What is a WebCom?

A 9Wood Kick-Off WebCom is simply an online teleconference with all the key players in a project in attendance. It is the first step toward an on-time, high-quality installation. We have designed the WebCom as a tool help our primary customer — the Acoustical Subcontractor — be as successful as possible with every 9Wood project.

Why Should I Attend a WebCom?

**Simplify Approvals:** 9Wood employs a Project Management tool called 4 Paths/4 Approvals™. Designed to simplify the approval process in a custom environment, each “path” addresses a different complexity or scheduling constraint. Choosing which “Approval Path” to take should not be delayed. The Kick-off WebCom offers a forum for early decision making.

**Bring Stakeholders Together:** Architect, GC, Acoustical Subcontractor and 9Wood gather for a one-hour online teleconference at the start of project approvals. Topics include the approval process, submittals and shop drawings, wood ceiling issues, and schedule.

**Clarify Details:** The Kick-Off WebCom gives everyone a chance to ask questions about key project details and specification requirements that could hold up submittals.

**Improve Schedules:** All parties leave the online meeting understanding the key wood ceiling milestones, lead times and approval requirements.

**Lower Risks:** All building materials have idiosyncrasies. Wood is no exception. Engineering and fire rating, codes and seismic, wood color consistency and critical lighting, product acclimatization and building environment, field dimensions and fabrication drawings, these and more are important concepts to review. In the Kick-Off WebCom, 9Wood will walk all parties through each of these topics and any other concerns you may have.

Pre-installation meetings are a norm in commercial construction. With the Kick-Off WebCom this proven practice conveniently enters the 21st century — right from your computer. It has proven itself a valuable time investment for successful wood ceiling project planning and execution.