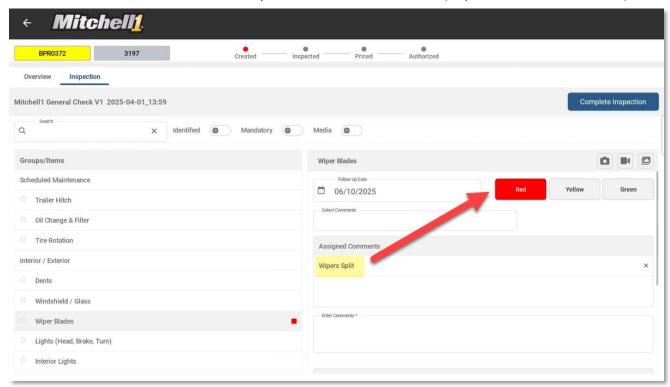
3. Then select an Interior/Exterior ITEM - Wiper Blades.



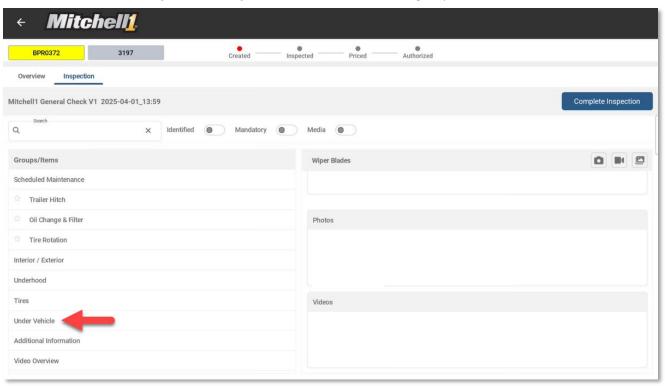
4. From the selected item (Wiper Blades) - Assigned COMMENTS list, select Wiper Split.



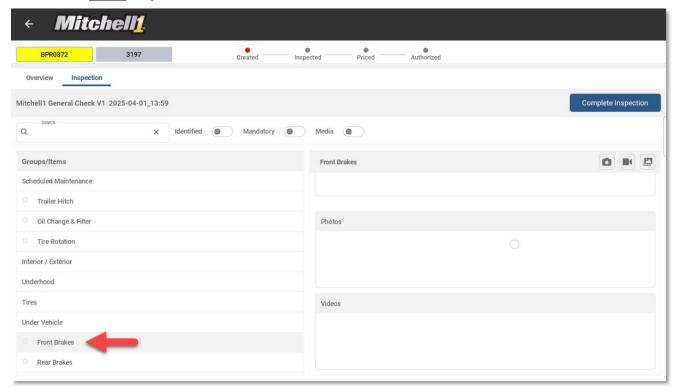
NOTE: This stored COMMENT automatically defaulted item to RED status (requires immediate attention).



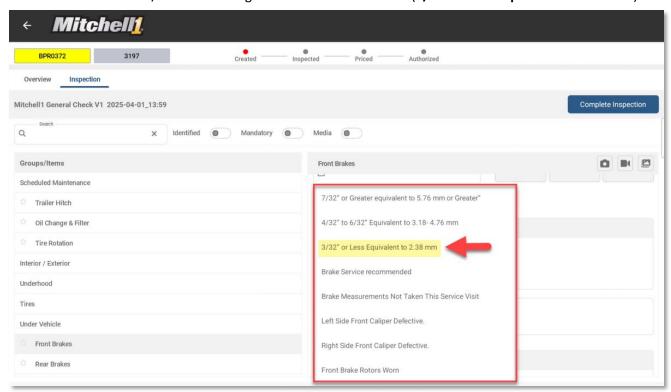
5. Return to the list of Inspection Groups - select the Under Vehicle group.



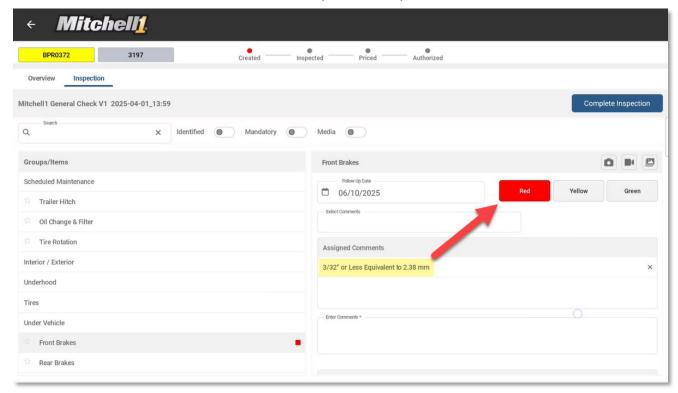
6. From the ITEMS drop-down list, select Front Brakes.



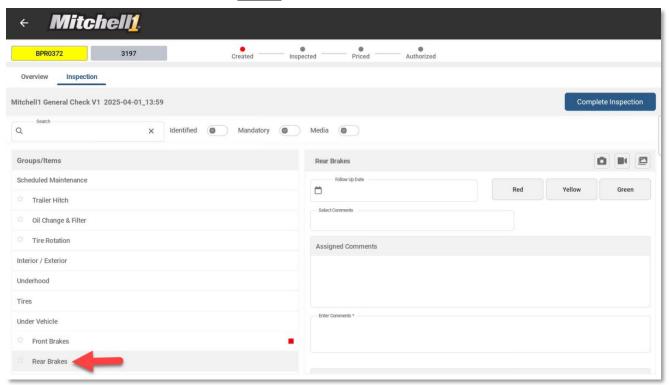
7. Now select the issue/fault note being recorded for Fron Brakes: (3/32" or Less Equivalent to 2.38mm)



NOTE: This stored comment has defaulted this item (Front Brakes) to reflect a RED condition status.

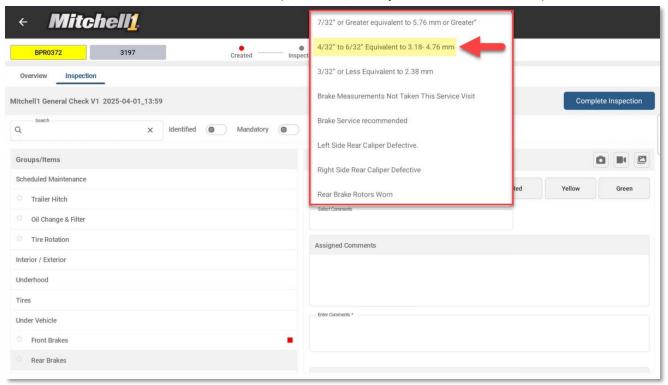


8. Select another item from the same <u>GROUP</u> - this time, choose **Rear Brakes**.

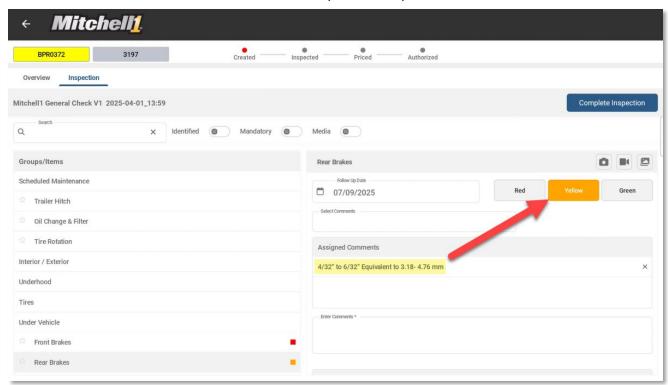


NOTE: When you type or narrate a new comment, make sure to select a condition type: (Red, Yellow, Green).

9. Select the condition/fault for Rear Brakes: (4/32" to 6/32" Equivalent to 3.16-4.76mm)



NOTE: This selected comment has defaulted this item (Rear Brakes) to reflect a YELLOW condition status.



NEXT: How to add media (photos or video) to inspection item(s) as needed.

6. Adding Photos to an Inspection

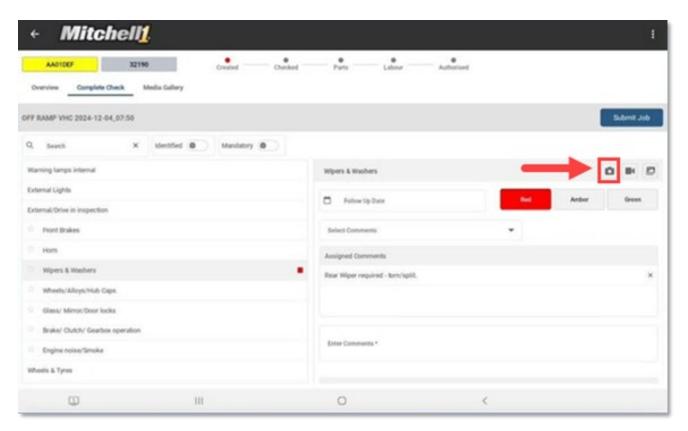
Tablet devices vary in functionality details. The first time you take a photo (or video) with Manager SE Inspections, you'll likely encounter a permissions dialog such as the example shown here.

Select the 'While using the app' option to allow the function. This option only needs to be selected once.

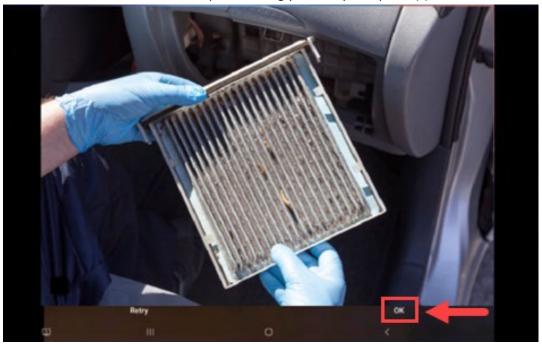


While completing an inspection item, users have the option to add a photo. These can either be shared internally (shop) and most importantly, to the customer for each inspection item.

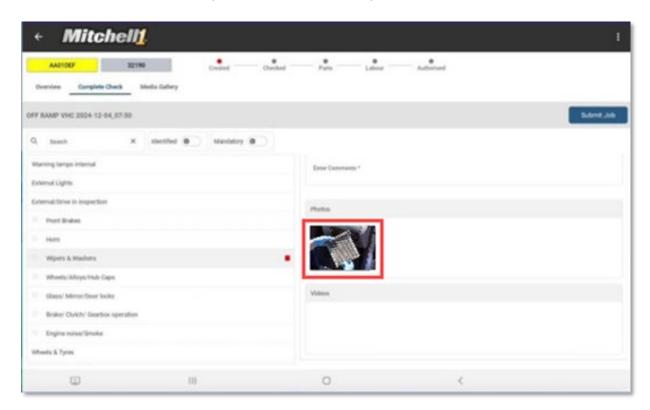
1. Tap on the camera icon on your selected inspection item.



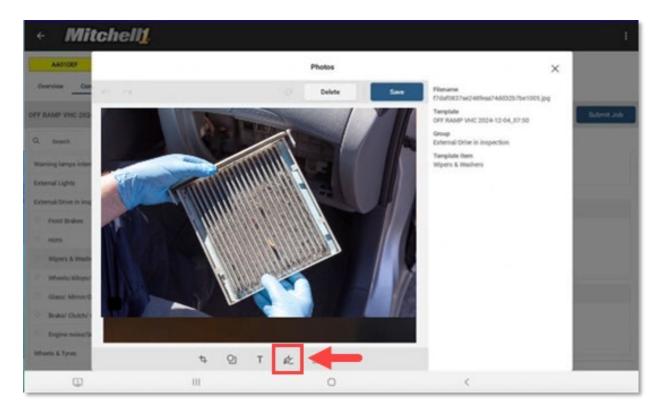
2. Your device camera will now open allowing you to capture photo(s).



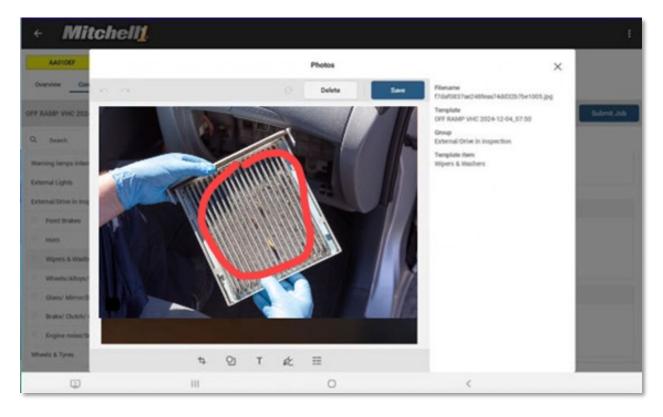
- 3. With the picture captured, select **OK** to save it to that specific inspection item.
- 4. To add an annotation to the photo, first make sure the photo is selected.



5. While photo is open in your tablet, select the 'freehand pen' option from edit tools.

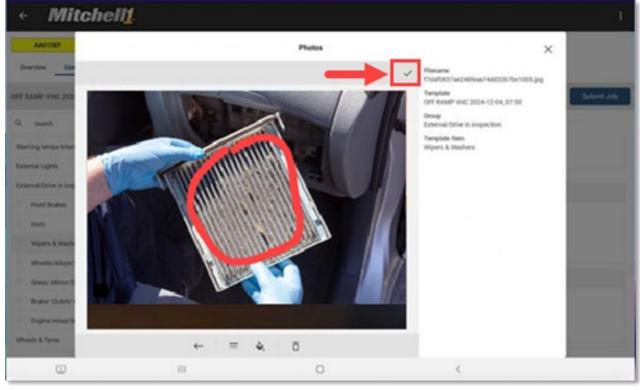


6. Now you can use the pen to draw on the screen to bring attention to something within the photo.

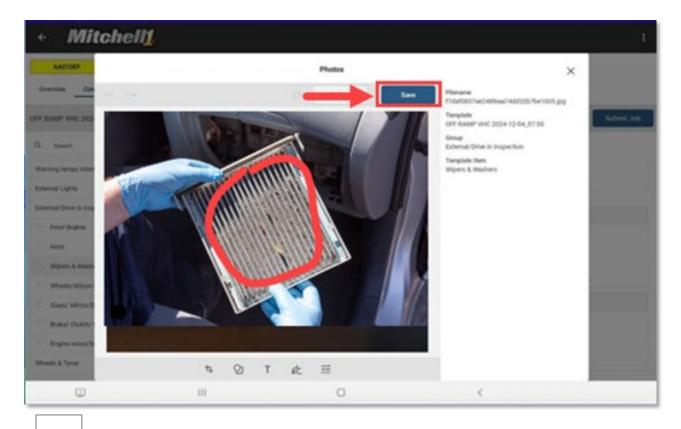


7. Once completed, click on the 'checkmark icon' directly above the photo to save drawing.

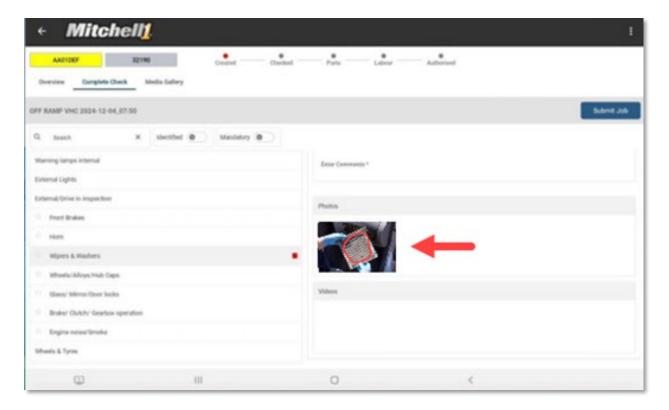




8. Click on the **Save** button directly above the photo.

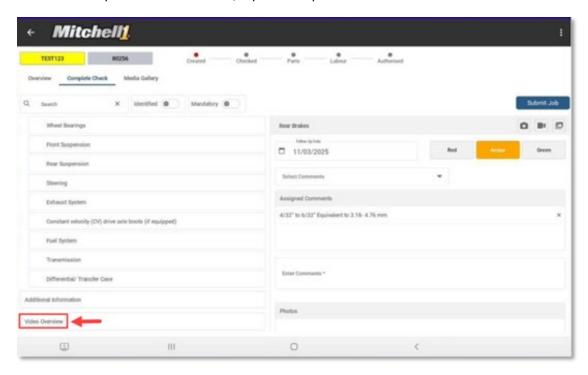


9. The annotated photo is saved back to the selected inspection item.

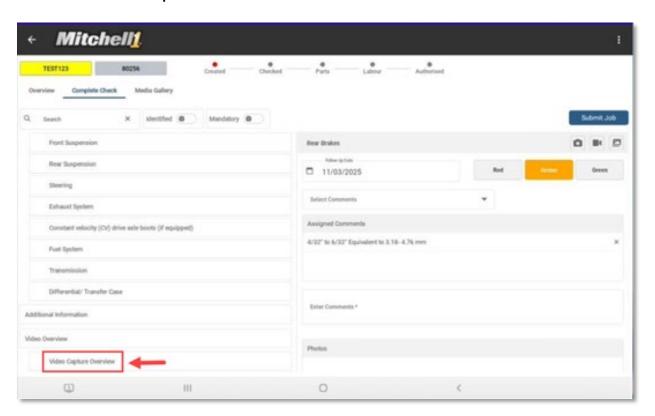


7. Adding Video to an Inspection

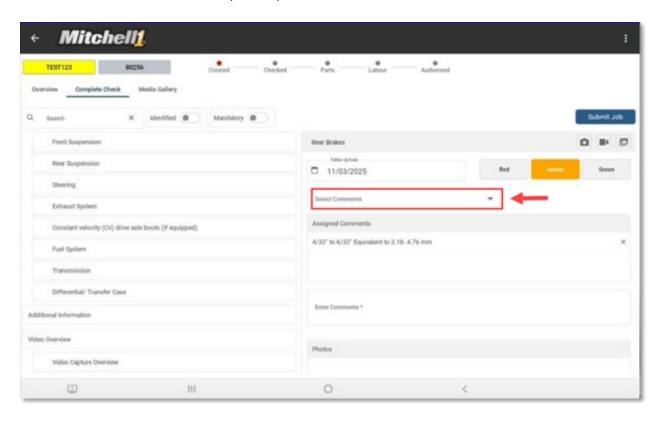
1. With an inspection item selected, tap on Group header Video Overview.



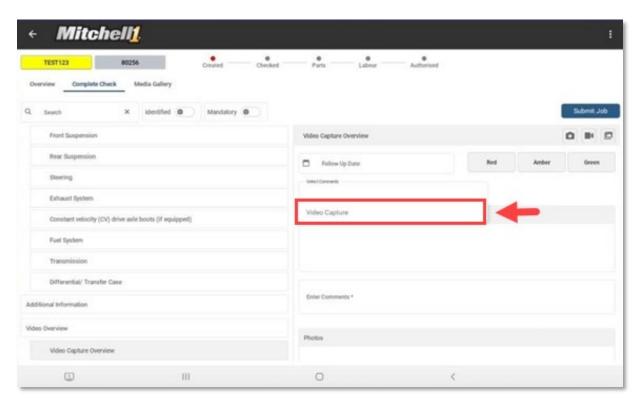
2. Then select Video Capture Overview.



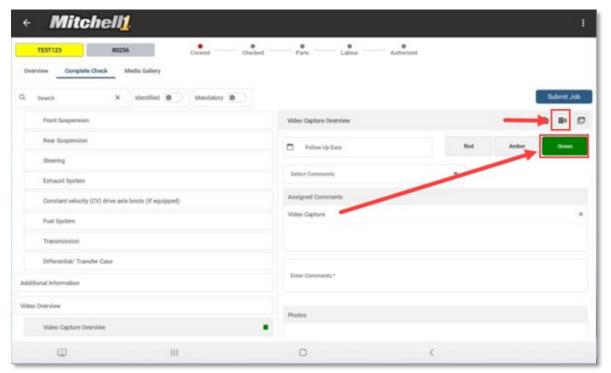
3. Click on 'Select Comments' to open drop-down list.



4. Now select Video Capture.



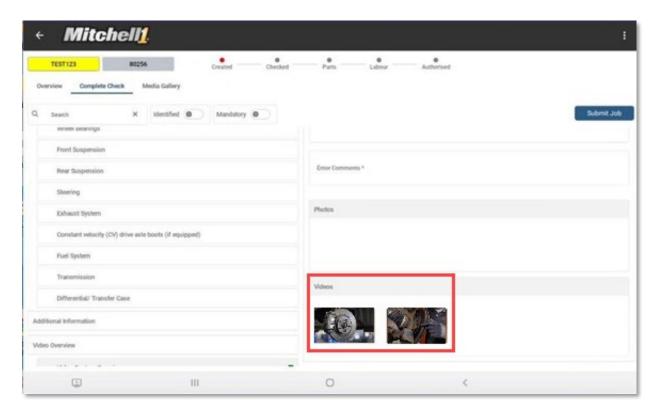
- 5. Video will be recorded as **Green** status, since we are not adding new faults, but instead providing the shop and customer with visual evidence of vehicle issues identified within the inspection.
- 6. Select the Video icon shown here:



7. Follow the instructions for your device to record and save the video.



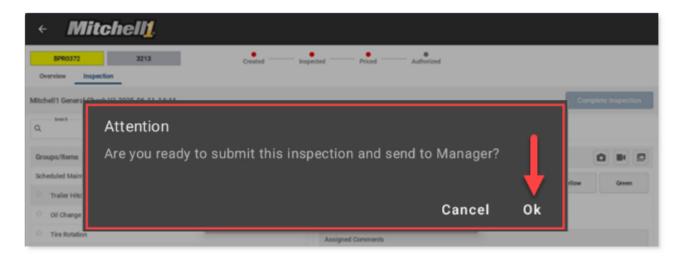
8. Two videos have added to this inspection example.



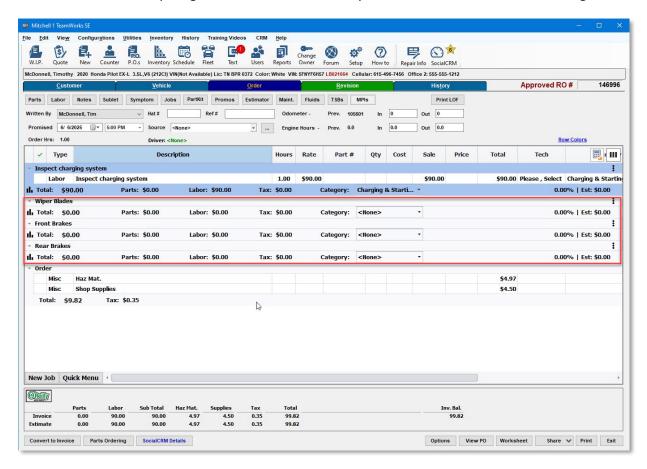
NEXT: Marking the inspection completed + sharing MPI results back to Manager SE for pricing.

8. Completing the Inspection (Share Results Back to Manager SE)

 Once all items requiring attention have been recorded with any related media, the tech will tap on Complete Inspection. A confirmation appears before committing to share MPI items back to Manager SE for pricing. Tap on OK if MPI is completed. Workshop View record will update to display as INSPECTED.



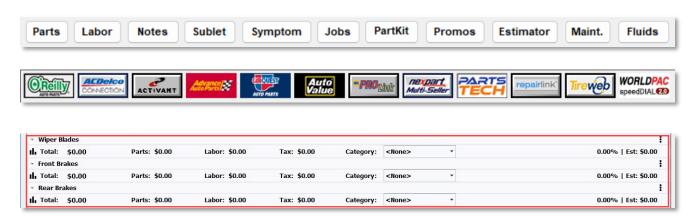
MPI items marked as requiring attention will automatically create Job View containers in Manager SE.



Next: Service advisors price those items using familiar options in Manager SE.

9. Pricing Inspection Item Jobs in Manager SE

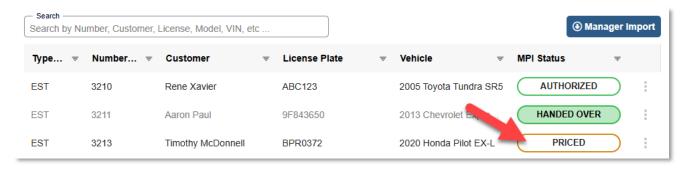
The service advisor will select a Job View container and apply Manager SE options (Quick Menu -canned jobs, Estimator labor & OEM parts, aftermarket catalogs, etc.) to price work required to correct the vehicle issues.



This process will be repeated until all of the work is priced inside the Manager SE order. The pricing data is automatically sent back to Manager SE Inspections for sharing with the vehicle owner.



When the service advisor switches back to the Workshop View (browser), this order status is now PRICED.

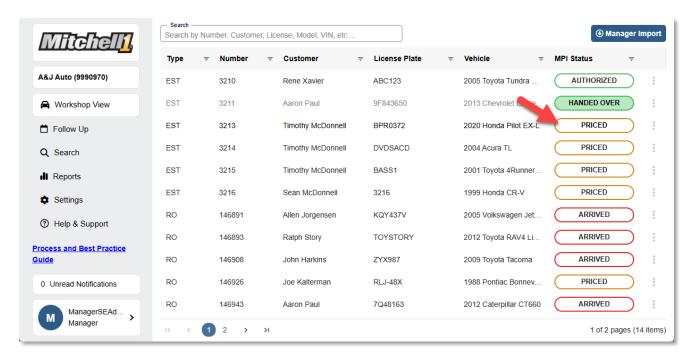


From here, the advisor can open the entry to review inspection item details and associated pricing.

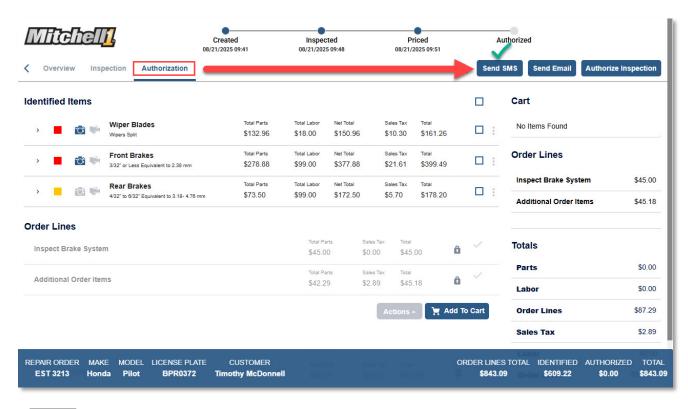
NEXT: Sharing MPI pricing with the vehicle owner using the Communication Process.

10. Customer Communication – Texting (SMS)

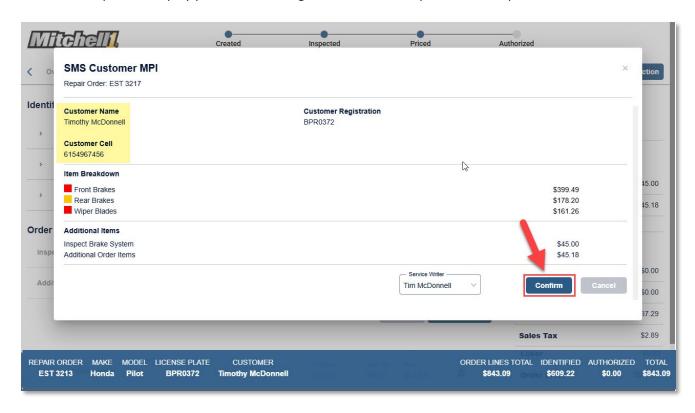
1. Re-open the order in Workshop View (browser) and proceed to the **Authorization** tab.



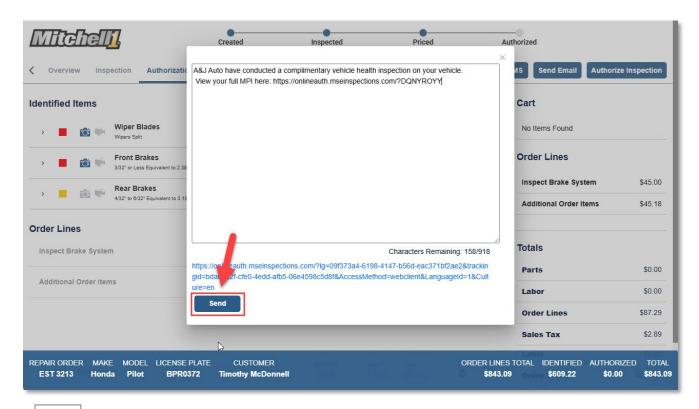
2. With **Authorization** tab open, select **Send SMS** (text message to customer). The SMS text delivers a message with a link to review actual inspection details.



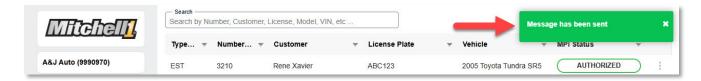
3. Window opens to display priced items along with work booked prior to the inspection. Click on Confirm.



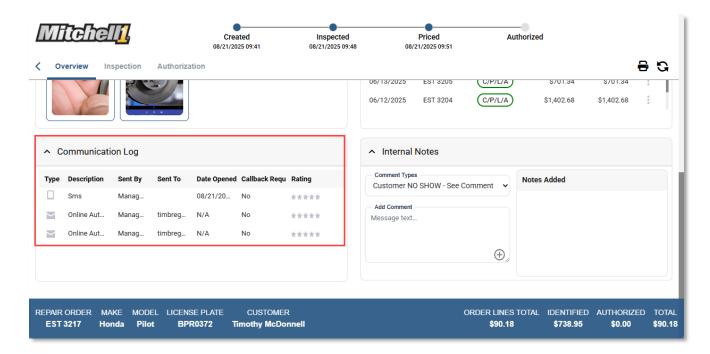
4. The SMS preview opens, showing the message about to be shared with your customer. Select the **Send** option to send this text message with a link to inspection results for your customer's review.



NOTE: A green pop-up box will appear briefly on Workshop View screen, confirming that SMS text was sent:



To see a record of what was sent / opened by customer, open the record. Scroll down to Communication Log.



CUSTOMER VIEW

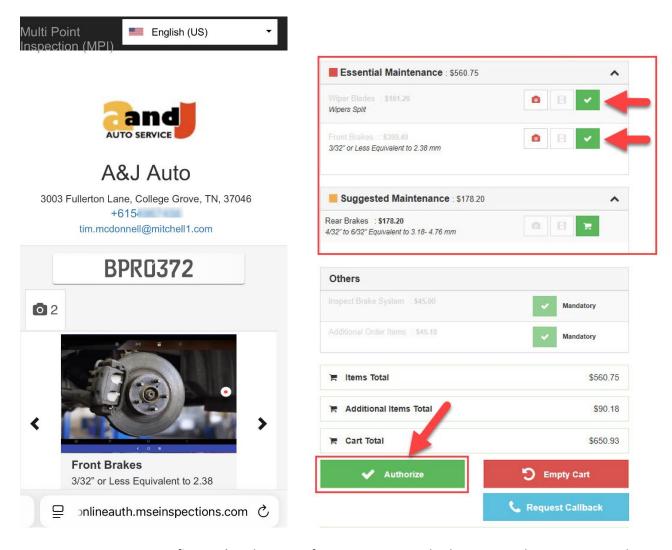
1. Customer will receive the text and then tap the link included to review the inspection report details along with any photos /video.

Thursday 9:55 AM

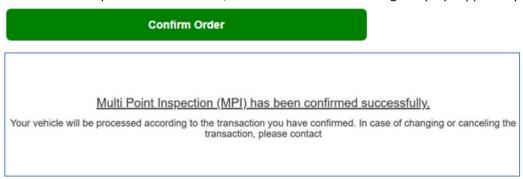
A&J Auto have conducted a complimentary vehicle health inspection on your vehicle.

View your full MPI here: https://onlineauth.mseinspections.com/?
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- 2. These sample screens show the customer experience via text message. Note that the shopping cart icons change to green checkmarks for items approved by the customer.
- 3. Once completed, the customer will tap **Authorize** to approve the work they specifically want performed.



4. Customer taps on **Confirm Order**, then a confirmation message displays approval process is complete.

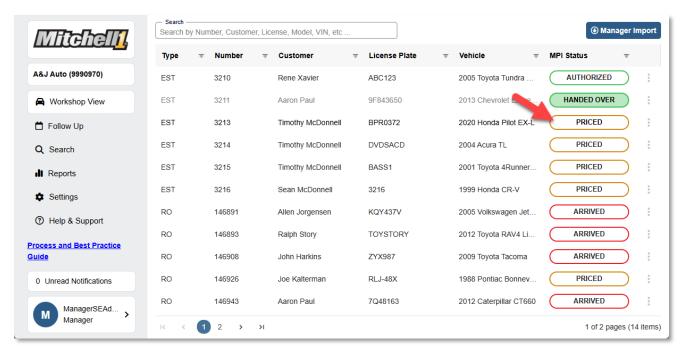


The details are now sent back to the Manager SE Inspections system at your shop.

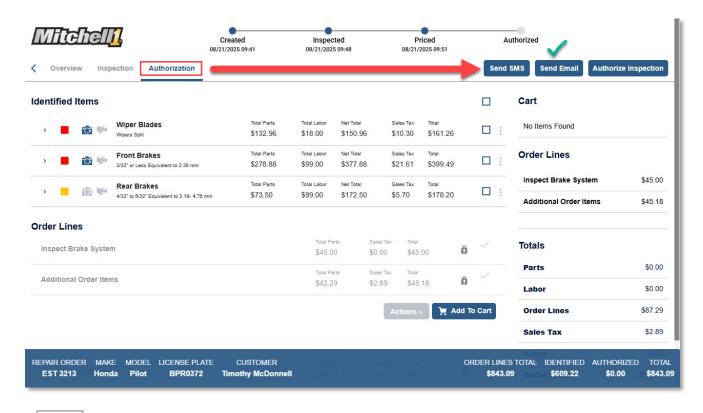
NEXT: See email version of sharing inspection results with customer, followed by acting on their response.

11. Customer Communication - Email

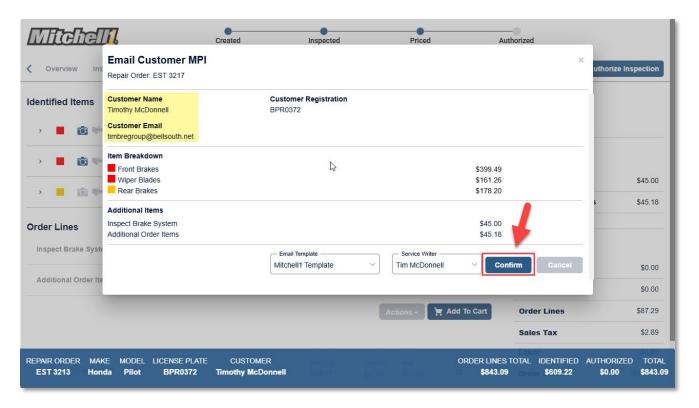
5. Re-open the order in Workshop View (browser) and proceed to the **Authorization** tab.



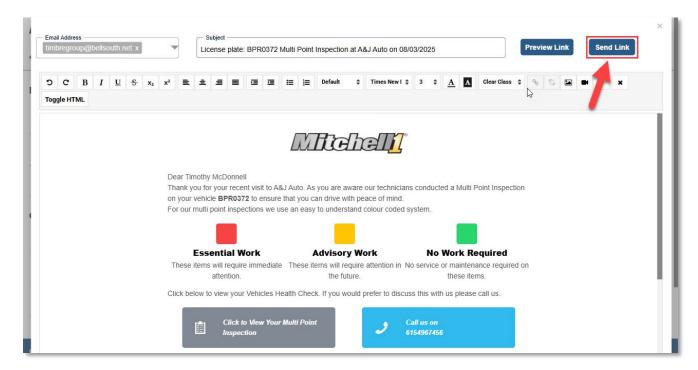
6. With **Authorization** tab open, select **Send Email** to get a message to the customer. The email delivers a message with a link to review actual inspection details.



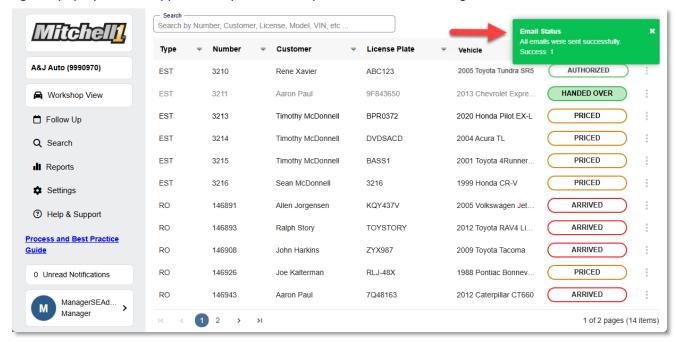
7. Window opens to display priced items along with work booked prior to the inspection. Click on Confirm.



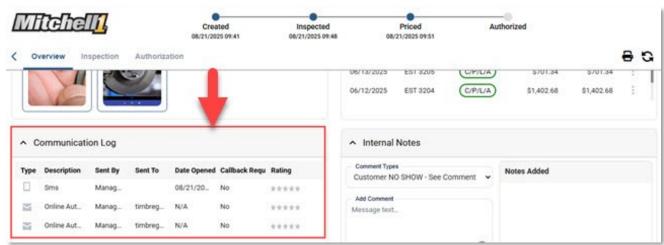
8. The email preview opens, showing the message about to be shared with your customer. Select the **Send Link** option to forward this message with link to inspection results for your customer's review.



A green pop-up box will appear briefly on Workshop View screen, confirming that email was sent:



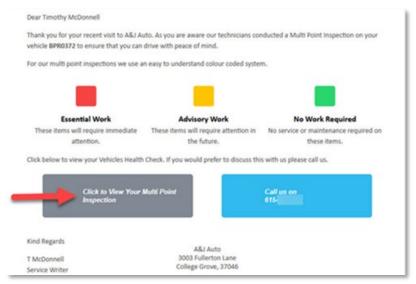
TIP: To confirm what was sent / opened by customer, open the record. Scroll down to Communication Log.



Customer View follows on the next page.

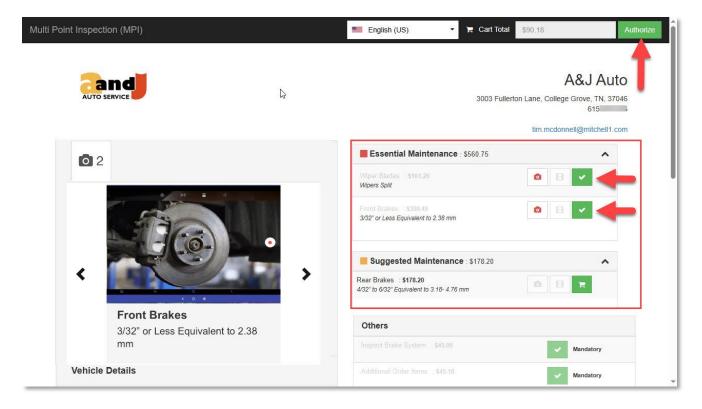
CUSTOMER VIEW

1. The customer receives the email and uses **Click to View Your Multi-Point Inspection** link provided.



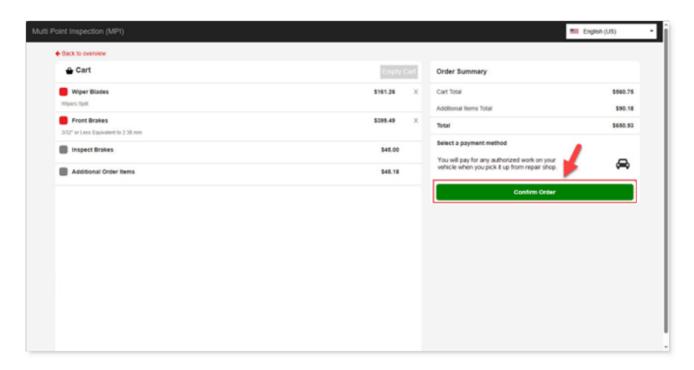
Their inspection opens in a browser. Customer review vehicle inspection items identified, along with any supporting photos / videos, plus prices assigned to each item. They will also see previously approved work (original reason for customer's visit before inspection) under 'Others' and are set to <u>Mandatory</u>.

2. Customers approve work items by clicking on cart icons, changing them into checkmarks. New total shown at top of the screen. This is where the customer selects **Authorize**.



NOTE: The next window shows the items the customer just authorized, along with the original approved work. (options included: delete item(s) or empty cart)

3. Next, the customer will click on **Confirm Order**.



Finally, the customer will see a confirmation message that the approval process is complete.

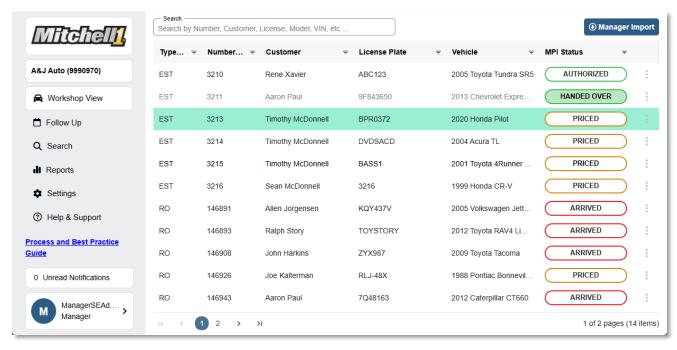
Multi Point Inspection (MPI) has been confirmed successfully. Your vehicle will be processed according to the transaction you have confirmed. In case of changing or canceling the transaction, please contact

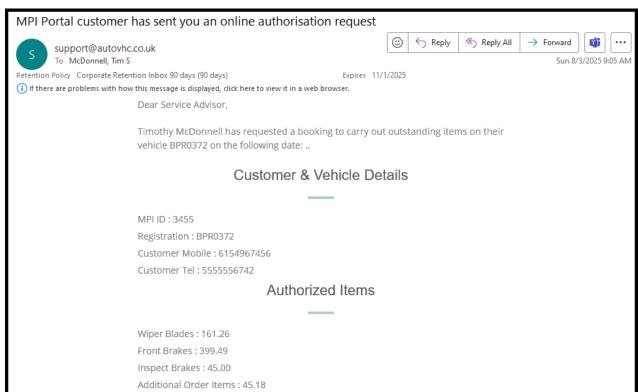
The approvals are now sent back to the Manager SE Inspections system at your shop.

12. Process Customer Authorizations

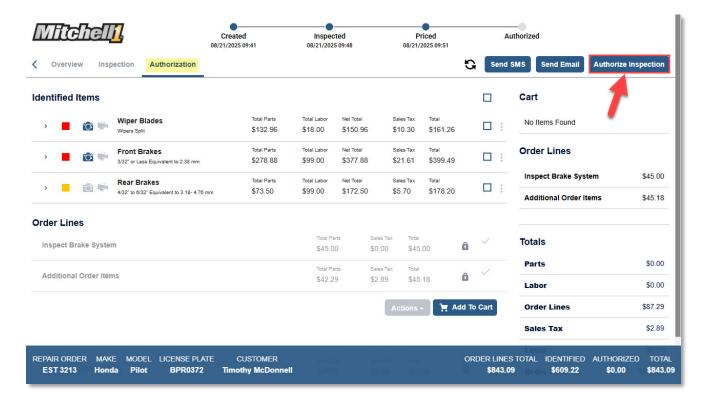
Customer has viewed their inspection results; the shop can now perform the approved work

In Workshop View, the order line is currently highlighted in green with a status of PRICED. The service advisor receives an email this customer has responded. Both of these factors point to reviewing customer approvals.

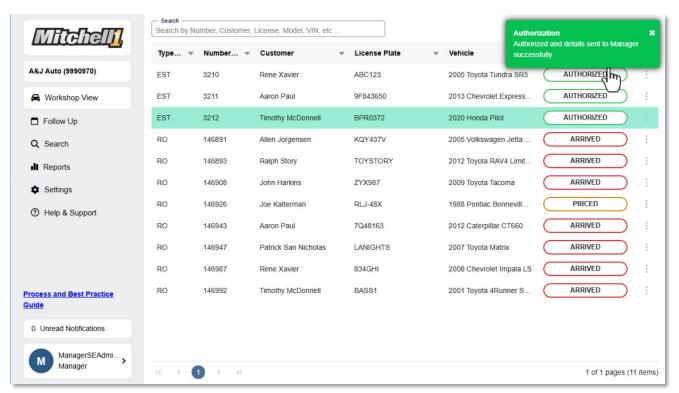




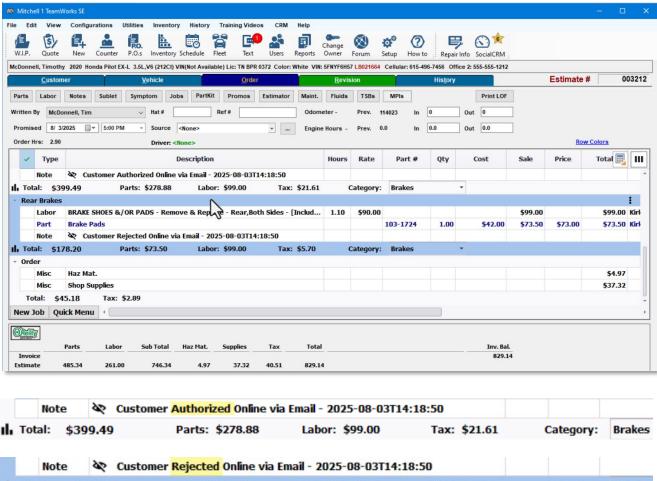
 The advisor double-clicks that order line to access the **Authorization** tab to view the Authorized items / Declined items. This provides one more opportunity to sell any work that was declined. Then selects 'Authorize Inspection' which signals work may proceed on approved jobs in the Manager SE estimate.



2. The order line status is updated to AUTHORIZED.

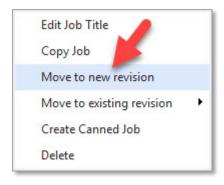


Having completed this approval process, the service advisor will confirm which items were approved with the technician(s) assigned. Looking at this estimate in Manager SE, job containers for MPI items now include note lines to confirm which jobs have been Authorized.





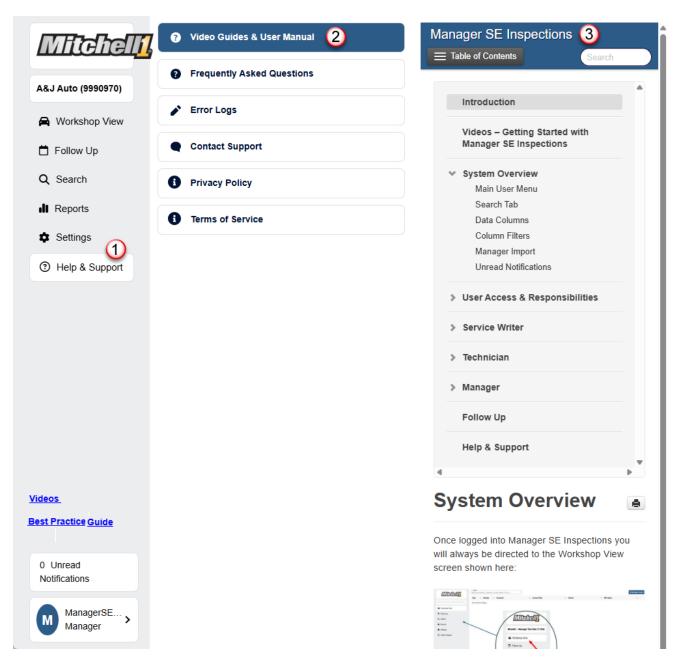
Any jobs that were declined can quickly be moved to the Revision screen.



Next: List of additional resources accessed from Manager SE inspections in browser.

Additional Resources are available inside Manager SE Inspections:

Point your browser to: https://mseinspections.com/help



NOTE 1: The Best Practice Guide includes articles that form the basis of the MSE Inspections Users Guide.



NOTE 2: User Manual menu options vary according to user's login for their role in the shop:

