Information Security Administrative Bulletin

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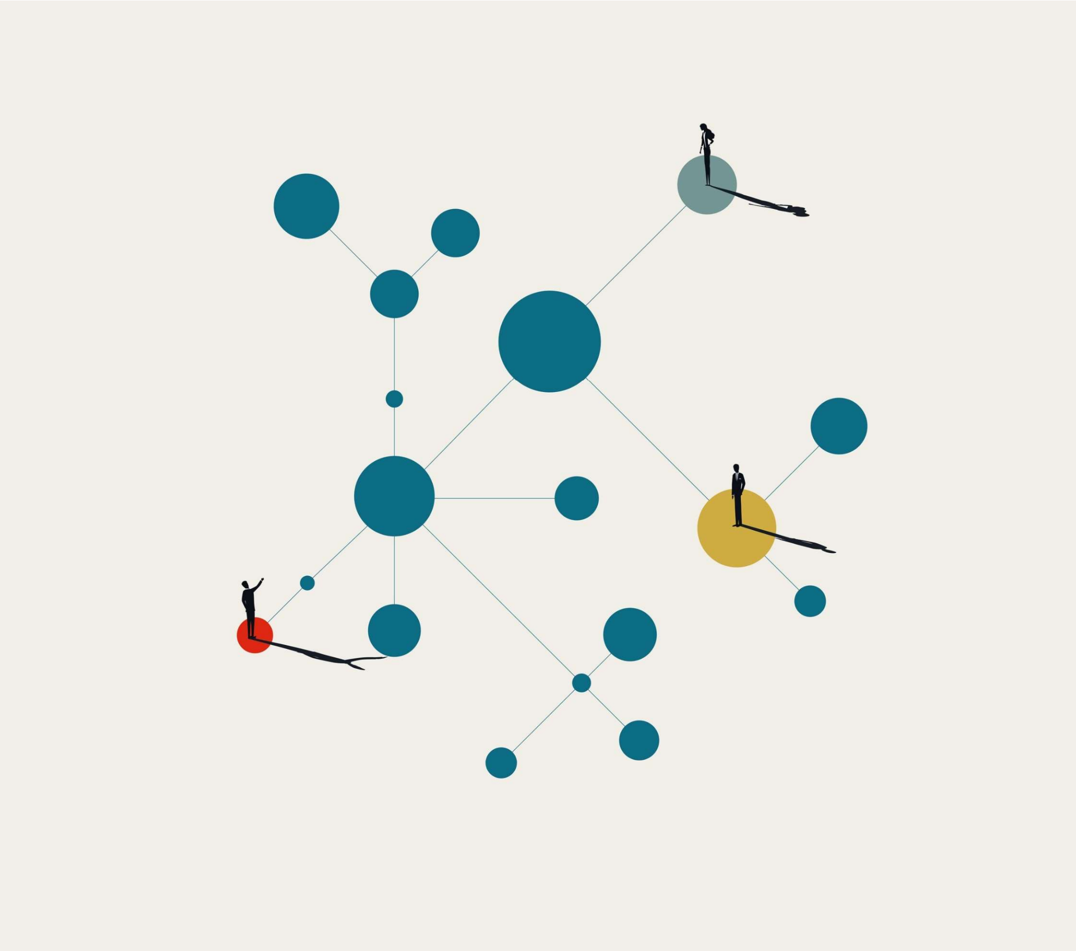
Why Are We Here

In today’s world, the security landscape is characterized by increasingly sophisticated and frequent cyber threats. Local governments, including ours, struggle to handle these threats due to resource constraints and fragmented approaches.



How We Got Here

Developed in alignment with the County's cybersecurity strategy, this initiative was a collaborative process involving multiple County departments. The document was edited and reviewed by County Counsel’s Office.

This Bulletin will establish a solid foundation, equipping the organization to effectively confront both current and future cybersecurity threats.

Establishes a framework for implementing consistent safeguards across all the organization.

Governance

Our governance approach includes socializing proposed standards and weighing business impact prior to adoption. This collaborative process ensures we understand the impact security safeguards will have on County service delivery.

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Security Awareness Training

According to the FBI's Internet Crime Complaint Center statistics the most common category of reported cyber crime involves a human element, such as email phishing or vendor impersonation attacks.

Our people are our first and most crucial line of defense. It is essential we prepare our County staff with training to identify and prevent cybersecurity incidents. While most County staff already receive some form of security awareness training, this policy will ensure consistent training across the County.

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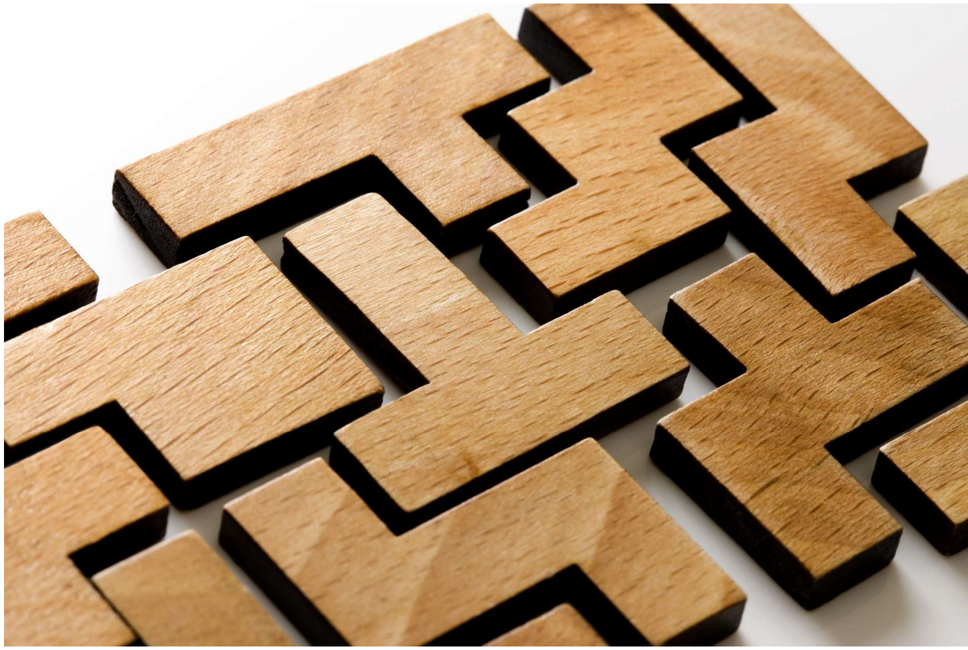
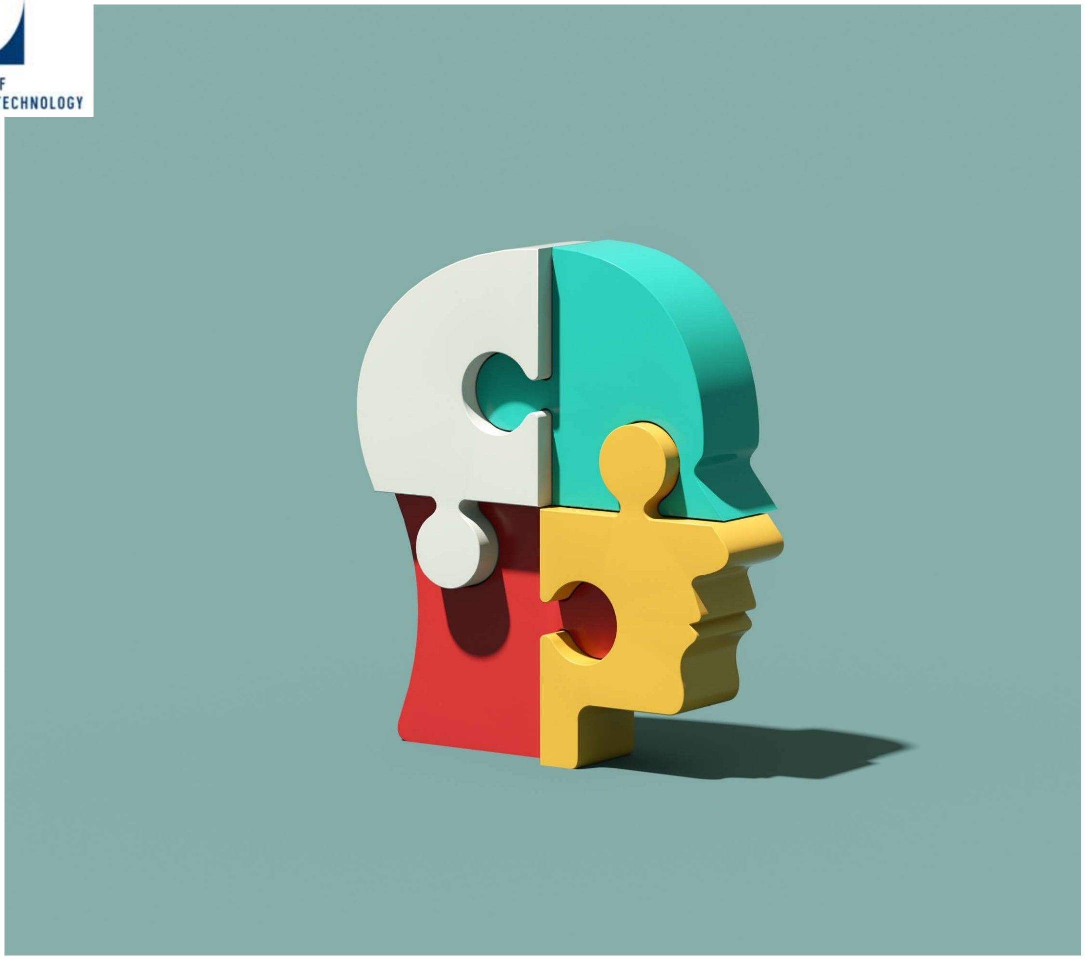
What’s Next?

This Administrative Bulletin establishes a robust foundation for the County to operate information technology systems and securely deliver services to our community in a collaborative fashion.



DoIT Recommendations

1. Request Committee approve bulletin
2. Request County Administrator bring bulletin forward for Board of Supervisors approval



Thank You!

Questions from the committee?