

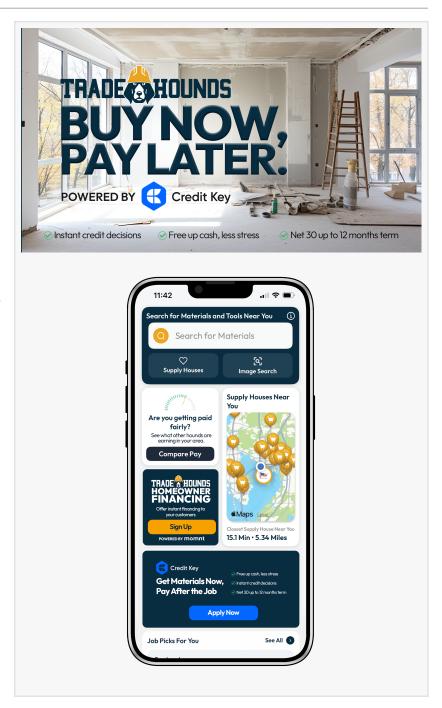
# Buy Now, Pay Later: Trade Hounds Users Get 30 Days Interest-Free with Credit Key

Trade Hounds teams up with Credit Key to offer tradespeople instant credit, 30day interest-free payments, and flexible financing for materials.

CLEVELAND, OH, UNITED STATES, October 21, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Trade Hounds, America's largest social marketplace for the skilled trades, is proud to announce a new partnership with Credit Key, a leading provider of flexible financing solutions. This collaboration gives Trade Hounds users direct access to Credit Key's powerful payment tools—designed to ease the financial burden of upfront material costs and unlock new growth opportunities for tradespeople.

With over 435,000 users across the trades, Trade Hounds is the go-to platform where professionals share jobsite photos, tool reviews, and supplier shoutouts. Now, with Credit Key integrated into the experience, users can take advantage of:

• 30 Days to Pay, Interest-Free Tradespeople often need to purchase materials before receiving payment for their work. Credit Key's Net 30 option



allows users to buy what they need today and pay later—with no interest—giving them immediate relief from cash flow strain.

Instant Access to a Credit Line

Unlike traditional trade credit that can take weeks to secure, Credit Key offers instant credit decisions. Users can get approved in minutes and access a reusable credit line to cover materials for current and future jobs.

# Cash Flow Flexibility for Growth

In a recent Trade Hounds survey, 70% of tradespeople reported that upfront material costs create a major or moderate impact on their cash flow. By deferring these costs, they can keep cash available for payroll, fuel, equipment, and new projects.

## Reduced Financial Stress

More than 60% of surveyed users said it would be extremely helpful to pay for materials after getting paid by their customers. Credit Key makes this possible, aligning cash in and cash out for greater financial stability.

Flexible Terms Beyond 30 Days

For longer projects, Credit Key offers terms up to 12 months, allowing users to spread costs and match repayment schedules with incoming revenue.

"Tradespeople work hard and deserve tools that make their lives easier," said David Bauders, CEO of Trade Hounds. "This partnership with Credit Key is a game-changer. It empowers our users to take on more jobs, reduce stress, and grow their businesses with confidence."

Trade Hounds continues to expand its ecosystem of support for the trades, following recent partnerships with fintech leaders like Momnt. With Credit Key now onboard, the platform strengthens its commitment to helping tradespeople succeed—on the jobsite and beyond.

To apply, visit <a href="https://www.creditkey.com/app/apply/tradehounds">https://www.creditkey.com/app/apply/tradehounds</a>.

### **About Trade Hounds**

Trade Hounds is the largest social marketplace built exclusively for the skilled trades. With over 400,000 users, the platform connects tradespeople across the U.S., helping them share knowledge, discover products, and grow their careers.

# **About Credit Key**

Credit Key is a fintech company offering instant, flexible financing solutions tailored to the needs of small businesses and independent contractors. Their platform enables instant credit decisions, interest-free terms, and extended repayment options.

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