Mystery Audit Pre-Flight Checklist

A Pickzox bonus. CaseBound's twelve-check Mystery Audit works best when your case file is complete. Have these twelve things settled before you run it.

#	Settle this before the audit
1	The culprit's identity — and exactly how they did it
2	The culprit's motive, strong enough to risk everything for
3	A timeline of the crime, minute by minute where it matters
4	The victim's final day, from at least two viewpoints
5	Every suspect's secret — including the innocent ones
6	Each suspect's alibi, and which alibi is false
7	The clue list: every clue, where it appears, who sees it
8	The red herrings, and the fair explanation behind each
9	What the detective gets wrong before the final act
10	The reveal scene: where, who is present, what is proven
11	Names checked against your banned-name list
12	Your period facts loaded (dossier chosen or built)

Fair-play rule of thumb: a reader who re-reads the book should find every clue was visible before the reveal. If a fact exists only in your head, it is not in the case file yet. © Pickzox — free bonus, not for resale.