

TO: Public Sector Leaders and IT Security Leads

Under Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham's leadership, and with the support of the New Mexico Legislature, the Office of Cybersecurity, in collaboration with the Cybersecurity Planning and Advisory committees, developed a statewide cybersecurity plan. Central to the plan is the creation of an Statewide Enterprise Cybersecurity Program ("ECP") by the Office of Cybersecurity. The ECP includes risk mitigation services to strengthen our state's cybersecurity preparedness and posture.

To successfully achieve the objectives outlined in the statewide cybersecurity plan and enhance our state's cybersecurity preparedness, we need your support.

The plan prioritizes objectives to continuously detect, remediate, manage, and protect state technology infrastructure from threat exposures while complying with federal and state regulations, and best practices.

The goals of the plan are to:

- Enhance detection and remediation of cyber threat exposures
- Validate and prioritize threat exposures
- Improve resilience

The Office of Cybersecurity has scaled its services to include K-12 schools (public and charter), higher educational institutions, and local government entities (cities, counties, and municipalities).

We strongly encourage you to reach out to the respective contacts to initiate discussions and participate in the cybersecurity risk mitigation services offered by the Office of Cybersecurity. Please reach out to the following representatives applicable to your area.

- K-12 Cybersecurity Program: Tiffany Hazelbaker | tiffany.hazelbaker@cyber.nm.gov
- Higher Ed Cybersecurity Program: Lee Baca | <u>lee.baca@cyber.nm.gov</u>
- State Agency Cybersecurity Program: Daniel Trujillo | daniel.trujillo@cyber.nm.gov
- Local Government Cybersecurity Program: Deb Miller | deb.miller@cyber.nm.gov

We look forward to working with you to strengthen our state's cybersecurity practices and create a safer digital environment for all New Mexicans. Please contact us via email at NMCyber@cyber.nm.gov for additional information or with questions.

Thank you for your time, efforts and cooperation.

Sincerely, Raja Sambandam, Chief Information Security Officer