

## 10 Principles of Kaizen

- 1. Let go of the assumptions.
- 2. Be proactive about taking care of issues and solving problems.
- 3. Try not to acknowledge business as usual.
- 4. Let go of perfectionism and take a demeanor of iterative, versatile change.
- 5. Look for solutions as and when you find mistakes.
- 6. Establish and create an environment wherein everybody feels engaged to contribute.
- 7. Try not to acknowledge the obvious issue; instead, ask "why" multiple times at least five times to get to the underlying root cause.
- 8. Gather information and make sure to consider opinions from multiple people.
- 9. Use creativity and inventiveness to track down minimal expense and find low-cost, small improvements.
- 10. Improve constantly and never stop the eagerness to improve on something.